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An Epic Adventure Awaits!

New friends! Amazing experiments! Wild games! Surprising adventures! Incredible music!

At Kingdom Rock, kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, experience epic Bible adventures, meet Bible Memory Buddies to remind them to stand strong, and test out Sciency-Fun Gizmos they'll take home and play with all summer long. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God Sightings. Each day concludes with Fanfare Finale—a celebration that gets everyone involved in living what they've learned. Kingdom Rock is for kids from age 3 years to 5th grade, and will run from June 24 to June 28.

Register today at the information center in the Prince of Peace fellowship area, or online via the church website.

Please visit the bulletin board in the Prince of Peace fellowship area for your opportunity to help provide the supplies we need to make VBS a success!

If you would like to help at Kingdom Rock by being a crew leader/helper (small group chaperone), please contact Jenny Page.

Date: June 24-28
Time: Family dinner 5:30 PM
Program 6:00 PM
Ages: 3 years old through 5th grade

For more information, contact Jenny Page (jenny.page@richlandlutheran.org)

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Congregation Council

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Jewell, Nancy 1430 Kimball Ave. Richland, WA 99354 (509)531-3156

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Pastoral Acts

Baptisms

May 12 Audrey Rose Hagensen May 19 Chloe Renee Howard

Weddings

Memorial/Funeral

May 15 Paul Knutson May 22 Margaret Elizabeth Norris

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From Pastor Steve



RLC in Mission for Christ: Core Values Set Culture

Every people group has "core values" by which they relate and abide which define their culture. Some groups simply let these core values happen around them without deliberate thought and intentionality. Street gangs, for instance, have core values which shape their culture. Fear, command and control, violence, retaliation, and chaos are values we see lived out in these gangs. I highly doubt any of these gangs have a website with these core values listed. Gang culture then develops around these very values.

People groups who want to live in a healthy culture are deliberate, thoughtful, and intentional about setting their core values. Take for example the Kiwanis International Foundation. On their website they list their core values for all to see; stewardship, transparency, responsiveness, legacy, integrity, and trust. They have been very deliberate about setting their core values and living by them. As such they are well known for their healthy culture and relationships.

Likewise, congregations in mission for Christ are deliberate, thoughtful, and intentional about setting their core values. At RLC we have identified our core values as; <u>Spirituality</u>, <u>Love</u>, <u>Truth</u>, <u>Accountability</u>, and <u>Integrity</u> to maintain a healthy culture and relationships. The absolute key, however, to the effectiveness of core values in maintaining a healthy culture and relationships is every single person's commitment to abide by them. It is possible to have a set of core values in writing and another set of core values in practice. In my role as LCMC Ministry Board Chair I see this all too often. The stated core values of a congregation are not the core values by which those in the congregation live. This makes for all kinds of trouble.

Since all of RLC's core values have their root in Scripture we can be encouraged by the Apostle James as he says, "Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says." May we all, by God's strength and with His grace, not only know but all the more practice our core values.

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Financial Update

Treasurer's Report - May 2013

As reflected in the financial summary below, the financial results have been mixed so far this year. Our offerings are down \$(28,693) or 11.0% less than last year for the same period. Our expenses are up \$45,922, or 16.0% more than the same time last year. For the year, our offerings are below expenses by \$(25,939) compared to \$48,677 in 2012, a change from last year of \$(74,616). These results are reflected in the columns titled "Prior Year Comparison".

		Year to Date			Prior Year Comparison		
	Actuals	Budget	Variance	YTD '13	YTD '12	Variance	
Offering / Income	\$ 253,327	\$ 263,200	\$ (9,873)	\$ 253,327	\$ 282,021	\$ (28,693)	
Expense	\$(279,266)	\$(267,265)	\$ 12,001	\$(279,266)	\$(233,344)	\$ 45,922	
Profit / (Loss)	\$ (25,939)	\$ (4,065)	\$ (21,874)	\$ (25,939)	\$ 48,677	\$ (74,616)	

For the year, actual offerings are below budget by \$(9,873) and actual expenses were over budget by \$12,001. The increased expense is primarily due to timing of the expense.

With summer just around the corner, I would encourage each of you to continually give faithfully and consistently throughout the summer. Historically, our giving during the summer months have been approximately 15% below the average giving for the year. Please remember that we still have staff salaries, utilities and other monthly expenses that occur during the summer months.

If you have any questions regarding this financial summary, please contact Debbie Stankovich, Lisa Wiegand or me.

In His Service,

Rich Olsen

The information is only a snapshot of the church's financial status on the day the report was generated and is not audited information. Please direct all inquiries for additional information to Debbie Stankovich, Church Administrator at 943-3164 or debbie.stankovich@richlandlutheran.org.

Summer Sermon Series: "Simply Christian"

Starting the first weekend in June Pastors Steve and Corey are beginning a new sermon series for the summer that will take us through the basic theological and doctrinal concepts of Christianity as seen by world renowned Anglican bishop and scholar N.T. Wright. Using Wright's book, "Simply Christian: Why Christianity Makes Sense," we hope to walk through the Christian faith step-by-step and question-by-question. We will attempt to get at the deep questions of faith and life, for example: why do we expect justice? Why do we crave spirituality? Why are relationships often so painful? How will the world be made right? These questions take us to the heart of who God is and what He wants from us.

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From the Council

Paul tells us in 1 Timothy 5:17-18, "The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor, especially those whose work is preaching and teaching. For the Scripture says, 'Do not muzzle the ox while it is treading out the grain,' and 'The worker deserves his wages." This scripture, in short, addresses the principle of fair provisions for those who serve God's church – our staff.

Compensation is a difficult topic for most organizations at the best of times, but when it comes to churches, the subject seems to be even more so and RLC is no exception. This has been a point of discussion at our Council meetings over the last few months; and, because we feel it to be of high importance, a small task force was formed to further explore this topic and to bring back to Council a recommendation for a compensation and performance award/incentive program that is both fair and equitable and, more importantly, displays love and care for this amazing group of people – each uniquely gifted by God.

This team has been working diligently over the last several weeks, researching comparative data, discussing and planning. We want to feel confident, as well as provide needed confidence and security to our staff, that they are being properly compensated and rewarded.

We should not forget however that, although fair monetary compensation is important, the form of compensation that has the most meaningful and lasting effect is the non-monetary, informal, unexpected show of appreciation – a card, phone call, email – saying "You're doing a great job!"; "Keep up the good work!"; "You're appreciated because...", or a simple "Thank you". And, no special occasions are necessary. In fact, small surprises and tokens of appreciation spread throughout the year will help those on the receiving end to feel valued all year long. Council is continually encouraged by Pastor Steve to rise to this opportunity extending to RLC's staff our appreciation. I invite each of you to do likewise. Words are powerful and influential. And those words specially chosen for encouragement and affirmation can elevate anyone's spirits.

Each and every member of RLC's staff devotes a great deal of time and energy serving God by serving His church and they each do it with love and joy knowing that it is God whom they are truly serving. As a Christian community it is our responsibility to see that they are appropriately recognized for this service.

As Jesus tells us in Luke 10:7, "...the worker deserves his wages." God's workers also deserve a simple show of love and appreciation from all of us.

In God's Service, Sandy Steele

²⁴ And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds...encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Hebrews 10:24 & 25b

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If You Think I Haven't Been Myself Lately, There's a Reason

Based upon this month's headline for the column: you're expecting me to give you a litany of various maladies I'm suffering. I do have some. First came what was diagnosed as "acute sinus infection" ("But Doc! There's nothing cute about this infection!") Then one of my formerly upper front teeth showed up in my hash browns at breakfast. The tooth fractured horizontally at the gum line, the morning we were to leave for our annual continuing education course in Vancouver, B.C. According to the dentist, there was nothing that could be done until we returned from north of the border. Oh, well, at least in Canada I could pass myself off as a retired hockey player.

But this month's headline, isn't in reference to my physical health. A subtitle for it should be: "And You Haven't Been Yourself Lately, Either". None of us have been. The human body undergoes a complete change every 7 years. This means that if you divide your age by 7, you'll discover how many bodies you've used up in your lifetime. I'm sure some of you readers are hoping at this point that I'll disclose how many bodies I've discarded in my considerable lifetime ("Let's see...39 divided by 7 is...") Is it any wonder we don't seem like ourselves, since we're always undergoing such radical change?

We're continually changing physically. Yet it's still the same person enclosed within. This is a pretty good hint for the credibility of the resurrection body. That we even survive the bodily changes of the grave is certified by the bodily resurrected Jesus Christ; and is hinted at in the continual change of our earthly body. "...we will all be changed..." is the manner in which St. Paul expresses it of our resurrection in 1 Corinthians 15:51.

I've lived in a *lot* of different places on earth - and in a lot of different bodies ("Divide by 7"). We think of such places and bodies as "the good old days." We forget negative and evil things encountered back there - and in those permutations of our bodies! While there were many good and commendable things about those places and times of our lives: our yearning for there and then exposes our resistance to change.

Various changes God has led/is leading me through have often brought me to protest to Him that *surely He* can hear the gears of my life loudly grinding (read, "*complaining*") as He leads me. That's the thing, isn't it? Attach yourself to God through Jesus Christ (and I trust you have!): and you must quickly submit to the fact you've attached yourself to the God leading you on a personal and corporate Exodus. I'm not suggesting *all* change is good or of the Lord; but *don't* yearn to go back to Egypt. As I await the arrival of another grandchild, I know the father, (my son) will soon be giving the child a lot of changes; and that's for its (and our) good. An unchanged baby is neither sweet, or itself as God intended. Lead and change us, Lord of our past, present and future!

Pastor Dave

"...we will all be changed..." 1 Corinthians 15:51

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Mark Black Award 2013

This year's winners of the Mark Black Award are Drew Snyder and Brittney Crisp.

Drew is a senior at Richland High School, and has been involved in our High School Leadership Team, has attended several Mission Trips and Beach Trips, and is currently helping with the audio/visual team at worship.

Brittney is a senior at Hanford High School, and has also been involved in our Leadership Team as well as attending several Mission Trips and Beach Trips. Brittney also began a ministry to senior citizens in our community.

The prestigious Mark Black Award was established in memory of Mark Black who was killed in the Vietnam War. It recognizes a graduating senior who has given outstanding service to the congregation as well as participated in worship services. Besides the honor that accompanies this selection, the award also includes a \$1000 scholarship. Congratulations to both of you!





Sewing Bee Update

The **RLC Sewing Bee** delivered large quilts and lap robes on May 24 to the following local agencies:

- Large quilts: Veterans (6); World Relief (7); American Red Cross (11); and Tri-City Union Gospel Mission (8).
- Lap Robes: Richland Life Care (3); Cancer Center (5); and Red Cross (large lap robe/quilt for a child).

We pray that God will bless those who receive these quilts and lap robes. A big thank you to Hermine and Chuck Fordham and Larry Harrold for helping to deliver these items. We encourage you to join our group on Wednesday mornings from 9 AM to noon in the Prince of Peace fellowship area.

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2 8:30 AM Worship 9:00 AM Good News Today 9:45 AM Education Hour/HeBrews Cafe 10:15 AM Worship 11:30 AM New Members Luncheon/Orientation 5:30 PM High School Leadership Team 6:30 PM Coffeehouse 7:00 PM Haler/Worgull Growth Group	3 10:30 AM Prayer Ministry Meeting 12:00 PM Mary Martha Growth Group 7:00 PM Bible Study 7:00 PM Long-Range Planning Team	4 8:00 AM Gentle Yoga class 9:30 AM Staff Meeting 7:00 PM Praise Team 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 248 7:00 PM Outreach Team Meeting	
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The Richland Lutheran Church calendar changes daily! Please call the church office, 943-3164, or check the website, www.richlandlutheran.org, for the most current information. Please note that not all activities, especially Growth Group meetings and Circles, are actually held at the church.					

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Activities for Kids

MEET OUR KINGDOM ROCK BIBLE-BUDDIES!



Join us for VBS June 24-28!



Operation Christmas Child 2013 Item of the Month — Gifts for Younger boys, ages 5-9

Our goal for this year is to fill at least 150 boxes. We believe by spreading the collection process out over the entire year, we should be able to reach, and hopefully surpass, this number!

Please bring <u>NEW</u> gifts and toys for BOYS ages 5-9. Suggested items: Multi-colored Sharpies; yo-yo's, marbles, baseballs, ball caps, Bible story books, solar calculators, flashlights and batteries, soccer balls with pumps, cars/trucks, kazoos, compasses, socks, travel-sized board games, puzzles, solar calculators, t-shirts, underwear, duct tape, books. Be creative! Think about the kids you know, and what they would like to receive. Gift items can be placed in the Christmas-y box near the mailboxes in the Prince of Peace fellowship area. Thank you for your help in making this a year-round ministry!

For more information contact Jenny Page (jenny.page@richlandlutheran.org)

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Youth Activities

Middle School!

Grades 6-8

WILD is our program for all middle schoolers. Every Wednesday night we meet from 6:30 PM to 8 PM in the Gloria Dei Multipurpose Room (up the stairs). We spend time worshiping, playing, learning and hanging out together. Friends are always welcome!

June 5th is the final session in our storying adventure through the Bible!

Wednesday, June 12th is the final WILD of the school year. We will begin at 5:30pm with a pizza dinner, have the WILD OLYMPICS, games and will conclude at 8:30pm!

8th graders! You are invited to sign up for our high school beach trip from July 14-21 in Seaside, OR.

Middle and High School Youth:

June 24-28 is Vacation Bible School and we need your help!!! Make sure to talk to Jenny Page if you can help!

High School!

Grades 9-12

Bunday Night Coffeehouse

(6:30 PM in the High School Room) This is our weekly meeting for high school students. We spend time worshiping, playing, laughing, discussing, learning, praying...among other things! Friends are always welcome!

June 2: Sexfest 3
June 9: Father's Day volleyball game
June 16: No Coffeehouse
June 23: VBS prep night
June 30: Game Show Night

June 15-22 is our Mission Trip to Lodge Grass, Montana!

BEACH TRIP 2013 "ABOVE AND BEYOND" IN SEASIDE, OR.!!! It is time to sign up for our annual beach trip on July 14-21. Cost is \$325 (discount available for families with multiple youth attending), and a \$150 non-refundable deposit is due June 16.

Sign up now!!!

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Parish Health Ministry

Safety Training Summary by Jenifer Haler

Love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength and your neighbor as yourself. (Luke 10:27)

The CPR/AED/ First Aid event held in May equipped nearly fifty RLC members to show God's love to others. The four-hour training taught effective actions anyone could take in an emergency situation, including calling 9-1-1. A rhyme helped participants assess a person in distress and respond appropriately: "If pale - lift tail, if red - lift head, if blue - You have CPR to do!"

Statistics say that everyone will be in a situation where they could perform CPR at least once in their lifetime. Using an AED (Automated External Defibrillator), such as the one Richland Lutheran has mounted in a cabinet in the hallway outside the library conference room, in addition to beginning chest compressions (CPR) increases a victim's chance of survival by 75%.* For every minute that passes between collapse and defibrillation survival rates decrease 7 - 10%, if no help is provided.*

In <u>The 52 Greatest Stories of the Bible: A Devotional Study</u>, John Turner writes (based on 1 John) that heaven is not a place we go when & where we "get rid of this pesky earth suit." Heaven is made possible now, through the redeeming work of Jesus Christ, when we live in fellowship with God and with one another.

In Roman times there was little respect/ reverence for life. Unwanted babies were left, exposed, in the streets to die, but Christians got a reputation for taking these helpless infants into their homes, loving them back to life. Slaves were given respect in Christian churches and all were told ... there is no difference between Jew or Greek, slave or free (Philemon). The early Christian church grew because they followed the new commandment, "Love one another as I (Jesus) have loved you." (John 15:12) Christians are not rule followers (as the Pharisees), we are Christ followers. To quote a well-known song, "They will know we are Christians by our love."

I want to express our gratitude to Thrivent, especially Michelle Clary and Chris Houglum, Regional Community Engagement Leader, for their financial support for the training and the first aid kits which every participant received. I pray that God will continue to work within Richland Lutheran Church, providing us with opportunities and tools to reflect the love of Christ.

*American Heart Association, April 26, 2010



Oasis Physical Therapy's next free seminar is on foot or heel pain - Tuesday, June 18, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., at 6825 Burden Blvd, Ste D, Pasco. Sign up at 509-545-1010 or online at <u>OasisPhysicalTherapy.com/seminars</u>. In addition to information given via lecture, participants will receive a free screening of their feet.

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High School Mission Trippers Are Lodge Grass Bound

On June 15th, a group of High Schoolers and adults from RLC will be making the drive to Lodge Grass, Montana for our eighth year of service on the annual High School Mission Trip through the organization Youth Works. During the week, our group will run a daily Kid's Club, paint houses and do minor home repair, run a sports camp for teens, worship, learn about the Crow Indian culture, and serve wherever needed in Jesus' name.



Good news from Lodge Grass:

Originally the staff at Lodge Grass (including RLC's Ellie Page) needed sports equipment for their sports camp. However, they have received plenty of equipment for this summer. Therefore, we **will not** need to take any additional sports items this year!



We would love for you to keep these youth and adults in your prayers:

Ben Hoffner, Ellie Hoffner, Jack Page, Courtney Olsen, Brittney Crisp, Kate Juergens, Kira Westlund, Drew Snyder, Alisha Bettinson, Ryan Warren, Ben Barr, Jon Page, Heidi Dagle, and Casey Vernon. Also, please keep the community in Lodge Grass in your prayers!



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Worship Participants

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June 2013	Time	Sunday June 2	Sunday June 9	Sunday June 16	Sunday June 23	Sunday June 30
Pianist (Saturday)	5:00 PM	Teresa Zorich	Teresa Zorich	Teresa Zorich	Teresa Zorich	Teresa Zorich
Organist	8:30 AM	Carol Larkin	Alane Evers	Alane Evers	Alane Evers	Alane Evers
Worship Leader	10:15 AM	Joe Potts	Joe Potts	Joe Potts	Joe Potts	Joe Potts
Lectors	8:30 AM	Kathy Killand	Kristin Imhoff	Norm Gillette	Jim Peterson	Dolores Jaech
	10:15 AM	Karen Clark	Sue Meek	Laura Stevens	Alicia Phaneuf	Jon Page
Communion	8:30 AM	Alesia Chaney Jeff Pilger Kathy Killand	Clarine Watkins Larry Haler Jenifer Haler	Norm Gillette Sara Gillette Pam Hedges	Clarine Watkins Charles Davis Elaine Davis	Larry Haler Jenifer Haler Jami Prigge
Assistants	10:15 AM	Lisa Corning Jason Corning Karen Clark	Kelly Westlund ****	Karen Clark Dawn Salyer Don Salyer	Valerie Bettinson Mike Bettinson ****	Kelly Westlund **** ****
Setup/Cleanup Communion (Saturday) Sunday 8:30 setup	5:00 PM	Jim & Sue Worgull	Carl & Judy Schroeder	Joanne Woehle	Carl & Judy Schroeder	Dave & Ann Brandes
Cleanup 8:30, Set up 11:00 Sunday	After 8:30 AM	Pamela Warren Jean Loss	Carol Schmid	Dan & Vicki Jordheim	Karin Nickola Lois Harrold	Mike & MaryJo Schroeder
Clean up Communion	After 10:15 AM	Jim & Jean Loss	Carl & Tobi Schroeder	Doloros Erickson	Kelly Westlund	Carl & Judy Schroeder
Acolytes	8:30 AM	Adam Pilger Caleb Brown	Robert Warren Patrick Schroeder	Mikayla Mars Josh Mars	Grace Corning Anna Lesser	Morgan Oberlander Alexis Riensche
	10:15 AM	Savannah Haynie Madeline Haynie	Nathan Lipton Trond Tilton	Zeke Ernst Jennifer Williams	Conner Budzeck Daniel Miles	Coley Levin Willow Whitney
Head Ushers & Assisting Ushers	8:30 AM	H – Mike Schwartz Karen Schwartz A – Gary Weible Eunice Weible	H – Chuck McCargar Sue McCargar A – Larry Haler ****	H – Fred Kremmer Mac Dixson A – Jim Peterson Gary Weible	H – Dave Wunschel Larry Corning A – Jon Erlandson Laura Stevens	H – Larry Haler Larry Corning A – Jim Peterson Bruce Lander
	10:15 AM	H – Carol Hexum Alan Hagensen A – Jim Loss Jean Loss	H – Mike Bettinson Valerie Bettinson A – Jim Loss Jean Loss	H – Rick Budzeck Janet Budzeck A – Mike Strasburg ****	H – Jim Loss Jean Loss A – Rick Snyder Kathy Snyder	H - **** **** A - ****
Church Friends	8:30 AM	Lois Harrold	Fishers of Men	Sue & Jim Worgull	Carol Schmid	Carleen & Len Lust
	10:15 AM	Karen Clark	Dave and Ann Brandes	LaVonne Scully	Debbie Honeyman	****
Children's Church	8:30 AM	Melissa Schmid Katie/Sarah Schmid	Lori Lachut Tiffany Vopalensky	****	Mary Lipton Anna/Nathan Lipton	John Huebner ****
	10:15 AM	Pam Hedges Kira Westlund	Julie Bishop ****	Trina Miles Daniel Miles	**** Nathan Mitchell	****
Video System at 8:30 am service	Console Camera 1 2	Mike Schwartz Don Schmid Paul Hedges	Jim Moran Ken Meek Jon Erlandson	Mike Stankovich Don Schmid Paul Hedges	Brian Killand Traci Moran Luke Thompson	Brian Killand Andy Clark Jon Erlandson
Sound System	8:30 AM	Larry Corning	Paul Hedges	Larry Corning	Chuck Richardson	Paul Hedges
Operators	10:15 AM	Jeff Dagle	Jeff Dagle	Bob Thompson	Jeff Dagle	Jeff Dagle
Cashiers		Judy Riggers Janet Budzeck	Kathy Snyder Dick Arnst	Nancy Ballard Doris Barchet	Judy Riggers Doris Barchet	
Flowers			Carleen & Len Lust	Fordham/Perham/ Riggers/Bishop	Matthew & Ali Schwartz	
Recycle		Karen Schwartz	LaVonne Scully	Karen Clark	Jeff & Heidi Dagle	Jim & Jean Loss

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Anniversaries & Birthdays

ANNIVERSARIES

June 1

Jenifer & Larry Haler Donna & Mark Williams

June 2

Joy & Ted Stuenkel Ann & John Tolrud

June 3

Barbara & Gerald Sandness

June 4

Julie & David Deen Mille & Ray Nierman

June 6

Karen & Ronald Filipy

June 7

Nancy & Roy Ballard Debbie & Jim Honeyman Carleen & Len Lust

June 8

Jackie & Bruce Slonecker Ethyl & Robert Somerville

June 9

Jana & Mike Strasburg Sharon & Dave Wunschel

June 10

Carol & Loren Schmid

June 11

Casandra & Brian Blakely

June 12

Kristin & Jeremy Mensinger Judy & Bob Riggers

June 14

Hermine & Charles Fordham Kathy & John Hooks Joan & Jim Perham

June 18

Jean & Jim Loss Kim & Joe Sundal

June 19

Cindy & Jay Dixon

June 25

Melissa & Tom Bratvold Ginnette & Steve Ernst Lynn & Jerry Weldon

June 26

Debra & Bret Cole Andrea & Chris Montvale Karen & Steve Solnicka

June 27

Lisa and John Bartholomew Debbie & Scott Hardman Alyce & Scott Thompson

BIRTHDAYS

June 1

T. J. Bush John Henry Huebner Madeline Pilger

June 2

Lori Hogan Michelle Machinal Derek O'Dell

June 3

Mike Kinmark Linda Korpi Timothy Mraz Willow Whitney

June 4

James Bennett Karen Solnicka

June 5

Diane Bonin
Lily Kissire
Carter Maier
Charles MacLeod
Michael McCargar

June 6

Amy Johnson

June 7

Evelyn Davis Sara Gillette Wally Hendrickson Vicki Piipo John Williams

June 8

Lauren Carlson Luke Hagensen Steve Richardson

June 9

Todd Haynie

June 10

Betty Hartcorn Jillian Shaw Tyler Williams Adam Woehle

June 11

Steve Solnicka

June 12

Kathy Barr Ryann Carroll Megan Ross

June 13

Kurt Lyso April Mercer

June 14

Gail Gilbertson Ron Hollenbeck Carl Imhoff Richard Ulvin

June 15

Karen Clark

June 16

Kate Juergens Erlan Leitz

June 17

Allison Boynton Karen Gardner Matthew Smith Mary Ellen Thomas

June 18

Matthew Monroe Judy Riggers

June 19

John Cagle Sierra Cole

June 20

Mike Penley

June 21

Evan Johnson

June 22

Chuck McCargar Cindy Underwood

June 23

Todd Hanson Debbie Honeyman

June 24

Rich Barchet Linda Buckner Jaycob Salter Jaydin Salter

June 25

Dawn Blankingship Birdie Halverson Jase Vopalensky

June 26

John Cunningham

June 27

Jeff Hardman Leigh Haynie Ken Rueter Carol Schmid Kira Westlund

June 28

Cameron Smith Lynn Weldon

June 29

Alicia Booth Payton Hammill Fiona Maloney Julie Penley

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Kiera Johnson Zorann Johnson Theresa Monroe Melissa Schmid Aaron Scully Diana Wells Lori Whelan

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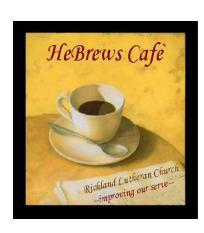
Worship with Holy Communion Saturdays at 5:00 PM

And when circumstances beyond your control prevent you from coming to church...

Good News Today

Aired Sunday mornings on KVEW 42 and KAPP 35 at 9:00 AM

Audio files of sermons are available on the website: www.richland-lutheran.org



Come to HeBrews Café Sunday mornings, between 9:45 AM and 10:45 AM

It's where Richland Lutheran Church members are refreshed, rejuvenated, and renewed for work in the Kingdom!

There are still some Sundays available for serving. Sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex.

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