

THE CHRONICLES

Lutheran Church of the Resurrection

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On our quick road trip to Northeastern, Iowa this past weekend we enjoyed visiting and catching up with friends as well as celebrate a wedding. On our way back we stopped in Des Moines to have a late lunch with my goddaughter, Amy. It was there that I realized that someone was walking towards us and quickly greeted my friend, Jim. Jim and I haven't seen each other for a long time and we laughed at this coincidence. Both of us stopping for a quick meal while traveling through Iowa with our families.

We might call it a coincidence. My sister comes to expect that I will run into someone on any given trip. It's true, even eating supper in the lodge the girls and I were staying at when on our train trip stop in Glacier National Park. I like to refer to these encounters as God moments and truly a gift of grace. It was fun to see Jim and his wife and their sons all grown up. It's a gift to run into an old acquaintance.

What are your God moments? Where do you see God at work around you? It can be a random conversation or a well planned out trip. God is in the midst of everything that we do. God can be seen in the beauty of creation and the gift of conversation.

**Is there anyplace I can go to avoid your Spirit? to be out of your sight?
If I climb to the sky, you're there! If I go underground, you're there!
If I flew on morning's wings to the far western horizon,
You'd find me in a minute - you're already there waiting!**

Psalm 139:7-10 The Message

Last summer Flat Jesus traveled with us. This summer be aware of your God moments. I would love to hear about them.

Pastor Becky

July Birthdays



- 1 Delayne Leonard
- 11 Allyson Sherwood
- 12 Ben Raska, Sr.
- 20 Ryan Durkin
- 23 Brandon Merkord
- 24 Lois Hickman
- 31 Whitlee Walker-Leonard

SUMMER SCHEDULE – COFFEE’S ON

The summer schedule is in full swing. The Children’s and Adult’s regular Sunday school will be on hiatus for the summer and we will be having our fellowship coffee and snacks (and maybe the occasional taco) at 9:45, instead of after worship. Worship will still be held at 10:30.

DEER CREEK DEVOTIONS

Join us on Sunday, July 17th at 3:30 at Deer Creek Rehabilitation Center at 555 Ranch Road 3237 as we join the residents in singing gospel songs to Pastor Becky’s guitar playing.



July Anniversaries



- 10 Carrie & Jason Valentine
- 16 Londa & Autry Burns
- 27 Susan & Harvey Hohmann
- 31 Dianne & Travis Kilpatrick

WIMBERLEY FOURTH OF JULY

Look for Pastor Becky during the 4th of July Parade; she will be riding on the Chamber of Commerce float for local nonprofits!

Also, Pastor Becky and Mikki will be singing with the Wimberley Community Chorus for 2 concerts that day. The concerts are 1pm and 4pm at the First Baptist Church at the corner of RR 12 and Winters Mill Parkway (across from the entrance to Woodcreek).

July Worship Helpers
Assistant Ministers

3 Chris Weaver
10 Daryl Ready
17 Blaine Nelson
24 Autry Burns
31 Rebecca Heidt

Acolytes

3 Bella Raska
10 Benjamin Raska
17 Abigail Burttschell
24 Shirley Schliessmann
31 Abigail Burttschell

Readers

3 Patti Gibson
10 Angie Rose
17 Whitney Cargill
24 Mary Rodgers
31 Corey Heidt

Ushers

3 Danny Hickman/Don Isler
10 Raska Family
17 Jill & Daryl Ready
24 Merkord Family
31 Al Strobel/Mikki Sogge

Altar Guild

3 Pat Ehrhart
10 Bella Raska
17 Ann Fox
24 Chris Weaver
31 Shirley Schliessmann

Greeter

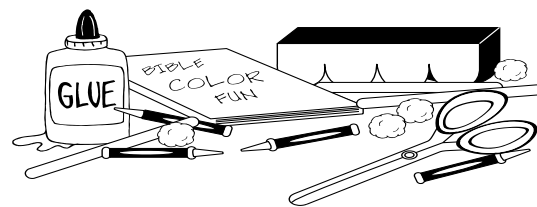
3 Lynn Raska
10 Angie Rose
17 Al Strobel
24 Paula Johnson
31 Jill & Daryl Ready

Counters

3 Shirley Schliessmann
10 Brandon Merkord/Don Isler
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24 Brandon Merkord
31 Shirley Schliessmann/Don Isler

Bulletin Folders

3 Pat Ehrhart
10 Bella Raska
17 Paula Johnson
24 Blaine Nelson
31 Shirley Schliessmann



BACK-TO-SCHOOL FIESTA

The annual drive for Back-to-School supplies has already begun. This is our Mission of the Month for June and July. Donations are needed to purchase: school supplies, backpacks, and gift cards to Payless Shoes. These as well as immunizations, medical screenings and haircuts are given to Wimberley students.

Volunteer days are Thurs. Aug. 11th from 2:30-6:30, Fri. Aug. 12th from 9-noon, and Sat. Aug. 13th from 8-12:30.

See the narthex or contact Shirley for more details.

CAMP NOAH

Camp Noah has been in swing locally for 2 weeks now. The third week will be at LCR from July 11-15. Camp Noah is a one-week camp serving kids in grades K-6 who've been affected by disasters. The camp builds resiliency skills with a proven curriculum. The camp is staffed by professional trauma specialists.

Volunteers are still needed to provide transportation to campers. Contact Rebecca Heidt at 281-660-0308 or Rebecca.heidt19@gmail.com for more details.

JOIN THE CONVERSATION

The Renewal Team is meeting regularly to discuss the upcoming calendar and church issues. Meetings are held most Wednesdays at 7pm at LCR. Below are the meeting dates and the meeting topics. Please join us if you can.

July 6 – Outreach
July 13 – Faith Formation and Christian Ed in fall
July 20 – No Meeting
July 27 - Stewardship

“The Lord knows those who are his.” – 2 Timothy 2:19



GIVE US YOUR FAVORITE HYMNS!

Do you have favorite hymns that you'd like included in Sunday worship? Here's your opportunity to give us your suggestions! Please look through both the *ELW* and *With One Voice* hymnals and write down page numbers and titles of songs you like to sing. Fill out as many hymns as you'd like. You're welcome to take the hymnals home—but please bring them back the following Sunday!

Hymnal (ELW or WOV)
Page No.

Song Title

1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____

Prayer List



- Doris King
- Joan Mohr
- Eric Strobel
- Mitch & Estelle Hill
- Tyler Proue
- Jini Bouzard
- Melinda Pace
- Lynn Kimrey
- Richard Polk
- Robert Sherwood
- Andi Williams
- Donna Curtis
- Kameron Bowles
- Wanda Harman
- Bob Peterson
- Shane Whitaker
- Teddy Ketchell
- Michael Thurman

Thank You

WE CAN'T THANK YOU ENOUGH!

Thank you to David Johnson for all his help with the church picnic: reserving the tables and grill, putting out the signs, and grill mastering.

Thank you to all the worship helpers and counters for their service every Sunday.

Thank you to Blaine Nelson, Frank Bauer and Mike Schliessmann for all their work on the church grounds.