Founded on the Word ... Focused on the Cross

Glorify God, Grow in Grace, Go with the Gospel St. Mark's Lutheran Weekly Newsletter May 29, 2022

Ponder This For A Moment

"I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, ¹⁹ and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength ²⁰ he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, ²¹ far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. ²² And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, ²³ which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way" Ephesians 1:18-23. May the eyes of our heart be opened to such.

Sunday Morning Glorify & Grow

8:00* & 10:45 Glorify (*livestreamed) 9:15 Grow for Age 4 thru Grade 8 9:30 Grow for Teens / All Ages Monday Worship at 6:30 PM (Chapel)

> Scripture Readings for June 5 Genesis 11:1-9 Acts 2:1-21 John 15:26-27

From God's Yellow Pages

Spiritual guidance direct from God – let your fingers do the walking through the Bible ... **This Week – Tempted** ... Psalms 1, 139:23-24; Matthew 26:41; 1 Corinthians 10:12-14; Philippians 4:8; James 4:7; 2 Peter 2:9, 3:17

Digging Deeper Discussion

Next one is Thursday, June 9 at 6:30 PM. We are beginning a new topic, the Book of Hebrews. We meet in the Luther Room. If you cannot make it in person, ask Pastor K for the link and materials so you can join online (live).

LWMS Update

Thank you to all who voted for LWMS International Board of Directors and Mission Offering Projects. Your choices are on the bulletin board. Your votes will be combined with votes from all circuits in the U.S. and Canada. The winners will be announced at the LWMS Convention in Rochester, NY in June.

Summer Sunday School For Families We will be going to a different format for the summer: parents are encouraged to stay with their children for this hour of learning and fun. Our focus: Heroes of Faith from Hebrews 11. When: Sundays at 9:15 am in June, July, August (not on July 3). Where: In the multi-purpose center (MPC). What: We'll have a mix of lessons, Bible readings, activities, games, and song to encourage one another and build each other up in the faith. Growing in Faith and fellowship.

Tree of Life Youth Summer Camp

Tree of Life Bible Camp is back! 'Warriors for Christ' is our theme based off of Ephesians 6. The camp will be July 10-16. Go to the Tree of Life website for registration details.

Supporting WELS Military Services

On Sunday, May 29, we will have an opportunity to support our WELS Military Services. The

'ammo' can will be out to collect freewill donations for this area of ministry. To learn more about this Service, go to wels.net; here is a snapshot:

"The WELS Military Services Committee provides spiritual services to WELS members and others who serve in the United States Armed Forces, including those in the National Guard and the Reserves. The committee carries out its mission through a full-time civilian chaplain in Europe, and a national civilian chaplain and liaison to the military, and a network of WELS military contact pastors across the United States. As WELS' national civilian chaplain and liaison to the military, Pastor Paul Ziemer maintains regular contact with many WELS troops and their families. He orients, trains, and mentors new WELS military contact pastors..."

Online Elementary & Secondary School

Amazing Grace Virtual Academy serves around 350 students currently and has a faculty of 35 credentialed teachers. AGVA is fully accredited. Over 40 courses are offered in a variety of disciplines, including English, fine arts, world languages, mathematics, religion, science, social studies, and technology.

AGVA enables WELS Schools to better serve their students through expanded curricular offerings, or enables students unable to attend a traditional WELS High School to receive a Christ-centered education and earn a high school diploma. AGVA is able to serve students attending Public School or going the route of Home School.

Check out www.amazinggraceva.org or call 507-217-1574.

Save the following dates

2030s Beach Volleyball, June 5 2030s River Cats Baseball, July 2 Tree of Life Camp, July 10-16 Summer Bible Camp, July 18-22



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