



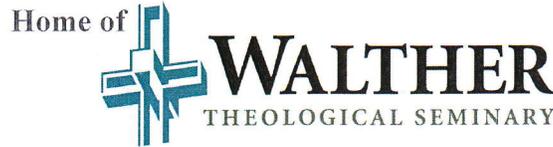
Pilgrim's Progress Keeping in Touch Issue 35



Pilgrim Lutheran Church

2155 N. Oakland Ave., Decatur, Illinois 62526

“Where the Bible is the inspired, inerrant Word of God”



August 27, 2023

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Rev. Bill Abbott

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Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The Sanctuary is reserved from 8 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Fridays.

Newsletter Deadline: Wednesday, 9:00 a.m.

OUR RESPONSE TO CALVARY- 8/20

General Fund: 14,758.24

Christian Sharing: 89.00

Sunday School: 21.00

Memorials: 410.00

Misc: 36.00

Loose: 40.00

CDs: 2.00

Donuts: 78.00

Total: 15,434.24

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

8/28 6:00 Elders' Meeting

8/30 12:00 Wednesday Worship

8/31 8:00 Quilters

9/1 All day- Sanctuary Reserved for Wedding rehearsal

9/2 All day- Sanctuary Reserved for Wedding

9/10 12:15-4:00 Rally Day Picnic (Deadline to sign up is August 30th. Sign up today!)

ATTENDANCE

8/20 Sun 8:00 service: 102

Sun 10:45 service: 82

Adult Bible Class: 114

8/20 Sunday School N3-Gr. 12: 8

8/23 Wednesday 12:00 service: 40

MITE OFFERINGS... ALL Pilgrim members are encouraged to use a mite offering box to collect their coins. Return your mite box at your convenience.

AUGUST mites will go to Braille Workers.

SEPTEMBER mites will go to Lutheran World Relief. Thanks!



SERVING THE LORD

Communion Assistant/Acolyte 9/3 Sunday 8:00

Gary Quandt **10:45** Doug Ward

Ushers 9/3 Sunday 8:00 Don Mast; Eric Mast; John Mickler; Jim M. Snow; Jim R. Snow; Ron Kelm **10:45** Joe Marsaglia; Bruce Gifford; Paul Giesler; Loren Hiser; Dave Schroeder; Chad Wooters

Coffee Servers 9/3 Sunday Dick & Dona Bailey

Financial Counters 9/3 Sunday Mark Ames; John Crowe; Tim Ellison; Paul Giesler

Communion Set-Up/Clean-Up

9/3 Sunday Shirley McMillen; Dian Centers; Bev Myrvold; Linda Ripple; Tim & Lynn Block; Amanda Block

Greeters 9/3 Sunday 8:00 Scott & Rita Perry **10:45** Paul Giesler; Megan Wooters

Trustees Week of 8/27 Larry Wolf; Ray Beals; Pete Williams; Brad Roberts; Gene & Linda Wise-Litter control



Birthdays and Anniversaries

8/29 Heather Spengler

8/31 Dian Centers; Leah Moore; Susie Schoon Nelson & Merrilee Lock (4 years)



Birthdays and Anniversaries

9/1 Matt Carlson; Bruce Gifford

9/2 Chuck Centers; Lani Mierek
Marvin & Carolyn Rau (67 years)
Ken & Mary Jo Wrigley (23 years)

9/3 Doug Ward
Richard & Sharon Carlson (46 years)
Ben & Margo Tschetter (1 year)

9/4 Rick & Lisa Leach (47 years)
Gary & Nancy Quandt (53 years)

9/5 Molly Thompson

9/6 Nancy Wolf

9/8 Josh Bryan
Kurt & Wendy Bickes (33 years)

9/10 Marlene Crawford

9/11 James & Janie Lewis (32 years)
Ron & Nelda McCoy (63 years)
Doug & Debbie Taylor (52 years)
Alex & Vicki Wegmann (30 years)

9/12 Travis & Jessica Buth (2 years)

9/13 Earlene Carlen; Dick Guhl; Mary Wainwright

9/14 Terry Propst
Greg & Mindy Whisnant (21 years)

9/15 Robert Key

9/17 Dick & Sarah Guhl (68 years)

9/18 Mya Morgenthaler; Donna Wisner

9/19 Marco Wegmann; Mattias Wegmann
Matt & Kelly Carlson (8 years)

9/20 Jackson Leevy
Jim & Linda Snow (54 years)
Jeff & Cathy Spengler (49 years)

9/21 Tim Leach; Sue Williams

9/22 Shirley Ditzler; Maureen Key; Mackenzie Mills
Roger & Kim Letterly (33 years)

9/23 Quinn Stenger

9/24 Karen Buth; Nancy Wene
Aldon & Susan Ruwe (40 years)

9/25 Austin Taylor

9/27 Kelly Schoon
Larry & Kay Sutherland (65 years)

9/28 Paula Haggard

9/29 Craig Goepfinger

9/30 Robin Williams
Scott & Karen Easterling (29 years)
Robert & Maureen Key (44 years)



Help is needed to take down Communion cups after 10:45 church service on the third Sunday of the month. Please contact Jane Martin at 217-917-0996, if able to help.



LAST CHANCE



★ Sign up by August 30! ★

Mark your calendar for our annual

RALLY DAY PICNIC

in Pilgrim's wooded area!

Sunday, September 10

12:15–4:00 p.m. (Eat at 12:15)

★ Food catered by Kirby (IGA) Foods in Effingham

★ Mimi's Frosty Ice Cream Truck (formerly Mr. Softee)

(Each person will get one (1) Mimi's ticket worth \$4 to use on the ice cream treat of your choice. Depending on what treat you order, you may need to have some extra cash so be prepared.)

★ Interactive games and inflatables:

Fun to Go Inflatables: Basketball & Roller Ball Games

25/8 Xtreme: Extreme Air Jumper, Wrecking Ball

★ Bring a lawn chair! ★

Sign-up sheet is in the Worship Folder-
Hand to an Usher or
email Kay at Kt2155@gmail.com

Sign up deadline is **August 30**

FREE-WILL OFFERING

September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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					Wedding Rehearsal Sanctuary Reserved	Wedding Sanctuary Reserved
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8:00 & 10:45 Worship Communion 9:30 Adult Bible Classes & Sunday School	Labor Day Church Office Closed		12:00 Wed Worship Communion	8:00 Braille at LSA 8:00 Quilters		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
8:00 & 10:45 Worship Communion 9:30 Adult Bible Classes & Sunday School 12:15-4:00 Rally Day			10:30 Bible Class 12:00 Wed Worship 4:15-6:00 Midweek Grades 1-6 7 th Grade Confirmation	8:00 Quilters		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
8:00 & 10:45 Worship Communion 9:30 Adult Bible Classes & Sunday School	6:30 Council Meeting	6:00 WTS Board of Trustees Meeting	10:30 Bible Class 12:00 Wed Worship Communion 4:15-6:00 Midweek Grades 1-6 7 th Grade Confirmation	8:00 Quilters		
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