



Pilgrim's Progress Keeping in Touch Issue 31



Pilgrim Lutheran Church

2155 N. Oakland Ave., Decatur, Illinois 62526

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



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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 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Fridays.

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

OUR RESPONSE TO CALVARY- 7/28

General Fund: 7,692.00

Christian Sharing Fund: 305.00

Sunday School: 6.00

Loose: 40.00

CDs: 21.00

Donuts: 88.00

Total: 8,152.00

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

8/5 6:30 Elders' Meeting

7:00 Joint Council/Elders' Meeting

8/7 12:00 Wednesday Worship-Communion

8/8 8:00 Quilters

8/9 10:00 Bible Investigation Class

9/15 Rally Day

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 Bethesda Lutheran Communities. Thank you!

ATTENDANCE

7/28 Sun 8:00 service: 106

Sun 10:45 service: 89

Adult Bible Class: 86

Sunday School N3-Gr. 12: 13

7/31 Wednesday 12:00 service: 40



SERVING THE LORD

Communion Assistant/Acolyte Wed 8/7 Gary Quandt Sunday 8/11 8:00 Tom Greenwood
10:45 Don Mast

Ushers 8/11 Sunday 8:00 Tim White; Derek Ames; Mark Ames; Scott Perry; Cory Ritter; Ron Kelm **10:45** Stan Lange; Craig Goeppinger; Terry Massey; Bob Meadows; Steve Musgrove; Dave Pressley; Gary Winchester

Coffee Servers 8/11 Sunday Mattias & Brandilyn Wegmann

Financial Counters 8/11 Sunday John Mickler; Ellis V. Buth; Dain Friend; Paul Zeck

Communion Set-Up/Clean-Up 8/11 Sunday Ted & Linda Sue Workman; Jane Martin; Nancy Quandt; Carrie Thompson

Greeters 8/11 Sunday 8:00 Jim & Linda Snow
10:45 Barbara Buesking

Trustees Week of 8/4 Paul Zeck; Harvey Thompson; Byron Brown; Bob Ellis; Doug Lueck; Gene & Linda Wise-Litter control



Birthdays and Anniversaries

- 8/1 Bob Jacobs
8/2 Larry Coers; Margaret Duncan;
Andi Gensler
David & Earlene Carlen (55 years)
Ron & Lois YaDeau (54 years)
8/3 Jeff & Valerie Cotner (28 years)
8/4 Tim & Lynn Block (51 years)
8/5 Mattias & Brandilyn Wegmann (1 year)
8/6 Allen & Kathy Kilzer (41 years)
Mark & Sue Kopetz (52 years)
8/7 Ellis & Karen Buth (42 years)
Mike & Heather Norris (20 years)
8/8 Tina Williams; Linda Sue Workman
Kevin & Mila Coers (43 years)
Larry & Nancy Grischow (55 years)
8/9 Erin Svendsen
8/12 Palmer Gensler
8/13 Brock & Beth Abbott (36 years)
8/14 Mark Pokey

- 8/15 Kelly Holcomb; Chad Wooters
Greg & Barb Luka (37 years)
8/16 Kurt Bickes; Ruth Bork; Loren Hiser
8/17 Natalie Stout
8/18 Pam Rhodes
8/19 Ralph Kuhn
8/20 Sylvia Ohlwine
8/21 Joe & Donna Wisner (31 years)
8/22 Janet Foster
Harvey & Ruth Ann Thompson (54 years)
8/23 Roger German
8/24 Judy Arnold; Rick Campbell; Karen
Easterling; Kathy Fulk; Warren Leevy
8/26 Steve & Peg Musgrove (24 years)
8/31 Dian Centers; Leah Moore; Susie Schoon
Nelson & Merrilee Lock (5 years)

8.4.2024 Lesson 6



Today, we turn to Jesus' coming, especially His birth and Baptism. In His Baptism, Jesus connected Himself to our humanity so that we may be connected to our substitute and Savior—now and forever.

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Community event information provided by Gary Winchester



9/11 MEMORIAL STAIR CLIMB

Hosted by Hampton by Hilton
Decatur/ Mt. Zion

- ✓ Climb Stairs in honor of fallen first responders
- ✓ View the memorial flag garden honoring fallen civilians
- ✓ See the largest flag in Macon county
- ✓ View artifacts from ground zero
- ✓ First Responders take part in our Honor Ride from our location to the Decatur 9/11 Memorial Site



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