

The BEACON



Bi-weekly news of Augsburg Evangelical Lutheran Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

January 24, 2018

The mission of Augsburg Evangelical Lutheran Church is to glorify God by proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ through worship, witness, education, service and fellowship.

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Columbarium Lighting

Recently, the lighting in the columbarium garden has been upgraded in two ways. First, accent lighting was added to the existing, 2000-vintage lighting. Second, all lighting was converted to LED which uses much less electricity and has a long life. The lights automatically come on at dusk and go off at dawn. Next time you are in the building at night, check out the new lighting in this special Augsburg place.

The funds for this upgrade came from the Columbarium Special Fund. If there are questions regarding the columbarium, contact the church office, Fred Newman, Terry Hayworth, or Phil Martin.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



G.I.F.T.: meets on Sunday mornings at 10:00 A.M. We are studying the Reformation.

“O. M. Genesis” Study: Pastor Paul’s Bible Study meets Mondays at 10:45 A.M. in the Sid Sowers Classroom.

Continue in My Word: Welcome to the Monday Adult Weekly Bible Study, in the Youth Area from 6:00 - 7:30 P.M. We are studying Jeremiah. Bring your Bible.

7:18 Youth Bible Study: is on hiatus while Emily is away in Israel.



After two months in Cone Hospital and Rehab, I am now recovering further at my sister’s; where I am receiving out patient therapy. Thank you for the hospital visits, the phone calls, cards and emails. Most importantly, thank you for all your thoughts and prayers. Melanie Denny

Thank you



Dear Augsburg friends, We have been so cheered by the texts, emails, calls, and visits. Thanks so much to Kathie Eppert for bringing the flowers from the December 17th services, and to Pastor Paul for bringing us communion and the lovely quilt from the Augsburg quilters. Stan is making a good recovery, and we hope to see you soon. He is extremely eager to get back to his normal routing! Thank you for sharing God’s love with us. Sincerely, Stan and Mary Jo Whitley. 1/7/18 P.S. Joel Myers just stopped by with flowers from yesterday’s services!



The Memorial Committee has received gifts in Honor of the Hill/Snow Wedding and Memorial for the following Saints: James Dawkins, David Nolting, Vernon Carlton, Bill Sanders, Temp Dimling, Alma Hayworth, Jack Horn, Carol Bernasek and Dot Gantt.

Honorariums and Memorials were given by the following members: Susan and Terry Hayworth, Carol Thornton, Clarence Dixon, Keith and Ruth Kookan, David and Molly Montgomery, Rebecca Wheeler, Margee Nolting, Craig and Susan Peatross, Joyce Holton, Phillip and Linda Martin, Michael Wilson and Mary Ogburn, Margaret Ogburn, Nell Rose, Jay and Barbara Wise, Paul and Judy Martin, Art and Martha Foreman, Charles and Becky White, Ruth Helton, Eleanor Regenthal and Blaine and Jeanne Brickhouse.

READINGS FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

Jan. 28	Deut. 18:15-20	Psalm 111	1 Cor. 8:1-13	Mark 1:21-28
Feb. 4	Isaiah 40:21-31	Psalm 147:1-11, 20c	1 Cor. 9:16-23	Mark 1:29-39
Feb. 11	2 Kings 2:1-12	Psalm 50:1-6	2 Cor. 4:3-6	Mark 9:2-9
Feb. 18	Genesis 9:8-17	Psalm 25:1-10	1 Peter 3:18-22	Mark 1:9-15

Christ's Beloved Community Holds ID Drive and Open House

On **Friday, January 26**, Christ's Beloved Community/Comunidad Amada de Cristo, Winston-Salem, one of our NC Synod mission congregations, will be hosting an ID Drive in partnership with The Hispanic League. This is a FaithAction Photo ID card and is a verifiable form of identification which can be accepted by hospitals, medical centers, schools, business, city agencies, and law enforcement. This is for anyone who may have limited access to government-issued forms of identification.

Our new community of faith is honored to open our doors to the community in this way as we spread a message that ALL are beloved. Virtually every room of our community center will be used for this event and we will be providing snacks to all who attend, lunch for the volunteers, and giving tours of our bilingual pantry and soon-to-be-open Community Center in hopes of launching to the public later this fall.

Christ's Beloved Community is located at **3205 South Main St. Winston-Salem**. They share the building and property that belongs to Christ Lutheran Church. Augsburg's Pastor Fisher was instrumental in helping get Christ Lutheran off the ground in the mid-1950's. Christ Lutheran has struggled for many years but Christ's Beloved Community is breathing new life and spirit into this place. For more information go to www.belovedws.org.



It's not too late to register for the **April 13-15 Women of Augsburg Spring Retreat** at Lutherock Retreat Center. Registration forms are outside the Gathering Room, and on the desk outside the church office. Space is available on a first come first serve basis and there are **5 remaining spots so get your registration in to reserve your spot**. Place registrations in the office workroom box or mail to the Church with Attn: Women's Retreat. Theme: Wonder Woman: The world tells us we need to have it all and do it all, usually on our own strength, but scripture calls us into community and into a vision of the

kingdom that is so different from this. So how do we find balance? How do we support one another and lift one another up as sisters in Christ? Pastor Lauren Carlson will lead our exploration in balancing worldly expectations, our call as children of God, and our need for faith-filled community.

S.I.S. will meet on Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. The ladies will be providing the meal for the Overflow Homeless Shelter guests.

Mary's Ministries will meet on Tuesday, February 13, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. in the Lounge. Hostesses will be Phyllis Adkinson and Janet Polk. Devotions will be offered by Nell Rose. The program will be presented by Joyce Holton.

CORRECTION

Clarification: In the January 10 issue of the Beacon, under Council Highlights, it was reported that the Worship and Music Ministry Team discussed making changes to the current 2 services per Sunday schedule. It was not reported, however, that this discussion took place at the request of the Executive Ministry Team. We apologize for any confusion this omission may have caused.

FEBRUARY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Colleen Crozier Jerry Pipes Alan Regenthal	2 Julie Hojnacki	3 Jennifer Linnell Mike Wilson
4 Joanna Frock	5 Paul Harder	6 John Boyd Nancy Crandall Rita Geisinger Eileen New Chris Wilkie	7 Drew Barbee Bill Dinkins	8 Penny Cuka Donald Safrit	9 Carrol Epting Jimmy Lippard Calla Walkush	10
11 Keeton Aplin Linda Brock	12 Ella Meade Lyndsay Regenthal Becky Roediger Reid Wollner	13 Alexa Bandle Satie Stevens	14 Jimmy Styles Paul Wollner	15 Keith Kookon	16 Mark Menzel Finn Seeba	17
18 Phyllis Adkinson Margaret Hensrud Meghan Martin Mary Newman Marylynn Sloop	19 Natalie Martin	20 Richard Chapple Roger Schwartz	21 Bill Chandler	22 John Collins Joel Ragan Jacob Wharton	23 Marian Apel Dylan Horn Maddie Leonard Effie Sue Utt Lydia Vaughan	24 Joan Lane Ashlie Martin Chuck Roediger
26 Maggie DeBaugh Clay Ragan	27 Evan Walkush	28 Gregory Comer Katherine Frucht Mallie Witt				



JANUARY AND FEBRUARY MEMBERS PROVIDING SERVICE

	January 28	February 4	February 11	February 18
COVER ARTIST	Ronnie Comer	Claire Wynne	Elisa Barger	Rachel Perkins Baynes
ACOLYTES	8:30 Meghan Ballard Juliette Levine	Abby Blanks David Johnson	Mason Paschold Walker Paschold	Julia Grossnickle TBD
	11:00 Emma Auch Julia Grossnickle	Harrison Hickman Ethan Olsen	Katie Kirkeeng Travis Pipes	Ryan Hicks Jacque Weber
CRUCIFERS	8:30 Abbey Linnell Colleen Crozier	Emma Blanks Ethan Horn	Cardine Bevis Stuart Martin	Daniel Nolting Harrison Hickman
TORCH BEARERS	8:30		Mary Claire Bevis Tate McQuat	
	11:00		Lucas Bradley Zeke Bradley	
BANNER BEARER	8:30 11:00		TBD	
OFFERING BEARER		Faith Cashion	TBD	Fred Frazier
LAY READERS	8:30 11:00	Ron Hefner Anna Rubino-Schneider	Jan Barbee TBD	Kristen Zeller TBD
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS	8:30 11:00	Liz Craven Kent Reichert	Dick DiBlasio Mary Jane Hefner	Chris Almerini John Bandle
	11:00	Linda Martin Phil Martin	Alana McQuat Joel Myers	Lara Carter Kathie Eppert
OBLATION BEARERS	8:30	TBD	TBD	TBD
		TBD	TBD	TBD
	11:00	Colleen Crozier	TBD	TBD
		Lisa Crozier	TBD	TBD
ASSISTING MINISTERS	8:30 11:00	TBD	TBD	TBD
NURSERY	8:30 SS	Scott Walkush Dana Mulhearn	Elisa Fernbach No SS	Emily Andrews No SS
	11:00	Katherine Wollner	Elizabeth Chéron	Collette Griffin
USHERS	8:30	Rick Brandt Pat Holland	Rick Brandt Pat Holland	Rick Brandt Pat Holland
		Alex Paschold	Alex Paschold	Alex Paschold
		Charlie Schoderbek	Charlie Schoderbek	Charlie Schoderbek
	11:00	Walter Barger	Walter Barger	Walter Barger
		Don Eppert	Don Eppert	Don Eppert
		Scott Hanes	Scott Hanes	Scott Hanes
		Chuck Roediger	Chuck Roediger	Chuck Roediger
VISITORS WELCOME TABLE & GREETERS	8:30 11:00	Reicherts/Mary Newman Kathy Carr	Jill Fowler Jandell Morrison	Elisa Gernbach Collette Griffin
SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP		Joyce Sills	Eric Kirkeeng	Claire Ohanessian

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Items for the next Beacon must be received by
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