

# Life @ Faith

**October 13, 2024**  
 The 21<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
 9a Service of Holy Communion  
 10<sup>15</sup>a Voters' Meeting



## PRAYERS REQUESTED

*Urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people.*

—1 Timothy 2:1

Amy W. (Weddle)

David L. (Hill)

David T. & family (Buchanan)

Diane O'Connor

Don Ward

Dwight M. (Radtke)

Elaine Hoff

Emmylou Wischmeier

Frank R. (Radtke)

Gale B. (Radtke)

Jan Finke

Janeen Blumenberg

Juan & Pam F. (Shanks)

Kathleen K. (Carmickle)

Kenny H. (Buchanan)

Kilah D. (Driver)

Matt B. (White)

Max J. (Jacobus)

Max (O'Connor)

Melody D. (Clipp)

Michael Cart

Nina S. (Henry)

Rick T. (Clipp)

Rob K. and family (Shanks)

Robin A. & family (Buchanan)

Sally L. (Gommel)

Scott K. (Weddle)

Shawn E. (Clipp)

Shirley V. (Henry)

Tony S. (Gommel)

Yvonne Hotz

Michael & Danielle Smith (Missionaries)

Tiffany Smith (Missionary)

*Requests for prayers may be sent to the church at [office@faithontheweb.org](mailto:office@faithontheweb.org) or by phone 812/342-3587.*

## PREPARE FOR WORSHIP SUNDAY

**Oct 20—Ecclesiastes 5:10-20**  
**Psalm 119:9-16 (antiphon: vs. 14)**  
**Hebrews 4:1-13**  
**Mark 10:23-31**

**Sunday School—The Little Gate**

# THANK YOU

FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP,  
 YOUR FAITHFULNESS,  
 AND YOUR HEART

MAY GOD BLESS YOU!

## Pastor Appreciation

Today we celebrate the ministries of Pastor Eric Erkkinen, Pastor Emeritus Richard Tremain and Pastor Bill Stache. We thank you Pastor Erkkinen, Pastor Emeritus Tremain and Pastor Stache for your many years of ministry, and all the ways you each are a blessing to our congregation and the surrounding Columbus area! Please take time to express your appreciation to Pastor Erkkinen, Pastor Tremain and Pastor Stache.

—Board of Elders

## Time & Talents Survey

Faith has always depended heavily on members giving of their talents to support the ministry of the church. A time and talent survey has been placed in your church mailbox. Please prayerfully consider how you may use your talents and time to support our Faith family. Please return your survey as soon as possible to the bin under the tv in the narthex.

—Bill Schmackel, Stewardship Chair

## Youth Group Meeting

The Youth Group is planning to have a meeting today, October 13 at 4p. See Jon & Kodi Clipp or the Reynolds family for more information.

—Board of Education

## Call Committee Update

This morning immediately following the worship service, the suspended call meeting held on September 15 will be reconvened, and a vote will be held to extend a call to one of the other previously presented candidates. Summaries and service links for both candidates have been sent by email, and the full Self Evaluation Tool (SET) for each is available to view in the church office.

Plans for the meeting are to remain in the sanctuary after the closing hymn. Parents with young children can go out into the cafe area and still participate as the meeting will be broadcast through the speakers and screens. The meeting will begin with prayer. Then we will proceed with a motion to vote on the two candidates, discussion, and vote. Please feel free to contact me, or any member of the call committee, with questions.

— Blessings, Tom Rafferty for the call committee (Susan Waltz, Regina Allman, Judy Clipp, Allegra Carmickle, Dana Vogt, and Karl Radtke)



Voters' Meeting today, Oct 13, 2024 | 10<sup>15</sup>a

## Altar Guild Sign-up Sheet

We still need 1 person in February 2025 and 1 person in March 2025. If you are interested in serving, the sign-up form is under the TV in the narthex. If you have any questions, see Debbie Phillips.

—Debbie Phillips



## Preschool News

We have been doing many fall activities in our classrooms, and enjoying the cooler temperatures outside. This week was our field trip to the Johnson Farm where everyone picked out their own pumpkin, and participated in several fun games. A big thank you to Pastor Erkkinen and Linda, for the donation of bulbs that the kids helped to plant around the church. The children love learning about nature, and growing things! Reminder: Fall Break began October 11. There is no school or aftercare Friday, Oct. 11 through Friday, Oct. 18.

—Theresa Reedy, Pre-K Lead Teacher

## Mark Your Calendars

Church Council will meet on Tues., October 15 at 6p, and Wed., November 6 at 6p. All are welcome to attend. Also, there will be a Voters' Meeting on Sunday, November 24 to elect Officers, Boards and Committees and to approve the 2025 budget.

—Luke Jacobus, Church Council President

## Brown County Weekend Backpack Program

The Brown County Weekend Backpack program continues through the school year. We will be collecting individual cups of applesauce again this year. There will be a bin in the foyer for donations, or you can drop off items at Regina Allman's home, 2629 17<sup>th</sup> Street. Thank you for your giving spirit!

—Mercy Ministry

M 14

T 15

W 16

R 17

F 18

S 19

Su 20

6p Women's Book Study

Pat O'Connor

6p Church Council Meeting

William Shanks

7p Choir Rehearsal

Steve Souder

Jessica Radtke

9a Divine Worship  
 10<sup>15</sup>a Snacks  
 10<sup>30</sup>a Adult Bible Study & Sunday School

Cooper Clipp  
 Jon & Kodi Clipp

# Coloring Page

And Jesus, looking at [the rich young ruler], loved him, and said to him, "You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me."—*Mark 10*



## Flood Relief Effort

Orphan Grain Train Indiana branch located in Jonesville has organized a relief load to be transported to the community of Elizabethton, TN. There will be a trailer located at St. Peter's Lutheran, Columbus, Immanuel Lutheran, Seymour, and St. Paul, Clifty (Columbus) until October 20. This will allow OGT to sort and pack items for transport by Cummins to the affected area. Items needed for this trip include:

- water, especially in gallon jugs (**NOT DISTILLED**)
- cleaning supplies, no bleach- rather Pine Sol type cleaner
- heavy duty brooms/mops
- canned goods and dry goods;
- basic baby supplies like diapers, formula, wipes, food
- blankets

**NO** clothes and **NO** furniture at this point in time. These will come later as people get settled into their homes, maybe in a month or two.

Elizabethton is located in northeast TN nearly straight north of Ashville, NC.

Thank you for your support of this effort in helping those in need!

—*Gene Ernst, Manager Orphan Grain Train Indiana Branch*  
812-405-2045 - warehouse  
712-369-1165 - cell

## Choir Chimes

Choir Chime Rehearsals are the Saturday before the Sunday that we play at 930a. Rehearsals will be on these dates: Oct 26 | Nov 23 | Dec 28  
Jan 25 | Feb 22 | Mar 29 | Apr 26

—*Christina Runge*

## Choir Rehearsal

Choir will meet on Wednesdays at 7p. Come and join us, as we prepare music for Sunday worship. All are welcome!

—*Susan Waltz*

### Building Loan Update

Thank you for your support of the *Faith on the Move* capital campaign for the building expansion project. *Until August of 2024, we were in an interest only payment phase.*

Our monthly interest payment comes from general fund offerings and changes each month. Any additional gifts go directly to the loan balance, thus reducing each month's interest payment.

Please consider making regular gifts to help pay off this loan more quickly. We will update these numbers each month to help us track our progress.



	Loan Balance	Interest Payment
<i>At end of Nov</i>	\$320,266.	\$1,025.
<i>At end of Dec</i>	\$314,001.	\$991.
<i>At end of Jan</i>	\$271,199.	\$949.
<i>At end of Feb</i>	\$264,899.	\$821.
<i>At end of Mar</i>	\$259,999.	\$800.
<i>At end of Apr</i>	\$246,899.	\$760.
<i>At end of May</i>	\$241,323.	\$765.
<i>At end of June</i>	\$234,903.	\$730.
<i>At end of July</i>	\$166,562.	\$711.
<i>At end of Aug</i>	\$150,286.	\$929.
<i>At end of Sept</i>	\$143,634.	\$563.

## St. Peter's Concert Series

The second annual St. Peter's Concert Series has its next performance on today, October 20, 2024 at 3<sup>30</sup>p. The goal of this series is to promote the arts within St. Peter's and the community at large. This concert is called "To Everything There is a Season": A Hymn Sing with David Cherwien. The concerts are free and take place in St. Peter's Sanctuary.

—*Lindsey Fugill, Music and Worship Specialist*

## Fish Fry

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Waymansville, (11750 W. CR 930 S, Waymansville) will have a Fish Fry on today, October 20 from 4p-7p. There will be Fish sandwiches, Hot dogs, Coleslaw, Mac n' cheese, Baked beans, Chips, Pie and a Drink available for either dine in, carry out or drive through. They will be taking a Freewill Donation for your meal.

—*St. Peter's Lutheran Church*

## Serving @ Faith

Sundays	Elder	Greeter	Organ	Usher	Acolyte	Lector	Sound	Snacks
<b>Oct 13</b>	Bob P.	Jon & Kodi C.	Cathy B.	C. O. We, David V., Jon C.	Needed	Drebus	Bill S.	Allman
<b>Oct 20</b>	David V.	Finke	Doreen S.	Logan K., Jim C.	Needed	Larry C.	Terry B.	<b>Needed</b>
<b>Oct 27</b>	Bob J.	Burlew	Cathy B.	Jon H., Mike W., Gene W.	Needed	Jon H.	Darcy H.	<b>Needed</b>

Altar Guild October—Regina A., Jan F.