

## Announcements Week of September 10, 2017

### THIS WEEK AT AUGUSTANA

**SUNDAY God's Work. Our Hands.**

- 9:00 a.m. Worship at the Beach Park  
Light Brunch following worship  
Service Projects
- 7:30 p.m. Migrant Ministry in Great Hall

**MONDAY Pastor's Sabbath**

- 6:00 p.m. Task Force Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. AA

**TUESDAY**

- 8:00 a.m. Yoga
- 11:00 a.m. Text Study
- 6:30 p.m. Worship and Music Meeting

**WEDNESDAY**

- 6:30 a.m. Migrant Ministry
- 8:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship at Peter and Annie's
- 8:30 a.m. Girlfriends at Peter and Annie's
- 7:00 p.m. 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Meeting

**THURSDAY**

- 6:30 p.m. Stewardship Meeting

**FRIDAY****SATURDAY**

- 7:45 a.m. Weight Watchers
- 8:30 a.m. Yoga
- 7:00 p.m. Stringsmith Concert

**SUNDAY RALLY SUNDAY**

- 8:15 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 9:00 a.m. Worship in Great Hall
- 10:00 a.m. Refreshments
- 10:00 a.m. Inter-generational education activity
- 7:30 p.m. Migrant Ministry in Great Hall

**THROUGH YOUR GENEROSITY** we are able to carry out God's purpose for us here at Augustana. Last week \$6536.00 was given for mission and ministry of Augustana. This makes a total for September of \$6,536.00 of the \$19,571.00 needed each month.

**WORSHIP ATTENDANCE**

Last Sunday: 60

Noisy Offering to Date: \$48.48

**SEPTEMBER NOISY OFFERING** will be given to Lutheran World Relief for the shipping costs of kits/ quilts; and Global Health Ministries for the shipping of medical supplies. There is more information in the Epistle- our church newsletter, and on posters in the hallway that show where our gifts have gone. Also visit: <https://lwr.org/> and <https://www.ghm.org/>

**DEADLINE FOR BRINGING SCHOOL SUPPLIES WILL BE SEPTEMBER 10 – GOD’S WORK, OUR HAND’S SUNDAY.** The kits will be assembled here at Augustana. Please join us and help with opening packages of scissors, erasers, pencils, pens, and crayons; the favorite of many. All of which will be put into backpacks for a child’s first day of school. Thank you to everyone who has donated items for the school kits. When the kits are packed, any extra items (incomplete kits) will be given to Cumberland Elementary School.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...**

- 11 Kelsie Hove
- 14 Brad Burling, Sadie Horton and Michelle Stokes
- 15 Abby Lloyd
- 16 Dick Dierks
- 17 Gloria Johnson and Mark Ruppel

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...**

- 10 Mikey and Ashley Huebner
- 12 Mark and Sandi McHenry
- 14 John and Susan Hall, Shawn and Katie Malone
- 16 Sean and Sara Annis

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT PRAYER?** Perhaps you aren't certain how to go about growing your prayer life.

You are invited to participate in an 8-week small group journey with "Abiding in Christ; The Way of Living Prayer". This resource provides daily readings, reflections and opportunities to practice several methods of prayer to explore what works for you. We will use the weekly meetings to explore our questions, reactions and share insights.

Plan to start the week of September 17th. Please contact Karyn Hullinger at [715-671-3029](tel:715-671-3029) cell or email [karynhullinger@charter.net](mailto:karynhullinger@charter.net) or contact Jene at the church office, [715-822-2890](tel:715-822-2890). Don't worry, you won't be asked to pray out loud unless you want to. :).

**SERVING IN WORSHIP IN SEPTEMBER**

OFFERING COUNTERS: David Ficocello and Tom Hodgson  
GREETING CARD MINISTRY: Judy Lundquist  
MUSICIAN TODAY: Summer Fountaine  
ALTAR CARE:

**SERVING IN WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY  
9:00 a.m. in the Great Hall**

GREETERS: Merleen Bergman, Diane Craine  
USHERS: Katie Smith and Family  
WORSHIP ASSISTANT: David Ficocello  
READER: Diana Ficocello

**A TASK FORCE HAS BEEN FORMED** by the church council to look at the future of Augustana, the mission of Augustana, and options for dealing with the financial situation. The members of the Task Force are Jackie Berg, Alan Carlson, Dave Evenson, David Ficocello, Barb Garling, Pauline Hartman, Karyn Hullinger, Keith Johnson, Bruce Jungerberg, Bob Lundquist, and Jeanette Rydberg. If you have ideas or questions, please contact one of the people. Their first meeting will be Monday, September 11, at 6:00 p.m.

**AUGUSTANA BLUEGRASS GOSPEL MUSIC SERIES** concludes Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Great Hall, with The Stringsmiths. The Stringsmiths are a hard driving bluegrass band that keeps audiences tapping their toes. Based in Cumberland, and including Barb and Chris Landstrom from Augustana, these fine instrumentalists also add a blend of two, three, and four part vocal harmonies to their performances. They look forward to closing out the concert series on a high note! There will be no admittance charge for the concerts, but your donation will be appreciated.

**QUILTING BEGINS AGAIN** on September 19 at 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Quilts are made for Lutheran World Relief; which then sends the quilts to needy areas around the world. You do not need to know how to sew or quilt; you only need to know how to tie a knot! Come join us! If you cannot join us on Tuesday mornings and would be willing to cut squares or make quilt tops and/or backs please contact Evelyn Brown or Jan Schweiger for more information

### **YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND A MOVIE!!**

“A Return to Grace—Luther’s Life and Legacy”, sponsored by Redeemer Lutheran Church, Rice Lake, will be shown at CEC-Lake 7 Theater in Rice Lake on Wednesday, September 20, at 6:30 p.m. Cost of tickets is \$12.00 per person. **This event will only happen if 46 more tickets are reserved.** Complete information may be found at <https://www.tugg.com/events/a-return-to-grace-luther-s-life-and-legacy-ws-7>. If enough tickets are pre-purchased, you would be able to buy tickets the day of the showing.

### **WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THIS WEEK...**

#### **Prayers of sympathy to...**

Cathy Koser and family at the death of her mother, Alice Matthys.  
Jeanette Bergstrom and family at the death of her sister, Kathleen.

#### **Prayers for comfort and healing for..**

Jay Bergmann	(Pete and Ann’s son)
Taylor Bruns	(Wendi Bruns daughter)
Craig Bucher	
Brent Carlson	(Son of Bruce and Charlotte Carlson)
Dick Dierks	
Eric Egstad	(Marilyn Dierks’ son)
Kelly Garling	
Cheryl Jaastad	
Maxine Johnson	
Susan Jungerberg	
Cathy Koser	
Mary Jean Nystrom Kraft	
Jane Leech	
Donnis Mullen	
Tim McKenna	(Liz Alberg’s nephew)
Diana Ostness	
Ryan Schnell	
Walter Shafer	
Laura Sierra	(Marilyn Dierks’ daughter)
Lori Stuntz	(Jason’s Mother)
Tim Wood	(friend of Jonelle Gideo)

**We remember military personnel** and all those serving as military chaplains. Especially Wade Hove (Edna’s son).  
Paul Behling (Diane Craine’s grandson)

**We remember our nursing home and homebound** members and friends.

#### **We remember our Mission Partners:**

Churches in our companion synod of Malawi.

### **ELCA Missionaries and Young Adults in Global Mission**



# God's Work. Our Hands.

## Sunday, September 10

Augustana and First Lutheran  
Worship at 9:00 a.m. at the Beach Park  
Followed by Fellowship and  
Service Projects in the Community

Projects will be at Benjamin's House Shelter, Scoutland, the beach Park and Eagle Point, School Kits assembly, and First Lutheran and Augustana grounds. *Sign up for projects that day.*

As a part of God's Work, Our Hands Sunday, we are also collecting items for the Benjamin's House Homeless Shelter. Please bring these items in the next few weeks.

Paper Towels  
Pillows  
All Purpose Cleaner  
Room Fans

Tall Kitchen Garbage Bags  
Shower Caddies  
Disinfectant Spray  
Laundry Baskets