

Current Worship Series: *Enduring in the Gospel*

- July 19 - "True Riches: Contentment, Godliness, and Generosity": 1 Timothy 6:6-19
- July 26 - "Fan the Flame: Rekindling the Gift of God": 2 Timothy 1:1-14
- August 2 - "A Workman Approved: Handling Truth with Diligence": 2 Timothy 2:8-15
- August 9 - "Preach the Word: Remaining Steadfast in a Fickle World": 2 Timothy 3:14-4:8, 16-18

Prayers: If you would like to have a prayer request shared with the congregation in a public manner, please email them to Deb Curtis by Thursday at 9 am rdciowa@gmail.com. Email private prayer requests to Pastor Joel: pastorjoel@reachingoutinlove.org. Pastor Joel will share these latter requests with the prayer team.

Please Pray for:

Tricia & Derek Baker, Tracey Berry, Ginger Berggeson, Terry Brenner; Danielle's aunt, due to breast cancer, Crue Bucknell & Family, Lorinda Cruikshank, Pamela Dawson, Joy Evenson, Lynn Vallandingham's sister, Bill Gathright (Judy's brother), Dean Godsy and Carol Howard suffering with kidney disease waiting to be put on transplant list. Darren Johnson, Betty Karr, cancer diagnosis (Dawn Schneiderer's mother), Marica Kennison, Charla Kusilek (eyes), Darrin Lee, Nancy Michaelson's nephew; Frankie Lindquist, Chip Long, Gordie Menken, Jim Morris, McKenna Mortimer & Family, Fred Naes, Jesse Northweather (Joy's father-in-law) for healing, Shari Ommen (Joy's sister) for healing, Bruce and Linda Petersen, Holly Petersen (Chrones), Pastor Joel Pike, Kirstin Sanning (Linda Petersen's daughter), Laura Schooley, Scarlet, Jean Walker and LaTrice Wilson.

(Names on this list for more than one month are removed at the end of each month unless an extension is requested.)

Sympathy: Sammie Jo Kirchner, the sister of Linda Morris, passed away quite suddenly. Please pray for Linda and lift up Sammie's family and friends.

Military Safety: Dylan Benedict, Mason Brenner and Cassidy Culver

Flowers This Week: *You can contribute flowers for our altar in honor or memory of someone, to celebrate an event, or to the glory of God. A flower chart is located at the Information Center. Please indicate if you want live flowers, at a cost of \$45 provided by River City Florists or silk flowers at a cost of \$15. If choosing silk flowers, let Linda Petersen know your preferred arrangement*

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



I am the vine; you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. (John 15:5)

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Calendar for the Week of 07/26/2026

Sunday:	09:00 a.m.	Classic Worship in the Worship Center
	10:00 a.m.	Brunch in the Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Worship, upstairs to the right
	10:30 a.m.	Discipleship Group
Thursday:	07:00 p.m.	Praise Band Rehearsal
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	10:00 a.m.	Brunch in the Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center
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Sunshine Boys: Meet this Thursday at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Looking for a good turnout.

Youth Ministry Team Members Sought: Are you gifted in working with children and/or teens? Then the Youth Ministry Team has a spot for you! We are looking for teachers, music leaders and musicians, small group leaders, crafters, and more! If you are interested in joining this powerful ministry, please contact Pastor Joel or Jessie Melendez.

Photo Needs for Website:

Specific picture needs:

- 1) Pictures of displays when we have had food or clothing drives
- 2)- Pics of Trivia night
- 3- Pics of bingo night or any other food fest
- 4- Pics of Sunday morning brunch
- 5- Bible study group
- 6- Pretty much a pic of any fellowship group!

Picture Tips:

If you have a slew of pictures from the same event, please send only four or five of your favorites. Please identify what the event or occasion was. The month and year would also be helpful.

If it's a picture of a small group – – please identify the people in it. Please send all pictures directly to Dee Ann McKinney. Email is Best: ddeemac1952@aol.com Thanks everyone! Can't wait to see what you come up with!

Website Calendar Event Upcoming Dates Needed:

Calling all congregation event & project planners! Please check your personal calendars and get all OSLC planned events to Dee Ann so we can get them on our church calendar. Simply provide:

- Day and date of the event
- What the event is
- Name of the organizer
- Where it will be held (sanctuary, fellowship hall, on the church parking lot (like for fill the truck)

Please email the information to Dee Ann McKinney at ddeemac1952@aol.com.

The Choir Has Moved: At 9 am worship, the choir is now singing on the floor in the left cove. We are deeply grateful to AmeriGO moving company and owner Jim Pond, who generously donated time and 4 men to move the piano. If you have a moment, please leave them a five-star online review at <https://g.page/r/CQA45EMwL9j3EBM/review>. It's the best way to express our appreciation and help their business grow. Thank you for helping us return their kindness with gratitude. Blessings, Jan Houser

TODAY IS THE LAST DAY FOR DONATIONS FOR THE FOSTER CARE AND ADOPTIVE PARENTS ASSOCIATION!!!! *REMEMBER: Checks and cash are welcome too!*

IMAGINE...

You are just a kid but you're having to leave one place for another, again! The new family is trying really hard but they need help with getting you clothing that fits and shoes and sometimes even hygiene products. AND babies need lots and lots of diapers! The Central Missouri Foster Care & Adoption Association needs our help! The project kindness committee is organizing not only a children's clothing drive (ages babies thru teenagers) but also personal hygiene items and diapers are needed! No kids? What about asking your neighbors, grandkids & cousins? If that doesn't work– cash is always welcome! *Drive will run throughout July with last donations being accepted Sunday, July 26th.*

Please be as generous as you always are! AND, please keep in mind that The Central Missouri Foster Care & Adoption Association (CMFCAA) is the primary organization supporting foster and adoptive families in Cole County and 24 surrounding Missouri counties! Questions? Please contact one of the co-coordinators: Kristina Rentfro: kturtle81@gmail.com or Dee Ann McKinney Ddeemac1952@aol.com REMEMBER: It's all about the children!!

School Kits! School Kits! School Kits! - It's that time of the year again! Women of the ELCA members are putting together school kits and we need your help! You are welcome to bring any or all of the following items for completed kits:

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| 1 pair scissors | 12 or 24 count box of crayons |
| 1 30 centimeter (12") ruler | 6 black or blue ink pens |
| 1 pencil sharpener | 6 unsharpened pencils |
| 4 70 count spiral notebooks (wide or college ruled) | |
| 1 2-1/2" eraser | |

Cash donations are also greatly appreciated and may be given to Gloria Sharp or Karen Brockmeyer. Thank you for shining the Light of Jesus for this coming school year!

Bible Studies: All Are Welcome!! – Both of these bible studies are held once a month and make use of the ELCA Gather magazine bible study which is geared towards women. The Tamar bible study meets at church and the Circle meets at our individual homes. Please make time in your schedule to attend and if you have any questions, please contact Gloria Sharp at (573)462-9758 or Deb Curtis at (573)338-3779 for details.

Tamar Circle: Meets the last Tuesday of the month in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a.m.

Hannah Circle: Tuesday, August 11th at 7 p.m., Deb Curtis's home, 308 Timber Creek Drive