



Weekly Revelations

May 29, 2016

Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Bob & Jan Sawitzke in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

Nursery Policy: The nursery is reserved for *children through age 3 only*. Older children are invited to worship with their families.

First Lutheran Busy Bags contain quiet items, crayons and books for children to use during the service. They can be found on the wooden stand at the back of the sanctuary.

Prayer Request Cards may be found inside the fellowship pads at the end of each pew. If you would like to include someone in today's prayers, please fill out the card. The pastor will collect the cards immediately before the Prayers of the Faithful.

We prefer that you not bring food or beverage into the sanctuary, but if you choose to do so please make sure that your area is clean before you leave. *Thanks for respecting our worship space.*

Our new website is up and running! Visit us at www.firstchurhalive.org.

The Adult Class concludes its study of "*Half-Truths*" **today at 10 AM**. The topic is "*Love the Sinner, Hate the Sin?*"

Pastor Chuck is on vacation thru May 30.

Prayer & Care meets **Friday, June 3 at 10 AM**.

Summer worship schedule begins June 12. 7:45 – traditional; 10:15 – blended.

Women of WELCA (WOW) General Meeting will be held **Sunday, June 12, 9 AM**. We are looking for 2-4 women to join the Board. Please contact *Bonnie Eggers* if you would like to serve on the WOW Board.

We will be reupholstering the pews and chairs in the sanctuary. Total cost of the project is **\$17,796**. Everyone is encouraged to participate by using the special envelopes in the pews marked "*Pew Project*." **Thank you for your support!**

First Lutheran will be taking children on a **Deep Sea Discovery** during our **VBS on June 27 through July 1 from 9 AM – 12 PM**.

Children ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to attend, and older youth and adults are invited to help. Registration forms are now available at the *Welcome Center* and on the church website. If you have questions, or would like to help, please contact one of our co-directors, *Jennifer Paine* or *Laurie Uline*.

KIDS HOPE USA and VBS – KIDS HOPE USA mentees will be invited to attend our VBS this summer, as they have in the past. They will not be charged a fee. If you would like to sponsor a KIDS HOPE USA child to attend VBS the cost is \$25. Checks or cash in envelopes can be placed in the offering. Please mark them "KIDS HOPE/VBS." Thank you for considering this opportunity to make a difference in the life of a child.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the **Sunday School Penny Challenge** to support our two Compassion International children. We raised **\$208.15!** The winning class was the Preschool class! Kindergarten & 1st grade classes were the runners up!

The **teddy bears** in the pews are there to share God's love. You may take one to anyone you know who is hurting for any reason. Donations may be given in a pew envelope marked "*Teddy Bear Ministry*" or new bears may be placed in the bear den behind the *Welcome Center* in the lobby. Questions? Please contact *Marj Gray* (marjgray@gmail.com).

Do you have a prayer request? Please use the bulletin board over the water fountain to make your prayer concerns known.

The most current monthly newsletter is always available on the website @ www.firstchurhalive.org.

May 29 – June 5 at First

Sunday	10:00 AM	<i>Pastor Chuck</i> on vacation thru 5/30 Sunday school
Monday	7:00 PM	Office closed! AA
Tuesday	9:00 AM 7:30 PM	KHUSA Leadership Team Al-Anon
Thursday	6:00 PM	Praise Band rehearsal
Friday	10:00 AM	Prayer & Care
Saturday	10:00 AM	Confirmation rehearsal

Next Sunday – *Confirmation*

Evangelical Lutheran Worship – setting 1 – Eucharist
at 7:45 & 11:15 AM
Contemporary Worship – Eucharist at 9 AM
Sunday school at 10 AM
Confirmation at 11:15 AM

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