



# Weekly Revelations

Sunday, August 25, 2019

**Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God by Clark and Madge Buckley in celebration of their 51<sup>st</sup> Wedding Anniversary and in celebration of Dawn Zima's birthday.**



**TODAY** is the final **SUMMER SUNDAY SPECIAL DAY!** Children in Preschool through Grade 5 will be dismissed after Children's Sharing Time to do fun workshop activities connected to this week's scripture lesson.

**Pastor Kathy** will be on vacation from August 26, through September 4, 2019.

### Remainder of Summer Worship Schedule

September 1	9:00 Contemporary Worship 10:30 Traditional Worship
September 8	<b>RALLY DAY!</b> 10:30 Blended Worship Taco Bar Lunch God's Work Our Hands Service Project

**REMINDER! GOD'S WORK OUR HANDS COLLECTION!** We are collecting school supplies for Whitney and Surrarer Elementary Schools. For next week, **September 1**, please remember to bring:



**Paper Towels  
Facial Tissues  
Anti-Bacterial Wipes**



**Save the date to save a life.** The next **FLC Blood Drive** will be on **Sunday, September 15, from 8 AM to 1 PM.** Appointments are encouraged but not required. Sign up at the *Welcome Center* or at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org).



**Yoga at First Church** – Are you interested in participating in a Yoga Class with Cyndi Milluzzi? Chair Yoga will be held on Tuesdays from 4:00 to 5:00 PM and the Thursday Yoga Class will be held from 6:30 to 7:30 PM. Classes begin the week of September 9 and go through October 20. The cost for the class is \$30. Please contact *Bonnie Eggers* to sign up or put your name on the sign-up sheets at the *Welcome Center!*

**Overcome the fear of public speaking**, in a supportive, non-intimidating environment by visiting the Colorful Communicators, a local chapter of Toastmaster's International. **Colorful Communicators meets every Tuesday at 7:00 PM** in the *Fellowship Hall* and will be having an **Open House on September 17 at 6:30 PM.** All are welcome!

**A new adult class** will begin Sunday, September 22, 9:45 a.m. Led by the pastors, we will examine several **ELCA Social Statements** and their impact for us today. Free copies of the social statements will be available beginning September 1 at the *Welcome Center*.



The **Keyed Up for First Church** event is rapidly approaching, **Saturday, September 28, from 6-10 PM!** It will be a night of drinks, dinner and Dueling Pianos, all to benefit First Church. Hopefully, you already have your tickets, but if you don't, they will be available for purchase on **Sunday, September 8 before the Rally Day service and Sunday, September 15 between services, unless they sell out.** Raffle tickets will also be on sale at a cost of \$25 per ticket or 3 tickets for \$65. (Cash, check or credit card payments will be accepted.) The raffle prizes include: a wheelbarrow assortment of fine liquor, a weekend Wine Excursion to Geneva and a Cleveland Super-Fan bonanza, including Browns, Indians and Cavs tickets! Each prize is valued at about \$1000.00! **This is going to be a GREAT event and we hope to see everyone there!**

**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.

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

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

**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, fill out the card. Cards will be collected immediately before the prayers of the faithful.

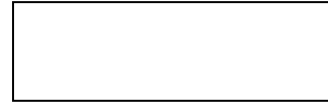
The **Weekly and Monthly Newsletters** will continue to be available on our website at [www.firstchurchalive.org](http://www.firstchurchalive.org).

**Devotional books for July-September** are available on the credenza outside the church office. **Feel free to take one!**

**Teddy bears** in the pews are there for you to share God's love. This ministry is in memory of John Gray. Take a bear to anyone you know who is hurting for any reason. Donations may be given in the pew envelope marked "*Teddy Bear Ministry*" or new bears may be placed in the Bear Den behind the *Welcome Center* in the lobby.

**August 25 – September 1 at First Lutheran Church**

Sunday	10:30 AM	<b>ONE SERVICE ONLY</b> Traditional Worship Summer Sunday Special Day for Pre-K – 5 <sup>th</sup> Graders
Monday	7:00 PM	Pastor Kathy Vacation AA
Tuesday	7:00 PM 7:30 PM	Toastmaster's Al-Anon
Sunday	7:45 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Praise Band Rehearsal Contemporary Service with Eucharist Traditional Worship with Eucharist



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