



# Weekly Revelations

January 26, 2020  
**MINISTRY FAIR DAY!**



Altar Flowers and Bulletins have been given to the **Glory of God** by **Linda Browning** in remembrance of the birthday of **Philip "Lucky" Browning**, beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and friend of many.

## WELCOME VISITORS!

If you're visiting today, **we are VERY happy you are here** and hope to see you again soon! Please see an usher before you leave to receive a gift bag. Inside, there is some general information about the church and a little gift for you!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** The following are the topics today:

**Pre-K-4<sup>th</sup>** Jesus Sends the Disciples  
**5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>** Jesus Saves Lives

**DON'T BE ANXIOUS!** There will be **NO ADULT CLASS TODAY** due to the Ministry Fair. The class resumes next week at 9:45 AM when we will continue with the third session of **Anxious for Nothing**.



The **FIRST LUTHERAN MINISTRY FAIR** is **TODAY** from 9:00 AM until 12:45 PM! **"What's YOUR Superpower?"** is the theme for the day! Please come and join us for a fun and interactive morning to see what First Lutheran Church has to offer each and every one of us and how we can help. Learn about all of the special ministries that make THIS church a **FIRST CHURCH!** You will be surprised by all of the opportunities available for **YOU** to discover **YOUR** very own **SUPERPOWER(S)!**



**FIRST COMMUNION IS NEXT SUNDAY.** Please join us to support the eight 5<sup>th</sup> graders who will come to the Lord's Table for the very first time.



**DREAM SMALL** sign-up sheets are on the credenza outside the church office. Please add your name to one (or more) of the opportunities. Our service efforts will benefit **Rescuing the Perishing** (homeless ministry) and **Backpacks of Hope** (foster care ministry). We also need folks to sign up for the sorting and packing activity on **Sunday, March 1**.

**ATTENTION MEN!** The Walk Worthy Conference is Saturday, February 29, 8:30 -3:30 at Parkside Church in Chagrin Falls. Walk Worthy is a one-day men's conference that includes a continental breakfast, lunch, a conference t-shirt, and the book *Lies Men Believe* from Moody Publishers. Prepare to be challenged and encouraged in your walk with Christ. For information, go to: [ps://www.moodyconferences.com/walk-worthy/cleveland/](http://ps://www.moodyconferences.com/walk-worthy/cleveland/) or see Pastor Chuck.

**PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS!** We are planning to send care packages to all of our college students to spread a little cheer. Please sign your student up at the Welcome Center by the "First Church Cares" box by February 9. We will be assembling packages on February 23 and want to be sure we don't miss anyone! Questions? Contact Pastor Kathy or Mary Whitecar.



The next **WOW LADIES NIGHT OUT** event will happen **Wednesday, January 29, at 6:00 PM** at **J Bella** in Strongsville. There is a sign-up sheet on The Welcome Center. Please sign up by today.  
**Hope to see you there!**



**Save the Date to Save a Life!** Our next blood drive will be on March 22 from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. *It feels good to GIVE.*

First Church has brand new **"BUSINESS CARDS"** available to all at the Welcome Center. Please take as many as you like. They are intended to share with friends and neighbors who may be looking for a church home.

The **ALTAR GUILD** is in need of **small coffee cans** to send altar flowers home. Donations can be left on the secretary's desk in the church office. Thank you!

**OFFERING ENVELOPES for 2020** are here! Please pick up your box. They are located in alphabetical order on the table outside the Controller's Office.

**DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?** Use the bulletin board by the water fountain to make your prayer concerns known.

**PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are 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. They will be collected before the prayers of the faithful.

**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 for children to use during the service. They can be found on the wooden stand in the back of the sanctuary.

**January 26 – February 2 at First Lutheran Church**

Sunday	8:30 AM	Contemporary Worship
	9:00 AM	<b>MINISTRY FAIR</b> in the Fellowship Hall!
	9:45 AM	Sunday School for All
	11:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	12:00 PM	Bell Choir
	6:00 PM	Contemporary Worship Team
Monday	6:30 PM	Yoga
	7:00 PM	Bible Bonanza
	7:00 PM	Mentors Meet
Tuesday	7:00 PM	AA
	7:00 PM	Brass Choir
	7:00 PM	Chair Yoga
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Toastmasters
	7:00 PM	Al-Anon
	6:30 PM	Praise Band Rehearsal
Thursday	7:00 PM	Men's Basketball
Sunday	8:30 AM	Contemporary Worship with Eucharist
	9:45 AM	Sunday School for All
	11:00 AM	Traditional Worship with Eucharist
	12:00 PM	Bell Choir
	6:30 PM	Yoga
	6:30 PM	Board of Youth

The **WEEKLY AND MONTHLY NEWSLETTERS** are available on the church website at [www.firstchurhalive.org](http://www.firstchurhalive.org).



**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.

**Contact Marj Gray with questions.**

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