

Sunday Worship/Communion Schedule:

- **Bible Class**, 9:15am
- **Morning Worship**, 10:30am
(Communion: 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays of the month)
- **Evening Worship**, 7:00pm
(Communion: 2nd, 4th, 5th Sundays of the month)
- **Mid-Week Lent Services**, Wednesdays at 7:00pm, February 25th through March 25th. (Come early for Soup Supper at 6:00pm).

Office Hours: The church office is open Monday-Friday, from 12:00 noon to 4:00pm. Pastor Herman will be available for walk-in appointments Monday through Thursday, noon to 4:00pm, and at other times by appointment. Please note: The office will be closed on Friday, March 13th, but we will be open as usual during the week of Spring Vacation.

Midweek Services during LENT: The Lenten Saints:

During Lent this year we will be exploring the lives of 5 people with weaknesses just like you and me that were transformed by Jesus to do extraordinary things. As we see how God worked in their lives we will recognize how God works in our lives... transforming us into people that live for others! The Saints we will explore will be: St. Polycarp of Smyrna who was a Pastor and Martyr, St. Matthias who was the 12th Apostle, St. Joseph who was Jesus' Step Father, St. Patrick the Missionary to Ireland, and Joseph the Patriarch of the Old Testament. We hope that you can join us! And be sure to come early for the Soup Supper that will start at Six PM.

New Member/Information Class: Pastor Herman's New Member/Information Class began last week and will be held every Wednesday 5:40-6:40pm through the Lenten season. This class is open to all and explains what the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod teaches and believes. If you are interested in attending, please email the church at ulutheranchurch@gmail.com.

New Bible Study Begins Monday, Feb. 23rd at 7:00pm: Pastor Jim Barton, who served as Pastor at ULu for over 20 years, will be leading this special series on Lenten themes in Isaiah. Please join us if you can on Monday evenings! All are welcome!

University Lutheran is continuing to seek applications for the Resident Fellowship Program (Pilot) for the Fall of 2015: The Resident Fellow (RF) receives free housing, parking and utilities in exchange for up to 12 hours of volunteer work weekly. Their role is to help make ULu a welcoming place for students to hear God's Word, make new friends, participate in activities, study, and relax. This is accomplished through the RF's role as a greeter (welcoming students and other visitors) and facilitator (communicating information about upcoming events, activities, and other opportunities). **For a detailed position description and application, email Logan Kearney at lkearney@purdue.edu.**

Come Join Us for a Student Bible Study/ Fellowship night every Thursday! Pastor Herman will be presenting the Bible study portion, which will be student-oriented. We will also have snacks, fun, and fellowship. Want to go, but don't want to walk? The ULu Bus will be running to transport you to and from the church. Join us as we make new friends, hear God's Word and take a break from our studies!

**Bus Schedule for Thursday Night
Student Bible Study/Fellowship**

Back of Cary (Cary Quad)	6:35pm
Stadium & Jischke (Own, Trk, Wly)	6:37
Co-Rec	6:39
Jischke at Meredith (Mer, Wnd)	6:41
1 st St. at Earhart (Ear, Harr)	6:43
MacArthur & 3 rd St. (Shr, Hil)	6:45
Purdue West (Mct, Purdue V.)	6:47
Arrive at ULu	6:55

Transfer and New Member News:

We are excited to welcome the following new members to University Lutheran!

- **Derek Schwanz** is a graduate student at Purdue and has been actively involved at ULu for several years, serving most recently on the Church Council as Assistant Treasurer. Derek transfers here from his home church, Trinity Lone Oak Lutheran in Eagan, Minnesota.
- **Joseph Carlson**, from Warsaw, Indiana, is a first year student in the Computer Network Information Technology Program, and joins ULu upon completion of adult confirmation classes.
- **Randall DeBoy**, a native of Dayton, Indiana, also joins ULu through adult confirmation. Randy worked at Purdue for 22 years, and has worked with at-risk folks for over 15 years. He loves music, dance, and water exercise classes at the YMCA.

Summer Servant Event to El Paso, Texas and Ysleta Lutheran

Mission: Are you interested in going on a mission trip this summer? If so, please consider joining a group from ULu who are traveling to El Paso, Texas and the Ysleta Lutheran Mission on July 11-18th. Founded in 1982, the YLM provides aid and ministry services to benefit the lives of people living on the U.S./Mexico border. We will be conducting health clinics, a VBS program and completing small building projects. This trip is for all interested students and church members, friends, family members and alumni! For more information, email Nancy and John Maylath at maylath@frontier.com. You can also check out the YLM website at www.ylm.org.

Men's Breakfast/Bible Class: Please join us on Friday mornings at 6:00am for a Men's Breakfast/Bible Class at the Downtowner Restaurant located in the Market Square Shopping Center in Lafayette. For more information, please contact Tom Schultz at Thomasa.schultz1@gmail.com.

Trustee Board Projects Update: The trustees (Logan Kearney, Ethan Lapham, John & Nancy Maylath, and Jeff Nelson) have been busy this semester with several projects, including work on a custodial service delivery plan for 2015-2016 (posted on the hallway bulletin board) to accompany the new, pilot Resident Fellowship Program; work on the sacristy project (new flooring, paint, and cabinets); and, reorganizing of trustee files and records. Other pending projects include: 1) the cleaning of all lighting fixtures throughout the building and replacement of bulbs and tubes by Team MJV, to create a more energy efficient system; 2) hanging of a new stage curtain in the fellowship hall; 3) professional floor cleaning over spring break; 4) revision of the use of facility policy and application form; 5) scheduling of a congregational work day for Saturday, March 28. Please contact any of the trustees if you have questions or suggestions.



Ladies' Retreat: Looking for a chance to get away and recharge spiritually? **The ladies of ULu's LWML Society invite all women to join us at the IN District LWML Retreat, April 24-25 at scenic Clifty Falls State Park in Madison, IN. The weekend's theme is "Go Forth in Joy," based on**

Isaiah 55:12. There is a registration fee, which includes the cost of the hotel room and several meals, but our LWML society is offering to cover a portion of the registration for anyone who signs up. The registration deadline is March 10, but anyone in need of society funds toward registration must let Angela Lukens (angela.m.lukens@gmail.com) know by February 25, so that we can fairly distribute funds. Registration forms are located in the Narthex, or you may contact Angela for more information. Please join us!

Missing Hymn Books: We have misplaced four volumes of our Hymn Prelude Library. These are large paperback hymnals, black and burgundy, with the Concordia Publishing House logo on the front. If anyone has seen these, please contact Brynne at the office. Thanks!

English Classes/Bible Studies for International Students:

The following classes are currently meeting. These groups are geared toward internationals, but all are welcome.

- Conversation Group – Mondays, 9:15am
- English Current Events and Conversation Class: Thursdays, 5:30pm
- International Bible Study – Sundays, 5:30pm (*Come at 5:00pm for food and fellowship*)

Devotional/Informational Material Available: We have added some new titles to our Lutheran Hour Ministry booklets. These are located at the back of the church on the rotating stand and cover many topics ranging from spiritual to practical. They are completely free, so please be sure to take any titles that are interesting to you. In addition, the January- March Portals of Prayer as well as the new Lutheran Witness have arrived! Pick up your copies at the table at the back of the sanctuary, or in the church office.

Ushers Needed: ULu is in need of ushers for the Spring semester at both the morning and evening services. If you are interested in serving in this way, please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church, or contact Logan White at whitelj@purdue.edu.

Water Bottle Collection: We are continuing to collect the 16.9 fl. oz. water bottles for Food Finders. They are used to distribute laundry soap and Food Finders currently use about 2100 bottles per month! Please deposit the bottles, uncrushed with the lid, to our collection box downstairs.

Special Thanks

"For what you have done I will always praise you in the presence of your faithful people. And I will hope in your name, for your name is good." Psalm 52:9

A very special thank you to Rachele and Ethan Lapham and the ladies of LWML for the delicious brunch on February 8th. A total of \$230.00 was raised for the Wittenburg Project!

Thank you to Mike and Jean Bristol for donating a much-needed paper shredder to the office! This will be helpful as we continue our efforts to dispose of unnecessary records and clear space in our filing cabinet.

Please take a minute to look at the beautiful new parament cabinet in the sacristy, built by the very talented Jack and Wayne from Jack's Wood Shop. The sacristy has also recently been painted and re-floored and looks beautiful! We are thankful to Susan Linson, Jean Bristol, Karen Mullen, Tom Schultz, Gene Hanus, Thrivent Financial, Angela Lukens, Robinette's Painting and Plaster, Miller's Flooring America, John and Nancy Maylath and the Trustees for making this project a reality.

Food Finders sent the following note, thanking us for our canned goods donations this past year: "Your 2014 donation of 32 pounds of product helped us provide more meals to at-risk children and families throughout the year. In fact, in 2014, Food Finders distributed a record 7,191,241 million pounds across our 16-county region. Together, I know we can do even more for hungry families in our region in 2015, and your continued support will help us reach that goal."

Van Schedule

University Lutheran provides a free van service on Sunday mornings and evenings for students who may need a ride to and/or from church or Bible study. The van is tan and clearly marked with University Lutheran Church. Call the church (765-743-2472) if you miss the van or need a ride at some other time. After worship, there is time for you to get some refreshments and visit with others, before the van leaves.

	AM	AM	PM
	Bible Study	Worship	Worship
Back of Cary (Cary Quad)	8:50	10:05	6:35
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Special Prayers: Feel free to add to this list, by writing requests in the Prayer Book in the narthex, by emailing the church through our website, or by letting Pastor know.

- For those serving in the military, including Rusty Becker, Joe Garn, Eric Vahle, Anne Radavich, Bryan Smith, Joshua Elmshaeuser, Ryan Guard, the Richeson's grandson, Curtis, R.J. Weldon, Lance Noel, Jessica Franklin, David Valentino, Levi England, Tom Mussmann, Ben Meredith, and Andy.
- For Susan Linson and her family, as God has taken Richard to heaven, for God's comfort and peace.
- For a niece Kathy who has Stage 4 cancer.
- For Rick, who has lung cancer, and his wife Cheryl.
- For those considering baptism, that the Holy Spirit would bring them to these waters for life and salvation as the Word and promises of God declare.

Welcome! We are so glad that you are here today as we gather together to hear God's Word. We hope to see you again soon.

Holy Communion: We take seriously the importance of the Lord's Supper and the need to be prepared to receive it. In Communion, we receive the very Body and Blood of Christ, in, with, and under the bread and wine. We partake of this sacrament for the forgiveness of sins and in remembrance of Christ, proclaiming His death for us. We are called also to examine ourselves, recognizing our sinfulness and bringing our sins to our Savior for His forgiveness in this sacrament. As a confessional Lutheran church, we ask that those who are not fellow Lutherans in altar fellowship with the LCMS, see Pastor Herman or an elder before communion.

February 22, 2015
First Sunday in Lent

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Introit

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in
trouble;*

I will rescue him and honor him.

With long life I will satisfy him*

And show him my salvation.

Because you have made the Lord your dwelling place--*

The Most High, who is my refuge---

No evil shall be allowed to befall you;*

No plague come near your tent.

For he will command his angels concerning you*

To guard you in all your ways.

On their hands they will bear you up,*

Lest you strike your foot against a stone.

You will tread on the lion and the adder;*

The young lion and the serpent you will trample underfoot.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son

And to the Holy Spirit;

As it was in the beginning,

Is now, and will be forever. Amen.

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in
trouble;*

I will rescue him and honor him.

With long life I will satisfy him*

And show him my salvation.

Thank you to those who serve:

Sunday, February 22:

Liturgist/Preacher (all services): Pastor Justin Herman
Assisting Elder: (7:00pm) Joseph Lukens
Organist (10:30am): Carol Ghiselli
Pianist (7:00pm): Jeff Goodspeed

Wednesday, February 25:

Liturgist/Preacher: Pastor Justin Herman
Organist: Carol Ghiselli

Sunday, March 1:

Liturgist/Preacher (all services): Pastor Justin Herman
Assisting Elder (10:30am): Aaron Korff
Organist (10:30am): Carol Ghiselli
Pianist (7:00pm): Ruth Mussmann

Wednesday, March 4:

Liturgist/Preacher: Pastor Justin Herman
Organist: Carol Ghiselli



Pastor Herman is now on Twitter! Follow him
@pastorherman1 for a daily devotion written by
Pastor with scripture links.



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