

**Grant Opportunity from the LCMS:** In recognition of the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the reformation, the LCMS is offering a special grant opportunity called **Stand with Your Community**. The primary purpose of the projects funded by these grants is to inspire and empower laity to actively engage in local witness and mercy outreach events and opportunities as a reflection of Martin Luther's unrelenting passion for all to know the true Gospel. The grant amount ranges from \$1,000 to \$25,000. **If you are interested in completing this grant application for University Lutheran, or hearing more about the opportunity, please contact Pastor Herman.**

**Sunday Evening Services Begin on August 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Beginning on August 23<sup>rd</sup> we will once again offer both the 10:30am Worship Service as well as the 7:00pm Worship Service. Our van service will also begin on the 23<sup>rd</sup>. For a van schedule, visit <http://www.ulupurdue.org/van-route-info/>

**Monday Evening Bible Study Summer Schedule:** Pastor Herman continues the series on the Augsburg Confession on 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>. Please join us at 7:00pm for these interesting Bible study opportunities this summer!

**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](mailto:Thomasa.schultz1@gmail.com)

**International Welcome Dinner, Friday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30pm:** This year University Lutheran Church will welcome over 200 international students for a picnic dinner and games on the lawn! This is a wonderful outreach and a great opportunity to meet and welcome international students to West Lafayette and to ULu! **Please consider volunteering your time to help during one of the two shifts: 4-6pm for set-up and food service, OR 6-8pm for clean-up. A sign-up sheet is posted in the narthex, or you may email Jean Bristol at [mikeandjean@virtualbristol.net](mailto:mikeandjean@virtualbristol.net).** We will also need to borrow lawn chairs for extra seating, and lawn games such as badminton, corn hole, and jarts to use that evening. Please call the office or email the church if you have any of these items we may borrow.



**Please mark your calendars for the following back-to-school events at University Lutheran:**

**Blast-Off Picnic: Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>** immediately following the 10:30am service. Come for a free picnic lunch and opportunity to meet other

students at ULu!

**LCMS-U Ice Cream Social: Thursday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm.**

Students, join us for the kick-off of LCMS-U Student Bible Study/Fellowship with an ice cream social and games.

**Call-outs for Bible studies, choir, and other church activities also take place during the first month of the academic year. Check the church calendar for details: [www.ulupurdue.org/events/](http://www.ulupurdue.org/events/)**

**Trustees' Update:**

- Team MJV will begin regular, weekly cleaning of the church building on **Friday, August 14, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**
- Team MJV will be supplying cleaning supplies and equipment as part of its contracted services. Recently, our supply closets have been cleaned and reorganized to accommodate the work of Team MJV. Members are asked to refrain from bringing any other cleaning supplies or equipment into the building.
- Please do not use church funds for the purchase of products such as hand towels, toilet paper, paper towels, garbage bags, light bulbs, etc., without first discussing with the trustees (Logan Kearney, Ethan Lapham, John & Nancy Maylath, or Jeff Nelson). We are currently working with Team MJV to determine cost savings of buying these products from preferred vendors.
- Thanks for your help, and please let us know how you think things are going with our new cleaning service!
- Please also note that the next Trustee's Meeting will be held on Thursday, August 27 at 7pm.

**Church Council Meeting:** Our first church council meeting will take place on August 30<sup>th</sup> immediately following the morning service. Starting in October, the council will meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month and these meetings are open to the congregation.



The mission of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League is to assist each woman of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in affirming her relationship with the Triune God so that she is enabled to use her gifts in ministry to the people of the world. **The first**

**Lutheran Women's Missionary League meeting of the academic year will be held on Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. Please bring your ideas for student outreach, mission fundraising, and social events. All are welcome!** Contact Rachelle Lapham at [rachelle.buuck@gmail.com](mailto:rachelle.buuck@gmail.com) with questions.

**English Classes/Bible Studies for Internationals:** The following classes are geared toward internationals, but all are welcome.

- Conversation Group – Mondays, 9:15am
- International Bible Study – Sundays at 5:00pm for food, fellowship and Bible Study
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**Gluten-free communion wafers are available** for those who prefer them. Please let Pastor or an elder know.

**Soles4Souls Shoe Collection:** Soles4Souls collects all kinds of shoes for the needy in the world. **Please donate your gently used or new shoes in the downstairs box to help this worthwhile cause.** E-mail Amy Leineweber at [AmyGenealogy1@aol.com](mailto:AmyGenealogy1@aol.com) with questions.

**Join the ULu Hunger Hike Team!:** Hunger Hike is an annual community fundraising event whose mission is to raise the awareness of and make a difference in the fight against hunger. Hunger Hike is open to participants of all ages and abilities who share a common goal: Fighting Hunger! **ULu will have a team again this year, with a goal to raise \$250, so mark your calendars to join us on Sunday, September 20, 2015.** The

cost to participate is simply a donation (a \$15.00 donation will receive a t-shirt). If you can't walk, you can still help by making a donation online at <http://www.firstgiving.com/team/299806>. You can also make a donation in the church office anytime during office hours. **Join us in fighting hunger in Tippecanoe County!**



**Thank you to those who serve:**

**Sunday, August 9:**

Liturgist/Preacher : Pastor Justin Herman

Organist : Carol Ghiselli

**Sunday, August 16:**

Liturgist/Preacher : Pastor Justin Herman

Assisting Elder: Gene Hanus

Organist: Carol Ghiselli

**Special Prayers: Feel free to add to this list by emailing the church, or by letting Pastor know.**

- For those serving in the military: 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, Tom Mussmann, Ben Meredith, and Andy.
- For the Capital Campaign and Building Fund
- For the health and healing of Helen Radavich, Lanelle Geddes, and Diane Gee.
- Please pray for those who suffer for the sake of Christ worldwide.
- Please pray for Chrissy Ford's 18 month old cousin, Skyla, diagnosed with cancer.
- Please pray for Jean Bristol's father, Mel Schott, who is transitioning to a health center this week.
- That God would use the International Dinner and other kick-off events to reach students with the gospel of Christ.
- For a relative who lost a brother recently.
- For Kelly M., recovering after an auto accident.
- For safe travels for the Purdue marching band, travelling to Columbia, South America from 8/4-8/10.

**Worship/Communion Schedule:**

- **Bible Class**, 9:15am
- **Morning Worship**, 10:30am  
(Communion: 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month)
- **Evening Worship**, 7:00pm (Begins August 23rd)  
(Communion: 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month)

**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.