

Summer 2020

TIPS

A Newsletter From
Saint Timothy Evangelical Lutheran Church

Come and Worship!



Sunday Worship 9:00 & 10:30 am

Saturday Worship 6pm

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July

August

7/1	Ian Kremen	7/22	Carin Wantula	8/12	Dorothy Lutu
7/3	Clayton Davidson	7/25	Pastor Mountenay	8/12	Thomas Winters
7/3	Tiffany Kellstrom	7/25	Debra Mountenay	8/13	Travis Brassel
7/5	Alisa DeRose Corbett	7/25	Irene Schulze	8/13	Margot Weinert
7/5	Marcia Schloesser	7/26	Anne Loffredo	8/16	Lois Clapp
7/8	Carl Johnson	7/26	Cindy Gaffney	8/16	Ed Bachorik
7/9	Johanna Wilbert	7/27	Nancy Farina	8/17	Nancy Konnerth
7/9	Patricia Winters	7/27	Roy Fabian	8/17	Emily O'Sullivan
7/10	Pamela Evanchik	7/28	Gunner Vogt	8/18	Valerie McGrath
7/11	Ashley Serventi	7/31	Carol Neilson	8/19	Karen Sajban
7/14	Irma Enders	8/1	Elinor Schroeder	8/21	Janis Neilson
7/14	Lisa Jane Langschultz	8/2	Carly Beyer	8/23	Matt Englesbe
7/15	Ed Schloesser	8/3	Pam Griffin	8/25	Nick Fernandez
7/16	Robert Tiefenbacher	8/3	Danlyn Milito	8/26	Patrick Loftus
7/18	Danielle Fernandez	8/5	Barbara Koegel	8/27	Stuart Anderson
7/18	Brittany Bachorik	8/5	Sandra DeRose	8/28	Riitta Englesbe
7/20	James Koppenal	8/7	Thomas Sajban	8/29	Monica Schneider
7/20	Alexa Serventi	8/8	Kaila Hope Mary Gabel	8/30	Jaclyn Sajban
7/21	Charles J. Riotto	8/10	Frederic Dittmer	8/31	Danlyn Milito



7/9	Bill & Monica Mains
7/10	Ed & Marcia Schloesser
7/12	Loretta & Bob Kratky
7/16	Bill & Dolores Monsees
7/24	Bob & Mary Tiefenbacher
7/25	Conrad & Dawn Brassel
7/30	Nathan & Keriann Ekland
7/31	Joel & Elsie McKenzie
8/1	Carol & Douglas Gabel
8/2	Robert & Roberta Jankiewicz
8/8	Danielle & Nick Fernandez
8/9	Peter & Barbara Johanson
8/14	Diana & Ken DeAngelis
8/18	Pastor & Debra Mountenay
8/20	Russ & Gloria Everett

MEMORIALS

Since May 18, 2020, there have been no gifts to Memorial Funds, nor any purchases. We remain grateful to all who have supported Memorial Funds throughout the years with their donations and their prayers, and for Pastor's loving service.



No Memorial Garden pavers were purchased this month, so our paver total stands at 114. The price of a paver is \$300.00. Checks may be made to St. Timothy Memorial Fund, with the words "Memorial Garden" on the memo line. Pavers may be engraved with the names of deceased loved ones, or left blank for future engraving. Paver application sheets are available in the narthex. See

Pat Winters for further information or assistance. The Memorial Garden is self-supporting; gifts are welcome at all times!

We also welcome contributions to the fund for restoration and enhancement of our Church organ. The work is ongoing and should be completed very soon. Checks may be made to St. Timothy Memorial Fund, with the words "Organ Repair" on the memo line.



We are grateful to all who have given to the St. Timothy Memorial Funds – the General Memorial Fund, the Music Fund, the George Laubscher Monday Morning Fund, the Memorial Garden Fund, the Eternal Light Candle Fund, and the Flanders/Schleer Scholarship Loan Funds – and for the faithful repayments to the loan funds. We welcome additional contributions as we assist families with the high price of college.



I hope Edgar Guest will forgive me as I use parts of his poem *A sense of humor*:

What shall I give him now? said God
He has the strength with which to plod
The ways of life, the love of right,
The gift of song when the skies are bright.

Then spake an angel standing near:
"Wisdom is not enough, I fear,
Master, for all that he must do-
Grant him a sense of humor, too

Years after, when his strength was tasked,
"What keeps you patient?" he was asked,
"What keeps you brave who are so tired?"
"My sense of humor," he replied.

We need a sense of humor now. We are dealing with the virus, brutality, rioting, and loss. Pastor is retiring and we wish him well. He has been with us a long time and we love him, his uke and his sense of humor. We love his sermons and his visiting us. We will miss him.

We have a sense of loss. Some have had personal losses due to the virus. Isolation has caused depression and fear. Comedians can't tease because of our foibles. But we can keep our sense of humor. We learn from errors of the past and reminders of this are being ruined, probably by those who know little about them. Free speech is being censored. We know it's okay to not agree with each other, that's what makes this country good. We can debate and argue and still be friends. The color of our skin does not matter. We have each other for support. We can't wait

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to gather together again. We are God's people and we have a sense of humor. We'll hear Art's corny jokes again. We will, I hope, soon be able to give each other a hug again, but air kisses may have to do for now.

Knock, knock... Who's there?
Ice cream soda... Ice cream soda who?
Ice cream soda people can hear me!

Fear knocked at the door, faith answered and there was no one there. And so we remember God is always with us. We have each other even though we can't congregate yet and we have our sense of humor. Use it.

Farewell Pastor. We will remember you fondly and we hope we served you and Debbie well too. We wish you the best and you will always be in our hearts.

More "Make Life Easy" next Tips
Barbara Westerberg



**Due to the current pandemic
any and all event and meeting
dates are subject to change.**



Angels Circle

When it is safe to meet we will get together. I am working on putting quilt kits together. They will be available when church reopens.

Barbara Kaplan



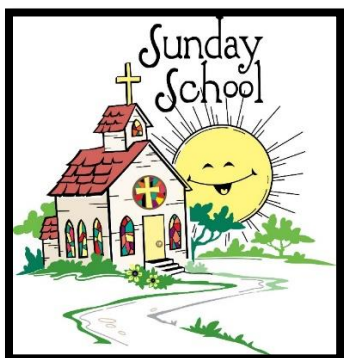
Wayne Interfaith Network

Currently WIN is serving 126 clients and their families. Approximately 66 children are served each month. The pantry is currently closed due to this Pandemic.

Monetary donations are greatly appreciated and may be made “in memory of” or “in honor of”. Mail to Wayne Interfaith Network, PO Box 3341, Wayne, NJ 07474-3341.

Thank you for your generosity.

www.WinFoodPantry.org



VBS. Do you know what that stands for? Of course, you do! It stands for Vacation Bible School. We're doing VBS a little differently this year at St. Timothy, along with many other things. Each week a Children's Sermon will be part of our Virtual FB Live Service on Sunday morning. Young and not so young can enjoy and learn from the weekly lesson. So please tune in each week to hear the special message. All of the

Sunday services can be found on the St. Timothy FB page Live and are saved so you can watch them anytime you would like.

St. Timothy's Christian Education Committee would like wish everyone a safe and healthy summer! We are hoping that Sunday School can start in September as in has in the past.

Our Re-Opening Committee is working hard to keep everyone informed, safe and comfortable.

In His name,
Laura Dec

Dates to Remember:

Sept. 14 – Sunday School – 1st Day



As I reported a two months ago the ongoing pandemic has made life very difficult for some of our neighbors and GERA continues to help as they can. Here is the link if you would like to make an online donation: <https://www.gera-ngo.org/>. Sikandar continues to collect furniture and household items they often need. Thank you to those who have donated. I remain available to help you with the clean out you may be doing now, so if you have items you would like to donate please contact me at (201) 757-4086 or Ksnacs@msn.com

and I'll facilitate pick up.

Remember it's: God's Work Our Hands 😊

In His Name,
Cliff Konnerth



Do you know of a parishioner, family member or friend who is undergoing medical procedures, needs comfort in times of stress, suffering bereavement, during an illness or recovery and would benefit from prayer or meditation from others? The prayer

shawl ministry has lovingly hand knitted and crocheted prayer shawls that are created through a ritual of prayer asking God to answer whatever need the recipient may have, asking Him to bless them and surround them with His love. The softness of the shawl is a reminder of His love as they are surrounded with it. Share it with loved ones, or cuddle with others with it. Contact the church office for availability.

JULY LECTIONARY

Wednesday, July 1	Jeremiah 18:1-11	Matthew 11:20-24	Psalm 119:161-168
Thursday, July 2	Zechariah 1:1-6	Romans 7:1-6	Psalm 145:8-14
Friday, July 3	Zechariah 2:6-13	Romans 7:7-20	Psalm 145:8-14
Saturday, July 4	Zechariah 4:1-7	Luke 10:21-24	Psalm 145:8-14
Sunday, July 5	Zechariah 9:9-12	Romans 7:15-25a	Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30
Monday, July 6	Jeremiah 27:1-11, 16-22	Romans 1:18-25	Psalm 131
Tuesday, July 7	Jeremiah 28:10-17	Romans 3:1-8	Psalm 131
Wednesday, July 8	Jeremiah 13:1-11	John 13:1-17	Psalm 131
Thursday, July 9	Isaiah 48:1-5	Romans 2:12-16	Psalm 65:1-13
Friday, July 10	Isaiah 48:6-11	Romans 15:14-21	Psalm 65:1-13
Saturday, July 11	Isaiah 52:1-6	John 12:44-50	Psalm 65:1-13
Sunday, July 12	Isaiah 55:10-13	Romans 8:1-11	Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23
Monday, July 13	Leviticus 26:3-20	1 Thessalonians 4:1-8	Psalm 92
Tuesday, July 14	Deuteronomy 28:1-14	Ephesians 4:17-5:2	Psalm 92
Wednesday, July 15	Proverbs 11:23-30	Matthew 13:10-17	Psalm 92
Thursday, July 16	Isaiah 41:21-29	Hebrews 2:1-9	Psalm 86:11-17
Friday, July 17	Isaiah 44:9-17	Hebrews 6:13-20	Psalm 86:11-17
Saturday, July 18	Isaiah 44:18-20	Matthew 7:15-20	Psalm 86:11-17
Sunday, July 19	Isaiah 44:6-8	Romans 8:12-25	Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43
Monday, July 20	Nahum 1:1-13	Revelation 14:12-20	Psalm 75
Tuesday, July 21	Zephaniah 3:1-13	Galatians 4:21-5:1	Psalm 75
Wednesday, July 22	<i>Ruth 1:6-18</i>	<i>Acts 13:26-33a</i>	<i>John 20:1-2, 11-18</i>
Thursday, July 23	1 Kings 1:28-37	1 Corinthians 4:14-20	Psalm 119:129-136
Friday, July 24	1 Kings 1:39-48	Acts 7:44-53	Psalm 119:129-136
Saturday, July 25	<i>1 Kings 19:9-18</i>	<i>Acts 11:27—12:3a</i>	<i>Mark 10:35-45</i>
Sunday, July 26	1 Kings 3:5-12	Romans 8:26-39	Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52
Monday, July 27	1 Kings 3:16-28	James 3:13-18	Psalm 119:121-128
Tuesday, July 28	1 Kings 4:29-34	Ephesians 6:10-18	Psalm 119:121-128
Wednesday, July 29	Proverbs 1:1-7, 20-33	Mark 4:30-34	Psalm 119:121-128
Thursday, July 30	Proverbs 10:1-5	Philippians 4:10-15	Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21
Friday, July 31	Isaiah 51:7-23	Romans 9:6-13	Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21

AUGUST LECTIONARY

Saturday, August 1	Isaiah 44:1-5	Matthew 7:7-11	Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21
Sunday, August 2	Isaiah 55:1-5	Romans 9:1-5	Matthew 14:13-21
Monday, August 3	Deuteronomy 8:1-10	Romans 1:8-15	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Tuesday, August 4	Deuteronomy 26:1-5	Acts 2:37-47	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Wednesday, August 5	Exodus 16:2-15, 31-35	Matthew 15:32-39	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Thursday, August 6	1 Kings 18:1-16	Acts 17:10-15	Psalms 85:8-13
Friday, August 7	1 Kings 18:17-19, 30-40	Acts 18:24-28	Psalms 8:8-13
Saturday, August 8	1 Kings 18:41-46	Matthew 16:1-4	Psalms 85:8-13
Sunday, August 9	1 Kings 19:9-18	Romans 10:5-15	Matthew 14:22-33
Monday, August 10	Genesis 7:11-8:5	2 Peter 2:4-10	Psalms 18:1-19
Tuesday, August 11	Genesis 19:1-29	Romans 9:14-29	Psalms 18:1-19
Wednesday, August 12	Job 36:24-33, 37:14-24	Matthew 8:23-27	Psalms 181:1-19
Thursday, August 13	Isaiah 45:20-25	Revelation 15:1-4	Psalms 67
Friday, August 14	Isaiah 63:15-19	Acts 14:19-28	Psalms 67
<i>Saturday, August 15</i>	<i>Isaiah 61:7-11</i>	<i>Galatians 4:4-7</i>	<i>Luke 1:46-55</i>
Sunday, August 16	Isaiah 56:1, 6-8	Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32	Matthew 15:[10-20] 21-28
Monday, August 17	2 Kings 5:1-14	Acts 15:15-21	Psalms 87
Tuesday, August 18	Isaiah 43:8-13	Romans 11:13-29	Psalms 87
Wednesday, August 19	Isaiah 66:18-23	Matthew 8:1-13	Psalms 87
Thursday, August 20	Ezekiel 28:11-19	1 Corinthians 6:1-11	Psalms 138
Friday, August 21	Ezekiel 31:15-18	2 Corinthians 10:12-18	Psalms 138
Saturday, August 22	Ezekiel 36:33-38	Matthew 16:5-12	Psalms 138
Sunday, August 23	Isaiah 51:1-6	Romans 12:1-8	Matthew 16:13-20
<i>Monday, August 24</i>	<i>Exodus 19:1-6</i>	<i>1 Corinthians 12:27-31a</i>	<i>John 1:43-51</i>
Tuesday, August 25	Deuteronomy 32:18-20, 28-39	Romans 11:33-36	Psalms 18:1-3, 20-32
Wednesday, August 26	Isaiah 28:14-22	Matthew 26:1-13	Psalms 18:1-3, 20-32
Thursday, August 27	Jeremiah 14:13-18	Ephesians 5:1-6	Psalms 26:1-8
Friday, August 28	Jeremiah 15:1-9 2	Thessalonians 2:7-12	Psalms 26:1-8
Saturday, August 29	Jeremiah 15:10-14	Matthew 8:14-17	Psalms 26:1-8
Sunday, August 30	Jeremiah 15:15-21	Romans 12:9-21	Matthew 16:21-28
Monday, August 31	2 Samuel 11:2-26	Revelation 3:1-6	Psalms 17

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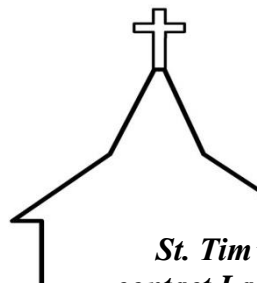
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