



Lake George Lutheran Chapel

August 2021 Newsletter

revel in your summer and relish the time with family and friends.

Pastor John & Mary Ann

President's Comments

It has been a very challenging and eventful 18 months dealing with the guidelines of the covid regulations and the retirement of Pastor Easterday.

We have been blessed with our vacancy Pastor John Schoedel and his wife Mary Ann to carry on the ministry here at LGLC and we now have the commitment from Pastor Shoemaker, retiring Pastor from Emanuel New Haven to take the position of Senior Pastor here at LGLC.

We very much appreciate our members and guests supporting us both spiritually and financially through these times. Our commitment to serve the lake community with a place of worship is strong and in place, your continued support has made the transition much easier.

This next Friday, August 06, we are having a luncheon at noon where Pastor Shoemaker and his wife Cheri will be attending and you will have a chance to meet them. Our Bible class will meet from 11 AM to 12 and all are welcome to attend the class or arrive at 12 for the meet and greet.

President Mike Saalfrank

Mary Ann's Corner
Each Sunday I bring my camera and look for pictures that we

From
Your Vacancy
Pastor &
His Wife



Dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

What a summer it has been so far! And to celebrate Christmas in July was



a wonderful event. The Christmas hymns and readings and the fellowship around the

nativity set and the tree and the Christmas cookies...that is real fellowship centered in Christ.



We pray that this coming Christmas we will gather together in church and fellowship as we are accustomed to in our lives.

Mary and Ann I continue to treasure each moment we are with all of you. Continue to



can use for the newsletter. The thing that amazed me was that our logo included the water – like our lakes – to reflect what Lake George is all about.



Being here for winter was also an opportunity to show that even in winter, LGLC is active and thriving.

So as Pastor and I approach our next walk in life, moving to Missouri to be closer to all of our children and grandchildren, I will continue to look for something to photograph that can be shared. Know that we will share some of our pictures as we move forward to the next church Pastor will serve and as I look for more work to do. Thank you! *Mary Ann*

Bible Class

“The Feasts of Israel and the Gospel” continues each Friday at 11am. Kathy Piering, wife of our own Pastor Arnie Piering, are our leaders. This class



reinforces that the message of the Old Testament is directly linked to the New Testament

in forthtelling Jesus and all He would mean to all peoples. It will continue through August 13 or 20. All are welcome!

Community and World Outreach

Turning Point Homeless Shelter continues to be our outreach to the community. Keep them in your prayers.

Hannah Circle

This is an active group. Their collection of shoes and socks for those in need

worldwide and their work for Christmas in July does make a difference for people. Join them if you can!

August 13th: Discuss fish fry support

September 10th: Labor Day fish fry support; Final count on shoe collection

October 8th: Tie blankets for homeless

November 12th: Turning Point Christmas planning

December 10th: Advent By Candlelight – TBD

If you would like to join or volunteer, contact Karen Kuehnert at 260-312-0280 or kuehnertkaren@gmail.com

Giving for the Support of LGLC Ministry

Your offering gifts and online gifts continue to enable LGLC to support, sustain and grow our ministry at home and worldwide. You are making a difference! Thank you!

LCEF

Check them out at www.lcef.org for investment opportunities.

Online Worship

We are now live streaming our 9am service. Go to our website and click on the link and you will be a part of the live service...or as you can, click on the link and enjoy same service as it was recorded. It also available on Facebook and YouTube.

After church fellowship

Each week we gather after worship...if you would like to host, let Pastor John know.

LGLC Worship

August 1 - 10th Sunday after Pentecost
Sermon “One Slice or Two?!”

August 8 - 8 - 11th Sunday after Pentecost
Sermon “The Broom Tree”



August 15 – 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Sermon “Put Away Your Gods”

August 22 – 13th Sunday after Pentecost

Sermon “Wash Your Hands!”

August 29 – 14th Sunday after Pentecost

Sermon “Listen-Do-Keep”

Personal News

If you would like to be added to one of the personal celebration areas, let Pastor John know to update the records.

Birthdays- June

Betty Hickox (8-5); Bob Thomas (8-9); Makayla Tompkins (8-10); Maury Springer (8-13); Charlotte Baker (8-18)

Baptismal Birthdays

Joyce Easterday (8-8); Bill “Yogi” Scheele (8-17)

Anniversaries

Steve & Chris Bacon (8-11)

Homebound Members

Remember our home-bound with cards of encouragement!

Todd Scherer
12701 Grand Station Drive
Fort Wayne, IN 46814

Jeff Smith
2935 N 400 W
Angola, IN 46703

Jerry and Jeri Threlkeld
23005 Woodburn Road Apt. 131
Woodburn, IN 46797

Robert & Margie Beebe
280 Lane 110 Big Otter Lake
Fremont, IN 46737

Those diagnosed with cancer and in treatment

Those recovering from cancer:
Pastor John

Special prayers for Christians persecuted worldwide and those who are martyred – which is happening every day to at least 8 Christians.

Special prayers for those with mental health concerns!



Check your local listings for times and stations

August 1, 2021 – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 145:10-21; Exodus 16:2-15; John 6:22-35 “Full Faith” - Sermon Text: John 6:22-35 - Rev. William Mueller

August 8, 2021 – Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 34:1-8; 1 Kings 19:1-8; John 6:35, 41-51 “It’s A Wonderful Life!” - Sermon Text: John 6:35, 41-51 - Rev. Dr. Thomas Ahlersmeyer

August 15, 2021 – Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 34:12-22; Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18; John 6:51-59 “Our Rededication Pledge” - Sermon Text: Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 - Rev. Dr. Walter Maier III

August 22, 2021 – Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 14; Isaiah 29:11-19; Mark 7:1-13 “Inspecting the House” - Sermon Text: Mark 7:6 - Rev. Thomas Eggold

August 29, 2021 – Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 51:2, 7, 10-12; Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9; Mark 7:14-23 “Hearts Made Clean” - Sermon Text: Mark 7:14-15 - Rev. Shayne Jonker

