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## Reclaiming the "L" Word

A new adult study begins June 5 at 9:45 A.M. in the church lounge. We thank Chad Hagedorn for leading the study of the Book of Revelation that concluded May 29.

The new adult study will center on the book Reclaiming the "L" Word- Renewing the Church from Its Lutheran Core by Kelly A. Fryer. Pastor Fryer has served a congregation in Lockport, Illinois, and now serves on the faculty of Luther Seminary, St. Paul, Minnesota. The church office has copies of the book available. The class will be taught during Sunday morning sessions in June and July. Participants are asked to read the book chapter by chapter. All adults are urged to join this study class because it will share some new approaches to ministry at Good Shepherd. The 108-page paperback will center on one chapter each week.

The outline of the class schedule is as follows:

- June 5-In Defense of Dogma
- June 12-A Confession
- June 19-Jesus is Lord
- June 26-No class scheduled
- July 3-No class scheduled
- July 10-Everyone is Welcome
- July 17-Love Changes People

### Dear Partners by Pastor Prochaska

- July 24-Everyone Has  
Something to Offer
- July 31-The World Needs What  
We Have.

During the recently completed Southern Ohio Synod Assembly at Wittenberg University, I talked with Dr. Richard Bliese who was the Theologian in Residence for the Assembly. I asked him about the "The Gospel In Our Culture Network" which is a program for congregational witness and renewal. Luther Seminary has invested a great deal of resources into this program that involves 12-15 congregations from four Synods of the ELCA. Good Shepherd, and St. Luke Lutheran Church in Marietta, Ohio, are the two congregations in the Southern Ohio Synod that have been chosen for "The Gospel in Our Cultural Network" Project. He was very enthusiastic about Luther's support of "The Gospel in Our Cultural" Program, as he has just been appointed President-elect of Luther Seminary. Dr. Bliese and will be officially installed later. On

June 13-15, Bishop Callon Holloway and Assistant to the Bishop, Pastor Suzanne Dillahunt, will travel to Luther Seminary to meet with synod staff from three ELCA synods that are also involved in the program. Pastor Dillahunt will be calling me after returning from St. Paul. Good Shepherd can look forward to involvement in this program. Our goal is to develop a plan to relate to our immediate neighborhood. Continue to keep "The Gospel in Our Culture Network" in your prayers as we discover how this program can support Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

The Synod Council met on Wednesday, May 18, and approved the New Constitution for Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. The Synod Council's approval means that we can move ahead immediately preparing and organizing the mission and ministry of the congregation in accordance with the new constitution that officially goes into effect September 1, 2005.

In Christ,

Pastor Prochaska

# Member News

## June Birthdays

- 2 Evelyn Bergstedt  
Judy Richardson
- 4 Barbara Regginello
- 6 Luther Gerken
- 7 Ed Champagne  
Walter Moline  
Thomas Prochaska
- 8 Bill Wick
- 9 Thomas Higgins  
Kristin Jambor
- 13 Rodola Kellogg  
Kathy Seim
- 14 June Newell
- 15 Marian Beechey  
Faith Grudus
- 16 Susan Linker
- 17 Edward Jones
- 18 Richard Williamson
- 19 Floyd Seim
- 23 Lee Dzingleski
- 25 Kevin Newell

## July Birthdays

- 1 Mary Ann Sharits  
Sue Williamson
- 2 Paul Linker
- 4 John Chuprun  
Golria Gantz
- 5 Jim Lange
- 7 Pam Bauser
- 9 Marilyn Edwards  
Sharon Hagedorn  
Brenda Theiman
- 11 Marlys Holmstrom
- 12 Nancy DeVilbiss  
Joyce Singer
- 13 Jeff Seibert
- 14 Shirley Dodson  
Norah Menchhofer
- 15 Arvo Erickson
- 16 Carol Brayton  
Sue Schenk
- 21 Alvin Lewis
- 26 Cy Laughter
- 27 Geraldine Perry  
Kathy Snodgrass
- 28 Marcille Crouch
- 29 Donna Berkeley  
Chad Hagedorn

## Education & Inspiration Available in the Narthex

Be sure to take the opportunity to enhance your worship by reading the information in the display case. Each week, **Bob Dittmar** creates the case to include interesting and informative information about our worship. Subjects include history and meaning of the church season, background of a Biblical person, the story behind the hymns we sing, and important information about church family members. Bob creates awesome images to accompany the vast material. His ministry continues to bless us with education and inspiration. We encourage you to stop by the case to supplement your worship. *You will be glad you did!*



## Congratulations Graduates!

Congratulations are in order for Sara Shaffer (granddaughter of Joyce Shaffer) who graduated from University of Kentucky with a Bachelor of Arts in Arts Administration.

Isaac Pressnell (son of Linda and Michael Tripp) will be graduating from Ohio State, with honors, with a Bachelor of Arts in English, and continuing with graduate school in the MFA program at West Virginia University.

Grant DeVilbiss (son of Tom and Nancy DeVilbiss) will graduate from The University of Cincinnati, on June 10 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering, Cum Laude.

A hardy 3-way congratulations to David Bauser on his graduation from Fairmont High School, to Kim Bauser on her graduation from Centre College with a Bachelor of Arts in Religion and French, and to P.J. Bauser on his graduation from University of Cincinnati with a Master of Architecture (children of Roger and Pam Bauser).

# Thank You

*Thanks so much to the members who have brought the altar flowers and visited me over the past months. I really appreciate your kindnesses and thoughtfulness.*

Arline Whiteman

*Dear Pastor Prochaska & Staff,*

*Enclosed are funds in memory of my grandma, Naomi Oehrtman. Good Shepherd was such an important part of her life (and Grandpa's too) that this seems the best way to honor her memory in a monetary way.*

*Please let the individuals in charge of the children's activity bags know how much we appreciated them being available for our daughter, Meghan (age 4 ½), the day of Grandma's funeral. We brought Meghan's church backpack, but we also were given an activity bag for her to use. The bag contained a small beanbag cow which she held close during most of the service & all the way to the cemetery. When we returned for the luncheon, she said she needed to put it away for the next kid to use when they were sad. It hadn't occurred to me to take one of her stuffed animals along. I'll definitely suggest to our staff at church (Grace Lutheran, Springfield) that a small stuffed item would be good in our activity bags.*

*I have fond memories of attending Good Shepherd when visiting Grandpa & Grandma. I also remember attending a Mother-Daughter dinner with Grandma too. Whenever Grandma wrote or I called her, she usually had at least one Good Shepherd activity to report on. I'll miss that.*

*May God continue to bless Good Shepherd & its ministry!*

Kristi Leeth

*Women of Good Shepherd,*

*The family of Naomi Oehrtman thanks you for the luncheon after our Mother's funeral. We appreciated the good food and also the opportunity to visit with family and friends.*

*The Women of the Church was a very important part of Mother's life from the very beginning of Good Shepherd. The Bible studies, HIS Day, cleaning the kitchen, helping with countless meals, Mother-Daughter banquets & on & on – these were all ways that she could use her hands & talents to serve. What a wonderful example for us.*

*We thank you for the many friendships with our Mother through the years.*

Jean Michelfelder  
Mary Lynn Windsor

*Women of the Church:*

*Thank you ladies for your efforts in serving the delicious luncheon to the family and friends of Milan Filcik on April 25<sup>th</sup> your kindness was truly appreciated.*

God bless you,  
Helen

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# LSSMA Annual Meeting Report

It happened one cold, rainy evening. Two women were driving south on I-75. Their destination – a “Meeting at the Crossroads”.

The annual delegate meeting of Lutheran Social Services of Mid-America was held at Zion Lutheran Church in Hamilton, Ohio, on April 26, 2005. Jackie Huelsman and Kate Steinger served as delegates for Good Shepherd.

A delicious dinner preceded the meeting. Dinner music was provided by Randy Runyon playing piano. Randy is Zion’s organist and had composed a song – *At the Crossroads* – especially for the evening’s meeting.

Opening comments were given by Willis Serr, LSSMA Administration President and CEO. He pointed out that, financially, LSSMA has done well the past few years. However, should the proposed Medicaid changes be enacted, reimbursement for long term care residents at LSS facilities would be drastically cut and seriously challenge the financial status.

The meeting began with the scripture from Matthew 9:35-36 being read by those assembled for the meeting. The mission of LSSMA is anchored in this text – “And Jesus went about all the cities and villages – teaching, preaching and healing. When he saw the crowds, he had Compassion for them because they were harassed and helpless, like a sheep without a shepherd.”

Jesus met people at the crossroads of their lives. Just as in Jesus’ time, people today come to crossroads in their lives – when they face crucial decisions in response to changing needs in their lives. These critical times can cause a feeling of helplessness and hopelessness.

We know Jesus’ responses to the people he met at the crossroads. Today, LSSMA meets people at their crossroads and responds to their needs. Through LSSMA, each of us is enabled to lift our hands and hearts to respond to needs of people at their crossroads.

LSSMA is guided by six values. Two of those values were highlighted at the meeting. One value – faithfulness to Christ – requires compassion. The value of quality of service requires competence. The realization of these values requires a partnership of Lutheran congregations and social ministry organizations.

Compassion and Competence are two essential elements when “meeting at the crossroads”. Compassion involves empathy – the envisioning of what the client is going through – “feeling” another’s pain. Competence is a more complex issue. It involves detail and a systematic caring to deliver the needed services.

Several recipients of LSSMA services were present to share their stories. A young cerebral palsy resident of the Manors of the Valley directs a program he formed to help children and youth learn to live with disabilities.

An MRDD adult woman found a home at one of LSSMA’s We-Care Homes when her mother died and her father could no longer care for her. She is proud of her new independence and home.

Another story was from an adult woman who had lost her job, unemployment benefits had run out and her parent had passed away. She enrolled in LSSMA’s Learn to Earn program. She now has a job in her field, benefits and opportunity to advance in her position.

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# Memorials

We heard about an elderly couple facing separation after more than fifty years of marriage when one partner had a stroke and could no longer live at home. Working with LSSMA, they were able to be placed together at Bethany Lutheran Village.

A most touching story was an adoption story. The Adoption Social Worker of LSSMA networked with agencies throughout Ohio and placed an adolescent boy with a family wanting to adopt. The chemistry worked and the boy was adopted by the parents and their teenage children. The adolescent now has a family – people who “care about you”.

The words of Randy Runyon's *At the Crossroads* express it so well. “You have no hands but ours... your healing work to do. The physically impaired... are your children, too. No hands but ours to do your work on earth... to teach, to be a friend... to help each find their worth. Their way is blocked by illness, loss, infirmity. From chains of circumstance we want them to be free. We meet them at the crossroads of their lives. We lift our hands in service, this to serve you.”

What a beautiful evening! What a privilege it was to have been a part of this assembly! And the rain is over!

A copy of the LSSMA annual report is available in the church lounge. Check it out!

## For **RICHARD CATON**

Joyce E. Shaffer  
Bill & Charlotte Bowman  
Milan & Helen Filcik  
Dick & Sue Williamson

## For **NAOMI OEHRMAN**

Wil and Tee Johnston  
Callie Rehrig  
Bob & Mary Ann Sauer  
Roberta Moore  
Taylor, Applegate, Hughes and Associates, LTD  
Herman & Evelyn Bergstedt  
Jim & Carol Rempe  
Norah Menchhofer  
Jane & Kathleen Ireton  
Bob & Peg Harrold  
Al & Robin Sessler  
Milan & Helen Filcik  
Del & Ginny Herbeck  
Bob & Sara Dittmar  
Vernon & Gloria Gantz  
Bill & Charlotte Bowman  
Bea Graham  
Kettering Senior Citizens  
Verda Sieber  
Barry & Nancy Fisher  
Barbara Sweeney  
Dick & Sue Williamson  
Gladys Grabeman  
Harv & Ferne Reilich  
Ed & Connie Jones  
Dick Hartmann  
Werner Vollrath  
George & Rodola Kellogg  
Marge Palmer  
Gerry & Donna Harte  
Eric & Kristi Leeth  
Dick & Jan Arnett  
Terry & Sue Oehrtman  
Jim & Gale Mix  
The Roger Hartmann Family  
Phil Glover  
Kathryn Gilbert

## For **MILAN FILCIK**

Wil & Tee Johnston  
Callie Rehrig  
Bob & Mary Ann Sauer  
James & Maryann DeYoung  
Hank & Shirley Dodson  
Herman & Evelyn Bergstedt  
Bea Graham  
Bob & Peg Harrold  
Vernon & Gloria Gantz  
Johann & Hedwig Grau  
Anna Klepper  
Bill & Charlotte Bowman  
Norah Menchhofer  
Jane & Kathleen Ireton  
Jim & Carol Rempe  
Louis C. Breckenridge  
Gene & Patt Neel  
Ed & Mary Cubick  
Ethel M. Buckley  
Tom & Patty Haeussler  
Everett & Jean Smith  
Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Rachford  
Nola B. Stephens  
Jack & Ruth Whitaker  
Dale & Sylvia Whitford)  
Malcolm & Roberta Ritchie  
Shirley Filcik  
Barbara Sweeney  
Dick & Sue Williamson  
James & Linda Pressnell  
Judi Barber  
Jerry & Mary Falta  
Howard & Marilyn Pressnell  
Gladys Grabeman  
Harv & Ferne Reilich  
Ed & Connie Jones  
Dick Hartmann  
Werner Vollrath  
George & Rodola Kellogg  
Del & Ginny Herbeck  
Bob & Sara Dittmar  
Gerry & Donna Harte  
Sycamore Glenn Village  
Elizabeth Chalmers  
Kathryn Gilbert  
Phil Glover  
Herbert & Frieda Groeger  
Don & Paula Bennett  
Ethel James  
The Roger Hartmann family  
Harriett Baker

# Worship and Liturgy Thoughts

Recently, a lot of discussion has included the subject of Liturgy in Lutheran churches everywhere.

Literally speaking, the liturgy is the public work or service of God by which Christ continues the redemption of the world through the church. The liturgy is God's blessing to us. Our response is adoration and thanksgiving which we do through worship. Ephesians 3:8-11 states that we are ministers of God according to God's grace, and that we are called to spread the riches of Christ so that all may know the mystery made known through Jesus. (I encourage you to read Ephesians chapter 3! It is wonderful!)

The church's liturgy celebrates this mystery of faith. Traditionally, we understand the word liturgy to be the parts of the service which we sing as part of our traditional worship service. These include the Kyrie, the Hymn of Praise (Glory to God or This is the Feast), the Gospel Acclamation and all the Eucharistic Acclamations which include the Sanctus (Holy, Holy), the Acclamation of faith (Christ has died, risen and will come again), the great Amen and the Lamb of God.

As we examine these parts of the service in future editions of the Staff, and understand them better, we can more fully worship both by continuing to sing traditional liturgy and by learning how different music and prayers can accomplish the same result. It is not the liturgical setting which is the most important thing. What is important, is that we open our hearts to God. We need to leave church strengthened and empowered with

## Music Notes

by Kimberly Conway

the Holy Spirit in order to serve God in the world and to bring more people to know God's saving Grace.

I had a great opportunity to talk to two members of Captive Free. These young people are part of a team who give a year of their lives to travel and share the Gospel at churches, schools, detention centers or wherever they are sent to share their incredible music and ministry. In spite of their busy schedule and very limited free time, Nathan Huse and Hannah Pressnell (Linda and Michael Tripp's daughter) gave their time to share some different perspectives and ideas about worship.

One thing Nathan and Hannah shared was that our worship should be extended throughout the week. Sundays should be the pinnacle of our worship, but not our only worship time. They also shared that when we worship, that we should remember that we are worshipping for an audience of One. That means that our worship should not be entertainment. It also means that we should feel free to praise, pray or sing in our own way. If one feels like praying kneeling, sitting, or being face down while others in the congregation are standing, then do as God's Spirit leads! Kathleen Ireton put this in a great way. She said that worship is communal but individual. We do not all have to be doing the same thing.

The difficulty in planning services is that some people prefer a freer expression of worship, others need a predictable, familiar liturgy, and still others like the familiar words of traditional liturgical settings but enjoy newer musical settings. It is again individual, and that is why we are striving to offer choices of worship styles. Please try to attend a different service if you are not happy at the service you are attending. They are unique and different. While we cannot please everyone's preferences at the same time, we are trying to give enough options so that all God's people at Good Shepherd can worship our awesome God in a way which is best for them.

**This summer**, during our Classic Praise at 8:30, we will be singing familiar settings from LBW and WOV. From May 29th through the end of June, we will use WOV 5. In July we will bring back LBW 1, and in August we will sing WOV 4. In our 11:00 Contemporary Celebration will mostly use the Eucharistic Acclamations, Santo, surrounding communion. In addition we will sing newer praise and worship songs or classic hymns often sung in a new way or with different instrumentation. Our Saturday Evening Vespers will continue to worship with Holden Evening Prayer.

During my time talking with Nathan and Hannah, I asked them if they had thoughts about bringing people into the church. I explained that when people visit, I believe that most like it because Good Shepherd is such a welcoming, loving family. However, the

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question arises, how do we get them in the door in the first place? There are many ideas about this, but Hannah and Nathan suggested that this goes back to the idea that our worship extends throughout the week. They told of a person whose job at a church is to go to bars, this may be extreme for most of us, but we all encounter people everyday. We have people in our work places, neighborhoods, and all around us who do not know the loving, saving touch of God's Grace. We need to remember, Nathan reminded, that God will give us the words if we trust Him. Jesus did not stay in the synagogues, Jesus went into the world to people such as the despised tax collectors. We are called! Let us rejoice in God as we begin summer remembering that God will empower us to do His work.

### **Ephesians 3:14-21**

*For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of His glory he may grant you to be strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you being rooted and grounded in love, may have power to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.*

*Now to Him, who by the power at work within us is able to do far more abundantly than all we ask or think, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen*

## **Graham Crackers by Bea Graham**

We welcome to our midst, **BECKY COOK**, who was born in Plymouth, Indiana and moved to Kettering in August 2002 with two cats. She received her B.S. Degree in Counseling from Purdue University, her Masters Degree in Counseling from Indiana University, and her PhD at the University of Memphis, Tennessee. Becky has been working at the University of Dayton Counseling Center for three years as a Psychologist. Prior to this she was employed at the Memorial Hospital in South Bend, Indiana for 20 years.

She volunteers at the Butterfly House at Cox Arboretum... where several other Good Shepherd members volunteer. Her hobbies include gardening, golfing, reading, walking, and she enjoys all kind of sports. Becky had been training for a half-marathon (running race), which was held in Indianapolis on May 7<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations to Becky! She completed her half-marathon in three hours and five minutes, that's just a little over 14.9 minutes per mile, which is very good.

Becky joined Good Shepherd in August 2003 and she sings with the Praise Team, plays with the Bell Choir, helps with the Head to Heart Program, and has been a Lay Assistant. Becky was an active member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at South Bend, Indiana for twelve years so she feels at home here... we are so very happy to have Becky with us and share in our programs. Please be sure to welcome her on Sunday.

**IRENE CRIGALL** has returned from visiting her son and family in Kentucky, and also visited her granddaughter and husband, Stephanie and Keith Marsillett. They are the proud parents of a new daughter, Madison Grace, who is Irene's ninth great grandchild. Madison was born April 9<sup>th</sup> in Winchester, Kentucky.

Allison Graham, granddaughter of **BEA GRAHAM** and daughter of Karl and Connie of Cincinnati, graduated May 7<sup>th</sup> from Indiana University. An honor student she took the opportunity to go to Australia and study at the Australian National University for one semester. Her major was Communication and Culture. Allison was a member of the Honor Program LAMP (Liberal Arts Management Program). This included Leadership, Ambition, Motivation, and Purpose, which is the Liberal Arts Management program at the Indiana University. She received a Certificate and a Clock when she graduated. Allison is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta.

Congratulations to **PAUL, KIM**, and **DAVID BAUSER**, whose parents are Roger and Pam Bauser. They have all graduated this spring from various. Paul (P.J.) graduated from the University of Cincinnati with a Masters Degree in Architecture. Kim graduated from Centre College, located in Danville, Kentucky, with majors in French and Religion, and David from Fairmont High School. David is planning to attend Capital University in Columbus. We wish you all the very best in your future.

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# Bulletin Board

## WELCA Notes

**Dorcas Circle** will meet on **Wednesday, June 8** at **12:30 pm** at the home of **Marge Palmer**. The Bible Study will be a group discussion format.

**Mary Circle** will meet **Thursday, June 9** at **9:30 am** in the **church lounge**. Rodola Kellogg will provide refreshments. Kate Steinger will lead the Bible Study.

**Ruth Circle** will meet **Tuesday, June 14** at **9:15 am** in the **church lounge**. Lois Spitz will serve as hostess and Bible study leader.

**WELCA Board** will meet **Wednesday, June 8** at **7:00 pm** in the **church lounge**. We will be planning scriptures and music for our September 25<sup>th</sup> Thankoffering service. We will also discuss whether or not we want to have an August Bible study and invite women from other churches. All Good Shepherd women are members of WELCA. We welcome your participation as a board member and / or an officer.

*Chancel Choir*      *Praise Team*  
*Brass Ensemble*  
*Shepherd Ringers & Singers*

## Thank You Musicians

*Instrumentalists*      *Sound Persons*  
*Assisting Ministers*  
*Shepherd Bells*      *Soloists*

As the year comes to a close, I wish to thank all the members of our music ministry teams for countless hours of dedicated service to God and our congregation. As I have said before, but want to say again, you are truly the most giving, fun, loving group of talented musicians with whom I have ever had the privilege of serving. If any need arises in the congregation, the musicians are right there ready to share their many gifts and help in any way. Fun and fellowship are such a part of the music ministry at Good Shepherd church. Thank you for an awesome year!

- Kimberly Conway

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