

Crosswalk



Newsletter of First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Idaho Falls, Idaho

What beside change is a constant we can be sure of?

As a kid I remember folks talking about “where were you when...” The phrase was often followed by a date in history that I was finding out about in school textbooks with black and white photos. Where were you when... Pearl Harbor happened? The bomb was dropped? Kennedy was shot? Armstrong walked on the moon? These were all things that “old people” remembered vividly. They could intimately describe where they were in the living room, or where they were driving and what car they were in, when the earth-shattering news came across the radio. The news ushered in a new reality for them even if it happened on the opposite side of the globe not just down the street.

I thought I’d gotten old enough to be counted among those experienced wizened folks who’d seen a thing or two. I can remember when... the space shuttle exploded, Columbine occurred, the new millennium started, the twin towers came down, and the housing bubble burst. Each one of those earth-shattering events changed our society, our economy, our outlook in some way that eventually traced its way back to impacting me individually. I watch great movies from the pre-millennium and notice things that don’t line up with my current reality. There are people smoking in restaurants, standing at the gate to send off loved ones on their flight, and skylines of NY that include twin towers.

With predictions of more variants of COVID and possible other pandemics to come I wonder what our society will look like once we are truly able to get past all these threatening pandemics. What will we look like post-COVID 19? Will we gasp when movies portray people shaking hands when they greet? Will we look at past sports gatherings with people packed in stadiums and giggle at people being so silly to flaunt the social distancing rule? Its all a rather big question mark! I agree with most pundits who predict there will be some sensible and irrational long-term changes coming down the pike for our society and globe.

I’ve had people quote to me that old adage “There’s no constant in life other than change.” As a Christian I’d like to say there is a second constant in life. In fact, I’d argue it’s really not a second constant, but rather it’s a **primary** constant in life. What is that primary constant? It’s “the love of God through Christ Jesus.” Since Jesus’ resurrection we’ve been assured God’s love will never run out or wear out. The apostle Paul puts it this way ³⁸ *For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers,* ³⁹ *neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.* ”

That constant love of God through Christ Jesus remains the same for us whether there is change or not, a coronavirus or not, a crisis or not. Times may change but God is timeless. Fashions will fade, but God’s love never fades. World records will be broken, and earthshattering events forgotten but God’s promises will remain, and God will never forget his redeemed adopted cherished children. In the midst of all these annoying, trying, and sometimes frightening changes in life, we can find peace and hope in the constant love of God in Christ Jesus. 500 years from now all these things we’re so frightened by and concerned about will be forgotten footnotes. But we will have only brushed the surface of an eternity in the constant loving present of God through Christ Jesus. Praise God!

Speaking of constants, the writer of Hebrews reminds us “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever.” With that faithful “primary” constant in your life, the secondary constant of change in life isn’t nearly as frightening.

Go with God, Pastor Mike

JESUS CHRIST
is the same
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Youth News

Youth Planning Meeting Notes 05-15-22

8 YOUTH and 10 ADULTS ATTENDED

In 1897, Mark Twain was living in London for a summer when he was contacted by an American reporter checking on the recently announced death of Samuel Clemens (Twain's given name) from Missouri, to inquire if it was indeed the famous writer who had died. Twain explained that his cousin also named Samuel Clemens had recently died but humorously responded "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated!" Twain would go on to live another seven years, dying in 1904.

The good news for FELC is the reports of the death of FELC's youth group are "greatly exaggerated."

Pastor Mike sent two post cards and sent an automated text to youth and parents inviting them to a Youth Group Planning meeting. On Sun. May 15, eight youth from grades 6-12, and ten adults responded to an invite on restarting FELC's youth program. Pastor and Brad Kirkwood welcomed the group with a registration sheet and a mixer/game of "Who am I?" With each individual getting a picture of a "character" taped to their back and having to play "20 questions?" with others in attendance to determine who their character was.

After the mixer a light dinner of pizza and snacks was provided. Following the meal, Pastor Mike led a short devotion centered on "The pursuit of the Trivial" using the characters that were identified during the mixer and how these folks are "social influencers" that some of us know and are influenced by, and others don't know, and think are trivial. Using Philippians 3:4-12 pastor discussed what the Apostle Paul listed as important for many people in his day and how Paul considered it "skubala" compared to the importance of knowing Christ. Pastor concluded with stating that a good youth group is about pursuing not the trivial or even the "trappings" of a youth program- fundraisers, numbers, even bible studies. As good as that all sounds; it's all trivial if at the end of the day or your life...you don't know Christ and have a saving relationship with him. FELC's youth program shouldn't be considered trivial but an important part of planting an eternal seed of salvation in each participant's life: youth or adult.

This led into the discussion of "what do folks wish to see in a youth program?" After some discussion the consensus centered around a youth group based on **Christian fellowship, study, and service**. An additional focus of fundraising was suggested but the group felt it could be part of fellowship or service for now. Discussion then turned to "what kind of schedule would be helpful for FELC's youth ministry?" Sundays were identified as the preferred day for gatherings. It was also identified that for now there was not a need to meet every Sunday. Then two prominent ideas of when to gather (immediately following church or on Sunday evenings) was discussed. The pros and cons were bantered about, and it was suggested that we do a "taste test" over the summer of first Sunday of the month have youth group following church and the third Sunday of the month have youth group in the evening.

The suggestion of forming a youth council so the youth had a voice and say in the programming was heartily supported. The first "youth council" meeting will be Sun. May 29 during the Sunday School hour, any youth in attendance will be considered part of the youth council. The parent/guardian role was discussed. Pastor is willing to lead if parent/guardians provide the "two deep" supportive cast around him. The adults in attendance were very supportive of this idea. The youth suggested a movie night with discussion for one of their upcoming events- this will be taken up at the youth council meeting on Sun. May 29. Nick Abreu volunteered to help facilitate the youth council meeting. The meeting ended with the "all purpose confirmation prayer."

The first "restart the youth" event will be the first Sunday of June following the service from noon to 1:30 pm. The third Sunday of June the youth will meet at 6:30 pm.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

JUNE 5TH- YOUTH GROUP MEETING: Our summer schedule of youth group on the first and third Sundays begins Sun. June 5th. The first Sunday of the month we'll gather early right after church and the third Sunday of the month we'll gather later in the evening at 6:30 pm. Sun. June 5th we'll start by sampling the church's potluck and then gather in the youth room for a devotion and a "Head's Up" tournament. What's "head's up?" come find out.

JUNE 19TH- YOUTH GROUP MEETING: Tentative plans are to have a movie night starting at 6:30 pm. So far, the movie is TBD but we're working on movie theater freshly popped popcorn, bunches of bean bag seating, and a large screen experience by projecting it on the fellowship hall wall. Watch your bulletin for further details.

Sunday School News

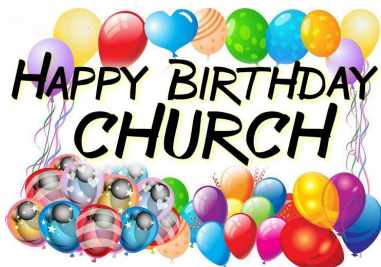
Sunday School was a great success this year! Even though we were a small but mighty group, our class tripled in size. I wanted to send out a huge thank you to the kids who made this such a fun year. I've learned so much from our group, and I hope our students learned as well. I also want to send out a big thank you to the many adults who helped keep our weekly classes running by filling in whenever needed; Thank you, Carole Mason, Patti Chapin, Beckie Devore and Jo Glissendorf. It was a successful year because of your ongoing support, and I could not have done it without you.

Kären Bateman

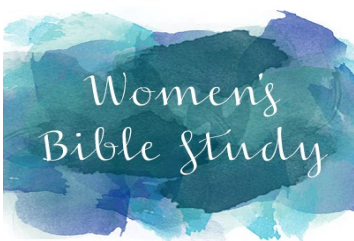
Announcements

JOIN US FOR THE "BIRTHDAY FOR THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH"

Pentecost Sunday is often referred to as the birthday of the Christian Church because it's the day the Holy Spirit was poured out on Christ's timid disciples hiding in an upper room and transformed them into bold proclaimers of the gospel that went out into the entire world. The congregation is invited to wear red for the red-letter day of the "birthday of the church." We'll also be enjoying hearing John 3:16 in various "tongues" of our congregation.



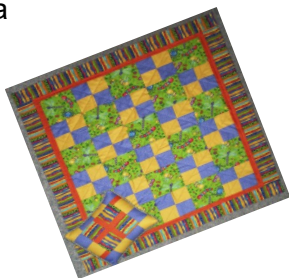
FILL'ER UP @ FELC! For the first time in two years FELC is again holding one of her delectable potlucks. The occasion is to welcome our **New Member** class and what better way than a show and tell of FELC's culinary delights?! Whether its from scratch, or grocery store, bring an item to share and share in the fellowship of welcoming new members to our FELC family **Sunday June 5th. Please check the ABC's on the following page so we don't all bring the same thing.**



Our women's Wednesday Bible Study is taking a break for the summer and will resume again on September 14th at 2:00 pm with the Journey's of Peter, Paul and ~~Mary~~ Barnabas.

Summer Quilting!!

The kids' summer quilting program is back! Available to kids ages 8 and up. Learn the basics of each part of quilting, have a mentor. Open to the first 8 new kids who sign up. Returning kids are always welcome. **Tuesdays 9am-noon, June 7-August 16.** Contact Ellie Lerum for more info 208-892-9427.



"SURVEY SAYS!"

FELC's church council and staff is needing input from members regarding the strengths and weaknesses of our congregation in order to more effectively minister in the present and plan for the future. A short eleven question survey was sent out to the congregation via email on May 12th. Research shows that a 25% response rate produces solid results on which to make decisions. 25% of FELC's members would be just shy of 100 responses, to date we have almost 50 responses, meaning we're halfway there!! If you failed to receive the survey, check your spam file, or check with the church office to make sure your email address is correct. Another option is for members to visit our website where we have a link to the survey.



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

SUNDAY JUNE 26th, following worship

The FELC church council has been working on updating our Constitution to reflect our congregation's decision to join the North American Lutheran Church. A work group was assigned to this updating task and after several months of labor presented its recommendations at the council's May meeting. The council has approved bringing those changes to the congregation for a vote. A "hard copy" draft of the changes will be available for members to preview on Sunday June 19. If you'd like to receive this draft electronically, please contact the church office. It is also hoped, with time allowing, that the council will be able to present the results from our congregational survey at this congregational meeting.

Women's Monthly Luncheon:

June 4th luncheon will be at Dixie's Diner at 11:30 am. **ALL WOMEN ARE WELCOME!!** We will start with a small devotional and prayer, followed by great food and company. Please R.S.V.P. to Elizabeth Miner at 208-201-3623.



Announcements continued



June Fellowship for All
New member Sunday is June 5th.
 Following are the dish assignments:
Thank you to everyone for supporting our monthly potlucks.

Last Names Beginning With:	Assigned:
L	Bread/rolls, butter
B,D,F,H	A pasta or potato dish, green or fruit salad
K,M,T,W	A hot dish/casserole or meat
A,G,I,S	Dessert
C,J,P	clean-up & kitchen duties

****If the first letter of your last name is not on this list, please bring any dish of your choice*

Note: Please bring dishes prepared to be served! This means cakes already cut, containers ready to go on the tables, salads tossed, hot things cooked. Thank you!

Scrap-Booking and Craft Night!

Calling all scrap-bookers (and other crafty types)! This summer, we are going to gather for one Saturday per month for fun, fellowship, and to exercise our creativity uninterrupted. Mark your calendars for the third Saturday of the month **June 18th, July 16th, and August 20th 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM.** Come early or late. Stay as long as you want to. Visit with fellow crafters. This month, bring a sack lunch and, for dinner, we will pool our resources and order out for pizza. That might change for July and August, depending on the preferences of the attendees. Snacks to share will be appreciated. You are welcome to bring friends. Gather your supplies and look forward to all of that elbow room in the fellowship hall. Contact Marda Kirkwood (Marda@q.com) if you have questions.



THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!

To everyone that came out to help fix up the center island! We could not have done it without you. Especially, Chris Schoonmaker, whose expert driving of the back hoe, made it so much easier.
 (Not pictured, May Hustad)

The Property Team



Announcements continued

HELP WANTED

LUTHER HEIGHTS DAY CAMP

June 20-24, 2022

DAY CAMP IS BACK!! After the "Covid Pause," Luther Heights is returning to FELC with their amazing Day Camp program! Camp counselors will lead our children through a creative week of praise and worship through music, devotions, games, arts and crafts, and fellowship. And teaching God's children how they are called by Him to be loved, grateful, faithful and called to share. What a blessing our Luther Heights Day Camp is to everyone involved!

Without the generous gifts of time, talent, and money from our congregation, our day camp would not be the enormous success it is each and every year! A special "Thank you" to all of you who help support our Day Camp, whether it be in prayers and/or gifts.

Please prayerfully consider where you may be of help in the following areas:

Counselor Hosts: This one's the biggie!!

"Bed & Breakfasts" The counselors need a place to sleep & breakfast to fuel their day with our kiddos. We are able to do this in several places, so if you have room for 2, that will be great! **LHBC requests that host homes be current with Covid Vaccination.**

Lunch: Again, fuel for the counselors. All you have to do is pick a day, prepare a lunch for 4 counselors & bring it to the church.

Dinners: This is an opportunity for anyone to spend time with and get to know the counselors. They also come in the next day with great stories. You can do this however you'd like - at your house, out for pizza, etc.

Miscellaneous activities: They LOVE Reed's Dairy ice cream, so if you'd like to treat a day, I'm sure they'd be appreciative! Or maybe a boat ride - or a hike - the possibilities are endless.

Counselor Helpers (7th grade and up) - Extra hands for the counselors are always needed - sometimes it's helping younger campers come inside to use the restroom, or helping with crafts, or helping prepare/serve/clean up the snacks.

On-Site Volunteers: Moms, Dads, Grandmas, Grandpas, or caring adults to lend a hand where needed and prepare the morning and/or afternoon snacks.

Providing or preparing or serving snacks - morning or afternoon. We bring the campers inside every morning & afternoon for a light snack, some water and shade. This is my favorite part of the day - I just keep pouring water and chat with the kids. (Then, of course, there are a few dishes to run through the dishwasher)

And of course we need **your** help in spreading the word about our extraordinary Day Camp to your friends, relatives, neighbors, acquaintances; anyone you know with children entering into first grade (Fall of 2022) through the sixth grade.

Cost of attending this week-long day camp is \$40. Thanks to successful fundraising in the past, we are able to bring the fee down to \$15!! Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex for Youth Helpers, On-Site Volunteers, Counselor Hosts, and to provide snacks. Please consider helping out where you are able.

Please contact our Day Camp Coordinator, Michelle Hanson, with any questions regarding Day Camp, becoming a Counselor Host, On-Site Volunteers or a Youth Helper, at 208-542-6256 or mgmhanson@mac.com. We are looking forward to another fun and successful ministry with the Luther Heights Bible Day Camp!



Day Camp
June 20-24, 2022
Boundless. God Beyond Measure

WHO: For youth ENTERING 1st through 6th grades.

WHERE: First Evangelical Lutheran Church

COST: Your cost per camper is \$15.00. This will be payable to FELC at Monday's drop-off.

SCHEDULE: Full-day camp is held Monday through Thursday, June 20-23, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. In case of rain, the activities will be held in the church. Water Day is Friday from 9:00-12:00.

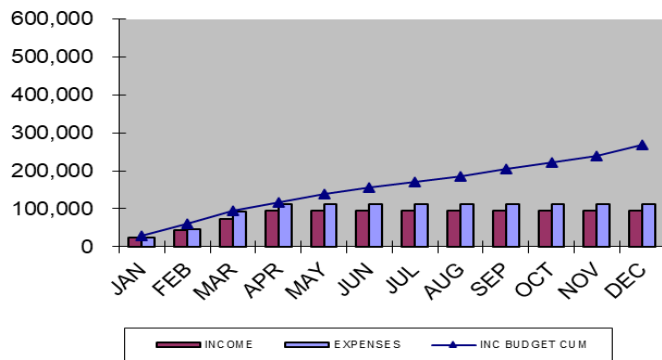
REGISTER: Go to www.lutherheights.org - create or log in to your camper's account - register for "First Lutheran On Location"

Campers are to bring their own sack lunch, water bottle, and sunscreen each day. Snacks will be provided.

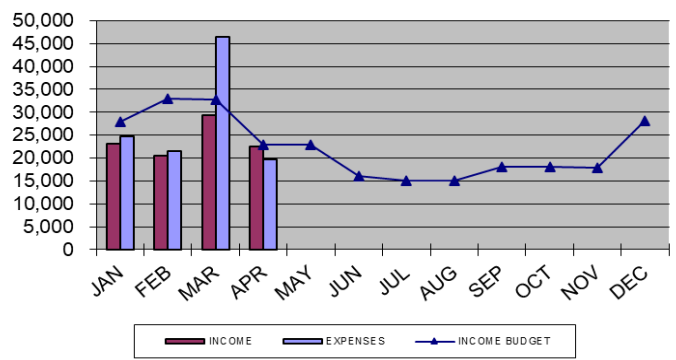
If you have questions or would like more information, please contact: Michelle Hanson, FELC Coordinator at 208-542-6256, mgmhanson@mac.com

Finance

General Fund Cumulative Summary - 2022



General Fund Monthly Summary - 2022



Current Month:	April		
Current Month Income		22,448.40	
Current Month Expenses		19,639.33	
Difference		2,809.07	

Budget Comparison 2022		
Year to Date Income		95,461.70
Year to Date Budget		116,680.00
Difference		(21,218.30)

Year to Date Income		95,461.70
*Year to Date Expenses		112,287.01
Difference		(16,825.31)

*In March, FELC paid for the move for Pastor Mike. This one-time expense is \$23,080 and is was approved by the congregation separately at the time of Pastor Mike's call.

Missions



Penny Power for May went over the goal of \$140 for one day for one kid at Camp Magical Moments and we were able to provide for 2 days! Plus our budget added one more day! Thank you to everyone who helped make this possible! This is such a wonderful camp where kids with cancer can feel "normal".

June Penny Power will enable our missionaries to help the Left Behind kids in China with needed school items and other supplies. Our Missionaries - Pastor Jeff and Mim Neller-moe continue to train Chinese individuals in China to spread the gospel.

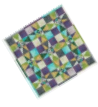











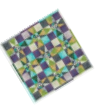




July 4th is a special day for First Lutheran because a lot of people come to the church. Some just park in the parking lot and walk down closer to the fireworks and others spread out a blanket and sit in front of our building. We have an opportunity to be a welcoming church and so will again be having the doors open and handing out free popcorn and water as well as bracelets that light up. We want our community to know everyone is welcome here!



Worship Assistant Schedule

DATE	COMMUNION ASSISTANTS & LITURGISTS	GREETERS	USHERS & COORDINATORS # = Coordinator	COUNTERS	ALTAR GUILD
Jun 5 10:15 am	Diane Sheldon, Linda Lerum Sheryl Schaffer (Liturgist)	Anne Mitchell Michelle Cleverly	Jim Sahr# Lisa Swenson, Dick Mitchell	Lisa Swenson Janice McBride	Debra Holst Cathi Bean
Jun 12 10:15 am	Debra Holst, Carole Mason Steve Galbraith (Liturgist)	Jan Galbraith	Gary Holst# Phil Forbord, Ryan Dixon	Phil & Tessa Forbord	Debra Holst Cathi Bean
Jun 19 10:15 am	Debra Hogg, DiAnn Brown Bill Lockman (Reader)	Mary Pilkington Diana Murphy	Greg Dornfeld# Greg Stultz, Cal Miller	Paul Bayless	Debra Holst Cathi Bean
Jun 26 10:15 am	Diane Sheldon, Bev Thomas Vernal Swenson (Reader)	Lewis and Diana Murphy	Dave Sheldon# Paul Worth, Scott Berger	Greg & Kathy Katainen	Debra Holst Cathi Bean

Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>For the most up-to-date events please refer to our webpage @ www.firstlc.com</p>			<p>1 1:00pm Women in Prayer/Lounge</p>	<p>2 10:00am Kaffeeklatsch 3:45pm TOPS - Weight Loss Group 7:00pm Stephen Ministry Team Meeting</p>	<p>3 1:00pm –4:00pm Friends in Stitches/ Fellowship Hall</p> 	<p>4 10:00am Dancing Bear Preschool Graduation/ Fellowship Hall 11:30am Women's Ministry Luncheon</p> 
<p>5  Happy Birthday Church New Member Sunday Pentecost 10:15am Worship with Holy Communion 11:30am Fellowship Potluck / Fellowship Hall</p> 	<p>6 10:00am Staff Meeting/Lounge 7:00pm Executive Council meeting/ Lounge</p>	<p>7 9:00am Happy Stitches</p>	<p>8 1:00pm Women in Prayer/Lounge 3:30pm Finance Team Meeting</p>	<p>9 10:00am Kaffeeklatsch 3:45pm TOPS - Weight Loss Group</p>	<p>10 1:00pm –4:00pm Friends in Stitches/ Fellowship Hall</p> 	<p>11</p>
<p>12 10:15am Worship with Holy Communion 11:30am Fellowship Hour/ Fellowship Hall</p>	<p>13 10:00am Staff Meeting/Lounge 6:30pm Property Team Meeting 7:00pm Council Meeting/ Fellowship Hall</p>	<p>14 9:00am Happy Stitches 1:00pm Care & Concern Meeting</p>	<p>15 1:00pm Women in Prayer/Lounge</p>	<p>16 10:00am Kaffeeklatsch 3:45pm TOPS - Weight Loss Group 7:00pm Stephen Ministry Team Meeting</p>	<p>17 1:00pm –4:00pm Friends in Stitches/ Fellowship Hall</p> 	<p>18 9:00am –9:00pm Scrapbooking/ Craft Day</p>
<p>19  Happy Father's Day 10:15am Worship with Holy Communion 11:30am Fellowship Hour/ Fellowship Hall 6:30pm –8:00pm Shofar Team Meeting/Lounge</p>	<p>20  LUTHER HEIGHTS BIBLE CAMP 9:00am –3:00pm Luther Heights Day Camp 10:00am Staff Meeting/Lounge</p>	<p>21  LUTHER HEIGHTS BIBLE CAMP 9:00am Happy Stitches 9:00am –3:00pm Luther Heights Day Camp 12:00pm Happy Stitches' Bible Study</p>	<p>22  LUTHER HEIGHTS BIBLE CAMP 9:00am –3:00pm Luther Heights Day Camp 1:00pm Women in Prayer/Lounge</p>	<p>23  LUTHER HEIGHTS BIBLE CAMP 9:00am –3:00pm Luther Heights Day Camp 10:00am Kaffeeklatsch 3:45pm TOPS - Weight Loss Group</p>	<p>24  LUTHER HEIGHTS BIBLE CAMP NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE (12 Noon) 9:00am -12:00pm Luther Heights Day Camp 1:00pm –4:00pm Friends in Stitches/ Fellowship Hall</p> 	<p>25</p>
<p>26  CONGREGATIONAL MEETING 10:15am Worship with Holy Communion 11:30am Fellowship Hour/ Fellowship Hall</p>	<p>27  Fireworks Fundraiser 10:00am Staff Meeting/Lounge</p>	<p>28  Fireworks Fundraiser 9:00am Happy Stitches</p>	<p>29  Fireworks Fundraiser 1:00pm Women in Prayer/Lounge</p>	<p>For the most up-to-date events please refer to our webpage @ www.firstlc.com</p>		



Faith & Fellowship at FELC

June 2022

Thanks & Prayers

Dear First Evangelical Lutheran Church,

Through your donation of \$200.00 to Champ's Heart, you will be bringing joy to so many.

For the past three years now, on almost every Thursday and Saturday, more than 75 children with special needs, and their families, join us for a full day of horse rides. These rides are amazing. The interaction between a child with challenging needs and a horse is magical. And something very special happens. We now have around 100 children on the waiting list.

For some kids, it's the first time they have smiled all week, or even talked for the first time in their life. Some walk better because horse riding has strengthened the core of their body.

Others are more mobile because their balance has improved. For others, like Lily, a young girl with anxiety and ADHD, after years of therapy, her therapist told her mom, "You really need to find a way to get this kid on a horse. It would help her to relax." Because of her positive horse encounters, Lily now lives a happier life.

Believe me, that's joy for her, her parents, and her siblings. Her mom writes...

"Lily is doing so much better. I'm so grateful for the Champ's Heart program, the volunteers and the amazing horses." Lily's mom

Yes! That's what your gift does - it gives children who desperately need it, the healing touch of a horse and a smile to their face. And because of your support, families can afford to have their kids in our program. All their rides are free! And it is not just for the child with the special needs, the whole family gets to experience horse encounters together.

Now we are beginning a program for veterans and their families with the same goal in mind.

If you go to champsheart.org and look under the stories tab you can read testimonies from parents of how your generosity is making a difference in the lives of children.

Now that we have our own ranch with an indoor riding arena for a year-round program, your financial help is more helpful than ever.

So, thanks again, dear friends. Your gift to Champ's Heart will touch many more lives than you can ever imagine.

Larry Cudmore
Founder of Champ's Heart - a 501(c)(3) nonprofit
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Facebook: Champs Heart



REACHING OUT WITH OUR PRAYERS AND CONCERN FOR...

Those who mourn the loss of loved ones: For Family and Friends of Mark Reisenburg on his passing.

Those who are ill:

- Emily D'Amico (Kim Bermensolo's daughter)
- Ron Mitchell (Dick Mitchell's cousin)
- Keith Hancock (Anne Mitchell's brother)
- Stephen Scott (Anne & Dick Mitchell's cousin)
- Kelley Thorn (Cathy Abreu's cousin)
- Crystal Duncan (Trisha Storer's niece)
- Brent Thyssen (Ellie Lerum's dad)
- Greg Davis (Jim Sahr's nephew)
- Dorothy Sowa (Bev Novak's mom)
- Steve (Julie Sundberg's brother)
- Debbie Brown (DiAnn Brown's sister-in-law)
- Bobby Jo Stiener (Elaine Harris's cousin)
- Laura Hundley (Dave and Diane Sheldon's daughter)
- David Douglas (Bev Novak's brother)
- Mickey Kunnary (Elaine Harris's niece)
- Dan Lance (Cal Miller's brother-in-law)
- Debbie Horton
- Carla Benson
- Mike Bean
- Kathleen Keyes
- Wendy Cudmore
- Judy Sahr
- Marie Cleverly
- Annette Hendrickson
- DeVore/Brooks Family
- Dieter Tretzen
- Jean Lysfjord
- Debbie Holden



Friends and family serving in the military: Andrew Mitchell, Marc Schoonmaker, Tyler Donnelly, Adam Craig, Keith Evans, Mike Stultz, Skylar Hudman, TJ Litteer, Garrett Marchington, Kyle Skeen, Thomas Butler, Jorden Butler, Alton Helm, Eric Gratzke, Mike Monroe, Jody Townsend, Breanna Townsend, Craig Bukowski, Michael Smith, Jack Hogan.

Pastoral Acts officiated by Pastor Mike Knauff

Consecration of Ashes

May 1, 2022 Mark Reisenburg

Dear Lutheran friends,

Thank you so much for your kind donation to the Humanitarian Center. Together we are making a difference! Your support of our community and our mission to help the poor and needy is deeply gratifying. We are honored by your assistance.

With Deepest gratitude,

Jon & Mozelle Neville - Directors
Idaho Falls Area Humanitarian Center



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Sunday Worship Schedule
 9:00 am Adult Bible Study on break till fall
 10:15 am In-Church Worship & Church Live @firstlc.com

Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm Friday Closed

Pastor	Mike Knauff
Church Administrator	Heide Larsen
Bookkeeper	Greg Stultz
Financial Secretary	Wendy Schoonmaker
Director of Christian Preschool	Barbara Carlson

**Put news items for the *Crosswalk* in the
 "Newsletter" box at the church office OR e-mail
 items to: office@firstlc.com**

		First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel	Festival
SUNDAY SCRIPTURE LESSONS	June 5	Acts 2:1-21	<i>Psalm 104:24-34, 35b*</i>	Romans 8:14-17	John 14:8-17	Pentecost
	June 12	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31	Psalm 8	Romans 5:1-5	John 16:12-15	Trinity Sunday
	June 19	Isaiah 65:1-9	<i>Psalm 22:19-28*</i>	Galatians 3:23-29	Luke 8:26-39	Father's Day
	June 26	I Kings 19:15-16, 19-21	<i>Psalm 16*</i>	Galatians 5:1, 13-25	Luke 9:51-62	Third Sunday after Pentecost