Camp Okoboji 2018 Program Offerings Register and get more information at www.campokoboji.org Technology Camp June 10-15

Make your own video game & how to program your drone! **Girls'** volleyball, basketball & Soccer **Sport Camp** June 10-16

Grades 4-8 Cost: \$350

Minneboji Youth Camp June 17-23 (Gr. 4-9) Cost: \$370 Register at minneboji.com IDW District Convention June 24-27 LWML District Convention June 27-30

Family Retreat July 1-6 Topic Leader: Rev. John Riggert

Quilt Auction July 7

Jr High Youth Week July 8-14 (Gr. 6-8) Cost: \$335 JOY Camp II (Special Needs) July 12-15 Concordia Cub Week July 15-21 (Gr. 3-6) Cost \$355 Sr. High Youth Week July 22-28 (Gr. 9-12) Cost \$339 Family Retreat I July 29 –Aug 3

Topic Leader-Rev. Dr. Wallace Schulz

Family Retreat II August 5-10 Topic Leader-Kim Fitzner

Adult Retreat Aug 24-26

Lutheran Outdoor Ed. Sept 19-21 (Gr. 5-5) Cost \$55
Fall Volunteer Weekend Sept 27-30
Fall Women's Retreat Oct 5-7

C.I.A. Youth

-SR C.I.A. (must be confirmed) Adventureland is scheduled for August 2nd.

"Would you be willing to take a little bit of time on Memorial Day to do two things? One is to thank God for the successful outcomes of the sacrifices that these graves represent. Our country is a free and blessed place, and our freedom was bought at a terrible price. Second, will you rededicate yourself to sharing the good news of Jesus so that as many people as possible will be rejoicing on resurrection day? As you think about cemeteries, realize that God has the last word: 'Multitudes who sleep in the dust of the earth will awake: some to everlasting life, others to shame and everlasting contempt' (Daniel 12:2 NIV). All Christian warriors will awake soon to new life." Pastor Mark Jeske, Time of Grace – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org

Almost Home's "Rover's Rummage Sale" will be on Friday June 1 and Saturday, June 2. Donations of new and gently used items are needed. They can be dropped off at Almost Home on Tuesday-Sat 11 am to 5 pm. No adult clothing, tvs, computers, appliances, flammable liquids, magazines, mattresses, paint or tires. Thank you!



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We extend a special welcome to all who worship with us in God's House today. If you have no church home, we invite you to make Good Shepherd your church home.

May 27, 2018 The Holy Trinity

Order of ServiceSee printed service

Age Two-Five Year old children-The "Quiet Activity

Tree" is in the back of the church. Pick up a bag before church, use it and return it and all items to the tree for the next service.

The nursery is located in the back of church, west door. Parents with babies please note there is a changing table through the south door.

The nursery is not staffed; you are responsible for your children when they are in the nursery.

Please sign the registration book & include your contact information!!

Also mark communion attendance! **Need Communion at your seat?** Let pastor know before the service.

LWML is collecting NEW socks for men and children. Help us! Put your donated socks in the laundry basket under the clothes line in the Overflow room by June 17. Thanks!

VBS is right around the corner. June 17th-June 21st with 5:00-5:45 pm supper and VBS to follow until 8:00pm. Young to Finely Aged are welcome. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex or sign up online on our facebook page.



THIS WEEK WITH OUR LORD SUNDAY

8:00 am – Divine Worship 10:30 am – Divine Worship

MONDAY

OFFICE CLOSED

TUESDAY

9:00 am - Sewing

WEDNESDAY

5:30 pm - Ice cream making

THURSDAY

7:00 am - Men's Bible Study

SATURDAY

5:00 pm – Divine Worship

SUNDAY

8:00 am - Divine Worship with HC

9:15 am – Adult Bible Study

10:30 am - Divine Worship

Thank you! On behalf of the staff, congregations and church workers of Iowa District West I thank you for your financial partnership during the first quarter of 2018. Your gifts, among other things, helped support and guide the 43 preschools in our District. "Let the little children come to Me," said our Savior. Thanks to you, hundreds, if not thousands, of young children heard of their Savior! President Steve Turner, lowa District West

LWML Group Meeting will be on Tuesday, June 12th at 6:30 pm. We will be having dessert and enjoy fellowship with games. Pastor will be gone, so installation of officers will take place during a church service.

Way to go Sunday School kids. You gave \$505.50 for our Mission to Lima, Peru. You are all amazing!

Acolytes:

5:00 pm – Kaylene Klein Kylee Thackery

10:30 am

Caden Konecne

Drew Essman

Greeters:

Steve & Mary Rethwisch

Ushers:

Jerry Bossart

Steve Doty

LaVerne Dass

Mark Hilken

Organist:

Joan Arndt

Elder in Charge of Communion:

Dwight Wedemeyer

In Our Prayers:

Russ Licht

Linda Compton

Betty Pieper

Donald Beck

Gloria Milbrath

Diane Dencklau

Nikki & James Jones on gift of a

daughter

Baptized today: Madisyn Ryan
Johnson, daughter of Jackie &
Josh Johnson

Baptismal Anniversaries:

Bette Habhab-May 29

Dave Zoch-May 29

Joyce Aljets-May 31

Diane Dencklau-June 1

Pam Metzger-June 1

Walt Schuur Jr-June 1

Celebration of Life Birthdays:

Russ Mohr - June 1

Attendance - 80, 79

Gifts to the Lord:

Budget Giving:

Envelope/Plate/Auto

Deposits-\$5221

Total of all Gifts: \$5221

"Impossible" Can death hold us? Experience says, "Yes!" the Apostle Peter says, "No." Today's sermon talks about making possible that which can't happen. Hear about it on the Lutheran Hour KJYL (100.7) 6 pm. Sunday, KTLB (105.9 FM) at 8:00 am Sunday, KHBT 97.7 FM 12 pm Sunday, WHO-1040, 7:30 am Sunday. Log on to www.lhm.org for other stations and details. Hear Woman-to-Woman on Saturdays over Boone station 1260 AM at 1:30 pm

Sunday School & VBS are using the giving tree in the Overflow for items that are needed. If you would like to purchase an item all you have to do is take a slip you want to purchase off the tree & return to Michele Thackery or the office. VBS items have a return by date and Sunday School is all summer long.

Building Healthy Families:

Pssttt...have you ever noticed that it is hard to ignore the whispered conversations of others nearby? Parents, take advantage of this reality by talking about the important things you want your kids to know...and do it just barely within their hearing distance. When they overhear you sharing words of love for your spouse, the more secure they will feel in your family. The more positive comments they overhear you making about their teacher, the more cooperative they will be with her at school. The more they hear you talking about how much you appreciate your pastor, the more they will respect him. Lutheran Family Service 573-3138 LFSiowa.org

Stewardship Corner-John 3:6-"That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit." In Holy Baptism we receive a new birth: spirit from Spirit. With that rebirth we receive new desires, new lives, new purposes. To the (fleshly) world, Christian generosity makes no sense: the total minus a percentage is less than the original total. But Spiritreborn Christians know that God's math works differently (as we might expect from the Trinity!): a blessing received from God becomes more of a blessing when it is used in generosity to bless others.

lowa District West Joy in Ministry Banquet will be Sunday, June 3 at 6 pm at the Carrollton Inn, 1730 US Hwy 71 N, Carroll, IA. To make reservations contact Sue at the District Office 576-7666 or <u>sue@iowadistrictwest.org</u>

Old Fashioned Hymn Sing

A half hour of sing-alongs Friday, June 1 at 5 and 6 pm Frontier Days At the Chapel of the Fort

16th ANNUAL OAKLAND CEMETERY WALK will be Saturday, June 9th at 1 pm in the Friendship Haven Celebration Room Sunday, June 10th at 3 pm in the Fort Museum Opera House Price: \$7-10 & under free.

Isaiah 6:1-8

¹In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. ²Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. ³And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory! ⁴ And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. ⁵And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!" ⁶Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. ⁷And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for." ⁸And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."

Acts 2:14, 22-36

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. ²²"Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know—²³this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. ²⁴God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. ²⁵For David says concerning him, "I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken; ²⁶therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope. ²⁷For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption. ²⁸You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.' ²⁹"Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. 30 Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, 31 he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. ³²This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. ³³Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. ³⁴For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, "'The Lord said to my Lord, Sit at my right hand, 35 until I make your enemies your footstool.' ³⁶Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

John 3:1-17

¹Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews, ²This man came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with him." ³Jesus answered him. "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." ⁴Nicodemus said to him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" ⁵Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. ⁶That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' ⁸The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." 9Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" 10Jesus answered him, "Are you the teacher of Israel and yet you do not understand these things? 11 Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen, but you do not receive our testimony. ¹²If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things? ¹³No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. ¹⁴And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, ¹⁵that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. ¹⁶[Jesus said:] "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

Introit

P: Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.

C: Let us give glory to him because he has shown his mercy to us.

P: I have set the LORD always before me;

C: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

P: Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices;

C: my flesh also dwells secure.

P: For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol,

C: or let your holy one see corruption.

P: You make known to me the path of life;

C: in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P: Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.

C: Let us give glory to him because he has shown his mercy to us.

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever.

WORD OF GOD VERSE 833 v 3 Listen, God Is Calling

Leader: Listen,

All: listen, God is calling Through the Word inviting, Offering forgiveness, Comfort, and joy.

Leader: Help us to be faithful, All: Standing steadfast,

Leader: Walking in Your teachings,

All: Led by Your Word.

Leader: Listen,

All: listen, God is calling Through the Word inviting,

Offering forgiveness, Comfort, and joy.