

We Have No Mission But to Serve

News at Transfiguration

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Believing -- Giving -- Serving
G R O W I N G

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Pentecost 8

The Hanrahans are on vacation through July 14th. They are vacationing at Camp Calumet Lutheran, a camp of the New England Synod located in West Ossipee, NH. Preaching today, July 6th and July 13th will be the Rev. Richard Klafehn. **Covering pastoral emergencies this week through July 9th will be Pr. John Macholz of Atonement Lutheran in Brighton. He can be reached at 442-1018 or call Britt in our Church Office at 467-2150. For July 10th through the 14th, call the Rev. Laretta Dietrich at 342-9522, or again, call our Church Office at 467-2150.**

Activities This Week

Sunday: Pentecost 8 — Pr. Richard Klafehn

9:30AM: Holy Communion

10:45AM: Fellowship Hour

10:45AM: Finance Team

Monday:

5:45PM: Jazzercise

(Women of Faith Cancelled for July — Resumes in Aug.)

Tuesday:

5:45PM: Jazzercise

7:00PM: Congregation Council

Wednesday:

9:30AM: Recorder Consort

5:45PM: Jazzercise

6:00PM: Woodcarvers

Thursday:

5:45PM: Jazzercise

7:11PM: Tri-Church Worship at Transfiguration

7:30PM: AA Meeting

Saturday:

8:30AM: Jazzercise

Next Sunday: Pentecost 9 — Pr. Klafehn

9:30AM: Holy Communion

10:45AM: Fellowship Hour

10:45AM: Property Team

Announcements

Thank You From Norma McIntyre and the McIntyre Family

My family and I want to thank you for the many cards and notes we have received from you. Also we appreciated the flowers sent to the funeral home, and the many donations made to the Open Door Mission in Stu's memory. — And thank you to the women of TLC who prepared the reception for after the funeral. We miss Stu very much. God bless you!

Norma McIntyre and family

Thank You to Jeff and Lori Petrie!

Recently, the hard drive in the Church Office computer suddenly failed. With considerable work on the part of Jeff and Lori Petrie, the computer is now up and running. This was a major effort on their part, and deeply appreciated by myself for getting me back in business so quickly. I am deeply indebted to them for all their help!

Britt

Mid-Week 7:11 Communion Services and Ice Cream Begin This Thursday Evening

Thursday evenings beginning July 10th at 7:11PM. These services will be held outdoors weather permitting (so bring a lawn chair or blanket). The service will be approximately 40 minutes long followed by refreshments including ice cream. The schedule and places for these services are:

July 10th and 17th at Transfiguration

July 24th and 31st at Resurrection

August 14th, and 21st, and 28th at St. John on the Ridge

Note that there will be no service on August 7th (due to the Marty Haugen programs — see reverse side for more details.)

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The Nursery

A “gentle reminder” that nursery care is for children ages infant through 4. Children ages 5 and above should be worshipping with their parents, and the parents should be helping the children learn the liturgy, and helping them participate in the service. If there are several children in church, Pastor will provide a children’s sermon. The more children participating, the more “fun” they can have in coming forward to participate.

Also, we need Nursery volunteers. It is important that when you are scheduled to “cover” the Nursery that you are present to do so! Having you there implies a caring “hospitable” church to guests and members.

Turf Saints Needed! — Lawn Mowing This Summer at TLC

We need volunteers to mow our church lawn this summer. A signup is on the table in the Gathering Area. For those who need instruction on using our mower, please contact Gary Hetzer at 482-9248.

Taking a Bite Out of Hunger

2008 to date TLC contributed:

\$618.16 to the ELCA World Hunger Program

\$27.00 to the Irondequoit Community Cupboard

Your \$1.00 per week does make a difference! Please remember weekly to place your \$1.00 in the **Take a Bite Out of Hunger** canister on the Table in the Gathering Area. Did you know that the average life expectancy at birth for a female in the US is 80 years; in Zimbabwe it is 37 years? **God’s math – GIVE A GIFT** to the ELCA World Hunger Appeal for every year of your life. Use a World Hunger envelope found in the pew rack or on the Table in the Gathering space. Read Mark 5:35-43.

Liturgical Composer, Marty Haugen Coming Aug. 7 through 9

Come and join the celebration as Marty spends 3 days sharing his musical and spiritual gifts with our communities. Marty will here **Aug. 7-8-9.**

Thursday, Aug. 7th:

“Living a Life of Joy — Summer Celebration of Faith”

5:00PM Session 1, Dinner, then 7:00PM Session 2 at St. Ann’s Community Campus (Portland Ave).

Friday, Aug. 8th:

7:30PM: “Joyful Sound”— Marty Haugen Concert at Christ the King Church (Kings Hwy S)

Saturday, Aug. 9th:

9:00AM—1:00PM: “Spirit Alive in Our Worship & World — Music Minister’s Workshop at Christ the King Church (Kings Hwy S)

Call 338-1146 or 338-3800 for reservations or for more information. The events are sponsored by the Catholic Churches of Irondequoit.

The Communion Hymn . . .

that is selected during the distribution each Sunday is meant to be sung by the congregation. Together let us get in the habit of singing this hymn while we are sitting in the pew and after we receive the sacrament. Also, take this time to reflect on the words as we sing!

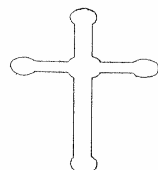
In Our Prayers This Week

Susan Arena	(Friend of Lynne Hanrahan, cancer)
Krista Bartel	(Sister-in-law to Bonnie Arnold)
William Bunn	(5 Yr old, cancer)
Betty Conway	(Friend of Doloris Hockwater’s, cancer)
Joseph G. Delforte	(Friend of Lori Petrie, cancer)
Eleanor Dinino	(Neighbor of Bonnie Arnold, fall)
Anne Kasiske	(Mother of Penny Hetzer -- awaiting surgery)
Ray Kicherer	(TLC Member)
Nancy Klein	(Recovering from eye injury)
Sherrie Fletcher	(Friend of Bonnie Arnold, health problems)
Pat Hetzer	(Sister-in-law of Gary Hetzer, cancer)
Ann Kindermann	(Friend of Sharon Allen, at Strong)
Pattie Lippa	(Friend of the Franks — cancer)
Pr. Timothy Meyer	(Pastor, Durand UCC, recovering, surgery)
Bishop Lee Miller	(Congestive heart failure)
Fred Mollon	(Fred, at Hill Haven NH Room 417)
Bonnie Morath	(Friend of Sharon Allen, cancer)
Denis Olek	(Gene Olek’s son, congestive heart failure, at home)
Bob Perry	(Friend of Gene and Shirley Olek)
Bill Pum	(TLC Member)
Roxanne	(A friend of Penny Hetzer, medical problems)
Barbara Sandman	(Infection, at Rochester General)
David Stanley	(Recovering now at home)

Prayers for Service Personnel

A1C Alexis Elliott	(Niece of the Pittengers)
Sgt. Matthew Hanrahan	(Special Forces Training, Ft. Bragg, NC)
Pfc. Luis Piure	(Son-in-law of Lori and Jeff Petrie, in Iraq)
Pvt. Tony Rampello	(Stationed in Iraq)
Pfc. Stephen Sepe Jr.	(Grandson of the Monellos, in Iraq.)
Renata Sierzega	(Friend of the Arnolds, nurse in Iraq till Oct.)
Capt. Eric Swanson	(Brother of Pr. Nissa Deibler)
Sgt. Robert Thurston	(Son of Eva Thurston in Iraq)

“The spiritual life is not simply what we think about; it is what we do because of what we think.”



Please let Pastor know of hospitalization, illnesses, crises, and persons for prayer. Let him know also when you need to sit down and talk about any issue or concern.
(585) 467-2150 (Office) (585) 336-9630 (Home)

Last Sunday: 51 Attended \$2,323 Donated Needed: \$3,173