

Pilgrim Lutheran Church

Weekly News

June 17, 2018

Those who rejoice: Mike and Nicki Doucette celebrating God's gift of baptism for son **Aiden Maxwell**; and **Wayne and Eileen Luebke** celebrating 57 years of marriage.

Those with special needs: Matt, Katey Schroeder, Randy Zielinski, Lew Dickman, Arlene MacDonald, Theresa Stalter, Nathan Eminger, Carol Ann Lemke, Betty Jones, James Fischer, Janet Hedtke, Carol Zelzer, Patti Beining, JoAnn Myrick, Paxton Melnarik, April Bornowski, Jodie Perttu, Lori Ann Mackin, Chris Severson, Norma Pfeifer, Tim Ashmann, Deb McCarty, and Pastor Jeff Dobratz.

Those who grieve: **Mark Kiehn** and family at the death of his father, **Orv Keihn**; and **Chris Siebers & family** at the death of her uncle, **Bernie Hoepfner**; her aunt, **Terry**; & her grandmother, **Wanda Sheeks**.



MINISTRY OFFICE SUMMER HOURS:

8:00 am - 3:00 pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All events are at the Green Bay site unless specified "Suamico"

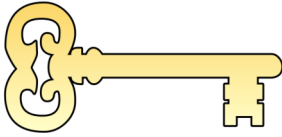
Dear Pilgrim Family, As I retire, I would like to express my gratitude for the outpouring of your love, cards, notes, gifts and kind words. The Retirement Dinner was filled with so many great memories. Thank you to all who planned it and attended.

Thank you also, for the support and prayers throughout these years. You and the children have made my career one that has been filled with many joys. Through Jesus our Savior, I have been tremendously blessed.

I pray for Pilgrim, that the Lord Himself would bless and give you strength for each day. May His peace and joy surround you.

Keep shining HIS LOVE!

Lin Lehman, Retiring Teacher of First Grade



Pilgrim's New Security System at the Green Bay Site - is now installed. Praise the Lord for the generosity of many Pilgrim families making this new system a possibility! Internal keys will remain the same, and if you presently have a key to enter the building, that key will still function until July 4th. After that date, you will need a fob to enter one of the external doors. An access request form is available for you at the Welcome Center and in the Ministry Office. Please return the request form to the Welcome Center, Ministry Office, or place in Aaron Schroeder's mailbox, #455.

Miracle Sunday Envelopes This is an additional giving envelope to encourage a special offering from every member to fund our financial need this year. Please give prayerful consideration for this special gift that would be appropriate for you. You can make your Miracle Sunday offering any time in the month of May or June. You may place it in the offering plate or leave it at the Welcome Center. Thank you for your consideration.



Miracles Happen



And the Landscaping continues little by little. Spring is a great time for planting and we are accepting donations to complete projects around church. Please find donation envelopes on the round table in the Narthex. We extend many thanks to Diane Heyrman and Wendy Beaulieu for all the thought, time, and effort they have done on the beautification surrounding Pilgrim Lutheran Church.

Pilgrim's Share the Flame of the Spirit sermon series continues throughout the month of June. Each sermon in the series will help you live in light of the guiding of the Holy Spirit. Please make sure to pick up your weekly conversation guides and your monthly "Share the Flame" activity matches to utilize on a daily basis. Share the Flame match ideas boxes will be available at both sites beginning this weekend.



Now is the time to order name tags if you have not already done so and would like one. Just \$4 for each and we are close to placing an order.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT NEWS

Contact Rebekah (965-2233) or Rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org for all Youth events

Corpus Christi Disaster Relief Team There are 10 youth and adults in Corpus Christi, TX to serve & work on Hurricane Harvey relief. Please pray for this group as they do the Lord's work. There will be a presentation during the services when the group returns.

VBS 2018 Save the date! Incoming 2018 Pre K-6th Grade age kids. **Green Bay Site:** June 18th-June 21st; **Suamico Site:** July 30th-August 2nd. Sign up to volunteer at the Welcome Center today!

Youth & Family Day Retreats Save the date for June 24th from 3:30-8:30 pm at Cave Point State Park & July 8th from 3:30-7:30 pm at Plamann Park for Disc Golf. All incoming 7th- 12th students & families are invited. More information soon.

2018 Youth Summer Schedule Check the Youth board in the Narthex & website for the 2018 Youth Summer Schedule for all youth events & activities.

High School Nights All High School Students, 9th-12th Grade are invited to High School Youth Nights on Wednesday nights from 8-9 pm in the Fellowship Hall for games, small groups and fellowship. We always have ice cream! Can't come every week? Just show up, can't wait to see you there.

MISSIONS

COINS FOR CHRIST **Coins for Christ:** Our June mission, **Ysleta Lutheran Mission Human Care**, operates in some of the most economically depressed areas of El Paso County and in ten Mexican communities– six of them in and around **Juarez**. Servant event groups are an integral part of YLM. They conduct **medical, dental and eye-glass clinics, host Vacation Bible Schools**, as well as **building and repairing churches and homes**. The need is great! The objective is to share Jesus' love! Please keep this ministry in your prayers and give generously. Envelopes are provided on the center table for any wishing to use currency or a check. Thank you!

You may never go on a mission trip, but you can help spread the Word by generously donating your coins each week or using the **Coins For Christ** envelopes for checks or bills found on the Narthex table. **Coins For Christ** is also an online giving option.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Sanctuary Candle is sponsored this month by Tonja and Heath Brabazon in celebration of Chase's birthday. Thank you.

The Altar Flowers are sponsored this week by Tod and Debbie Sanders in celebration of Tabitha Pater's 13th birthday. Thank you.

The Bulletins are sponsored this week by a Friend of Pilgrim. Thank You.

SCHOOL NEWS

We're excited to share that **our school is part of the Coca-Cola Give program**. This opens up Pilgrim Lutheran School to new funding opportunities to help improve learning environments for students. The best part? Donations don't come out of your own pocket. When you make Coca-Cola purchases, you simply enter the product codes here: us.coca-cola.com/give/schools/ and our school receives a donation. Help Pilgrim Lutheran School make the most of this program and learn more at Coke.com/give. Codes from Coca-Cola products can also be brought in to the school and left in the box on the shelf upstairs near the office.

PILGRIM'S MINISTRIES

*******There will be NO midweek worship service on July 4th!**

Ministry Action Teams Need You! Just as the Bible teaches that all Christians are an important part of the body of Christ, we as members of this congregation all have a part on the Pilgrim ministry team. To help you find your ministry niche' we've created a multitude of Ministry Action Teams. For the month of June we are highlighting these teams as a possibility for your involvement.

Vacation Bible School -

Green Bay Site - June 18 - 21, *Suamico Site* - July 30 -August 2

Mark your calendars NOW.

** Teachers and helpers are needed to work with groups of children using the curriculum provided to help them apply the Bible lesson to their everyday life. Others areas of help: snack, art projects, music, etc.

Contact: Rebekah Schumacher

Sign up sheets for these Ministry Action Teams may be found at the Welcome Center. Any questions - please contact wendyurfer@pilgrimluth.org or call the Ministry Office.



Pilgrim Lutheran School Giveback Night *Thursday, June 21st*
from 5:00-8:00 pm Potbelly Sandwich Shop in Green Bay will graciously donate **25%** of the sales between **5:00-8:00 pm on Thursday, June 21st**. They are located at 2664 S. Oneida St. Suite 101. Please come and enjoy some fun and fellowship with friends and family!

Inquirer's Class Session I *Saturday, June 23rd* from 8:00 to 12:00 Noon. Session I material covers the 10 Commandments. Inquirer's Class is Pilgrim's new member class. For questions, please call the Ministry Office (965-2233).

Greeting Cards Available for purchase on weekends. All Proceeds go to Pilgrim.

Food Pantry (GB) Monetary donations, gas and Walmart cards would be greatly appreciated. Also **Jello, Jelly, and Peanut Butter**. **Thank you** to all who have contributed.

2018 Pilgrim Men's (Just-for-Fun) Golf We will be playing 18 holes at various area courses on Thursday mornings with T-times between 9:00 and 11:00 am. I try to keep the cost between \$20 and \$30 including a cart as most of us are riding now-days. I will be arranging T-times and keeping weekly scores and averages. Also, I will keep everyone informed on the course we're playing via email in plenty of time to make your plans. Sign up at the **Welcome Center** if you're interested. **Contact Wayne Luebke** at 920-562-5319 or wwlube8@gmail.com

Pilgrim Pictorial Directory Update If you had your picture taken for the new pictorial directory, your complimentary 8x10 photo is available for pickup at the Welcome Center. Please share your name when asking the attendant for your complimentary photo.

Do you buy from Amazon? If so, Amazon Smile is a program that donates a portion of your purchase to a charity of your choice. The prices and products are all the same, but the transaction just has to be made at **smile.amazon.com**. Then search Pilgrim Lutheran Church in the charity tab and the church gets 0.5% of your purchase.

Prayer Chain If you have a prayer request, contact Carol Erickson at 920-869-2943 or email: cerickson@netnet.net; or Julie Baye email: sixbayes@yahoo.com; 920-499-9973 or fill out a Prayer Request Card (found in the pews) and place the card in the collection plate, in Julie or Carol's mailbox, or leave it at the Welcome Center.

Pilgrim's New Generosity Coordinator is busy with creative opportunities for you to support ministry. If you are a member of Thrivent Financial, there are giving opportunities available to you that support ministry but are free of charge to you (Thrivent Choice & Thrivent Action Teams). To help us use those funds available for you, please sign up at the Welcome Center to let us know that you are a Thrivent member.

Pilgrim's Safe Church Initiative is our congregational plan to provide a safe environment for all God's children. To see our policies and plans, please visit the website www.pilgrimpluth.org and click on the button "Pilgrim Safe Initiative Policy."

Have you ever considered directly helping a church member or another church/mission that is struggling? We are looking for members who would like to give above and beyond standard tithing to help a church member or "neighbor" in a truly meaningful way. Please contact Pastor Malme if you would like to learn more. **Luke 6:38**

This Week at Pilgrim

All events are at the Green Bay site unless specified "Suamico"

- Sun. 06/17** **Fathers Day**
7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services
9:00 AM Suamico Worship Service
1:00 PM Hmong Bible Study (CR)
2:00 PM Hmong Worship (C)
- Mon. 06/18** **Ministry Office Hours: 8-3 pm**
9:00 AM VBS - Green Bay
- Tue. 06/19** **Ministry Office Hours: 8-3 pm**
9:00 AM VBS - Green Bay
- Wed. 06/20** **Ministry Office Hours: 8-3 pm**
9:00 AM VBS - Green Bay
9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (UR)
7:00 PM WoW Midweek Worship (C)
8:00 PM High School Youth Night (FH)
- Thu. 06/21** **Ministry Office Hours: 8-3 pm**
9:00 AM VBS - Green Bay
6:30 PM Stephen Ministry (L)
- Fri. 06/22** **Ministry Office Hours: 8-3 pm**
- Sat. 06/23** 8:00 AM Inquirer's class Session #1 (CR)
5:00 PM Worship Service (C)
- Sun. 06/24.** Donuts-Volunteer
7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services
9:00 AM Suamico Worship Service
1:00 PM Hmong Bible Study (CR)
2:00 PM Hmong Worship (C)
3:30 PM Youth and Family Cave Point Day Retreat



Join us at
Vacation Bible
School!



Key:

- BR** - Band Room (Rm 242)
- C** - Church (Rm 130)
- CL** - Computer Lab (Rm 207 & 208)
- CR** - Conf Rm (Rm 144)
- FH** - Fellowship Hall (Rm 142)
- G** - Gym (Rm 125)
- K** - Kitchen (Rm 141)
- L** - Church Library (Rm 143)
- MO** - Ministry Office (Rm 209)
- MR** - Music Room (Rm 243)
- N** - Nursery (Rm 132)
- OS** - Off Site
- SL** - School Library (Rm 101 & 102)
- SO** - Small Office (Rm 248)
- SR** - Science Room (Rm 201 & 202)
- TWR** - Teacher's Work Room (Rm 212)
- UR** - Upper Room (Rm 244 & 245)
- V** - Vestry (Rm 137)

Stewardship

4th Sunday after Pentecost
2 Corinthians 5:1-10

With all the grace and forgiveness God has available for us, He still has expectations for Christians in conducting their own lives. Our reading closes with a word of judgment. God is concerned with how we conduct our daily lives. While it might be easy to ignore this physical life and concentrate only on the life to come, we still live in this world. We receive tangible gifts from God. We have a gospel message to manage. As Paul says, it would be better to forsake this life (give up the tent) and be clothed in our heavenly body, but he comes back to reality and instructs us in living this life for God. Christian stewards are charged with managing this life and all that is associated with it until we die or Christ comes the second time. We are not off the hook. And God does care how we manage. May our management of all of life and life's resources be pleasing to Him.

“His Love, Our Response”

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| Last week's Worship Attendance | 615 |
| Miracle Sunday Offerings to date | \$ 61,806.75 |
| Last week's Offering week #50. | \$16,715.75 |
| Last week's Budgeted Need | \$22,881.00 |
| YTD Offerings. | \$1,233,881.80 |
| YTD Budgeted Need | \$1,304,899.00 |

Hand in Hand Capital Campaign

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| Debt (04/30/18). | \$1,209,364.00 |
| | - 3,289.00 |
| Remaining Debt (05/31/18). | \$1,206,075.00 |
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Thrivent Choice Dollars: Year-to-Date: Total: \$16,275.30

Please designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars if you have not already done so.

June 17 – Pentecost IV Father's Day – Being Gospel-motivated voices for life gets frustrating when we don't immediately see changed hearts and saved lives. But fathers both know and show that heroes are built over time, not born in a moment. We can take courage from God Himself patiently planting His own kingdom like seeds (Mark 4:26-28) and carefully cultivating it like saplings (Ezekiel 17:22-24). Boys become men, and stems will yield. This Gospel—for us too!—renews our life-affirming enthusiasm and routines. **Prayer: *Ancient of Days, teach us to walk and talk and work by faith and not by sight. Amen.***

This Week

Serving at Pilgrim

Next Week

| Group | Date | Day | Time | Name | Group | Date | Day | Time | Name |
|--|-------|----------|------------------------|--|--|-------|----------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Greeters | 06/16 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | K Froland / S Schreiber | Greeters | 06/23 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | D / D Witt |
| | 06/17 | Sun. | 7:45 am | L / A Herrvas | | 06/24 | Sun. | 7:45 am | L / P Syring |
| | | | 9:00 am | J / R Schultz | | | | 9:00 am | K Larsen / G Hensley |
| | | | 10:30 am | J / C Olbrantz | | | | 10:30 am | C McGee |
| Elders | 06/16 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Ziemer/Urfer | Elders | 06/23 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Schuettpelz |
| | | | | Olp/Schumm | | 06/24 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Baye |
| | 06/17 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Anderson/Heimerman | | | | 9:00 am | Tiedt |
| | | | 9:00 am | Gipp/Tiedt | | | | 10:30 am | Allen |
| | | 10:30 am | Charles/Cornelius | | 6/27 | Wed | 7:00 pm | Schuettpelz/Cornelius | |
| | | | Wiederhoeft/Vogt/Korth | Usher Teams | 06/23 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Theil | |
| 06/20 | Wed | 7:00 pm | Schuettpelz | | 06/24 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Makela | |
| | | | | | | | 9:00 am | Look | |
| Usher Teams | 06/16 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Schlender | | | 10:30 am | Kraszewski | |
| | 06/17 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Burdey | 06/27 | Wed. | 7:00 pm | Bordeleau | |
| | | | 9:00 am | Rolefson | Acolytes | 06/23 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | B Ford/Volunteer |
| | | 10:30 am | Borst | 06/24 | | Sun. | 7:45 pm | Volunteers | |
| 06/20 | Wed. | 7:00 pm | Bordeleau | | | | 9:00 am | Volunteer | |
| Acolytes | 06/16 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Volunteers | | | 10:30 am | J / M Schultz | |
| | 06/17 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Volunteers | 06/27 | Wed. | 7:00 pm | Volunteer | |
| | | | 9:00 am | Volunteers | Organist | 06/23 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Christine Malme |
| | | 10:30 am | B Brisinte/H Burklund | 06/24 | | Sun. | 7:45 pm | Christine Malme | |
| | | | | | | | 9:00 am | Christine Malme | |
| Organist | 06/16 | Sat. | 5:00 pm | Aaron Schroeder | | | 10:30 am | Young Adult Praise Team | |
| | 06/17 | Sun. | 7:45 am | Aaron Schroeder | (Singers): Rachel Yanke, Rebekah Schumacher, Marissa Krohn, Stephanie Reep, Matt Reep, Tiffany Ellingson | | | | |
| | | | 9:00 am | Aaron Schroeder | (Drummer): Taylor Olp (Bass): Andrew Korth (Sound): Doug Schoenwalder, Kelly Heimerman | | | | |
| | | 10:30 am | Malme Praise Team: | | 06/27 | Wed. | 7:00 pm | Christine Malme | |
| (Singers): Angie Kornowski, Rebekah Schumacher, Toni Osterberg, Tammy Nier, John Schultz, Craig Keller, Mark Osterberg (Congas): Paul Goderstad (Bass): Andrew Korth (Guitar): Isaiah Van Lament (Sound): Doug Schoenwalder, Kelly Heimerman | | | | | Nursery | 06/24 | Sun. | 9:00 am | Tim / Libbby Larsen |
| | 06/20 | Wed | 7:00 pm | Christine Malme | | | | 10:30 am | Maddy Grell |
| Nursery | 06/17 | Sun. | 9:00 am | J / V Caelwaerts | | | | Trisha Paulson | |
| | | | | Hailey Burklund | | | | Mary Belvos | |
| | | 10:30 am | Kathy Adams-McIntosh | Prayer Team Ministers: Matt and Penny Cornelius | | | | | |
| | | | K McIntosh/K Gast | | | | | | |
| Prayer Team Ministers: D Charles / N Kraszewski | | | | | | | | | |



SUAMICO 06/17 9:00 am

Elder- Seyferth Usher - Lindow

Music - Emily DeVillers

Acolyte - L Henkel



SUAMICO 06/24 Sun 9:00 am

Elder- Wittenbel Assist - Bero Usher - Reinhold

Music - Kari Longmire

Acolyte - A Hebel

