



*Pilgrim Lutheran Church*

*Weekly News*

*September 30, 2018*

***Those who celebrate:*** **Kim and Barb Boerst** celebrating their 41st wedding anniversary; **Gary and Karen Perino** celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary; and **Omar and Emily Urquizo** at the baptism of son, **Samuel Kai**.

***Those with special needs:*** Alan Hettiger, Carl Schroeder, Tiffany Dietz, Dorothy Kehler, Bonnie Warren, Pam Huettl, Matt, Colton E, Steve Dansereau, Jamie Steenbock, Pastor Carl Ehrfurth, Dawn Hohenstein, Deloris Parelik, Maysie & Willis Bierbrower, Butch Merryfield, Harlen Heinrich, Pat Zelzer, Carol Ann Lemke, Rachel Klosterman, Marilyn Kiehn, Betty Jones, James Fischer, Patti Beining, Paxton Melnarik, Jodie Perttu, Lori Ann Mackin, Norma Pfeifer, Tim Ashmann, Deb McCarty, and Pastor Jeff Dobratz.

***Those who grieve:*** **Lisa Dhein** and family at the death of her father, **Larry Hilbelink**; the family and friends of **Lynn Klawitter** at her death; and the family and friends of **Chris Severson** at his death.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**We have received more Lifetouch directories.**

**If you have had your picture taken and have not yet received a directory, please stop by the Welcome Center to pick one up from an attendant.**

**Worship on Wednesday Series - "The Whiteboard Bible" *Wednesdays at 7:00 pm.*** Worship on Wednesday provides a worship/teaching experience every week from 7:00 pm—7:45 pm. Members, guests, parents and confirmation students will learn about connecting themes of the Bible through a video drawing and weekly life-application lesson. The series will help you become familiar with the Bible narrative and how the stories connect with one another and life today. WoW serves as a weekly worship opportunity or an additional way to study God's Word. Communion is served on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday each month.

**Bible Study on God’s Supernatural Work** - Who are the “gods” in Psalm 82? Learn about the supernatural realm of the Bible and what it means to us. You will never read the Bible in the same way again. Join the Supernatural Bible Study at 9:00 am in Room 144.

**Monday Morning Bible Study at 9:45am in the Fellowship Hall.** The class will focus on the Gospel of Matthew. Participants will gather every Monday from 9:45 am—11:00 am. In addition to our study of Matthew, the Bible class begins with fellowship and treats, and prayer requests. Please plan to attend and bring a friend. If you can’t make it to class on Monday mornings but would like a copy of the class study materials, please email Pastor Malme at: [scottmalme@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:scottmalme@pilgrimluth.org). He’ll send you an attachment of the notes from each week.

**“Rays of Hope”** is a *Candlelight Prayer Memorial Service* on Saturday, November 3rd at 6:15 pm right after our regular Saturday 5:00 pm service. This brief service offers a time of prayer and remembrance where we will read Scripture, pray, sing, and each will have the opportunity to light a candle on the altar in remembrance of a dearly departed loved one.

We believe that this worship opportunity will be uplifting and memorable for you. We encourage you to invite other family members and loved ones who also may find benefit and comfort through this special worship opportunity. *Please provide us with a picture of your loved one who passed away with birth and death dates if you’d like them included on a slideshow at the end of the service. If you’d like to send us a photo, please email a copy to Aaron Schroeder at: [aaronschroeder@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:aaronschroeder@pilgrimluth.org).*

**GriefShare Mondays at 6:30 pm in Conference Room.** “GriefShare” is a Bible-based program for anyone who has lost a loved one to death. We meet for 13 consecutive Mondays from 6:30 - 8:30 pm (skipping October 15th for Packer game). Grief Share includes a video produced by “GriefShare” and a workbook (\$15).

Additional materials are a devotional book (\$10) from *“Through a Season of Grief.”* It has 365 devotions on grief. The daily devotions are also available as a daily email for one year for free. Go to [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org) to sign up.

Scholarships for the workbook and/or devotional book are available upon request. You may also go through the program as many times as you need without any extra charge. Any questions please contact the Ministry Office or Linda Siegmann at 920-498-9681.

**Moms in Prayer** invites women to pray for our schools, children, faculty and staff this Monday, October 1st from 2:00 - 3:00 pm in the Church Library. For further information call Marlene Hanson at 920-468-1110.

**Inquirer's Class-Session I** Saturday, October 6th from 8:00 to 12:00 Noon in Room #143. Inquirer's Class introduces **those who desire to become new members** to the basic beliefs of the Bible and our Church and **provides an excellent opportunity for Pilgrim members** to stay firm in their faith by a regular review of the foundations of our faith. This class will be covering Session I material: The Ten Commandments

**Calling men, not all men... just YOU! Men's Retreat October 5-6th** at the beautiful location of Whispering Pines Retreat on Shawano Lake.

Fridays Schedule: Noon-golf; 5:00 pm Arrival time; 6:30 Dinner; 7:30 Bible Study; 8:30 Camp Fire, Card Playing, and Free time.

Saturdays Schedule: 8:00 Breakfast; 9:00 Bible Study; 11:30 Lunch and Clean-up; 1:00 Head Home or more golf. Sign up today you won't regret it, or better yet wives... sign him up today at the Welcome Center. He will thank you for it.

**All Ladies of Pilgrim are invited to the Lutheran Women's Missionary League Fall Rally** hosted by the Pilgrim LWML and the Hmong Pilgrim LWML. You do not need to be a member to attend. It will be here at Pilgrim on Saturday, October 13th. Registration begins at 8:30 am with the Opening at 9:00 am. Our special guest speaker is Michelle Diercks who will present "Daughter of the King." Cost is \$5 which includes lunch. ***Reservations requested by October 1st.*** Contact Karen Schuettpelz at 469-0751 or [jkschuet@att.net](mailto:jkschuet@att.net). for reservations or any questions.

**Pizza Ranch Fundraiser** Mark your Calendar! Our first Pizza Ranch Fundraiser for the year is on October 15th at the East Side Location from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. 10% of the proceeds will go towards the 7th and 8th grade class trip to St. Louis. Please come out and support the school.

## YOUTH NEWS

*Contact Rebekah (965-2233) or [Rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:Rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org) for all Youth events*

**High School Nights** All 9th-12th Graders are invited Wednesdays 8:00-9:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall for a devotion, fellowship, ice cream & a game There is always ice cream! Can't come every week? Just show up! Can't wait to see you there.

**Youth Bible Study** in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 am. This will be a half hour bible study in the Old Testament. We hope to see all youth 7th-12th grade there!

**National Youth Gathering** - The 2019 LCMS National Youth Gathering (NYG) will be held next summer in Minneapolis on July 10-15. This is for current 8th-12th grade youth. There will be information for youth and their parents in the Narthex. Information includes: dates, costs, fundraising, and experience. This event is held once every 3 years

with over 30,000 youth participating from around the Nation. Registration sheets are also available at this meeting. If your youth is at all interested, come and find out more about this awesome experience. Registration & first payment are due November 1st. Please contact Rebekah Schumacher ([rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org)) or Mike Schumm ([mikeschumm@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:mikeschumm@pilgrimluth.org)) with questions & info.

## MISSIONS

**COINS FOR CHRIST** – Orphan Grain Train. Lutheran Schools in Liberia were the recipients of a July 2, 2018 shipment from OGT. It contained school desks, chalkboards, school books, hygiene kits, backpacks, school supplies and a baptismal font. Our Synod has 14 Lutheran schools in Liberia serving 5000 children. What a blessing our gifts can help draw children to the Gospel message. Your generous support with a **gift of coins, special envelope or by Pilgrim's electronic giving** enable this humanitarian ministry to continue. *“Only one life will soon be past. Only what's done for Christ will last.”*

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

**The Sanctuary Candle** is sponsored this month by Marcia Ward in thanksgiving to God for His blessing throughout her years of life.

**The Altar Flowers** are sponsored this week by Kim and Barb Boerst in celebration of their 41st wedding anniversary. Thank you.

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

## PILGRIM'S MINISTRIES

**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 October we are highlighting these teams as a possibility for your involvement.

**Greeters** - Volunteers are needed at each service to greet worshipers with a warm welcome, especially our guests. Leader: Wendy Urfer

**Trunk & Treat** - Won't you consider decorating your trunk/tailgate for the event, donating candy, or volunteering to help with the registration or activities? Leader: Jennifer Erickson

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

**Stephen Ministry** has been actively serving Pilgrim for over 12 years. We thank God that He has given us the gift of these dedicated men & women who serve by utilizing their skills and compassion to care for hurting individuals. Perhaps you have thought about becoming a Stephen Minister? A new training class will start in October. To learn how you can serve please talk to: Nancy Kraszewski, Jane Watermolen, Merle Trich, Barbara Hein, or call the Ministry Office (965-2233) for more information.

**Concordia College Scholarship For Future Church Workers** For students attending a Concordia college for future church work can apply for a scholarship through the Ethel Schmeling Endowment Fund. Please submit in writing a letter stating the college you attend, course of study and plans for the future. ***Deadline to apply is October 1st, 2018.*** Endowment Funds will be evenly divided among all the applicants. You can mail your letter to: Pilgrim Lutheran School, 1731 St. Agnes Dr., Green Bay, WI 54304, or email: [anncartier@pilgrimluth.org](mailto:anncartier@pilgrimluth.org)

**Food Pantry (GB)** Monetary donations, gas and Walmart cards would be greatly appreciated. Also **Tuna, Pancake Mix and Syrup.** **Thank you** to all who have contributed.

**Greeting Cards Available** for purchase on weekends during services and weekdays from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm with all proceeds going to Pilgrim.

**Prayer Chain** If you have a prayer request, contact Carol Erickson at 920-869-2943 or email: [cerickson@netnet.net](mailto:cerickson@netnet.net); or Julie Baye email: [sixbayes@yahoo.com](mailto: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.

## ASSOCIATION NEWS

### **NOW HIRING - Bookkeeper at NEW Lutheran High**

NEW Lutheran High School is looking for a dedicated, people-oriented professional to join the ministry team. The position of bookkeeper is important in the respectful and efficient management of Lutheran High. If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact Mr. Chris Nelson at 920-471-5754 or [nelsonc@newlhs.com](mailto:nelsonc@newlhs.com) for more information or to schedule an interview. Blaze On!

**Opportunity to Help** - St. John's Lutheran Church in Luxemburg recently hosted a fundraiser for a lady named Catie LeSage. Catie is a young mother who has been diagnosed with Osteosarcoma (bone cancer). If you would like to learn more about this family in need, and support their battle against cancer, please visit this website: [www.gofundme.com/lesage-family](http://www.gofundme.com/lesage-family).

## This Week at Pilgrim

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

- Sun. 09/30** 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services  
9:00 AM Suamico Worship Service  
9:30 AM Youth Bible Study (FH)  
1:00 PM Hmong Bible Study (CR)  
2:00 PM Hmong Worship (C)
- Mon. 10/01** 9:45 AM Monday Morning Bible Class (FH)  
2:00 PM Moms in Prayer  
6:00 AM All Boards Night  
6:30 PM Grief Share (CR)
- Tue. 10/02** **School Picture Day**  
4:00 PM Evangelism Visit Team A (OS)  
6:30 PM Evangelism Visit Team B (OS)
- Wed. 10/03** 6:45 AM Men's Bible Study (CR)  
8:30 AM Chapel (C)  
9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (UR)  
9:30 AM Pastor Hanson's Bible Study (YR)  
6:00 PM Dave Jones Bible Study (CR)  
6:00 PM Confirmation (FH)  
7:00 PM W.O.W (Worship on Wednesday)  
8:00 PM Sr. High Youth (G)
- Thu. 10/04** 12:30 PM Lighthouse Bible Study (L)  
1:00 PM Cover Girls (Quilters) (UR)  
6:30 PM Adult Choir (C)  
6:30 PM Stephen Ministry (L/CR)
- Fri. 10/05** Men's Ministry Retreat (OS)
- Sat. 10/06** 8:00 AM Inquirer's Class Session #1 (CR)  
5:00 PM Worship Service (C)
- Sun. 10/07** Donuts-C Herdt  
7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services  
9:00 AM Suamico Worship Service  
9:30 AM Youth Bible Study (FH)  
1:00 PM Hmong Bible Study (Preschool Classroom)  
2:00 PM Hmong Worship (C)



## Sunday Bible Studies

*\*beginning Sept 16th*

**8:00 am**

### “Stuff They Did Not Teach Me in Sunday School”

Gene Fiedler

(Rm 144/Conference Rm)

*(Following classes 9:00 am)*

### “The Gospel of John”

Gary Wiederhoeft

(Rm 143/Library)

### “I Corinthians”

Dave Jones

(Rm 244 & 245/Upper Rm)

### “Supernatural-The Biblical Take on the Supernatural”

Phil Korth

(Rm 144/Conference Rm)

### \*Youth and Family Bible Study Rebekah Schumacher

**9:30-10:00**

(Fellowship Hall)

### “Weekly Readings”

**Suamico Site**

10:15 – Pastor/Vicar

### 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)
- YR** - Youth Room (Rm 241)

# Stewardship

19th Sunday after Pentecost

James 4:7-5:6

No rich person wants to hear the condemnation of James in our reading for today. Neither did the rich man who tore down his barns to build new and bigger ones (Luke 12) want to hear the condemnation of Jesus. Being rich is not the problem. We are all extraordinarily wealthy when compared to most of the world. The key is in James words, "You have lived in ...self-indulgence." From the garden of Eden, when Adam and Eve wanted to have control - wanted God's role for themselves - the big sin has been selfishness. Think about it - selfishness is probably the root of every problem you encounter in relationships both inside and outside of the church. It is also the reason why we rebel against God's expectation that we manage all that He gives to us for His purposes. We'd rather have it for ourselves. We are all convicted by the words of James. Let us all continually seek God's forgiveness for selfish mismanagement of all of life, and continue to seek to do His will.

## "His Love, Our Response"

Last week's Worship Attendance . . . . .	798
Last week's Offering . . . . . week #13. . . . .	\$25,003.13
Last week's Budgeted Need . . . . .	\$25,787.00
YTD Offerings. . . . .	\$298,041.70
YTD Budgeted Need . . . . .	\$300,359.00

## Hand in Hand Capital Campaign

Debt (07/31/18). . . . .	\$1,154,538.00
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Remaining Debt (08/26/18). . . . .	\$1,151,290.00

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**Thrivent Choice Dollars: Year-to-Date: Total: \$593.00**

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

**September 30 – Pentecost XIX** – "I can't carry this alone" (Numbers 11:14). Moses echoes the emotions of sudden pregnancy, chronic conditions, and advocating for life among communities that ignore. "You're not alone," says the Lord (Numbers 11:16, Mark 9:40, James 5:14). "Lean on my people." Jesus Christ goes with you. The communion of saints shares your joys and sorrows. Sometimes speaking up for life starts with approaching the lonely. **Prayer: Lord of the Church, cause our fellowship to show Your love. Amen.**

<b>This Week</b>	<b>Serving at Pilgrim</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
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Group	Date	Day	Time	Name
<b>Greeters</b>	09/29	Sat.	5:00 pm	M Ward
	09/30	Sun.	7:45 am	Volunteer
			9:00 am	Volunteer
			10:30 am	C Miller
<b>Elders</b>	09/29	Sat.	5:00 pm	Cherveny/Pedersen Schlender/Gannon
	09/30	Sun.	7:45 am	Anderson/Heimerman
			9:00 am	Gipp/Tiedt Hansen/Fiedler
			10:30 am	Cornelius/Charles/ Zinkel/Wiederhoeft/ Vogt
	10/03	Wed	7:00 pm	Schuettpelz/Bordeleau
<b>Usher</b>	09/29	Sat.	5:00 pm	Olp
	<b>Teams</b>	09/30	Sun.	7:45 am
9:00 am				Melchior
10:30 am				Borst
10/03		Wed.	7:00 pm	Bordeleau
<b>Acolytes</b>	09/29	Sat.	5:00 pm	Volunteer
	09/30	Sun.	7:45 pm	J Weigandt/E Parmar
			9:00 am	M Grell/H Burkland
			10:30 am	S Siebert/M Grell
<b>Organist</b>	09/29	Sat.	5:00 pm	Aaron Schroeder
	09/30	Sun.	7:45 pm	Aaron Schroeder
			9:00 am	Aaron Schroeder
			10:30 am	Malme Praise Team: (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
10/03	Wed.	7:00 pm	Christine Malme	
<b>Nursery</b>	09/30	Sun.	9:00 am	Pam Zeitler/ Sydney Zinkel
			10:30 am	Trisha Paulson Jamie Hohnson
			<b>Prayer Team Ministers:</b>	

Group	Date	Day	Time	Name
<b>Greeters</b>	10/06	Sat.	5:00 pm	R / G English
	10/07	Sun.	7:45 am	B Balfanz / J Gilson
			9:00 am	K / J Schuettpelz
			10:30 am	J / C Olbrantz
<b>Elders</b>	10/06	Sat.	5:00 pm	Pedersen/Cherveny Olp/Kosman
	10/07	Sun.	7:45 am	Keller/Heimerman
			9:00 am	Tiedt/Gipp Williams/Olp
			10:30 am	Ganz/Charles/Perino E Heimerman/Van Beaver
	10/10	Wed	7:00 pm	Schuettpelz/Cornelius
<b>Usher</b>	10/06	Sat.	5:00 pm	Schlender
	<b>Teams</b>	10/07	Sun.	7:45 am
9:00 am				Rolefson
10:30 am				Kreszewski
10/10		Wed.	7:00 pm	Bordeleau
<b>Acolytes</b>	10/06	Sat.	5:00 pm	B Bohn
	10/07	Sun.	7:45 pm	C Herdt /C Melotte
			9:00 am	B Haen / E Parmar
10:30 am	A Klemp / A Yunk			
<b>Organist</b>	10/06	Sat.	5:00 pm	Kari Longmire
	10/07	Sun.	7:45 pm	Kari Longmire
			9:00 am	Kari Longmire
			10:30 am	Young Adult Praise Team (Singers): Rachel Yanke, Rebekah Schumacher, Marissa Krohn, Stephanie Reep, Matt Reep, Tiffany Ellingson (Drummer): Taylor Olp (Bass): Andrew Korth (Sound): Doug Schoenwalder, Kelly Heimerman
10/10	Wed.	7:00 pm	Christine Malme	
<b>Nursery</b>	10/07	Sun.	9:00 am	Cathy Allen/Kate Krueger
			10:30 am	Kathy Adams-McIntosh Mary Belvos
<b>Prayer Team Ministers:</b> Dave & Sue Stone				



**SUAMICO** 09/30 Sun 9:00 am  
**Elder**– Seyferth      **Usher** - Reinhold  
**Music** - Kari Longmire  
**Acolyte** - G Warren

**SUAMICO** 09/23 Sun 9:00 am  
**Elder**– Wittnebel      **Assist** -      **Usher**– Stafford  
**Music** - Emily DeVillers  
**Acolyte** - A Lorbeck

