

The newsletter of University Lutheran Church and One Community Lutheran/Episcopal Campus Ministry at Michigan State University

#### Mark Your Calendars . . .

### **Spring Work Day**

Friday, May 4 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

#### P & S Sewing Day

Tuesday, May 8 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### Installation of Pastor Haley Vay Beaman & Gospel Worship

Sunday, May 13 - 10:45 a.m. No 8:30 a.m. Worship Service

### **Pentecost - Confirmation**

Sunday, May 20 – 9:30 a.m. Summer Worship Schedule Begins

### Synod Assembly Opening Eucharist at ULC

Sunday, May 20 - 7 p.m.

#### **Food Movers**

Thursday, May 24
Fellowship Hall
Set-up 3:30 p.m.
Distribution 4:30 p.m.

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### **Haley Vay Beaman Called to ULC**

On an icy Sunday, Apr. 15th, ULC members unanimously voted to call Haley Vay Beaman to serve as a full-time associate pastor. Pastor Haley Vay has served as a part-time interim campus pastor at ULC since Aug. 2017. In her new role, she will continue to lead the One Community campus ministry program as well lead Lifelong Faith Formation ministry with a emphasis on youth and family faith formation.

Pastor Haley Vay will be installed at the 10:45 a.m. worship service on Sunday, May 13. The gospel style service will express the theme of the day through special music, including liturgical dance, Young Adult and Senior Choirs, soloists and instrumentalists. Bishop Craig A. Satterlee will be preaching. A reception will follow.



May 2018

Pastor Haley Vay with one of ULC's newest members.

Amy Wagenknecht

## **Worship Expressions**

Gospel Style

Sunday, May 13 ~ 10:45 a.m. Service of Installation for Pastor Haley Vay Beaman

#### Looking ahead...

Three additional Worship Expressions will take place outside of our regular Sunday morning services. Themes for these services include:

Aug. 12 at 5 p.m. - Summer Outdoor Bluegrass Service Fall: Folk Rock Winter: Jazz

Worship Expressions is an opportunity, funded by our ULC Endowment, to nurture creative expressions of music and worship in our congregation and community, while incorporating a variety of musical styles into our liturgy.

#### From the Pastor's Pen . . .

### What's the Holy Spirit up to at ULC?

With May, we come to the end of the academic year, Alpha Sunday, Affirmation of Baptism Sunday, Synod Assembly and Pentecost Sunday with the outpouring of the Spirit. Lent and Easter is past, and it's generally the end of the church program year. And usually I get to this point in the year, let out a big breath, feel good about what's been accomplished and look forward to the summer. But this year feels different. Sure I have the usual feelings, but this time, this time of year feels more like a beginning than an ending.



Through the interview and call process, one of the big "tasks" that was discussed and that lay ahead, was developing and completing our staffing model. With the call of Pastor Haley Vay now official, and her installation as Associate Pastor coming up this month, our staff is complete, and we're ready to go. As a result, that's why it feels like we're just beginning instead of winding things up for the year.

During my call process, when I finally said "yes" to interviewing here at ULC and being open to the Holy Spirit's direction, I felt very strongly that the Holy Spirit was at work, leading and directing me, and leading and directing the Call Committee and congregation. I've also felt the Spirit's direction as I've gotten to know Pastor Haley Vay, as we've worked together these past five months, and as we've moved through her call process.

With the new staff we now have in place, including Britny Pollard as Administrative Assistant, and Janine Novenske Smith in her new role as Director of Music, in addition to Pastor Haley Vay, myself and the existing staff that continues on, I have a strong sense that the Holy Spirit has been at work to bring us all together.

So, here's the question now that we're all here and in place..... What's the Holy Spirit up to here at ULC? What new

directions might the Holy Spirit lead us in? What new ventures might the Spirit take us on that we never imagined? What new ministries might the Spirit lead us into? What does the Holy Spirit have in store for us?

As we celebrate Pentecost and the outpouring of the Spirit on the Church later this month, I think about the surprising new directions and ministries into which the Spirit led the early Church, and I wonder and get excited about what that might mean for us.

So no, the end of the program year isn't an ending this year. It's a beginning! It's the beginning of a new chapter in the ministry of ULC, building on the past and moving forward into a future led by the Spirit. And I'm excited to see where the Spirit might lead!

May you feel the wind of the Spirit, Pastor Gary

#### The Greater Church

# Walking Together - A Day of Worship and Formation for Congregational Leaders

On Saturday, Apr. 21 Carol Mackin and I attended this workshop at St. Luke Lutheran Church in Grand Rapids. Over 50 people from congregations in the Northwest Lower Michigan Synod attended. The keynote message was given by Sandy Schlesinger, Synod Vice President on "How to Be a Faithful Effective Leader and Enjoy It!" Carol and I attended three workshops.

We both attended The Dynamic of Change and Transition by Bishop Satterlee. Some key points from his talk were: Change is distinct from transition. Change is situational; situations arrive that change the congregation. Change is neutral. New beginnings are carefully designed and planned and well nurtured.

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### Calling All Heroic VBS Volunteers! June 18-22, 9-11:30 a.m.

We are seeking volunteers to help with our "Heroes in the Bible" VBS this summer! Opportunities include registration, hero-themed snacks, crafts, recreation and biblical storytelling.

With our powers combined, let's soar to new heights and learn how "God's love strengthens us to serve!"

Please volunteer by emailing me at <a href="mailto:haley.vay@gmail.com">haley.vay@gmail.com</a> with your interest and availability!

Pastor Haley Vay

### **One Community Campus Ministry News**

### Thank you, Student Associates!

"Every time I think of you I thank my God. Whenever I pray, I make my requests for all of you with joy, for you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ form the time you first heard it until now. And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns." Philippians 1:3-6

In these verses from Paul's letter to the Philippians, he finds himself in a place of gratitude for his companions who have stood by him, sharing the gospel, through thick and thin. He goes on to talk about their character and how God is apparent in these disciples because of the way they live...and he prays for them. He writes, "I pray that your love will overflow more and more, and that you will keep on growing in knowledge and understanding."

I resonate with Paul when I give thanks and pray about the ministry we have been blessed to do together in Christ's name in

One Community and at ULC this 2017-2018 academic year. Our student associates have dedicated themselves to their studies and to ministry for the sake of the gospel and with the intention of living in Christ's light, revealing the truth and love of Christ through all that they say and do. *They're awesome!* If you have a chance to thank them in person, I hope you will also share your gratitude for their willingness to set an example in faith, focusing their lives on Christ and choosing to follow Jesus in a world with so many other people and paths vying for their attention. We're going to miss them this summer, but we'll keep praying for them and welcome their return in the fall after a summer of amazing opportunities.



Pastor Haley Vay, with student associates Anna, Jenny and Jack

Student Associate Jack Walch is a rising junior who will graduate in two years with a degree in chemistry. This summer Jack will be living in Pittsburgh, interning in research and development at PPG.

Student Associate Jenny Ward, will finish her degree in astrophysics this coming fall, with a minor in women's and gender studies. This summer Jenny will be working at a summer camp in Oregon and teaching kids about astronomy!

Student Associate Anna Backman will graduate in December with a degree in arts

and humanities and minors in sexuality, gender, peace and justice, and German studies. This summer Anna will study abroad in Germany, practicing her German language skills and traveling to Sweden to visit family. She'll spend the rest of the summer at home in the UP, building her arts business, and volunteering for the Sunrise movement, a nonprofit organization of young people working to stop climate change.

We thank our student leaders for their service in campus ministry and at ULC this year. We commit ourselves to pray for them this summer, and for all our students throughout the year. May God be with you until we meet again!

Pastor Haley Vay

## **Vacation Bible School**

Monday, June 18 — Friday, June 22, children ages 3 through 2nd Grade are welcome to join us each morning from 9 to 11:30 a.m. for Vacation Bible School as we soar to new heights with...

## Heroes in the Bible!

In addition to singing *super songs* and making *heroic friends*, we will learn about different *Heroes in the Bible* each day through biblical storytelling, themed snacks, crafts, games, and more!

On the last day, we'll even dress up in our favorite superhero costumes!

Day 1: God cares for us! Moses, Miriam & Pharaoh

Day 2: God gives us strength!
Bravery/wisdom of Deborah, Ruth & Naomi

Day 3: God gives us courage! David & Goliath

Day 4: God heals!
General Healing, Bartimaeus & Lazarus

Day 5: God gives us hope!
Jesus, Beatitudes, Salt & Light

With our powers combined, let's learn how "God's love strengthens us to serve!"

### **Year Closes with Refugee Youth and Prison Reform**

May 6 - Faith Lutheran's Samaritas House
Project: Faith Lutheran Church (FLC),
Michigan Refugee Hope (MRH) and Samaritas
have formed a partnership to care for refugee
youth who are turning 18 and are working
toward complete immigration status. This partnership has
been life changing for those involved and life giving to
the youth in need. Learn more about the renovation of an
old vacant house-turned-home for these young people,
what it has meant to them, and what we all might divine
(double meaning intended!) from such an amazing
project.



May 13 - Citizens for Prison Reform: Dr. Sandra Girard, president of Citizens for Prison Reform will be joining us for a fourth Forum. This increasingly effective and helpful grassroots organization has received numerous grants

from ULC. The presentation will feature a most amazing, enlightening, and important documentary film: *The Faces of Incarceration*.

These are the last two Forums for this academic year. Please invite a friend to join you for these wonderful programs! All are welcome. Sunday Forum will resume in the fall.

Bill & Linda Trevarthen and Michael Anderson



#### **ULC Memorial Library**

### **Need Some Summer Reading or DVDs?**

As you make plans for the months

ahead, why not stop in the ULC Library to find materials for your summer reading? Although the adult collection has mostly non-fiction books, there is a good selection of fiction materials too.

You will also find excellent books and DVDs for all ages – board books,

children, intermediate and young adult. The division helps you find materials at a good level for your reader more quickly.

All materials should be checked out using the card in the back of each book or DVD. Materials can be kept for three weeks. If you would like to keep a book longer, please change the check-out date on the card so that

we know you have the book and are using it.

Visit the library anytime. There is always something new to see.

The Library Team Sharon Bandlow, Laura Brown, Judy Kindel and Connie Lenkowski

#### **ULC Book Club**

### Add "My Beloved World" to Your Reading List

The City of East Lansing and Michigan State University announce the book selection for the 2018 One Book, One Community program: "My Beloved World," a memoir by Associate Justice Sonia Sotomayor, Supreme Court of the United States.

Sotomayor's story is one of determination and the hope, tenacity, hard work and self-reliance that would propel a little girl who grew up in a Puerto Rican corner of the Bronx to the highest court in the land. In "My Beloved World," Sotomayor provides readers with a

frank and loving account of her coming of age and her large extended family, many with roots still in Puerto



Rico. Sotomayor also recounts the adversity she has faced in her life – from growing up in poverty with an at-times challenging family life to her lifelong management of juvenile diabetes and her determination to adapt to a wider world that would eventually result in her becoming the first Latina and third woman appointed to the U.S. Supreme Court.

This is our summer selection, but Book Club will not meet again until October. (No book club meetings in May-Sept.)

Judy Kindel

#### **ULC Archives**

### **Faith Through Design**

A while ago a statement of the architect, Dan Toshach, was quoted in Lux describing the design of the sanctuary of ULC. In part he said, "The choice of materials, wood and concrete, was made in order to express the natural materials of God's world, and their form and finish express the great strength of the Christian faith as expressed in the Lutheran service."

Recently, a Lux article was found that explained other design features in the sanctuary and their purpose:

- Pastor Wietzke suggested the hanging cross to support Luther's assertion that "Everything in Christian life is under the cross."
- The north side of the sanctuary has more windows of lighter colors to allow in more light; the south side of the sanctuary has fewer windows of darker colors to block some of the heat.
- A table altar, rather than a tomb altar was selected to stress the fellowship of communion.
- The baptismal font is attached to (but not part of) the altar and is of a lower level to represent entry into faith. The baptismal bowl is an original design and gift from the artist. When water is added, the thick glass in the center creates the illusion of great deepness.



- The communion rail was designed so that participants completely surrounded the altar. This was not the usual arrangement in Lutheran churches at that time and strengthens the sense of communion with one another as well as with God.
- Pastors Wietzke and Gaiser requested more space between the altar and the communion rail to allow for more lay participation in serving communion.
- The pulpit was raised and surrounded by wood to further emphasize the upward sweep of the sanctuary at that point and to reinforce the importance of the Word in the life of the Church.

The article went on to say, "The lighting which creates the "three cross shadow" was not in the original design but was noted when the lights were adjusted on the cross and kept as an important symbol."

The original article, "Our Building: Faith through Design," appeared in the Feb. 2004 Lux and was written by Amy Wagenknecht using information presented during a forum by Phyllis Andersland.

The Archive Team Tom Kissling, Carol Mackin, Mike & Connie Lenkowski

### **Something to Consider**

### Why Do We Need a Large Church Building?

That's a question some people may ponder when budget time comes. Three reasons - First, our church building with its unique architecture, prominent cross, and well-kept grounds has brought people to worship. Here they find welcome and a choice of two services, with educational opportunities for all ages in between. PEOPLE make the church, but there has to be a place to meet.

Secondly, as part of our outreach, ULC has long invited outside groups to use our facilities free of charge. Perhaps the first was the Latvian church, still holding monthly services Sunday afternoons. In thanks, they gave us an oil painting, hanging in the administrative wing. CVIP (Community Volunteers for International Programs), ISM (International Student Ministry Board), and Friendship House classes - English Grammar,

Watercolor, and American Nations - are held here. Enhance Fitness, a YMCA exercise program for older people, meets three times weekly.

FAN (Families Against Narcotics), has 70 - 140 attending monthly. Their president told Sunday Forum he appreciated former Pastor Fred's welcome, away from downtown

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### Do You Know a Veteran Who Needs a Quilt?

We are planning for our **Quilt of Valor Sunday, Nov. 11.** Currently
we are up to date honoring ULC
members who have or are currently
serving in the armed forces. Do you
know of a ULC member who has not
yet received a QOV? Is there a
veteran in your family who we
should recognize with a QOV?
PLEASE contact either Ann Booren
(boorena@msu.edu) or Bobbie
Davis (bobbie@acd.net) with their
information so that we can include
them in this meaningful gift.

Are you looking for the "perfect" gift for your mother or someone special in your life this **Mother's Day**? Sunday, May 13, is fast approaching and we have the answer to your dilemma! Check out the "Tote Bag Tree" in the main office to see the selection of very special bags for that

loved one on your list. Ann Booren has added some new and bright colored bags to our favorite collegiate choices. As always, all bags are made from scraps produced in making prayer quilts, and all profits are returned to the P & S account to allow for the purchase of materials and supplies to continue our prayer quilt ministry.

Our spring and summer sewing days will begin this month. We will meet on the second Tuesday of May, June, July and August from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Atrium. Every year we look forward to folks, who cannot come during the school year, joining us. The play corner of the Fellowship Hall is a great place for the "kiddies" while their moms enjoy the fun and fellowship of Prayers & Squares. I know I say it every time, but you DO

NOT need sewing skills to join the group! We have all the equipment and supplies so the only thing you need to bring is yourself.

Spring is an exciting time for our ministry as we complete the quilts for our graduating high school seniors. This year we look forward to wrapping eight students in celebration of this milestone in their lives on June 10, the second Sunday of the month. Because we will already be on our summer schedule, the service begins at 9:30 a.m. I believe this will be the 17th year our congregation has honored its young people with this gift. Please plan to join in the celebration and the reception immediately following the service.

**Bobbie** Davis

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where drug dealers lurk. Support groups such as Friends of Bill W. (Alcoholics Anonymous), Back Porch Group, Narcotics Anonymous Steps to Serenity and Food Addicts Anonymous all meet here. Other groups include Lansing Meditation, the Michigan Parkinson's Foundation, Arts Chorale of Greater Lansing, Samaritas, Q-Cross (LGBT), Red Cedar Community Association, Sons of Norway (ULC member Gary Lee, president), Habitat Young Professionals, and Mid-Michigan Land Conservancy.

Third, we have space for special festive meals in Fellowship Hall as well as an auditorium for major events and

concerts open to all. The Episcopalian Phyllis Tickle, featured in six Sunday Forums by Pastor Gary, predicted the future church would be a small number of people gathering in house churches. But we have that too, as people form close friendships through Bible study, varied activities, as well as planning for and accomplishing the work of our congregation - all held in our church.



Some of ULC's groups include Tuesday Morning Bible Study, Amnos, Lychnion, and Rhodon Bible Study Circles, and Lectio Divina. Service and Fellowship activities include Prayers & Squares, Tight Knit, MSU Retirees Quilt/Sew, Book Club, Aces and Spaces (Bridge), Fridays at Five (Campus Ministry), Senior Choir, and Handbells. Many committees and teams meet here: Archives, Call Committee, Campus Ministry, Church Council, Communications, Earthkeeping, Endowment, Evangelism, Facilities, Finance, Lead Management, Library, Membership, Security, Staff, and Worship Planning - all necessary, but also small groups.

With a geographically widespread congregation, our building provides the center to worship, to do, and to meet, appreciate, and really care about one another. We aren't just a Sunday church!

Phyllis Andersland

#### **2018 Endowment Grants**

### **Applications Now Being Accepted!**

The ULC Endowment Fund has money available for qualified applications for both campus ministry and general endowment grants.

These one-time grants are intended to help ULC members create and have access to enriched programs that are not typically funded under the ULC operating budget.

**Campus ministry** grant applications for 2018 will be accepted now with final review and determination by Sept. 1. **General endowment** applications will be

accepted now through Oct. 31, with final review and determination by Dec. 1.

Brochures containing the grant applications and related information are available on the bulletin board directly across from the sanctuary. Grant applications are also available for download on the ULC website. Please contact the ULC Endowment Committee at ulcendowment

@ulcel.org for further information.

Melissa Andresen ULC Endowment Team

### **Summertime Coffee Hosts?**

This is an invitation to choir members and others who are similarly committed on school year Sundays. Won't you consider signing up to



host coffee hour during ULC's single service summer schedule?

If you've never hosted coffee hour, a Welcome Team member will be happy to give you an orientation tour and/or co-host. It's not only fun, but also a chance to mingle from the other side of the kitchen counter!

Linda Trevarthen

### **Usher Signup is Going Digital!**

Beginning in May, we will be moving usher sign-up to an online sign up system called *We Join In*. To sign up online, navigate to the *We Join In* site and then add your name and email to the Sunday you wish to usher. You can begin signing up online now.

If no one has signed up for a date/time slot by the Tuesday before the Sunday we are planning for, office volunteers will continue looking for ushers. If you prefer to sign up at church, the physical signup sheet will

remain on the bulletin board next to the sanctuary, and it will be updated weekly by volunteer staff.

If you have any questions about the new sign up system, please



contact the church office Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for assistance, or email me.

Britny Pollard

### **Altar Flowers Sign Up**

Looking for a way to glorify God and celebrate an event in your life such as a birthday, graduation, AOB, anniversary, first communion, or memorial?



The new (traditional) flower calendar is back and mounted on the bulletin board outside the Sanctuary. A staff member will contact you before your date to confirm how you

would like your dedication worded and to arrange payment (\$30). You can also supply your own bouquet.

Britny Pollard

### **May Outreach of the Month**

### **Habitat for Humanity**



Habitat for Humanity -Capitol Region is a Christian organization whose mission is seeking to put God's love into action. It does this by

bringing people together to build homes, communities and hope through eliminating sub-standard housing not only in Lansing but throughout the world. The focus this year will be to rehabilitate existing, older homes, rather than build houses from scratch.

How can you get involved? In addition to your financial support through the May outreach offering, we need volunteers! Pastor Haley Vay and One Community have

already volunteered, but we need many more workers. There are a variety of ways to participate, including gardening, painting, electrical, and structural work.

If you are ready to volunteer to sign up or need more information, check out the display in the narthex. Please contact me at 702-335-0299 or turbopilotdon@gmail.com if you have questions. Outreach of the Month donation envelopes are available in the pew racks. Checks should be made out to ULC with Habitat for Humanity noted on the memo line.

Thank you for your support!

Don Armstrong

## **Synod Assembly 2018** May 20-22, 2018

The North/West Lower Michigan Synod Assembly will begin on Sunday, May 20 and run through Tuesday, May 22, 2018. This year's theme is *Signs of the Spirit*. Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton will be the guest speaker.

#### **2018 Registration Information**

Synod Assembly will take place at the Lansing Center and Radisson Hotel in Lansing. Registration is now open! All registration forms must be returned to the Synod Office by May 11, 2018.

<u>Download Registration Form</u> at <a href="http://mittensynod.org">http://mittensynod.org</a>.

#### **2018 Worship Information**

Opening Eucharist will take place at University Lutheran Church in East Lansing at 7 p.m. on Sunday, May 20.

Pastor Gary

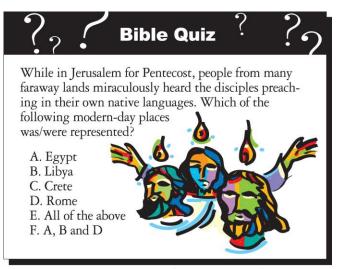
"You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem ...



and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 1:8, NRSV

Pentecost
Sunday
is
May 20!



Answer: E (See Acts 2:9-11.)

The ULC Council met Tuesday, Apr. 17 and the following are highlights from the meeting:

- Janine Novenske Smith will coordinate four Worship Expressions, the first, in Gospel style, on Sunday, May 13 at the 10:45 service.
- Installation of Haley Vay
  Beaman will be at the 10:45
  service on Sunday, May 13, with
  a cake reception to follow.
- Proposed Record Retention Policy was approved.



- Organ renovation is being delayed due to the illness of Brian Fowler.
- Approved Barb and Tom Kissling as ULC voting members for the 2018 Synod Assembly.
- Approved the revised Weapons Policy.

- Audit Committee appointed to recommend outside firm for 2017 audit.
- Authorized the purchase of a new pre-lit Christmas tree(s) for the sanctuary.
- Campus Team will host a Welcome BBQ on Aug. 26.
- Alden Olson was transferred to the church triumphant.

Sheila Nicholas ULC Council Secretary

### **Social Action Team Updates**

**Lenten Fund Drive Wrapping Up:** Thank you for your donations to this year's Lenten Collection (aka "Change for a Change")! Funds are still coming in, but it looks like we have raised \$1,000 to benefit the Lansing/Okemos Chapter of Families Against Narcotics. (For more information, visit <a href="www.familiesagainst">www.familiesagainst</a> <a href="marcotics.org/ingham-okemos">narcotics.org/ingham-okemos</a>)

Note: if you still wish to donate, you may do so through the end of April. Any contribution in any form would be most welcome: cash, check, or online. Just be sure to designate "Change for a Change." Thank you so much to all who contributed!

**Faith Refugee Home:** Faith Lutheran has two young men living in their former parsonage that was converted

to a home for refugee youth. They are expecting two more in April. Michigan Refugee Hope disbursed some funds to Faith to help them with their costs.

**Food Movers:** The Food Movers food distribution in March served 49 households. Excess food was delivered to St. Paul's Lutheran Food Pantry. The next food distribution is May 24 at 4:30 p.m.

**Personal Needs Collection Recap:** The Personal Needs Collection in February brought in 143 full size items, 300 hotel size toiletries, and \$20 in cash. We thank the congregation for participating.

Social Action Team

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We both also attended "Growing Spiritually as a Congregation Council" a workshop on faith formation and provided lots of resources for study and discussion. The key role of congregational leaders is first and foremost to be spiritual people, committed to their faith in Christ, eager to continue growing in their personal spiritual formation and anxious to assist others in their growth. Leaders should have a desire to contribute their gifts which all build the community of spiritual formation.

I attended a workshop on "Dealing with 'isms (racism, sexism, and ageism) in your Congregation." We drew a picture of a typical Lutheran congregation — white, male dominated, culturally not diverse and heavily influenced by our European worship traditions and how we deal with our definition of blessings and privilege.

Carol attended "A Look Ahead at the 2018 Synod Assembly." This was a very informative session lead by Sandy Schlesinger. She not only spoke about some of the issues to be discussed and voted on at the next Synod Assembly, but also gave a very helpful explanation of how the synod is organized and how it functions.

The day was concluded with a Eucharist service. Bishop Satterlee gave a wonderful sermon on shepherding.

Sheila Nicholas, Council Secretary



### **Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**

God's work. Our hands.



- 1 Janine Novenske Smith Asher Greiter
- 2 Christine Harder Ella Wangeman Barry Williams David Williams
- 3 Landon Hagbom
- 4 Ian Brown Bobbie Davis Jaymeson Iseler Kaitlyn Iseler Kathie Niemeyer
- 5 Tessa Grant Scott Schabel Alex Williams
- 6 Eric Goebel Michael Hagbom

- 7 Peg Asmus Emma Tracy
- 11 Mary Foley
- 13 Rebecca Kost Barbara Riegle
- 14 Jennifer Barnes
- 16 Janice Mutka
- 17 Brianna Bridges Morgan Kuchnicki Darlene Romsos Rich Tracy
- 18 Laura Sauceda
- 19 Amanda Brown
- 20 Sal Bubolz Rachel Dalton
- 21 Hannah Hagman Louise Paquette
- 22 Carl Bennett Karen Sanders Michelle Zurcher
- 23 Stephanie Lazar
- 24 Nancy Lindman

- 25 Leslie Booren Dale Wagenknecht
- 27 Nicholas Hamm Roger Hoopingarner Bryan McPhall Demani Ruiz
- 28 Drew Erspamer Ashton McPhall Gavin Witter
- 30 Megan Mahoney Terrie Reinoehl
- 31 Robert Baldus
- 1 Jeff & Kathy Bracken



- 4 Randy & Peg Asmus Sandy & Bobbie Davis
- 8 Bruce & Terrie

- Reinoehl
- 9 Ed & Sharon Vanous
- 10 Bill & Martha Kost
- 19 Tom & Katie Grant Jim & Melody Kiefer
- 22 Mike & Vick Anderson Bo & Joanne Boettcher Olin & Jan Mace Ben & Colleen Marciniak-Jennings
- 23 Chuck & Becca Page
- 24 Andrew & Jennifer Barnes
- 27 Hal & Betsye Prince
- 28 Edward & Laura Brown
- 29 Mark & Brie Largent
- 30 Jeff & Melissa Andresen

### **Thank You!**

To all the ULC family....

Thank you for the lovely cards, the wonderful food, and especially the prayers you offered on my behalf during my recent back surgery. Sandy and I both appreciated your



thoughtfulness and kindness during the difficult weeks. I am most pleased and thankful that things are going well and each day is better than the one before. God is good!

Bobbie & Sandy Davis



### From the Editors...

The deadline for the June/July Lux is Friday, May 14.

E-mail articles to Amy Wagenknecht at <a href="mailto:amylarryw@comcast.net">amylarryw@comcast.net</a> or place them in the Lux mailbox in the ULC office. Articles may be edited for size or readability, but you will be contacted if significant changes are made. Keep those wonderful articles coming! Thanks!

**The Lux Team:** Phyllis Andersland, Michael Anderson, Loran Bieber, Mark Johnson, Connie Lenkowski, Britny Pollard, and Amy Wagenknecht

**The Lux Mailing Group:** Ann Booren, Kathy Bracken, Johannah House, Anita Krumins, Miriam Minshall, Marian Macbeth.



1		Bible Study-Fireside
	12:30p	Staff Meeting-Conference
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2	8:00a	
		CVIP Exec. Committee-Fireside
	12:00p	Lectio Divina-Fireside
		Lead Management Team-Conference
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	8:30a	, ,
6		Worship
		Education Hour
	10:45a	Worship
	1:30p	Sons of Norway-Fireside
	3:00p	Latvian Worship
7	4:30p	Tight Knit-Fireside
	5:00p	
8	7:30a	Bible Study-Fireside
	9:00a	Prayers & Squares-Atrium
	10:00a	Communication Task Force-Conference
	12:30p	Staff Meeting-Conference
9	8:00a	Mushers-IHOP, EL
	9:00a	CVIP Full Board Spring Lunch-Fellowship
	12:00p	Lectio Divina-Fireside
10	5:30p	Finance Committee-Conference
	7:30p	Senior Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room
13	9:40a	Education Hour
	10:45a	Pr. Beaman Installation/Gospel Worship
14	1:00p	MSU Retirees Quilt/Sew-Fireside
	4:30p	Tight Knit-Fireside

15	7:30a	Bible Study-Fireside
	12:30p	Lychnion Circle-Fireside
	12:30p	Staff Meeting-Conference
	7:00p	ULC Council-Conference
16	8:00a	Mushers-IHOP, EL
	9:30a	Amnos Circle-Fireside
	12:00p	Lectio Divina-Fireside
	1:00p	Rhodon Circle-Fireside
17	12:00p	ISM Board-Fireside
18	7:00p	Aces & Spaces Bridge-Fireside
19	9:00a	Freewheelers Breakfast-IHOP, EL
20	9:30a	Omega Sunday Worship-Summer schedule
	5:00p	N/WLM Synod Opening Worship
21	4:30p	Tight Knit-Fireside
22	7:30a	Bible Study-Fireside
	10:00a	Communication Task Force-Conference
	12:30p	
	5:00p	,
	7:00p	FAN Community Meeting-Fellowship
23	8:00a	Mushers-IHOP, EL
	12:00p	Lectio Divina-Fireside
24	3:30p	Food Movers Set-up-Fellowship
	4:30p	•
	7:30p	
	9:30a	Worship
28	MEMOR	IAL DAY - ULC BUILDING CLOSED
29	7:30a	,
	12:30p	
30	8:00a	Mushers-IHOP, EL

#### Education Hour (9:40 -10:30 a.m.) Opportunities:

Sunday School - ends May 14 Affirmation of Baptism (Youth) - ends May 13

#### **Friendship House Classes at ULC:**

Wednesday 11:00a - Watercolor Painting Class-Youth Room Friday 10:30a – American Nations-Fireside

Enhance Fitness classes meet M-W-F at 10:45a in Atrium

12:00p Lectio Divina-Fireside

Reminder - Please contact the ULC office **BEFORE** scheduling your events. This will help you get the space you need and your group's event on the ULC calendar. Thanks!



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### **Summer Youth Music Camp**



Monday – Friday, June 18-22 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Choir~Recorder~Handbells Choir Chimes~Sign Language

#### **Summer Youth Music Camp**

Students entering 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

### **Advanced Summer Youth Music Camp**

Students entering 6<sup>th</sup> Grade and Older

**Cost: \$50 per student** (\$40 for each additional student from the same family)

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**Camp Directors:** Janine Novenske Smith & Kristie Wiggert <a href="Application Forms"><u>Application Forms</u></a> are available in the church office or at: <a href="www.ulcel.org"><u>www.ulcel.org</u></a>

→ Enrollment Deadline: June 14 ←