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Weekly News and Events
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

August 13, 2023
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost



Today! • 12:30-2:00PM

Come join us for an end of IVBS celebration! Even if you haven't been able to come to any of the sessions, we'd still love to have you. Bring your own picnic lunch and we'll have refreshments and desserts for all!

We'll be gathering at Shelter #8 at City Lake Park in Jamestown. City Lake Park has a great lake for paddle boating, canoeing, and there is even a cruise tour around the lake for all ages to enjoy! For a small fee you can also enjoy mini-golf, a carousel, and a pool next door with water slides!



PROGRAM INFO

ALL

Dates

October 13-15, 2023

Cost

\$200 1st Adult

\$50 2nd Adult

\$10 Per Child

\$80 extra room

I know it's only August, but I want to go ahead and invite you all to register for the Fall Family Fun Weekend at Lutheridge October 13-15. This year, we are heading to Lutheridge for a beautiful fall weekend in the mountains of NC. We'd love to have a great group from Epiphany in attendance that weekend. Register soon if you are able to come because rooms fill up fast! We've already got 2 families going. This is a great opportunity to introduce children to camp if they are nervous about being away from family. Scholarships are available - see Pastor Russell for scholarship info. Find more information and website/registration below:

Website and registration found [here](#).

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY		
Office Hours: M-F		
9:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:30 pm		
August 13-20, 2023		
Sun	Eleventh Sunday of Pentecost	
	Worship	10:00 am
	YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel	
	Church Picnic Water & the Word (City Lake Park, Jamestown)	12:30 pm
Mon	Executive Committee	7:00 pm
Wed	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
	Widows Might	1:30 pm
	Staff Meeting	3:00 pm
Thur	Finance	6:00 pm
Sat	Epiphany Quilters	10:00 am
Sun	Twelfth Sunday of Pentecost	
	Worship	10:00 am
	YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel	

Welcome

Today we welcome *Liz Miller* as Epiphany's newest staff member. Liz will be our Director of Youth and Campus

Ministries, working 20 hours per week at Epiphany.

Liz was previously on staff at Love Out Loud, a local non-profit, as Operations and Partnership Director. This summer she has been a full-time chaplain at a local hospital, fulfilling a requirement for ordination as a pastor in the Lutheran Church. She has worked as a paid youth group leader at another area congregation and has a passion for working with young adults. Liz learned more about Lutheranism while she was in college. Her energy and excitement for this important ministry was very apparent when she met with Epiphany's Congregation Council.

Please warmly welcome Liz as a part of Epiphany's staff.

LET US PRAY FOR...

All who are affected by violence and natural disasters

Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA President Joe Biden
 Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod Governor Roy Cooper
 Pastor Russell Peek Mayor Alan Joines

Our sister congregations and our missionary in Mexico

Fr. Javier Arias and the people of Christ's Beloved Community
Pr. David Brondos and the Theological Community of Mexico
The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia

Active duty military personnel, especially

Travis Gerdes, Randal Middleton, David Schultz

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

Judy Allison	Pam Holcomb	Nora Schweitzer
Sandy Belcher	Robin Hoots	Liz Shumate
Ashley Blackburn	Katie Lippard	Sue Slezak
Thomas & Mary Cannon	Lisa Madison	Germaine Smith
Clark Family	Chad Marion	Libby Smigel
Ray L. Deal	Sue Mathis	Michele Stanfield
Rose Debruhl	Terry McKinney	Earl Taylor
Paul DeJute	Linda McKenna	Stephanie Taylor
Sylvia Ann Derrick	Stacey Morgan	Laura Turlington
AJ Devan	Allison Morris	Alan Vestal
Carl Dubose	Annette Pardue	Sam Warden
Emily Ferriter	Robert & Mary Peak	Ellie Wellborn
Howard Flichman	Mark Pope	Emma Wester
Tara-Lynn Flick	Andy Powless	Nicole Williams
Ann Forehand	Karen Rose	Ruochong Wong
Pat & Joanne Gill	Shelly Saldaña	John Wooding
Jonathan Gomez	Janie Sapan	Leigh Yarger
Carolyn Graham		

Members in need, especially

The Rev. John Beeg	Chad Kraft	Ralph Pritts
Sharen Bond	Jim Lippard	Wanda Rabb
Ann Cannon	Lee Ann Meckley	Peg Schmitt
Jean Darstein		

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

Bonnie Bryant	Cole Lippard	Carl Schlager
Elizabeth Horton	Sue Muhler	Virginia Schmitz
Bert Joines	Polly Rector	Robert Walker
Doris Kent		



GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR AUGUST

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Cooking oil; saltine crackers

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Cold breakfast cereal, pasta (any type), toothpaste (sample size), socks, high efficiency laundry detergent packs/pods, ground beef (50 lbs)

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Paper towels; 13-gallon trash bags; individual snacks & drinks; <https://rmhcpt.org/make-a-difference/wish-list/>

TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Kleenex, Puffs, body lotion, body wash, bath items, note cards, fronts of greeting cards

CBC FOOD PANTRY - Volunteers to take food donations from church to CBC and to work stocking shelves/distributing food twice a month

EECC - Cheerios, raisins, applesauce (individual, plain)

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Diapers/pullups sizes 2-6



One of the things that Epiphany is emphasizing this year is refugee resettlement. WELCA's General Meeting will be held on Sunday, September 24th, in the fellowship hall after the 10am service. A light lunch will be provided. We will have a speaker from Lutheran Services Carolinas who will give us information about their New Americans program. All women are invited to attend to learn about ways we can help with refugee resettlement. Each circle is making plans to assemble one or more Welcome Kits to be given to refugee families. The congregation is also invited to participate in making Welcome Kits. More information will come later on this project.



Isaiah 56:1, 6-8
 Psalm 67
 Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32
 Matthew 15:10-28

Bible Readings for Next Week

8/6/23 ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

Attendance	98
Visitors	9
Offering	\$11,846.13