

The Star

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

July 2, 2023
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

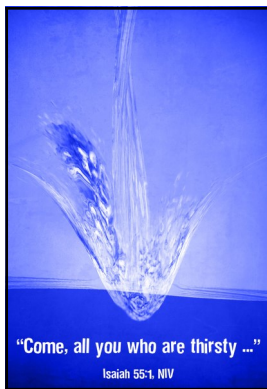


W-S Dash Baseball Game and Fireworks + MARVEL COMICS NIGHT

Please join us on Saturday, July 8, at 7:00 pm for a Dash vs. Hickory Crawdads baseball game in the Truist Stadium located at 951 Ballpark Way, Winston-Salem. We are getting a group discount for having 20 people attend so a ticket will be \$11.00. [Click here to purchase our special \\$11.00 tickets for the game.](#)

Please contact Jeanie Saphar at 336-414-2956 if you have questions. I hope to see you at the game!

Our next Intergenerational VBS session will be on **Sunday, July 9th, right after worship**. We will be discussing all the ways that the living water quenches our thirst. For this session we are going to have a drink bar, so please bring a pitcher (or two) of a delicious refreshing non-alcoholic beverage to share (lemonade, fruit infused water, etc.) There will be spicy and salty snacks available. Come, all you who are thirsty!



One of the changes that will occur when Vicar Christina moves on is that we will be needing folks to volunteer to be assisting ministers. Your main role

would be to help with communion. If you would be interested in helping with this, please contact the church office or speak to Pastor Russell.

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY	
Office Hours: M-F 9:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:30 pm July 2-9, 2023	
Sun	Fifth Sunday of Pentecost Worship 10:00 am YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel
Tues	Independence Day - Office & EECC Closed
Wed	EECC Chapel 10:00 am Staff 3:00 pm
Sat	Dash Game 7:00 pm
Sun	Sixth Sunday of Pentecost Worship 10:00 am YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel Water & the Word After Worship (Come, All You Who Are Thirsty)

Mickey will be out of the office on Monday, July 3rd.



Thank you to those of you who have responded to our request for pictures for our updated directory.

If you have not yet responded, please do so by July 2nd.



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 Katie Lippard Janie Sapen
Sandy Belcher Lisa Madison Liz Shumate
Thomas & Mary Cannon Chad Marion Nora Schweitzer
Clark Family Sue Mathis Sue Slezak
Rose Debruhl Terry McKinney Germaine Smith
Sylvia Ann Derrick Linda McKenna Michele Stanfield
AJ Devan Kendra Miller Earl Taylor
Carl Dubose Stacey Morgan Stephanie Taylor
Emily Ferriter Allison Morris Laura Turlington
Howard Flichman Robert & Mary Peak Alan Vestal
Tara-Lynn Flick Mark Pope Sam Warden
Pat & Joanne Gill Andy Powless Emma Wester
Jonathan Gomez Jane Ritchie Nicole Williams
Carolyn Graham Karen Rose Ruochong Wong
Pam Holcomb Shelly Saldaña John Wooding
Robin Hoots

Members in need, especially

The Rev. John Beeg Kay Conrad Ralph Pritts
Sharen Bond Chad Kraft Wanda Rabb
Ann Cannon Jim Lippard

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 JULY

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Peanut butter & Jelly; saltine crackers
SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Pasta (any type), canned chicken, deodorant, disposable razors, high efficiency laundry detergent packs/pods
RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Paper towels; 13-gallon trash bags; individual snacks & drinks; <https://rmhcpt.org/make-a-difference/wish-list/>
TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Deodorant, 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



Thanks to everyone who donated items to the Domestic Violence Shelter during the month of June. Your generosity is much appreciated. During the summer, our circle members will be making plans to gather the items needed to assemble LWR kits and Welcome Kits for LSC in the fall. We will also help with school supplies for CBC when information becomes available. Our general meeting will be held on September 24th after church, and all women of Epiphany are invited to attend. More information about the meeting will be available in the August Star.

 Bible Readings for Next Week Zechariah 9:9-12
Psalm 145:8-14
Romans 7:15-25a
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

6/25/23 ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

Attendance	98
Visitors	3
Offering	\$6,071.23