

# WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

*The Official Announcements of Concordia Lutheran Church*

## Part Time Position Available

### Coordinator of Youth Activities

The Board of Elders is seeking an individual to fill the position of Coordinator of Youth Activities for Concordia Lutheran Church. Bill Unverfehrt is stepping down from coordinating youth events at the end of October. The position will be part time, and the individual will be compensated based on experience. A job description can be picked up at the church office. Contact Doug Brady, Chairman of the BOE if you have any comments or questions.

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### Bible Verse for Reflection



He who gives to the poor will lack nothing, but he who closes his eyes to them receives many curses.

Proverbs 28:27

### Nursery Hours

**8:45a - 12:15p**

We are happy to have a church nursery available for your needs. It is located down the main hall off the sanctuary on the right-hand side, just a few doors past the office area. Look for the sign.

### Connect with Staff

Michael Geml, Sr. Pastor 517-395-8422  
Kyle McClure, Music Minister 828-302-1236  
Kathy Unverfehrt, Christian Ed. Coordinator 828-464-3324

Dave Beringer, Principal 715-551-5740  
Leslie Brown, Business Admin. 828-234-0372

Church Office 828-464-3324

School Office 828-464-3011

## Thank you!

We would like to thank everyone for the food, cards, texts, phone calls, and prayers given to us during the death of our loved one. We want to thank Pastor Geml and many of our friend for the visits with him and our family during his illness. Thank you all from the bottom of our hearts.

God's blessings to you all!

The Rick Wike Family

## Address for Bernice Holler

Bernice Holler has gone to live with her daughter while she goes through radiation and chemotherapy. She will be at this address for the next 4 weeks:

c/o Ann White

707 West Zion Church Rd

Shelby, NC 28150

## Pray for:

### Members:

Sydney Karre  
 Peggy Travis  
 Steven Geml  
 Donna Hager  
 Harold Unger  
 Denise Gilbert  
 Bernice Holler  
 Mary Herman  
 Frances Kaylor  
 Debbie Da Rosa

### Staff:

Kate Cullen  
 Stephanie Guelzow  
 Krystal Freeman  
 Tracie Henderson  
 Amy Coffey

### Friends:

Eli Ames  
 Erma Weber  
 Daniel Meier

### Military:

Eric Galloway  
 Kendall Hamm  
 Tony Sherrill  
 Christopher Walker  
 Jaylen Joyner  
 Nathan Malin  
 Mack Eisenhower  
 Amber Miller  
 Clay Weedman

Blessings to: Matt & Rachel Kaylor upon the baptism of Mason Wade Kaylor.

## Connect with Concordia

### FALL FESTIVAL

Don't forget the Fall Festival this afternoon from 4p to 6:15p. Hotdogs and hamburgers will be served. There will games for all ages, a bouncy house and Trunk 'r' Treat. Wear your best costume and enter the 'Costume Contest.' Bring a chair and watch all the festivities. Better yet, decorate your trunk and join in the fun!

### Cultivating Joy Through Gratitude

Ladies, your journals have arrived! Please stop by the church office and pick up your copy of, "Growing in Joy by Cultivating Gratitude." Thank you for being a part of this special growing in our faith event!

## *Christian Education*

**Sunday Christian Education Classes are offered at 10:10a. Chose from below:**

**Pre-school 3 – K** Classroom beside the nursery. – Led by Jerri Alice, Maggie Lou and Mary Elizabeth Carter.

**1st – 3rd Grade** – Led by Sharon White & Ron Bumgarner - Education wing of the church

**4th - 6th Grade** - Led by Kelly Roth - Education wing of the church

**7th – 12th Youth** – Led by Bill Unverfehrt - Youth Central

**Adults** – A#1 – Parents Leading Children in Faith - Kathy Unverfehrt

**Adults** - Chapel - A Longer Look at the Lessons - Led by Pastor Geml

**Adults** - Emmaus Room - “Person of Interest” - Led by Audra Kuchenbecker

### **Weekday Bible Study Classes**

**Ladies Bible Study** led by Kim Hauser – Wednesdays 7a – Emmaus Room

**Men’s Bible Study** led by David Isenhower – Thursdays 7a – Emmaus Room

**Dinner and a Movie** - *The Chosen* - Wednesdays 5:30p Dinner/Movie 6:15p

## **Weekly Calendar**

### **Sunday, October 27**

#### **Reformation Sunday**

9a Worship & Communion

10:10a Christian Education

11a Worship & Communion

4p Fall Festival

4p Cub Scouts

### **Monday, October 28**

1:30p Quilt Tacking

6:30p Scouts

### **Tuesday, October 29**

8:30a Staff Devotion & Meeting - Library

### **Wednesday, October 30**

7a Ladies Bible Study

3p Hang out with Mr. U - YC

5:45 Handbells

6:30p Praise Band

7:15 Choir

### **Thursday, October 31**

6:30a Men’s Bible Study -EM

2p Pastor’s Bible Study

### **Friday, November 1**

High School Youth Gathering Starts

2p Joyful Stitches

3:30p BSA Troop 383 Camping

### **Sunday, November 3**

#### **Fall Back**

9a Worship & Communion

10:10a Christian Education

11a Worship & Communion

4p Cub Scouts

4p Confirmation Check-In



## **Pondering for Parents**

Although God causes all things to work together for the good of His children, He still holds us accountable for our behavior as we model to our children Christian living.



### Youth Activities



“Hang Out Time” with Mr. U. is on Wednesdays in Youth Central. We play games, eat popcorn, do homework and just hang out!

## Volunteer to help with the fall Festival today! 4p – 6:15p Help out with the games!



Attention everyone 55 & older!!!! Our November meeting will be on November 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:30AM. We will enjoy a pot luck lunch. Our guest speaker will be Bruce Roseman from the Hickory Fire Department. Please mark your calendar and plan to be with us!! First time visitors do not need to bring a dish.



#### Faith Thought

*Since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.*  
Romans 5:1

#### **Children’s Activity Bags are Available!**

**Location: Welcome Centers**

**What: Coloring and other religious activities**

When church is over, please return it, with all the items in the bag, so they can be refreshed and made available again next week.

#### **OFFERINGS & TITHES**

All are invited to make an offering today as a worship expression of thanksgiving to God, and in support of the ministries of Concordia Lutheran Church. You may place your gift in the offering plates near the entrances as you enter or leave. May God bless our offerings and tithes, and bless the ministries which these gifts enable.

## Just the Facts:

**General Fund Offerings:** \$ 8,262

**Budget Needs:** \$ 18,541

**Attendance:** 226

**Online Offerings:** \$ 2,311

**Member of the week:** Bernice Holler – c/o Ann White, 707 West Zion Church Rd., Shelby, NC 28150

**The flowers on the altar last week** were given to the glory of God and in memory of Frieda Williams by Ron Williams.

**The flowers on the altar this week** were given to the glory of God by Ann Marie Blackmon.

Find us on:

