

St. David



March 2022 **WORSHIP SERVICES**

Join us Live each Sunday at 10:30 am www.stdavid.net @saintdavidlutheran



Tuesday, March 1—Shrove Tuesday SHROVE TUESDAY 6:30 pm—Shrove Tuesday Mardi Gras Pancake Supper



Wednesday, March 2—Ash Wednesday 7:00 pm—Ash Wednesday Worship

Sunday, March 6—First Sunday in Lent 9:30 am—Sunday School/Confirmation 10:30 am—Worship/Communion

Wednesday, March 9 7:00 pm—Lenten Vespers

Sunday, March 13—Second Sunday in Lent 9:30 am—Sunday School/Confirmation 10:30 am—Worship/Communion

Wednesday, March 16 7:00 pm—Lenten Vespers

Sunday, March 20—Third Sunday in Lent 9:30 am—Sunday School/Confirmation 10:30 am—Worship/Communion

Wednesday, March 23 7:00 pm—Lenten Vespers

Sunday, March 27—Fourth Sunday in Lent 9:30 am—Sunday School/Confirmation 10:30 am—Worship/Communion

Wednesday, March 30 7:00 pm—Lenten Vespers



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Two years ago, we entered into the Lenten season blissfully unaware of the changes that were coming our way as the Covid-19 pandemic unfolded. This Lent we enter the old, familiar journey to the cross knowing that there are changes ahead with my upcoming deployment and with Joel also leaving sometime this summer to go on internship for his seminary education. While there will be new faces in leadership of the staff of our congregation, I want you to remember something—the thing that holds us together is the story that we gather around, week after week.

The thing that binds us into the community and family of faith that we are is the story of God's love made known to us and to countless generations before us. This road that we walk each spring during the season of Lent is an especially important part of our story as Christian people. It may seem like a somber season, but while it does have a penitential feel, we truly get to celebrate that God loves us so much that he sent his Son into our world to save and redeem us through his suffering, death, and resurrection.

The invitation to Lent spoken on Ash Wednesday reminds us that we enter this season together "with the whole church" (see the Leaders Edition to *Evangelical Lutheran Worship*, p. 617). It goes on to state that "we are created for communion with God, to love one another, and to live in harmony with creation." Though many common Lenten practices rightly invite us to individual acts of "repentance, prayer and fasting, sacrificial giving and works of love," Lent is also a time for deepening of community. Our Lenten Vespers services will invite us to reflect on what it means to be in community with one another, with the world around us, with creation itself, and with God.

It is my prayer that we'll continue to hold fast to one another in the midst of these transitions and during my deployment so that the vibrant mission and ministry that happens in this place will continue and even grow stronger. Pastor Fred Suhr and your council leadership are fantastic leaders who are ready to lead us through this next year confidently proclaiming the gospel and equipping the body of Christ in this place for the work of ministry in this place.

May peace be our journey together,

Pastor Greg +

A WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE will be held Friday, March 4 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church from 12:00-1:00 pm. The service will be 12:00-12:30 pm followed by a "bring your own bag lunch" from 12:30-1:00 pm. Tea and water will be provided. England is the country of focus.

WE ARE BLESSED to have the opportunity for members of St. David to apply for a scholarship of \$300 to go toward the cost of a week at summer camp at Lutheridge in Arden, NC. These scholarships are in memory of Dermont Swicegood and Heather Lown. If you would like to apply, please e-mail Celeste Schnabel at celesteSchnabel@hotmail.com and she will send you the form. Turn completed form in to the Church Office by **March 6**.

WORSHIP NOTES



Come, Ye Disconsolate, where'er ye languish; come to the mercy seat, fervently kneel.

Here bring your wounded hearts,
here tell your anguish;
earth has no sorrow that heav'n cannot heal.

Joy of the desolate, light of the straying,
hope of the penitent, fadeless and pure.
Here speaks the Comforter,
tenderly saying,
"Earth has no sorrow that heav'n cannot cure."
Thomas Moore, d. 1852
Here see the Bread of life; see waters flowing
forth from the throne of God, pure from above.
Come to the feast of love;
come, ever knowing
earth has no sorrow but heav'n can remove.
Thomas Hastings, d. 1872
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"Relief in Prayer" was the original title of this poem by the Irish poet Thomas Moore. Although trained as a lawyer, he made poetry his vocation. He wrote over 32 sacred songs, along with ballads and secular songs. He became known as the "Voice of Ireland" and greatly influenced English attitudes toward the Irish. The third verse was changed – rescued – by Thomas Hastings. It shows the healing and comfort that can be found in the sacraments of the Church.

The bitterness in a heart can be hard to heal, and when healed, it is often a private thing, not casually explained to someone who has not walked through that valley. As we travel through Lent on our personal journeys', let us be mindful of those who suffer unseen wounds.

February 2022 Council Highlights

Highlights from the February 2022 St. David Church Council Meeting

The St. David Congregation Council met in its regular monthly meeting on Sunday, February 20, 2022, at 6:30 pm in the Conference Room. The following items were discussed and action taken as needed.

- *Worship & Music: Traditional Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper is planned for Tuesday, March 1. Steps are being taken to secure a location for the return of the Annual Lakeside Service in September.
- *Learning: VBS is June 13-16. Amy Ruple has agreed to lead the planning and will be seeking volunteers of all ages to help.
- *Fellowship, Support & Auxiliaries: Young at Heart is in need of a bus driver with CDL credentials.
- A sendoff reception for Pastor Greg is planned for March 27 following worship. On April 3, a welcome reception for interim Pastor Fred Suhr is scheduled following worship.
- *Property: Approval was given to pursue bids for repairing, sealing and repainting lines in the parking lot. Also approved was painting of the bleachers in the gym. Gym Floor Committee will proceed with renovations once bids are refreshed.
- *Technology: Council has identified a pressing need to correct outdated member addresses and phone numbers. Planning is in the works to get this done. Council members will man a computer in the narthex to assist members with this process on Easter Sunday. Other opportunities will be employed as well in order to get this task done.
- *Pastor Greg submitted names of four individuals requesting to have their memberships moved to St David. They are Tim Roberson, Glenda Boozer, Betty Cox, Steve Pullie. All were approved by Council. Planning for deployment is progressing with a smooth transition being the goal of the pastor and Council.
- * **Joel Antley** asked that a trip to the beach on July 24-30 for the Youth be approved since the National Youth Gathering was cancelled. Council approved this request.
- *Council approved a letter to the congregation regarding Pastor Greg's deployment and the process of hiring the interim, Pastor Suhr.
- *Drive through communion will continue on the first Sunday of each month for one hour following worship.
- *Council agreed to pursue the intern process with the seminary. This will be a full-time position. Interim Pastor Suhr has agreed to act as supervisor during Pastor Greg's deployment. The intern year runs from September to August.
- *Covid protocols regarding masking and distancing during worship were left in place since the numbers for Lexington County remain in the 'High' category according to SCDHEC. Protocols will be revisited at the next Council meeting on March 13.

The meeting was adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

THANK YOU

The Martha Circle donated five (5) new pieces of altar linens. A big Thank You to the Martha Circle.

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - OPERATIONS MINISTRY REPORT

MONTH ENDED January 31, 2022

| MONTH ENDED January 31, 2022 | | |
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| DE OFINE | | ACTUAL |
| RECEIPTS: | | \$ 49,819.84 |
| Receipts (Includes Envelopes & Other Receipts) Transfer of Dedicated Funds | | 9 47,017.84 0.00 |
| Total Receipts (Includes Envelopes & Other Receipts) | | \$ 49,819.84 |
| DISBURSEMENTS: | | |
| Worship & Music | | |
| Music, altar, bulletins, supply pastor & instruments | \$ 1,248.68 | |
| ELCA & Synod Support | \$ - | |
| Salaries | \$ 9,547.20 | |
| Support expenses allocation | \$ 4,724.59 | |
| Debt payment allocation | \$ 600.00 | = |
| Worship & Music Sub-Total | | \$ 16,120.46 |
| Learning | | |
| Education, Youth & family ministry, scholarship, VBS, etc. | \$ 1,312.15 | |
| ELCA & Synod Support | \$ - | |
| Salaries | \$ 5,308.14 | |
| Support expenses allocation | \$ 4,724.59 | |
| Debt payment allocation | \$ 600.00 | - |
| Learning Sub-Total | | \$ 11,944.87 |
| Serving | • | |
| Social ministry, ELCA missionary support, & Global missions | \$ - | |
| ELCA & Synod Support | \$ 4,177.15 | |
| Salaries | \$ 2,867.02 | |
| Support expenses allocation Debt payment allocation | \$ 1,038.13 \$ 600.00 | |
| Serving Sub-Total | <u> </u> | - \$ 8,682.30 |
| Witnessing | | φ 0,002.50 |
| | | |
| Evangelism, Stewardship & Hispanic ministry | \$ - | |
| ELCA & Synod Support | \$ 1,392.38 | |
| Salaries | \$ 2,867.02 | |
| Support expenses allocation | \$ 1,097.89 | |
| Debt payment allocation | \$ 600.00 | - ¢ 505700 |
| Witnessing Sub-Total Total Disbursements | | \$ 5,957.29 \$ 42,704.93 |
| Total Dispoisements | | <u></u> |
| RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) DISBURSEMENTS | | \$ 7,114.91 |
| TRANSFER OF FUNDS - for debt principal payments | | 5,000.00 |
| Funds Applied to Debt Principal | | 5,000.00 |
| Available for Operations Beginning Balance 2022 | | 189,880.66 |
| AVAILABLE FOR OPERATIONS AS OF 1/31/2022 | | \$189,880.66 |
| BB&T NOTE BALANCE | | \$ 48,522.12 |
| CHURCH SIGN FUND | | \$ 12,758.81 |

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - OPERATIONS MONTH ENDED January 31, 2022

| | ACTUAL | SPENDING PLAN | Actual Compared to Spending Plan | |
|--|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| RECEIPTS: | | | | |
| Receipts (Includes Envelopes & Other Receipts) | \$ 49,819.84 | \$ 49,376.21 | \$443.63 0.9% | |
| Transfer of Dedicated Funds | 0.00 | 0.00 | | |
| Total Receipts (Includes Envelopes & Other Receipts) | \$ 49,819.84 | \$ 49,376.21 | \$443.63 0.9% | |
| DISBURSEMENTS: | | | | |
| ELCA & Synod Support | \$5,569.53 | \$4,567.79 | \$1,001.74 21.9% | |
| Total Salaries | 20,589.38 | 22,848.61 | -\$2,259.23 -9.9% | |
| Office/Miscellaneous | 2,395.43 | 2,855.67 | -\$460.24 -16.1% | |
| Worshiping & Music | 1,248.68 | 862.49 | \$386.19 44.8% | |
| Learning | 0.00 | 908.32 | -\$908.32 -100.0% | |
| Scholarships | 1,000.00 | 250.00 | \$750.00 300.0% | |
| Confirmation | 0.00 | 125.00 | -\$125.00 -100.0% | |
| Youth & Family Services (CYFM) | 312.15 | 250.00 | \$62.15 24.9% | |
| Young-At-Heart/Tone Chimes | 0.00 | 29.17 | -\$29.17 -100.0% | |
| Serving | 0.00 | 491.67 | -\$491.67 -100.0% | |
| Witnessing | 0.00 | 216.67 | -\$216.67 -100.0% | |
| Supporting | 0.00 | 83.33 | -\$83.33 -100.0% | |
| Congregational Life Comm | 0.00 | 125.00 | -\$125.00 -100.0% | |
| Kitchen & Cleaning Supplies | 179.26 | 250.00 | -\$70.74 -28.3% | |
| Utilities | 2,649.98 | 3,333.33 | -\$683.35 -20.5% | |
| Insurance | 1,587.00 | 1,833.33 | -\$246.33 -13.4% | |
| Vehicle(s) Maintenance | 0.00 | 166.67 | -\$166.67 -100.0% | |
| Maintenance of Bldg. & Equipment | 754.00 | 3,750.00 | -\$2,996.00 -79.9% | |
| Service Contracts | 2,262.42 | 2,333.33 | -\$70.91 -3.0% | |
| Landscaping | 1,650.00 | 1,625.00 | \$25.00 1.5% | |
| Payroll Preparation Service | 107.10 | 70.83 | \$36.27 51.2% | |
| Debt Payment (Principal and Interest) | 2,400.00 | 2,400.00 | \$0.00 0.0% | |
| TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS: | \$42,704.93 | \$49,376.21 | -\$6,671.28 -13.5% | |
| RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) DISBURSEMENTS | \$7,114.91 | \$ 0.00 | | |
| TRANSFER OF FUNDS - for debt principal payments | 5,000.00 | | | |
| Funds Applied to Debt Principal | 5,000.00 | | | |
| Available for Operations Beginning Balance 2022 | • | | | |
| AVAILABLE FOR OPERATIONS AS OF 1/31/2022 | \$196,995.57 | | | |
| BB&T NOTE BALANCE | \$ 48,522.12 | | | |
| Church Sign Fund | \$ 12,758.81 | | | |

Mardí Gras is coming...



Join us on <u>MARCH 1 at 6:30 p.m.</u> in the Family Life Center for Mardi Gras!



A pancake supper will be served. Enjoy music, a parade, a lesson/craft, and the Ceremony of the Ashes.

Children are encouraged to wear costumes for the celebration!

MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US!



ASH WEDNESDAY—March 2, 2022

Plan to attend Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00 pm.

Lenten Worship

Join us on Wednesdays—March 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6 for Soup & Sandwich Supper at 6:00 pm and Lenten Vespers at 7:00 pm.

EASTER LILY ORDER FORM



We are now taking orders for Easter Lilies, which will be used to decorate the sanctuary on Easter Sunday. The cost of the Easter Lily will be \$14.00 each. This price includes green wrapping and delivery to St. David.

Please consider placing an Easter Lily in the church in honor or memory of a loved one or special person. All orders must be placed by Thursday, <u>March</u>

<u>31</u>. Make checks payable to St. David Lutheran Church and mail to the Church Office or place in the offering plate.

Please put information for the Easter Lily below.

Please list <u>ONLY ONE (1)</u> Easter Lily <u>PER SHEET</u>. (You may pick up more sheets in the Narthex or Commons Area).

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| and/or N MEMORY OF |
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Please include a check for \$14.00 for the Easter Lily.



GERANIUM ORDER FORM

We are now taking orders for Geraniums, which will be used to decorate the sanctuary on Pentecost Sunday. The cost of the Geranium will be \$14.00 each. This price includes terra cotta pot and delivery to St. David.

Please consider placing a Geranium in the church in honor or memory of a loved one or special person. All orders must be placed by Thursday, March

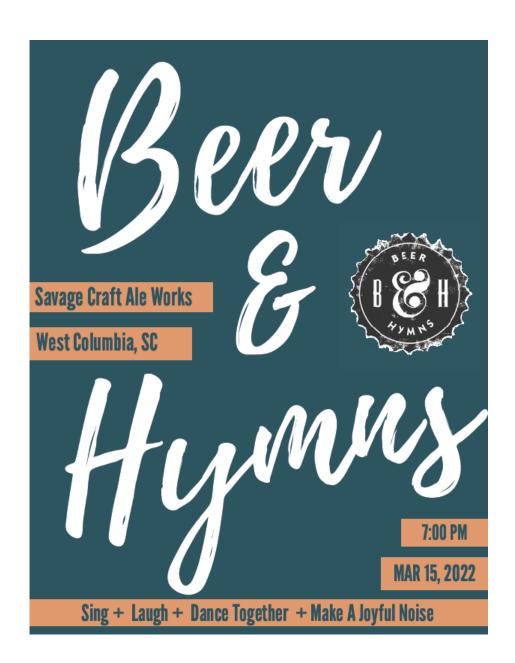
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Please put information for the Geranium below.

Please list <u>ONLY ONE (1)</u> Geranium <u>PER SHEET</u>. (You may pick up more sheets in the Narthex or Commons Area).

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| IN MEMORY OF | | |
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Please include a check for \$14.00 for the Geranium.





March 26, 2022 11:00am

Hosted by St. David Lutheran Church and the American Legion Riders from Sandy Run Post 156

We invite you to come out and join us, socialize and start the riding season off with good vibes and a prayer. A lunch will be provided for those who attend. We will also be collecting canned goods to support local homeless and hungry veterans.

We will meet at St. David Lutheran Church located at:

132 St Davids Church Rd, West Columbia

For more info call:

Andy Powell / 803-606-2285 Or Pastor Greg Brown / 803-356-3035

Visit our websites:

www.ALRPOST156.COM www.stdavid.net





PRESBYTERIAN HOME

Sybil Quattlebaum 700 Davega Drive Room 113 Skilled Nursing Care Lexington, SC 29072

CAROLL CAMPBELL

Vivian Fulmer Caroll Campbell 802 Old Cherokee Road Rm 101 Lexington, SC 29072

STILL HOPES

· A.J. Dooley 2107 Still Hopes Drive Greenway Building K West Columbia, SC 29169

WELLMORE HEALTH CARE

Jean Roberts 200 Wellmore Drive, Apt 3214 Lexington, SC 29072

Tish Sox 200 Wellmore Drive Skilled Nursing Care Room 2302 Lexington, SC 29072

CAROLINA GARDENS

Patricia Mathias 5422 Augusta Road, Room 203 Lexington, SC 29072

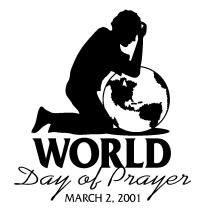


Fundraising is progressing to replace our sign out front that will allow us to communicate more effectively with the world around us. Our Evangelism Committee is heading up the fundraising efforts.

The total cost of the sign is estimated at \$40K. If you would like to give to this project, please make a note on the check for "Church Sign."

Being able to share the good news with the world around us as they drive by will hopefully encourage more of our neighbors to come and check us out! Help us to share the story of St. David and our awesome ministry!





Bulletin Board

Church Office hours—

9:00 am-5:00 pm Monday—Thursday

Friday 9:00 am-2:00 pm.

Lunchtime varies

FOODS FOR FOOD PANTRY

in March is Sunday, March 6 and again on April 3. Place your items in the boxes in the Narthex.

ST. DAVID CAREGIVERS SUPPORT MINISTRY OPERATES A CLOSET OF AIDS FOR THE DISABLED. If you are in need of an item, it will be loaned to you for as long as necessary. We only ask that you return

items when no longer needed. Contact the Church Office.

Items available: crutches - 12 pairs, potty chairs - 8, shower chairs - 2, walking canes - 3, walkers - 22, wheelchairs - 3

2021 CONGREGATION COUNCIL MEMBERS

Linda Turner (President)
Claire Compton (Vice-President)
Debbie Dooley (Secretary)
Kirsten Davis (Assistant Secretary)
Drew Laughlan (Treasurer)
Lenny Bugay (Financial Secretary)
Hannah Riddle (Youth Member)

Jim Brazell
Gary Dooley
Bruce McFarland
Susan Miller
Matt Schnabel
Mikel Smith
Danny Shull
Brad Sox

MISSION LEXINGTON IS IN NEED OF FOOD. The need for food is still there to keep their food pantry stocked. Monetary donations can still be made by annotating on our church envelopes or other means of giving. Thanks for your support. Social Ministry Committee

THE 2022 SIGN-UP POSTER for bulletins and communion is in the Narthex. Be sure to sign up for your important dates. If you have questions, please contact the Church Office.

THE CANCELLED STAMP PROGRAM

This program is still going on. It was started at St. David by Sybil Quattlebaum in 1972. Thanks to all who have kept this ministry going by bringing your stamps to us. The income from their sales goes to support preparation, publishing and distribution of a new Spanish language curriculum for Sunday Schools.

Please place your cancelled stamps in the box in the David Sunday School Classroom. Do not remove the stamps from the paper (leave 1/4" to 1/3" border), BUT, if stamps are already off the paper they have a buyer for them. PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ENTIRE ENVELOPES IN THE BOX, THEY TAKE UP TOO MUCH ROOM.

If you have any questions, please call June Suite at 803-957-8179. Again, thank you for your participation in the past and looking forward.

CONTACTING THE CHURCH

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Friday, 9:00 am-2:00 pm

Church Phone: 356-3035

Gloria, Secretary - office@stdavid.net

Joel Antley, Youth Director - youth@stdavid.net

Dr. Al, Director of Music - music@stdavid.net

Otto, Choir Director - choir@stdavid.net

CONTACTING PASTOR

Pastor Greg may be reached by calling the Church Office during Office Hours - 356-3035.

After Office Hours call 864-554-7924.

e-mail: pastor@stdavid.net

SOCIAL MEDIA

Visit Our Web Page: stdavid.net Find / Like Us On: FACEBOOK

COUNCIL INFO & REPORTS:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/0Bz3R4YtfE2Y0S1ZsZE42aEhId3c

Council President - Linda Turner (803) 530-1496 or santa1fe2@aol.com

PUBLICIST for Local Media: Pam Fox 356-4052 or Believe.pf@gmail.com

(2 weeks notice needed prior to church event)

ATTENTION: LAMPLIGHTER DEADLINE for

the April Lamplighter is March 14. We need your group's news and activities. If your group or committee has something newsworthy coming up, get your article in to the Church Office on or before the 14th of March. Any article received after the 14th will go in the May Lamplighter. Thank you for your cooperation.

IF YOU HAVE an article for the Lamplighter Weekly, please submit before 2:00 pm on Wednesday of each week. Any article submitted after that will go in the following week.



DVD'S OF THE WORSHIP SERVICES are available for our shut-ins. If you need a DVD, please call the Church Office and let us

know.

A WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY CLASS meets on Tuesday nights at 7:00 pm in the Conference Room.

MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY— Join us for our Midweek Bible Study in the Conference Room on Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am.

WANTED - ASSISTANT: Will you help me coordinate St. David Blood Drives with the Red Cross, recruit volunteer staff to work each drive, advertise, and/or assist potential donors to register online, i.e., become my Assistant? Or maybe you can volunteer two hours to work at a blood drive - not that hard; I'll train. Call Bernie Lee at (803) 348-0631.

A Prayer Reminder

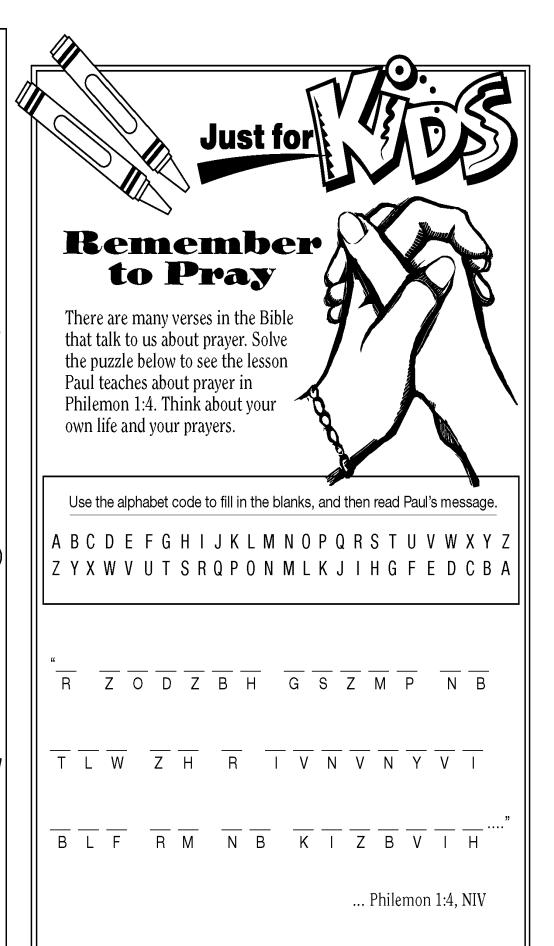
Many times we fold our hands together to pray. Here is a "handy" craft that can help you remember what to include in your prayers.

What you need:

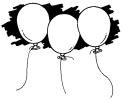
- 2 sheets of 8½" x 11" construction paper (different colors)
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Crayons
- 1 piece of ribbon, yarn or string about 6-12 inches long
- Glue (white or glue stick)

What to do:

- 1. Trace your hand on one sheet of paper.
- 2. Cut out the traced hand.
- 3. Tie the ribbon, yarn or string around the pointer (index) finger.
- 4. Write a message on each finger:
 (Pointer finger) God's guidance (pray for help to follow God's ways)
 (Middle finger) Leaders in my life (teachers, pastors, etc.)
 (Ring finger) Sick
 - and old people
 (Pinky finger)
 Myself(Thumb) My family
- 5. Glue the hand onto the other sheet of paper.
- 6. Start with the ribbon finger and pray for God's help. Then pray for all the people on each finger.



Answer: I always thank my God as I remember you in my prayers



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Brennan Geller

Erin Whitenack

Luke Schumpert

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

| | | 12 | Jessica L. Bleakley | 21 | Lewis Hite |
|---|--|----|--|-----------|--|
| 1 | Alyssa Laughlan Andrea Epley | 13 | Alyse Garrett | 22 | Ashley H. Shull Rilee Bleakley |
| 2 | Travis Mayo Curtis Clamp Helen Coffman | 14 | Cindy Hendrix Aurie Richardson Ripley Burnette | 23 | Charles Schumpert Gina W. Winemiller Amanda Y. Enlow |
| | Andy Brown | 15 | Deni S. Titcomb Katrina A. Coral | 24 | Michael R. Sox |
| 3 | Kate Labelle | | Larry Rauch | 25 | Betty McDaniel |
| 4 | Dianne Davis Tillman Mathias | 16 | Beth Ann A. Bremer Ashton Crowe | 26 | Hal Cone |
| | F. T. Mathias IV Jim Lane | 17 | Nancy Sanders Lois Dooley | 27 | Allison Edwards Jeannie Hartley |
| 5 | Curtis Hilliard Deborah Horton Carol Woodlief Nathan Corley | 17 | Donald Schumpert Debbie Dooley Drew Laughlan Aaron Perez | | Sharon Bouronich Barbara Thompson Taylor Montgomery |
| | Ella Floyd | 18 | Morgan Shull | 28 | Eli Bowers Caroline Bleakley |
| 6 | Brian Stowers | | Shannon Smith Alyssa Donald | | Gail Brazell |
| 7 | Tommy Peake Joan Smith Vivian Mims | | Karen Weed Audrey Stowers | 29 | Marvin Sox Anna Martin |
| | Brendan Dickey | 19 | Whitman Rucker Parker Rate | 30 | Charles Dooley Lavern Slyce |
| 8 | Marvin Carnell Larry Enlow Jackson Brown | | Coleman Goodwin Beverly Breuer | 31 | Betty Rikard June Suite |
| 0 | Reagan Brown | 20 | Earl Jeffcoat Lauren S. Sheriff | | Hannah Slyce Jacob Riddle Ali Gibson |
| 9 | Andy Peake Brooke Sox | | Sandra Amodio Kirstie Hewson Savannah Schultz | ur name w | as left off this m |
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If your name was left off this month's list, please call the church office so we may add it to next year's list.

DRIVE-THRU COMMUNION

Jonah Miller

John Bundrick

On the first Sunday of each month there is a Drive-thru Communion after the worship service for one hour under the carport on the Fellowship Hall side of the church.

OUR HEARTFELT SYMPATHY IS EXPRESSED TO:

The family of Reba W. Hite in her death on January 30.

Jim Bickley and family in the death of his grandfather, Ray Bickley on February 6.

Larry Smith and family in the death of his father, Bill Smith on February 15. Bob and Gaynell Hubbs in the death of their son, Robbie Hubbs on February 16.

May they be supported by the Good News of Resurrection Victory in Christ.

WOMEN OF THE ELCA

St. David Women of the ELCA held a called General Meeting on Saturday, February 4 at 2:00 pm in the David Classroom at St. David Lutheran Church. The purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for 2022. Barbara McDaniel opened the meeting with devotions. Barbara Dooley made the nominations for officers from the nominating committee. The slate of officers present were elected as follows:

President Ann Alexander
VP Emily Labelle
Secretary Sylvia Wessinger
Treasurer Julie McFarland

The Committee Chairs are as follows:

Discipleship (Growth) Betty Enlow and Freda Hibbs Stewardship (Community) Deanna Hage and Elaine Palmer

Justice (Action) Barbara Dooley and Barbara McDaniel

After the elections, Ann Alexander presided for the rest of the meeting.

A date for an Executive Committee meeting will be set to review and adopt the Constitution and 2022 Budget. The yearly calendar was established.

Pam Fox is working on the yearbook and needs updated information from each group. This should include the group leader, recorder, membership, and members who will serve on the committees.

The State Women of the ELCA convention will be June 24-25 at The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in Newberry, SC. We can send 2 delegates and nominate a first time guest and a young Woman guest. The convention project this year is collecting funds to establish a nursing scholarship at Newberry College.

2022 St. David Women of the ELCA Calendar

January

February 5 – General Meeting 2 pm

25-26 - SC WELCA Camp Kinard Retreat

March 4 – World Day of Prayer

April 2 – Our Savior Lutheran Church Retreat 10-2 22-24 – SC WELCA Spring Retreat at Isle of Palms

24 – Information due for SWO Convention

May 1 – Women of the ELCA Sunday

Groups collect Joy offering

5 – National Day of Prayer

June 24-25 – State Wide Organization (SWO) Convention

The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Newberry, SC

July

August

September – Annual General Meeting (Elect Officers)

October

November – Groups collect Joy offering

December

St. David Youth and LYLS Joel Antley E:Youth@St.David

March 1, Tuesday, 6:30 pm—Shrove Tuesday Mardi Gras Pancake Supper

March 6, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

March 18-20, Friday, Saturday, Sunday—Middle School Winter Retreat—Camp Kinard

March 26, Saturday, 9:00-11:00 am—Kindle—Frankie's Fun Park

March 27, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—LYLS

April 3, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

April 10, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

April 16, Saturday, Easter Egg Hunt & Carnival

April 24, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—LYLS

May 1, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

May 8, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

May 14, Saturday, 9:00-11:00 am—Kindle—Riverbanks Zoo

May 15, Sunday, 12:00 nn-2:00 pm—Summer Kickoff Church Picnic and Party—Family Event

May 22, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—LYLS-ELF

May 29, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

June 5, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

June 12, Sunday, Confirmation Sunday

June 12-15, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 5:30 pm—VBS Supper, 6:00 pm VBS Classes

June 17-19, Friday, Saturday, Sunday—SC LCY Convention at Newberry College

June 26, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

July 10, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

July 16, Saturday, All Day—Phos Beach Day Trip

August 7, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

August 10, Wednesday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

August 14, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—Phos

August 21, Sunday, 3:00-5:00 pm—LYLS

LUTHERIDGE: Get excited for summer fun at Lutheridge! Check out novusway.org for all of the awesome programs that Lutheridge has to offer for any child who has completed first grade through high school. There are on-site programs, music week, Christmas week, as well as adventure programs that involve whitewater rafting, rock climbing and much, more! There will be transportation offered the week of June 26-July 2 for kids from St. David and Cristo Rey. If you sign up for this week and want to join us on the bus, please contact Celeste Schnabel cel_schnabel@hotmail.com. Looking forward to my FAVORITE week of the summer!!! Hope you will join us!

KAIROS FOR CONFIRMATION STUDENTS -

Confirmation Students, we encourage you to attend the Kairos Camp week at Lutheridge with Joel the week of June 19-25. Transportation will be provided for this group as well. Joining us for Kairos will be St. James Summit youth and their pastor, Pastor Peter Morey. If you sign up for this week, please contact Joel Antley - youth@stdavid.net.

YOUNG AT HEART

Young at Heart (YAH) met Tuesday, February 8 in the Fellowship Hall. There were 65 members and guests in attendance. Crystal Strong from the Governor's Council on Aging presented a program on social security.

Sign-up sheets were available for anyone wanting to go on the Aiken Trolly (March 24) or the Narroway Theatre (April 9) trips. On Monday, February 14, YAH members go to Shealy's for the annual Valentine's luncheon.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 8, at 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Erna Roof, inspirational speaker, will have the program.

Individuals 55 and over are invited to join this lively group for fun and fellowship. ALL are WELCOME!!

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BULLETIN CALENDAR FOR MARCH

MARCH 6—Labelles

MARCH 13—June Suite

MARCH 20—Stephany Suite

MARCH 27—Brazells



COMMUNION GIFTS FOR MARCH

MARCH 6—Deborah Horton

MARCH 13—

MARCH 20—Bundricks

MARCH 27—





FLOWER CALENDAR FOR MARCH

MARCH 6—Brazells

MARCH 13—Comptons

MARCH 20—June Suite

MARCH 27—Robbie & Amy Ruple

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<u>MEMBERSHIP</u> - New members are always welcome at St. David! Please talk to Pastor Greg on Sunday or call the Church Office.

<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL</u> - Stop by the Church Office on Sunday morning at 9:30 am and talk to Jennifer Jeffcoat, Sunday School Director.

YOUTH MINISTRY - Call Joel Antley at 803-645-3466.

<u>MUSIC MINISTRY</u> - Call Al Roberts at 803-356-1700. We have choirs for all ages - vocal, handbell and instrumental.

WOMEN OF THE ELCA - Call Ann Alexander at 803-530-1749.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR - Call Celeste Schnabel at 803-727-2626. Choir for all children 3 years old through fifth grade.

YOUNG AT HEART - Talk to Linda Turner at 803-530-1496 about monthly meetings, trips, activities and ministries.

<u>LUTHERAN MEN IN MISSION</u> - Call Marvin Sox at 803-315-6499. Meetings are the first Monday night of each month at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

<u>CAMPUS MINISTRY</u> - Contact Laurie Harmon at lsharmon@windstream.net or 803-359-8653 or Sylvia Wessinger at sjwessinger@ yahoo.com or 803-957-1312.