



North American Lutheran Church (NALC) Disaster Response Loads Truck for Hurricane Harvey

Flood buckets, cleaning supplies, bottled water, and many other emergency supplies were loaded Monday, August 28, 2017, for delivery to Texas for Hurricane Harvey relief.

NALC and the HARP Mission volunteers are providing the manpower to help hundreds of these families. The HARP Mission serves southeast Ohio in non-disaster times, providing material goods, home repairs, and job training to low income families. When a disaster strikes, NALC volunteers are ready to ship emergency supplies from the national warehouse in Caldwell. These are items that are not easily available in impacted communities.

To support Hurricane Harvey relief efforts, you may send donations to St. Luke's Domestic Disaster Relief by dropping off a check or mailing a check to the church office and we will forward to the NALC Disaster Relief program.

If you would like to make flood buckets or contribute other needed materials, check the NALC website. See Jeanine Sanford if you would like to lead some helping hands efforts on behalf of St. Luke's and the greater Saxonburg community. The Church will be coordinating helping hands efforts for months to come.



Adult Sunday School Class

"Detour: Finding Purpose
When Life Doesn't Make
Sense" by Phil Tuttle
Starts September 17th at 9:30
In the Hattie Cooper Room

We all learned years ago that the shortest distance between two points is a straight line. Well, apparently the Creator and Sustainer of the universe didn't get that email. In our walk through life, God's road map almost never takes us in a straight line from point A to point B. He inserts many "detours" along our life's path. Know Joseph as your personal mentor. Learn to appreciate the "detours" in your life as never before. Sign up in the Koinonia Café.

Fall Worship Schedule

Sunday Worship 8:15 * 9:30 * 10:45
Sunday School for ages 18 m and up at 9:30
Starts September 17, 2017

Rally Day Picnic

Benefits hurricane Harvey
Lutheran Disaster Relief

(Collection and other fundraising details to be announced)

12:00

Hattie Cooper Patio

**Menu: Pulled pork, chicken, hot dogs, mac and cheese,
baked beans, rigatoni and cookies.**

Games/entertainment/ craft outreach

Sign-up sheet in the Koinonia Café



One Saturday a month

September 16th, October 21st,
November 18th, December 16th

5:00-8:00

Ages: 1—10

Suggested donation of \$10.00 per child
(not to exceed \$25.00 per family)

20 Children max per night

Register your child/children for an evening so that you can enjoy a night out and your children can also have fun hanging out with other children. In a caring Christian environment, they will have dinner, learn about God's Word and have fun with other children. For more information---feel free to contact Kristen Begeman, mkmnc@comcast.net or 724-265-2340 or the church office at 724-352-2333.



Back to School Blessing

Let's keep these schools in our prayers:
South Butler School District, Butler
Area School District, Slippery Rock
Area Schools, Seneca Valley School
District, Deer Lakes School District,
Mars Area Schools, St. Luke's Lutheran

School, Holy Sepulcher Catholic School, Cardinal Wuerl
North Catholic High School, Evangel Heights Christian
Academy, Butler County Community College, Westminster
College, Grove City College, Duquesne University, Carlow
University, Indiana University of PA, West Virginia
University, University of Findlay, Arizona State University,
and Pennsylvania State University



CENTENNIAL HALL QUILT SHOW

SEPTEMBER 9 & 10

During the Saxonburg Festival of the Arts
(110 State Street, Saxonburg Pa)

- ❖ Featuring local Quilts
- ❖ Quilting and Sewing Vendor booths
 - ❖ Local Crafters with fall and holiday items and gifts
- ❖ Food and Beverages available for donation
 - ❖ Silent Auction baskets

Raffle to be drawn
September 10th 5:00 p.m.
Winner need not be present



Help needed for the Food Area during the Saxonburg Festival of the Arts and Centennial Hall Quilt Show. If you are able to help the Sewing Ministry with food sales on September 9 and 10, please sign up in the Koinonia Café. Today.

OUR PRAYERS, JOYS, CARES AND CONCERNS

Praise and Thanksgiving: For safe and happy return to schools for all of our students, Zach Wilbert's sharing of his gifts and talents with us last Sunday.

Cares/Concerns: Persecuted Christians, Dalton Ingley (stage 5 kidney failure/dialysis), Raj Boehm (ALS) & her caretakers, John Gundlach (blood clots in lung), Tom Patterson (chemo), Jim Fonner (cancer), Matt Meyer (cancer), Bethany Lang (new baby), Shirley Minnich (Jeannine's aunt/heart surgery), Rosemarie Grossman (pending heart surgery), Nancy Simpson, Charlie Bice (Lyme), Susan Heade (health problems), those with addictions, Baby Merek Wabazewski (daily chelation therapies at Children's), Patty Christie (cancer), David Williamson (Kristen Begeman's uncle/spinal cord surgery), Jim (stroke), Trisha Holland (induced labor), Diane Marburger (foot fracture), Makin family and all others in Houston flooding, Leslie Anderson (complicated surgery), Emma Martin (knee surgery), Joyce Miller, Adam Heade

Bereaved: Friends and family of Richard Schultz, Ted Annibel

NALC Church of the Week: Zion Lutheran, Pittsburgh, Rev. Garrett Siemsen

School of the Week: North Hills/Cardinal Wuerl HS



ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of Cindy Vanetta on our anniversary by Bob Vanetta.

Available for a donation:



This toy shelf is on wheels and includes a couple toys! It is located in Centennial Hall basement in the hallway and needs to be removed ASAP. Please contact the church office if you are interested: 724-352-2333



Sunday, September 3, 2017

8:15 Communion Worship

10:00 Communion Worship

2:00 Elmcroft

Tuesday, September 5, 2017

12:00 Prayer Circle

Saturday, September 9, 2017

Saxonburg Festival of the Arts

10:00 Quilt Show

Sunday, September 10, 2017

8:15 Worship

10:00 Outdoor Worship

12:00 Quilt Show

2:00 Band Concert on the Lawn

2:00 Saxony Service

Office Hours

Monday 9-3
Tuesday 9-3
Wednesday 9-3
Thursday 9-3

Birthdays

Kristen Begeman	9/3
Adam Heade	9/3
Charlie Ekas	9/5
Rebecca Carrozzo	9/5
Peggy Crawford	9/6
Gary Cooper	9/7
James Nelson	9/7
Jennifer Ross	9/7
John Logan	9/8
Rebecca Nyren	9/8
David Fennell	9/10

Anniversaries

Charlie & Jackie Bice	9/3
Ross & Jeannine Strohmeyer	9/4
David & Judy Gundlach	9/5

Aging with Knowledge

Understanding long-term care options and government benefits

September 19, 2017

6 pm to 8 pm

Butler Health System Auditorium
1 Hospital Way, Butler

Registration Recommended

Seating is limited

Please call 724-431-3939
to reserve your seat today!