

Growing Together

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Our mission:

**Bring people to
Christ.**

**Teach Christians
to be disciples.**

**Send disciples to
reach the world.**



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The article of interest below is extracted from the newsletter of Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church, my former church, near Pittsburgh – Mike Sting

WHEN DOES CATECHISM BEGIN?

Reversing the Trend

Congregations have different catechism requirements. Program length and rigor vary. There are differences in the grade level and ages of students. Nothing said below is directed specifically to current students and families in our catechism program. Rather, the concerns are based on decades of ministry and shared with the hope of reform.

Catechism begins the day a child is born. Parents learn this truth when they meet with pastors for baptismal instruction. They learn the duties of Christian parents include more than letters, numbers; diapers; and vaccinations. Teaching faith in Christ is the vow parents make on the occasion of their child's baptism.

Teaching faith includes...

Ongoing modeling and instruction in the home: Praying before meals; praying before bedtime; reading and teaching Bible stories (Do children see Bibles in plain view in the home and their parents reading God's word?)

Remembering the Sabbath and keeping it holy: One of the greatest, noticeable changes of the last century has been the decline in weekly church attendance. Decline is evident in Europe, North America, but not in every part of the world. Children learn the habits of their parents. Parents who worship weekly are more likely to have children who do the same in life. There's no guarantee. Children may reject their parents' way. This truth, however, remains: parents pull the sled; they set the course of family life.

Sunday School Attendance: "Perfect Sunday School Attendance" pins were once awarded at the end of each Sunday School year. Most churches no longer follow this practice. Few pins could be given. When youth reach the age of catechetical instruction, there's a great difference between those who've attended Sunday School and those who've not. Think of a 7th grade classroom with some having a knowledge of math and reading and others seeing numbers and letters for the first time. To teach in such a context means starting from scratch, altering curriculum that assumes previous years of instruction. The matter is compounded when adults are unwilling to serve as Sunday School teachers. Teacher shortages hurt.

Practicing ongoing confession and forgiveness: No pastor, parent, or child is perfect. We are sinners made holy by Christ. Teaching faith includes modeling the God of grace and forgiving love. When children see parents repenting and confessing sin (in the home and in worship), they mature by the experience of

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grace. They learn gratitude for God and are inspired to gratefully serve throughout life, using their time, talent, and treasure.

So when does catechism begin? In truth, faith formation is a life-long process that begins at birth. When our three children were born, I read from the Bible in their birthing rooms, asking God to bless their lives. Regularly, I ask God to remember these prayers made on their birthdays. Let us pray for catechism; for the renewal of faith in Europe, North America, and the entire world. Renewal includes repentance, the humility to make course corrections to begin anew. We are saved by grace through faith in Christ. May love for Christ become again the first love of every home.

With love for Christ and everyone, Pastor Doug Heagy

Preparing for Worship

October 1 - Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

1R - Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32, P - Psalm 25:1-10, 2R - Philippians 2:1-4 (5-13) 14-18, G - Matthew 21:23-32

October 8 - Ninetenth Sunday after Pentecost

1R - Isaiah 5:1-7, P - Psalm 80:7-19, 2R - Philippians 3:4-14, G - Matthew 21:33-46

October 15 - Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

1R - Isaiah 25:6-9, P - Psalm 23, 2R - Philippians 4:4-13, G - Matthew 22:1-14

October 22 - Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

1R - Isaiah 45:1-7, P - Psalm 96:1-9, 2R - 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 G - Matthew 22:15-22

October 29—Reformation Sunday

1R - Revelation 14:6-7, P - Psalm 46, 2R - Romans 3:19-28, G - John 8:31-36



THOSE IN NEED OF CONTINUED PRAYER

Beth Elston, Kari Spearing, Brandon Fritz, Barb Eidt, Gene Parsell, Tim Voss, Dorothy Henne, Michael Eden, Terry Sturm, Clark Elftman, Hannah Britt, Dave Licht, Cordelia Trost, John Finneren, Tom Shupe, Whitney Peyer, Dorothy Henne, Joe Stodola, Matt Edler, Larry Adams, Al Collison, Anna House, Susan Beller, Hope Kittel, Inez Buchholz, Noah Adams, Kyle Walker, Kay Schuette, Roberta Danks, Posie Tuckey, Corey Messing, Marvin Trost, Kevin Faupel, Ezra Sturm, Deann Lewis, Kayle Thepsourinthone, Robert Krzeszewski, Dolores Elftman, Martin Knost.

THOSE IN THE HONORABLE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY Nicholas Swanson (U.S. Air Force), Michael Cox (U. S. Navy), and Alex Moyer (U.S. Marines)

PRAYER
e list

Celebrate



- 1 Rachel Messing
- Rebecca Yackle
- 4 Laura Trost
- 6 Suzanne Swanson
- 7 Don Heck
- Crystal Hill
- 9 Rachel Higgins
- Joyce Jarvis
- 10 James Schuette
- 11 Jennifer Sturm
- Cole Heck
- 19 Cooper LePage
- 20 Marcine Moore
- Todd Roestel
- 23 Dolores Elftman
- Krisie Fritz
- 24 Marvin Trost
- Lois Decker
- Justin Kunisch
- Archie Thepsourinthone
- 26 Kacey Peterson
- Jonathan LePage
- Joshua LePage
- Jill Hill
- 28 Ann Buschlen
- Carole Mead
- 30 Emily House

Ava Gardy

31 Austin Schuette



- 2 Brian & Kim Delpiere, 30 years
- 7 Dan & Deb Papkey, 45 years
- 10 Travis & Kimberly Roestel, 3 years
- 11 Corey & Rachel Messing, 15 years
- 13 Larry & Gina Smith, 44 years
- 22 Tim & Shirley Schuette, 7 yrs.
- 24 Terry & June Sturm, 53 years

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Women's Bible Study will meet on



Wednesday, October 4th at 1:30 pm in the church. We are on Session three, "What Does God Want from Me?" Join us anytime.



**In honor of Pr. Glenn Sokolowski for Cross Roof fund:**

Carol Diener

**In honor of Gwynne Barry for Cross Roof fund:**

Carol Diener

**In memory of Harvey Schuette for Cross Cemetery fund:**

Ken & Betty Licht

**In memory of Kyle Walker for Cross Building fund:**

Carol Diener

Bonnie Schulz, Don & Lonnie

**In memory of Kyle Walker for Cross Lutheran Church:**

Mike & Jeanne Sting

Linda Fietzer

**In memory of Jill Champagne, for Cross Scholarship fund:**

Cross Mission Outreach

**In memory of Jim Dutcher, for Cross Building fund:**

Nancy Schuette & family

**In memory of Mae Ann Orth, for Cross Organ fund:**

Vivian Buschlen

JB & Gwynne Barry

**In memory of Mae Ann Orth, for Cross Roof fund:**

Carol Diener

## From the Desk of...Carrie Ward

### October Calendar

- 10/08 Students sing in Church
- 10/27 STEAM Day (3rd—8th grade)

School has been back in session for a few weeks now, and the school house is buzzing with activity. It is great to have classes full

of students reading, writing and doing arithmetic. My favorite lessons are the Bible lessons. The kids are so attentive and love to hear the stories we know so well. It's such a wonderful gift to be able to teach them the real truths and talk about how we can use the lessons from these old stories in our daily lives.

We are all looking forward to field trips and school activities which fill out our schedules. It's fun to take our learning on the road and see what our community has to offer. Our theme is Stand Firm, and we are working at learning how to do that in all areas of our lives. Thank you for always supporting what we do here at Cross Lutheran School. Please pray for us as we work together this year. I pray that the Lord continues to bless you as you continue to support this school, making it the great place it is.



...stand  
firm in the  
Lord...

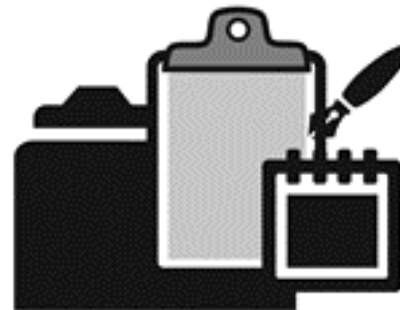


# CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH COUNCIL MINUTES

Tuesday, September 12, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President, Matt Zimmerman, at 6:58 p.m. Present: Matt Zimmerman, Norm Nelson, Kristy Carriveau, John House, Jason Shaw, Nancy Schuette, Kim Sears and Al Licht. Absent: Dick Koehler.

Guests: Gwynne Barry, Phil Schadd, Michelle Walsh, David Faupel, Tim Fritz, Jessica Schwartz, Karen Schuette



Church Council  
Minutes

**DEVOTIONS:** Gwynne shared a prayer.

**AGENDA:** *John House made a motion to approve the amended Agenda, seconded by Kim Sears, Motion carried.*

**MINUTES:** *Jason Shaw made motion to approve the August Minutes, seconded by John House. Motion carried.*

## **STAFF REPORTS:**

**Cross School:** David Faupel, Principal

- Total students enrolled for 2023-2024 is 65
- September 22, Spaghetti Dinner for Washington DC trip in spring
- September 28, Kid/ Parent Game Night

**Daycare:** Jessica Schwartz, Director.

- Enrollment: Preschool- 19, Toddler- 8, Infant- 10, Latchkey-19
- Door locks are installed
- Jessica will start maternity leave in December, Miki Thick will fill in
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**Daycare Board:** Michelle Walsh

- Two new members are added on the board, Amber Wise and Alex Salowich. *Motion was made by John House to approve members, seconded by Al Licht, motion carried.*
- They are looking for a member of the congregation that does not have a child in daycare to join the board.

## **GUEST REPORTS:**

Tim Fritz, Farm Bureau

- Presented two different insurance companies, Brotherhood Mutual and Church Mutual. We are moving forward with Church Mutual Insurance. *Motion was made by Nancy Schuette to accept the new insurance carrier , seconded by Kim Sears, motion carried.*

Gwynne Barry

- NALC youth event in Texas, July 1-4, 2023
- Gwynne will help with Confirmation Classes if we don't get an interim Pastor
- A Christmas Eve morning service is being talked about

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## **OFFICER REPORTS:**

Matt Zimmerman, President - Nothing to report.

Kristy Carriveau, Secretary – Nothing to report.

Kim Sears, Treasurer:

- Reported that income is under budget by \$6,726.22. *Motion was made by Norm Nelson to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Jason Shaw, motion carried.*

## **SCHOOL BOARD REPORT:**

Dick Koehler, School Board President, Absent. Report given by David Faupel

- School to give \$5,000 to church for roof
- Procedures need to be in place for daycare to use kitchen during summer, further discussion needed
- Secretary contract renewal *Motion was made by John House to accept the contract, seconded by Jason Shaw, motion carried.*

## **MINISTRY REPORTS – TRUSTEES**

**Property:** Al Licht

- Parsonage was inspected - one window needs to be replaced due to a BB hole, a dehumidifier will be installed in the basement
- Flood lights in front of church are fixed
- Weather stripping on church doors will be repaired, school will pay for half

**Music & Worship:** John House (Karen Schuette presented)

- Council will provide speakers for each Sunday, including leaders
- Worship & Music will provide readers and Communion Assistants
- Education Ministry will provide acolytes
- Beth Elston & Karen Schuette will select hymns

**Stewardship:** Norm Nelson

- Aaron Shupe will be here on September 17<sup>th</sup> to talk about his mission

**Mission Outreach:** Nancy Schuette

- Operation Christmas Child will present on 10/15/23
- Nancy Schuette will talk to Lori Smith about contacting people who have left the church and invite them back

**Parish Life:** Nancy Schuette

- Looking for more people to donate to coffee hour

**Youth:** Jason Shaw

- Sunday school begins September 17<sup>th</sup>

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Ongoing roof project

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Call committee - waiting until we speak to Pastor Jess on October 3 at 6:30 p.m.

**Next Council Meeting** – Tuesday, October 10th, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer at 8:53 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Kristy Carriveau



# Cross Lutheran School Board Minutes

September 7, 2023

(To be approved at the October meeting)

**Members present:** David Faupel, Rebecca Yackle, Kevin Stachowiak, Eileen Johnson, Katie Wilson **Abs.** Kevin Trost and Dick Koehler

The meeting was called to order by David Faupel at 5:30 pm. Prayer was led by David Faupel

**Agenda:** A motion was made by Rebecca and seconded by Kevin S. to accept the agenda. It was carried.

**Minutes:** A motion was made by Katie, seconded by Rebecca to approve the minutes of August 3, 2023, meeting. The motion passed.

**Guests:** No guests

## Treasurers' Reports:

School Balance: \$ 108,351.66

CEA/PTO Balance: \$20,915.38

Hot Lunch: \$8,312.33

A motion was made by Kevin S. and seconded by Rebecca to accept the Treasurers' Reports. The motion was carried.

**CEA President's Report:** Katie reported the Family Game Night will be September 28.

## Principal's Report:

- Students Registered for 2023-2024 are now 65.  
**DK:1 KDG: 10 1<sup>st</sup>:10 2<sup>nd</sup>: 9 3<sup>rd</sup>: 8 4<sup>th</sup>: 5 5<sup>th</sup>: 8 6<sup>th</sup>: 6 7<sup>th</sup>: 3 8<sup>th</sup>:5**
- September 20 is picture day.
- September 22 is Spaghetti Dinner (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fundraiser)
- Theme this year is **Stand Firm**

## Old Business:

- Statement of Faith - A draft was presented and will be reviewed next month when more members are present.
- Kevin S. made a motion to donate \$5,000 to the Church Roof Fund from the school Annual Fund. Rebecca seconded it and it was passed unanimously.
- There was discussion of a new security app but was decided to continue the Remind App this year in anticipation there will be grants for an upgrade next year.



**New Business:**

- A request for tuition assistance was tabled for the October meeting.
- Rebecca made a motion to buy **Stand Firm** tee shirts for the students and pay \$10 per staff member of the school and day care toward their purchase of a tee shirt. Kevin S. seconded and the motion was carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 and closed with the Lord's Prayer.

**The date of the October meeting will be October 5, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.**

## Why Reformation Day is Important

### A. Reformation Day is an important commemoration

Reformation Day is a celebration of religious reformers like Martin Luther, who sought out to rectify hundreds of years of doctrinal errors and restore the church to its biblical roots. Reformation Day also honors those who have remained faithful to orthodox Christian doctrines through the centuries, despite fierce opposition from enemies of the gospel.

### B. Reformation Day remind us of our roots

The main focus of Reformation Day is remembering and celebrating the work of great reformers like Martin Luther and John Calvin. It reminds us of how far we have come in understanding God's Word, and how much we owe to those who helped us understand it better.

### C. Reformation Day is a call to action

But Reformation Day isn't just about remembrance; it is also a call to continued vigilance in studying and following God's Word. As Luther said "Here I stand, I can do no other," may we too be ready and willing to stand for truth whenever it is challenged!

**Reformation Sunday**

**October 29th**

**Be still,  
and know  
that I am God.**

Psalm 46:10





## Worship and Music Ministry

September 6, 2023

Members present: Mike Sting, Peg McCrimmon, John House, Guest-Gwynne Barry, Karen Schuette - Chair.

**\*Worship and Music responsibilities in this interim time** - Council will provide speakers (fill the pulpit) for each Sunday including leaders. Worship and Music will provide the readers and Communion Assistants (when a Pastor is leading), Education Ministry will provide acolytes. Beth and Karen will select the hymns.

**\*Christmas Children's "program"** - Guest - Gwynne Barry presented a possibility for a program. Gwynne and Beth discussed this prior to this meeting. **Motion by Mike and seconded by Peg to accept Gwynne's and Beth's proposal for a Children's Christmas skit. Motion carried.**

**\*Sunday Bulletin format** - **Motion by John and seconded by Mike to approve the modified format of the bulletin from September 3, 2023 worship for future use. Motion carried.**

Next meeting - **Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3pm.**

Chicken BBQ helpers. Sundae Sunday Event. Kayak-N-Snack. These are all events that our Youth have had the opportunity to participate in during August and September. Relationships are being built!

Following is our schedule for the upcoming school year.

10/14/23 JH/HS Flashlight Corn Maze at Kohl Farms

11/12/23 "Give Thanks" Party - led by JH/HS for PS/Elementary age children

12/?/23 Christmas Caroling—All Ages

1/7/24 Euchre JH age - 102 years old :)

??? Weather Permitting – Sledding or Broomball

2/13/24 FAT Tuesday Event - PS - High School

3/10/24 Open Gym/Games

4/14/24 Scavenger Hunt in Pigeon - JH/HS

5/19/24 Parsonage Yard Work, Campfire, Glow in the Dark Kickball



Details for each of these events will be published and shared as the event draws near. Youth from Cross Lutheran Church and School are encouraged to participate. Bring a friend! Embedded in each of these gatherings will be opportunities to serve, learn, and have fun in the name of Jesus!

At this time, Sunday School is being held every Sunday for PS - 6th grade. We begin at 8:45 AM in the gym. How wonderful to have 13 children attend the first date. Many thanks to all who have volunteered to teach. As a reminder, teachers' materials are in the files near the Pastor's office.

I encourage the parents who bring their children to SS to enjoy time before the service to have fellowship, a devotion time, pray together, share your week's stories, etc. Would someone be a facilitator for that time? Building relationships is important as we grow in His Word.

Our church and its family are a spiritual home for all of us, no matter our age! We go where our relationships are so let's work together on building those relationships at Cross.

If you have any questions, concerns, or celebrations concerning Youth and Education, please contact Gwynne Barry, Jean Sturm, or Kim Delpiere. We WELCOME anyone who would like to serve with us or help with any of the events!

*Now you are the body of Christ and **each one of you** is a part of it. 1 Corinthians 12:27*

In His love, Gwynne Barry

# Mission Outreach Ministry

September 6, 2023

A special meeting was held with members from Mission Outreach, Parish Life, and the Quilter group. Those in attendance were Krisie Fritz, Tonja Nelson, Dawn Hendricks, Nancy Schuette, Jeanne Sting, Bonnie Schulz, Eileen Johnson, Lori Smith, Kim Delpiere, and Kay Schuette. A prayer was given by Krisie Fritz. The meeting was held to decide what to do for mission Sunday. Nancy Schuette showed the groups some bags that were donated. They were homemade and could be used as a backpack. Adult and children sizes are available. It was suggested to fill these bags with personal hygiene items that are needed by the NALC disaster relief. They will be sent to the disaster warehouse in Owosso for distribution. The congregation and school families will be notified about this project and asked if they can donate supplies to fill the bags. The supplies needed are 1 bath towel, 1 wash cloth, 1 shampoo (2 if travel size), 1 bar soap (2 if travel size), 1 toothbrush, 1 pack of dental floss, 1 toothpaste (2 if travel size), 1 comb, 1 deodorant, and 1 nail clipper. Gift cards from Walmart, Home Depot, or Lowes would also be appreciated. The deadline to collect the supplies will be October 1, 2023. Kim Delpiere will apply to Thrivent for funding to help cover shipping costs to send the bags.

This part of the meeting was adjourned and Mission Outreach members stayed to hold their meeting. Krisie Called the September 6<sup>th</sup> Mission Outreach meeting to order.

The secretary's report was read and approved. Thank you letters were read from the Pigeon Food Pantry and from Ardel Rogers, Manager of the Owosso NALC Disaster warehouse.

There was no treasurer's report.

Fifty dollar scrip cards were purchased and will be given to the Cross Lutheran teachers to purchase supplies for their classrooms.

Lori will be sending out Thanksgiving cards.

Discussion on new chairs for the overflow area and roof project was put on hold until we can see how much money is in our treasury.

The Shoebox project will be kicking off on October 8<sup>th</sup>. School supplies are on sale, so now is a good time to pick up extra for the shoeboxes. Lori has ordered the paper stuff for the boxes. We hope to pack 200 boxes. The deadline to get the boxes to Bay Shore is October 20<sup>th</sup>. It was suggested to show a movie one Sunday about the Shoebox project. It will be taken to the Church Council for approval.

Our group will be responsible for coffee hour on Sunday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>. Krisie, Tonja, Kim and Lori will bring snacks. October 15<sup>th</sup> will be our next coffee hour. Kay, Lorraine, Sandie and Connie will bring snacks.

Our next meeting will be October 4, 2023 at 6:30 pm. The meeting was adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Tonja Nelson





# Shoebox Gift Suggestions



# Shoebox Gift Suggestions

## Girl

### A "WOW" ITEM

- Doll
- Large toy
- Soccer ball and pump
- Stuffed animal
- Musical instrument



### PERSONAL CARE ITEMS

- Comb or brush
- Toothbrush
- Washcloth
- Fun adhesive bandages
- Eating utensils
- Nail clipper and file



### SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- Pencils and sharpener
- Pencil case
- Erasers
- Pens
- Crayons
- Markers
- Notebooks
- Index cards
- Calculator
- Scissors
- Ruler
- Glue stick
- Small adhesive tape



### CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES

- Clothing and undergarments
- Flip-flops or shoes
- Cold weather items
- Bags, backpacks, or purses
- Hair accessories
- Hats
- Wristwatch or jewelry
- Flashlight



### CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES

- Puzzles
- Binoculars
- Compass
- Chalkboard and chalk
- Fishing kit
- Jump rope
- Coloring books or pads
- Dry watercolor set
- Playdough
- Stickers
- Craft kits or colorful rope/wine
- Books or picture books



### TOYS

- Ball
- Frisbee®
- Building blocks
- Finger puppets
- Slinky®
- Yo-yo
- Magnets
- Kaleidoscope
- Interactive toys
- Other small toys and figures



### DO NOT INCLUDE

- Food, candy, or gum
- Toothpaste
- Used or damaged items
- Scary or war-related items
- Wearable traditional camouflage
- Seeds or organic matter
- Liquids
- Medication
- Money
- Breakable items
- Matches, fire starters, or aerosols
- Knife, saw, or razor blades

## Boy

### A "WOW" ITEM

- Soccer ball and pump
- Stuffed animal
- Musical instrument
- Large toy truck or car
- Other large toy



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# FALL



## October 2023

| Sun                                                                                          | Mon                              | Tue                                                                                                               | Wed                                                                                  | Thu                                                                         | Fri                                                                                   | Sat                                         |
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| <b>Worship Service 9:30 1</b>                                                                | <b>2</b>                         | <b>Worship &amp; Music 3</b><br>3 pm<br><br>Call Process Meeting 6:30 pm (open to congregation)                   | <b>Chapel 8:05 am 4</b><br><br>Women's Bible 1:30 pm<br><br>Mission/Outreach 6:30 pm | <b>5</b><br>Jean Quilts 1 pm<br><br>School Board 5:30 pm<br>Properties 7 pm | <b>6</b>                                                                              | <b>7</b>                                    |
| <b>Worship Service 9:30 8</b><br>Students sing<br><br><b>Scheurer Fall Fashion Show 2 pm</b> | <b>9</b><br><br>Stewardship 5 pm | <b>10</b><br><br>CLECC 4 pm<br><br>Council 7 pm                                                                   | <b>Chapel 8:05 am 11</b><br><br>Quilters 1 pm                                        | <b>12</b>                                                                   | <b>13</b>                                                                             | <b>14</b>                                   |
| <b>Worship Service 9:30 15</b><br><br>OCC Kick off                                           | <b>16</b>                        | <b>17</b>                                                                                                         | <b>Chapel 8:05 am 18</b>                                                             | <b>19</b><br>Jean Quilts 1 pm                                               | <b>20</b>                                                                             | <b>21</b>                                   |
| <b>Worship Service 9:30 22</b>                                                               | <b>23</b><br>Newsletter Deadline | <b>24</b>                                                                                                         | <b>Chapel 8:05 am 25</b><br><br>Quilters 1 pm                                        | <b>26</b>                                                                   | <b>27</b><br>STEAM Day (3 - 8 grades)                                                 | <b>28</b><br>B-day party in gym and kitchen |
| <b>Worship Service 9:30 29</b><br><br>Reformation Sunday                                     | <b>30</b>                        | <b>31</b><br>Halloween<br><br> |                                                                                      |                                                                             |  |                                             |