



PILGRIM ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF: April 29—May 6, 2018

HYMNS FOR TODAY: 8:00 AM and 10:45 AM

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Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion
 9:00a Youth Bells
 9:00a Confirmand Family Breakfast
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship and Holy Communion
 w/Rite of Confirmation
 4:00p Fine Arts Event—Four Organists in
 Concert

Monday

9:00a Preschool
 6:00p Jazzercise

Tuesday

9:00a Preschool
 9:30a Large Print
 6:00p Jazzercise
 7:00p Board of Elders
 7:30p Poetry Plus

Wednesday

9:00a Preschool
 12:30p CCPL Mobile Library
 6:00p Jazzercise
 7:00p Evening Prayer with Holy Communion

Thursday

9:00a Preschool
 9:15a MOMs Group
 9:30a Large Print
 1:00p Ladies Bible Study
 6:00p Handbell Rehearsal
 6:00p Jazzercise
 7:00p Choir Rehearsal

Friday

9:00a Preschool
 6:30p Kids in Christ

Saturday

8:00a Jazzercise
 12:00p United Church of Christ

Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion
 9:00a Youth Bells
 9:30a Voter's Meeting
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship and Holy Communion

CONFIRMATION 2018—Seven young people will be confirmed TODAY at the 10:45 AM worship service: **Malik Dorn, William Kelleher, Ella Konow, Adam Longmire, Jonathan Pitts, Elizabeth Rexing and Max Shurr** have successfully completed their confirmation classes. They have exhibited a broad understanding of Scripture and the Lutheran Catechism.

A cake reception will be held in their honor following the 10:45 AM worship service. Come to the Narthex; enjoy meeting the confirmands and having a bite of cake!

GUEST PASTOR—We welcome ELCA pastor John Roberts as guest preacher and presider today. A new member of Pilgrim, Pastor John is a graduate of Christ Seminary - Seminex. He has served congregations in CA, PA, SE MI and Metro Chicago before retiring from full-time pastoral ministry after 41 years of service. He looks forward to service opportunities here at Pilgrim and throughout the IN/KY Synod. He lives with his family in Geist.

THE PILGRIM FINE ARTS SERIES PRESENTS its last concert of the season – **Four Organists in Concert TODAY at 4 PM**, at Pilgrim. Sarah Williams and her friends Tim Denton, Travis Person, and Dawn Waddell join forces to present a concert of organ music from Bach to Franck and in between, showing off the varied colors and sounds of the new organ. Bring a friend and enjoy a program of thrilling, powerful, lyrical, and fascinating music. A free-will offering will be taken.

OUR NEXT VOTER'S MEETING is May 6, 2018 at 9:30 AM. Please plan to attend this very important meeting, that include important agenda items:

- **APPROVING GRANTS FROM THE BENEFACATION FUND**
- **ADOPTING AN UPDATED/REVISED CONSTITUTION** (we will vote on Pilgrim's new Constitution, which will bring Pilgrim "in line" with the ELCA Model document)

Pastor Heidi is in favor of this update. Her letter on the subject has been posted on the hallway bulletin board. Any questions? Please see a member of the Constitutional Task Force (John Williams, Karin Veatch, Mark Tisdale and Frank Bates) or any member of the Board of Directors.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday, April 22, 2018—134
 Wednesday, April 25 2018—12

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Volunteers are needed at the Indiana-Kentucky Synod Office (911 E. 86th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46240) on Sunday, May 20, 2018, from 6 to 8 PM, to help sort and stuff tote bags for the participants in this year's Synod Assembly. We will also be putting nametags together. The tasks are simple and many hands will make light work. We'll even treat you to dinner if you help! All ages are welcome. If you are able to join us, please contact Carol Ann Webb at cwebb@iksynod.org or 317.253.3522 so that we can make sure we have enough food.

FYI FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTICIPANTS

Sunday school for the 2017-2018 season is drawing to an end. Please make note of these next few Sundays.

TODAY—NO SUNDAY SCHOOL (Family Breakfast and Reception for Confirmation Class 2018)

May 6—Voter's Meeting/Programming for our Sunday School children in in fellowship hall

May 13—Sunday School Closing and Parties for our children , No Adult Class

MAY 20—No classes/Graduation Reception during the Sunday School Hour

MAY 27—Summer Break Begins

Thank you to all who have participated in classes. Thank you to our many faithful teachers. We have a good and vibrant Sunday school program and we could not have this without the dedication and commitment of our families and our volunteers. I am forever grateful for the good work we do because of you!

~ Gloria Worth

SUPER SENIORS LUNCHEON—May 15th at Noon. Our guest speaker will be Barbara Furlow. Many of you are probably familiar with Barbara as she is a former Pilgrim member. She led many Bible studies and retreats in her time here. Below is a brief synopsis of her accomplishments - how she has kept SOARING!

KEEP SOARING—From observing both friends like the late Erma Holl and hundreds of clients during her 30 years as a Geriatric Therapist, Barbara has learned important insights to staying fully alive throughout the life span. At 51, she went to China to study. At 62 she presented a paper in Jerusalem on Aging Attitudes at the First International Conference on Aging. At 65, she had her first experience SOARING and determined to find a way to keep experiencing the wonder of it all---this fullness of joy. (Gal. 5:22). She's still soaring! Last September Barbara won her flight in the Sahm Women's Golf League. The luncheon for May will be a "good ole-fashioned pitch-in." Look for the sign up sheet on the credenza and check off what you would like to contribute to the meal. Come and join your fellow seniors, or not-yet seniors, and discover how we too can keep SOARING. Remember friends are encouraged and always welcome.

LOOKING AHEAD AND LOOKING FOR GRADS—

May 20th is Graduate Recognition Sunday. If you have a child that is graduating from College with an

undergraduate or post graduate degree please contact the church office with their date of graduation, their degree and the university they have attended. We like to list our grads in the bulletin. We will have an informal cake reception during the Sunday school hour for all our graduates; high school through advanced degree.

WELCA NEWBORN ASSEMBLY KIT EVENT:

Women of Pilgrim it is time for our semi-annual WELCA Salad Supper and Newborn Kit Assembly event. It will take the place of Ladies Night Out for May. We will gather on Tuesday, May 22nd at 6:00 PM at the home of Judy Hunden, 3538 E. Carmel Drive. Bring a salad or dessert to share. Then we will put together newborn kits for Global Health Ministries. Donations of regular size bath towels, washcloths, Ivory soap bars, newborn cotton T-shirts (NOT onesies), newborn stocking hats, receiving blankets, diapers and diaper pins would be appreciated, but not required.

EMERGENCY PASTORAL ASSISTANCE is available as needed. Please contact the church office during office hours (M – TH 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, and Fridays from 8:00 AM to noon), at 317.846.2221. At other times, please call Pastor Steve Albertin at 317-441-4469 or by email at stevea@clczionsville.org.

PILGRIM FISHING OUTING AT GEIST LAKE ON TUESDAY, MAY 8

Attention Pilgrim Fishermen and Fisherwomen!

The Congregational Life Committee (CLC) will sponsor a fishing outing for all fishing enthusiasts on Tuesday, May 8 on Geist Lake. We will rent pontoon boats and compete to catch the biggest largemouth bass during the peak bass fishing time of the year! If you do not have the appropriate fishing tackle, do not despair. CLC members will provide fishing poles and bass lures that big bass just cannot resist attacking! Fishing instructions will also be provided for those interested in becoming bass pros.

Pilgrim anglers will meet at 9:00 AM on Tuesday, May 8 at the Geist Marina at 11695 Fall Creek Road, Indianapolis 46256.

There is a big, bad largemouth bass looking for you! Cost will be approximately \$20.00.

Questions? Contact Bob Schumacher, 317-828-0217.

