



PILGRIM ANNOUNCEMENTS WEEK OF: July 8—July 15, 2018

HYMNS FOR TODAY: 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

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WEEK OF July 8, 2018

Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion

10:45a Worship and Holy Communion

Monday

6:00p Jazzercise

Tuesday

9:30a Large Print

12:30p CCPL Mobile Library

6:00p Jazzercise

Wednesday

6:00p Jazzercise

7:00p Evening Prayer w/Holy Communion

Thursday

9:30a Large Print

6:00p Jazzercise

Friday

Saturday

8:00a Jazzercise

12:00p United Church of Christ

Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion

10:45a Worship and Holy Communion

GUEST PASTOR—We welcome ELCA pastor John Roberts as guest preacher and presider today. A member of Pilgrim, Pastor John is a graduate of Christ Seminary - Seminex. He has served congregations in CA, PA, Southeast 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.

PASTOR HEIDI TO PREACH SUNDAY, July 15th! Pastor Heidi will be in town and preaching at Pilgrim during both services on July 15! While they haven't finalized their relocation up here yet, their house is on the market in Texas, and their search for a home up here continues (if you've ever bought or sold a house, you understand the ups and downs that come with that). She is excited to preach on July 15, and while they aren't up here on a permanent basis yet, they are eager to get the move behind them so they can be fully involved in the Pilgrim community, get Ainsley settled into a new school, and embrace life in Indiana. As she has said, this entire experience is a reminder that God's timetable isn't necessarily ours, but with a little patience and prayer, it will all happen.

COFFEE AND DONUTS ARE ON VACATION

We will not have donuts or perked coffee during the summer months until Sunday School restarts in September. However, if you would like to grab a cup of coffee before heading out for the rest of your day or want to sit with a friend for a chat, the Keurig supplies will be kept up. Please help yourself. The Coke and Sprite supply also will be available. Remember, coffee is 50 cents and soft drinks are \$1.

~ God's Blessings, Congregational Life Committee

NEWSLETTER CHANGES COMING—Beginning in July, Pilgrim will be implementing a weekly e-newsletter that will ultimately replace the monthly newsletter that you receive. The reason for this is to be able to be more timely in letting you know about what is happening in and around Pilgrim.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday, July 1, 2018—111

We'll still include a monthly article from the pastor and one from our elders, and birthdays and anniversaries for the upcoming week will be included. Our belief is that this will streamline communications and enable you to be more informed on current happenings. The newsletter likely will come out on Thursdays. Your help in getting announcements to us in a timely manner will be appreciated as we work out the deadlines. For those in the congregation who do not utilize email, we will have a few copies in print each Sunday.

PILGRIM GARDENERS—The Pilgrim vegetable garden has been planted, and now the fun begins! Veggies will mature at various times over the summer, but until then we'll need help with monitoring germination, weeding, cultivating, watering, and monitoring for insects (and other critters) that might want to encroach on our hard work. Rather than try to organize work schedules/times/duties, feel free to come and work as your time and schedules permit. There will be a laminated garden plan hanging on the corner post in the garden, so you know where everything is located. There is a dry erase board in the narthex, where we'll post a weekly "to do" list. Those who spend time in the garden can make quick notes on the board as to what they've done so others know what remains to be done. I'll plan to be at the garden most Saturday mornings from 9 a.m. on, which will be a good time to compare notes and plan for the following week.

Thanks for your time. ~ Paul Swanson

EMERGENCY PASTORAL ASSISTANCE is available as needed. Please contact the church office during office hours (M – TH 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Fridays from 8 a.m. 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.

THE FLOWER CHART FOR 2018 still has spots available in the narthex for sign ups. Please sign up today! Cost is \$40.50 per vase, and there are two vases.

THANK YOU—Many thanks for everyone's generous donations to the Carmel Youth Assistance summer lunch program. Over 500 pounds of food and \$240 in cash and gift card donations have been distributed to help feed Hamilton County children this summer when school meals are not available. Keep watching for more ways to help those in need.

DAILY DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS, "Christ in Our Home" for July through September, are available. Please pick up a copy in the narthex, or ask an usher to assist you in obtaining one.

LARGE PRINT DAILY DEVOTIONALS are now available! If you are interested, please stop by the church office.

SUPER SENIORS events are open to anyone of any age. If we plan something that sounds fun to you, just be sure to sign up on our sheets on the credenza in the narthex. Details about events are shared in the bulletin, the *Pilgrim's Progress* newsletter, and on the monitor in the narthex.

GET INVOLVED—You don't need a special invitation to get involved in programs, ministries, outreaches and events at Pilgrim. You can jump in anytime! Of course our Sunday, school programs, choir and handbells take off during the summer, but there still is plenty going on. If you have any questions about any of our activities, just ask a participant, or call Debbie to find out the correct contact.

PRAYER UPDATES—Please review the back of the bulletin cover to review the prayer petitions. If you need to add, update or delete any prayers, please contact Debbie in the church office.

