



**THE VOICE OF OUR REDEEMER &  
ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCHES**

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Services: Saturday 5 PM in Kampsville  
& Sunday 9A.M. with Sunday School: 10:15 A.M.

**September/October 2022**

Thanks for all who helped at our Summer Vacation Bible Schools and other events. Join us as we head into fall with more to do!

**1 Timothy 1:16** “ I was shown mercy for this reason: that in me, the worst sinner, Christ Jesus might demonstrate his unlimited patience as an example for those who are going to believe in him, resulting in eternal life.

Does the President really have the authority to shift the cost of student debt from those who signed for the loans onto our national debt? Biden’s announcement on August 24 will have many people debating that this fall.

On the other hand, Jesus, who has taken the stand for us in our sin, does have the authority and the power to truly deal with our sin. His resources are unlimited, as is noted in the above verse from our September 11 epistle.

We do not and will not deserve all the grace Jesus gives us, but we know that Jesus’ love for us does not fail. Fall can be a difficult time for some, as one year’s growing season comes to an end, but others look forward to the lowering of temperatures and the other changes that are on the way.

May God’s desire to hear us in our needs and to provide for us in His grace help us to see the future with hope as we dig into His Word this fall.

God bless, Pastor Steve

**Worship Assistant Schedule for Sept./Oct.**

We are continuing also to limit our contacts by not having official greeters, ushers and acolytes assigned for services (but as Confirmation resumes any volunteer acolytes could certainly help out while social distancing).

**Sunday School & Confirmation**

Hopefully, we will soon have more children in our school year classes. It would be nice if they were more like VBS. We do have volunteers ready to teach, but most Sundays we need students. Until that changes older students continue to be welcome to join us in Adult Bible study. Kampville families and others who need help with teaching their children the faith at home please see us for useful books and supplies from our libraries. If we can arrange a time for confirmation, it will likely be online, by Google Meet, again to make it possible for youth from multiple counties to get together without too much work.

**Notes for Kampsville members:**

In the coming weeks it will be important that good communication happens, between the two congregations, with me and with each other. Please keep my contact information handy and reach out when there are questions. Come when you can to church. We will offer a few Sunday 10:30 AM Service again in these next two months (see the calendar) to see if that would help some who have not attended services often since Covid began and we changed to Saturday.

**Bible Study Options for everyone:**

- The Sunday morning Adult Bible study is just starting a study of the Paul’s letter to individuals.
- The Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study will resume meeting only from 9:30 to 10:30 after Labor Day.



July Ladies’ summer outing at Alfonso’s Pizza was great fun!



## God's Quilt of Comfort Wrapping Up in the Psalms



An LWML Bible Study  
Retreat  
Hosted by LWML CID/SID  
Study led by author Diane Grebing

### Ladies Aid – (Joyce Grizzle)

Ladies Aid will resume on September 19 at 1 p.m. The Salad Luncheon committee will be meeting soon to decide if we will be having a salad luncheon in September. Stay tuned! Registration forms are due by September 23, 2022 for our Joint South/Central Illinois District Fall Retreat at Camp Cilca (north of Springfield). We will host the Fall Zone Workshop on October 15<sup>th</sup>. Look for more information on that soon.

Thank you to all those who helped with the summer lunches and our love dinners this summer. Several ladies, guests and Pastor joined us at Alfonso's for a delicious lunch. Thank you to the mystery person who paid for our lunches!



**Carrollton Voter's Meeting:** will be September 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM.

**Meeting times** for Church Council, Elders, ... are on the calendar. Transfer these to your calendars and watch the Sunday Bulletins for any specifics.

### LYF (Grades 7-12)

We will hope to meet soon and make plans for this coming school year.

Those who attended the 2022 National Youth Gathering in Texas had a great trip, and we hope to keep working for even more chances to grow as a group in the coming year.

### SEPTEMBER WORSHIP PLANS:

3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> – The 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 14:25-35 Walking the Way of the Cross  
11<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost- no Saturday Service

#### **Kampsville service Sunday at 10:30 AM**

Seminarian Jacob Sipes (No Communion)

18<sup>th</sup> –15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost- no Saturday Service

#### **Kampsville service Sunday at 10:30 AM**

Luke 16:1-15 God Knows Our Hearts

24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> – The 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 16:19-31 If Someone Rises from the Dead

### OCTOBER WORSHIP PLANS:

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> – The 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pent./LWML Sunday

Romans 8:31-39 For Us and With Us

9<sup>th</sup>–18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost- no Saturday Service

#### **Kampsville service Sunday at 10:30 AM**

Luke 17:11-19 Honoring the Foreigner

15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 18:1-8 Giving Justice to the Chosen

22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 18:9-17 Being Merciful

29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> -Reformation Sunday

Luke 19:1-10 Saving the Lost

You can also call Pastor (cell number 217-204-6576) and make arrangements for a private communion if you are concerned about Covid or otherwise unable to attend our services in person.

### College Addresses

If someone from your home is at college or recently moved please give the church an address for them so we can continue to care for them (sending Newletters, cookies etc).

**Maria Sasieta's** sixth year of mission work is over and she is preparing to return for a seventh year in Cambodia. It was great to hear about her work this summer. If you are looking for more information about the work being done at Stronghold in Cambodia or would like to support their new building progress. You can go to; <https://missionofchrist.org/stronghold-cambodia/>.



**Note from Jim Custer:**

I thank God for the care given to me through the doctors. I also thank all of our church family.

Regardless of how hard we have to struggle throughout our lives here on earth, remember prayerfully what Jesus said in John 14:1, “Do not let your heart be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me.”

As Saint Paul spoke the words of our Lord in 2 Thessalonians 2:16-17, “May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and in his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and establish you in every good work and word.” – So by God’s grace are we all given eternal encouragement and good hope to ease the troubles and pains of life on this world.

**Happy Birthday!**

9/1 Tammy Kessinger  
 9/2 Steve Lee  
 9/3 Matt Steinacher  
 9/4 John Tepen  
 9/8 Karen Droste  
     Sandy Purcell  
 9/9 Cathy Davis  
 9/12 Hannah Rusten  
 9/15 Darla Sexton  
 9/16 Kathy Harms  
     Tricia Ulery  
 9/18 Cody Tepen  
     Mark Struble  
     Judy Riechmann  
 9/19 Tom Edwards  
 9/21 Scott Epps  
 9/22 Allen Darr  
     Amiah Johnson  
 9/23 Michelle Coonrod  
     Dewain Freand  
 9/24 Mable Thuer  
 9/27 Katerina Sasieta  
 9/29 Terri Howland  
     Jim Jones  
 9/30 Shanie Snyder  
 10/6 Edward Schmidt  
 10/7 Helen Flowers  
 10/8 Cody Reif  
 10/10 Adriane Baker  
     Tad Droste  
 10/18 Brian White  
     Betty Large  
 10/20 Megan Jacobsen  
 10/24 Amanda Johnson  
 10/25 Bea Quandt  
     Dorothy Ray  
 10/28 Alexandra Flatt  
     Barb Lehr  
 10/30 Diana Steinacher

**Happy Baptismal Birthday!**

9/1 Jonathan Edwards  
 9/5 Kaitlyn Baker  
     Evan Rahe  
 9/8 Richie Ulery  
     Katera Ulery  
     Ed Johnson  
 9/9 Kelly Stott  
 9/10 Thomas Edwards  
     Kris Lehr  
 9/13 John Tepen  
     Sofia Droste  
 9/14 Maria Sasieta  
 9/21 Steve Jacobsen  
 9/22 Betty Combs  
 9/26 Emily Struble  
 10/2 Joyce Grizzle  
 10/6 Katerina Sasieta  
 10/7 Remington Stott  
 10/10 Janice Hardwick  
 10/11 Cathy Davis  
 10/12 Darla Sexton  
 10/13 Kelli Rahe  
     Rick Grizzle  
 10/17 Kenzie Jones  
 10/18 Kathy Harms  
 10/21 Jay Greaves  
 10/23 Cody Tepen  
 10/25 Dewain Freand  
     Bea Quandt  
 10/26 Roy Becker  
 10/31 Ed Schmidt  
     Amanda Johnson  
     Shanie Tittsworth  
     Amiah Johnson



## September 2022

<b>Services with Holy Communion</b> <b>every Saturday at 5 PM in Kampsville &amp;</b> <b>at 9 A.M. every Sunday in Carrollton</b> <b>Bible Study every Sunday at 10:15 A.M.</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Labor Day	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 7 :30 PM Church Voters Meeting	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> <b>NO 5 PM</b> <b>Kampsville</b> <b>Service</b>
<b>11</b> <b>10:30 AM KAMPSVILLE SERVICE</b> (No Communion at Either Service)  <b>4 PM Circuit Forum</b> at Emmaus Lutheran in Dorsey	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> <b>NO 5 PM</b> <b>Kampsville</b> <b>Service</b>
<b>18</b> <b>10:30 AM KAMPSVILLE SERVICE</b>	<b>19</b> 1 PM Ladies Aid Meeting	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 1-3 PM We Host the Carrollton Food Pantry	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 5:30 Elders Meeting	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	

## October 2022

<b>2 LWML Sunday</b>	<b>3</b> <i>District Pastors Conference</i>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 7 :30 PM Church Council meeting	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b> <b>8</b> <i>LWML Retreat at Camp Cilca</i> <b>NO 5 PM Kampsville Service</b>
<b>9</b> <b>10:30 AM KAMPSVILLE SERVICE</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 2 PM Carrollton Food Pantry Meeting in Fellowship Hall	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> <b>LWML Fall Workshop at Our Redeemer</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 1 PM Ladies Aid Meeting	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b> Newsletter items are due for November & December	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> 5:30 Elders Meeting?	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b> <b>Reformation Sunday</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>Services with Holy Communion every Saturday at 5 PM in Kampsville &amp; at 9 A.M. every Sunday in Carrollton Bible Study every Sunday at 10:15 A.M.</b>				