



# Lamplighter Weekly

11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, August 5, 2018

**Spanaway Lutheran Church**

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## Our Week at a Glance

### Sunday + 08-05-18

Classic Worship	10:00 am
Food for Families	11:10 am
Adelphos Worship	12:30 pm
Adelphos Fellowship	2:00 pm
12-Step Meeting	6:00 pm

### Monday + 08-06-18

Boy Scout Troop #679	7:00 pm
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### Tuesday + 08-07-18

Men's Breakfast	6:30 am
Pastor's Bible Study	10:00 am
JiM Lesson	3:15 pm
Music Team	6:00 pm

### Wednesday + 08-08-18

Wednesday Warriors	9:00 am
TOPS Meeting	6:00 pm

### Thursday + 08-09-18

BASE Program Committee Retreat	9:00 am
JiM Lesson	12:30 pm

### Friday + 08-10-18

### Saturday + 08-11-18

Paint Tacoma Beautiful	8:30 am
Food for Families Pick Up	12:00 pm
12-Step Meeting	6:00 pm

### Sunday + 08-12-18

Contemporary Worship	10:00 am
Food for Families	11:10 am
Adelphos Worship	12:30 pm
Adelphos Fellowship	2:00 pm
12-Step Meeting	6:00 pm

BASE Hours M – F 5:30 am – 6:00 pm

Preschool – Summer Break

### Food for Families Volunteers

Aug 11	Pick-Up	SLC Volunteers
Aug 11	Set-Up	Glen & Judy
Aug 12	Distribution	SLC Volunteers
Aug 12	Clean-Up	SLC Volunteers

Attention Pick-up Volunteers! Please make sure to bring our ice chest from church when you pick up at the Empowerment Center during the summer months. For questions contact Louise.

### Readings for August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018

#### 1 Kings 19:4-8

*Elijah given bread for his journey*

#### Psalms 34:1-8

*Taste and see that the LORD is good. (Ps. 34:8)*

#### Ephesians 4:25-5:2

*Put away evil, live in love*

#### John 6:35, 41-51

*Christ, the bread of life*

### DON'T FORGET:

## Paint Tacoma Beautiful

Saturday at 8:30 am

Contact John or Mary Herem  
for more info!



Jeanice DeLong  
Paula Oty

August 7  
August 8

Join us on Tuesday, **August 21<sup>st</sup>** at 11:45 am at the Gateway Cottage as we celebrate our monthly birthdays with a lunch!

## Summer Garden Bible Series

Catch the last one! The Summer Garden Bible Studies and luncheons with Marjie and Gayle kicked off in June, continued in July and we have one more in August. We will be using the bible studies found in the Gather Magazine. Here is the date and location for our final Summer Get-together:

**August 17, noon Garden of Marjie Schulze**

"The products of prayer"  
Romans 8:16-28

We are looking forward to seeing all ladies there! Plan to make bible study part of your summer fun!

*~submitted by Marjie Schulze*

## Paint Tacoma-Pierce Beautiful Time

Please join the Spanaway Lutheran Team to paint a 100-year-old house! You will like the homeowner – a gregarious, retired Bon employee, who helped paint as a volunteer in the past. She's thrilled to get the house she grew up in painted. It will make a huge difference in a neighborhood of well-maintained homes.

This year, we will scrape, pressure wash and trim shrubs **August 1<sup>st</sup>**. We will prime **August 11<sup>th</sup>** and paint **August 18<sup>th</sup>**. Take home an information flyer in the Narthex that has the details and address. If you can help, please contact John or Mary Herem (herem@comcast.net or 253-847-0778) with the dates you will work and T-shirt size (if you did not receive one in the past).

*~submitted by Mary & John Herem*

## *Hannah Is Back!*

All Glory to God!

Hannah Wright Osborn has returned home!

After spending a mission year in Jerusalem, she arrived back home safe and sound beginning of last week. She is now spending some time with family and friends before heading to Chicago for her job training.

Say HI when you see her!

*~submitted by Stefanie DeZarn*



The Health Fiesta Task Force is meeting today after worship in the office lobby.

## **Front Office Positions are filled!**

Yay! Now you can see friendly faces at the front desk EVERY day of the week!

Our Team of Volunteers...

*Diane Kraus, Monday mornings*

*Edna Coonc, Monday afternoons*

*Pat Jorgenson, Tuesday mornings*

*Aletta Alford, Tuesday afternoons*

*Elois Macdonald, Wednesday mornings*

*Lani Briehl, Wednesday afternoons*

*Donna Septon, Thursday mornings*

*Charlotte Surridge, Thursday afternoons*

*Randy Dougherty, Friday mornings*

*Charlotte Surridge, Friday afternoons*

Thank you for donating your time and talents to help us out in the office! We appreciate you!

*~submitted by the Office Manager*

## **A Message from the Community Garden**

Please note that the pile on the south side of the garden dump site by the path is for branches only, which will be taken to the dump.

If you utilize our yard waste site, please make sure you remove any household garbage and recyclables and dispose of them accordingly. It is important that our yard waste remains YARD WASTE ONLY!

Thank you for your cooperation!

*~submitted by the Garden Committee*

## **Food for Families – A Word from Louise**

Thank you so much for your generous donations for Food for Families. So many of you have helped our clients with summer lunch items. Peanut butter, jelly, tuna fish, and macaroni and cheese are always popular items. Also soup, chili, SpaghettiO's and other canned lunch items.

Save the date: **September 8** will be a picnic potluck at our house. We will provide hot dogs, hamburgers and buns. You bring a side or dessert. This is for anyone who has ever done anything for FFF. Michael and I are so grateful for your support of this great ministry. More information to come. Thanks again Louise Luberts

*~submitted by Louise Luberts*

Have you noticed the small baby grand piano in our A Street narthex???

Council has decided that we no longer want to provide a home for this instrument. If you or someone you know would like a 1929 Franklin 5'1" player grand piano (and it works!), it is yours for the taking.

You must transport it yourself!

Please speak with Pastor, Cheryl, Stefanie or any of our Council Members if you are interested. Thank You!

*~submitted by Pastor*

## **Lamplighter Format**

We changed the Lamplighter format for the summer to use up aging paper stock that accumulated throughout the years.

We hope you will like all the wonderful color selections!

*~submitted by Office Manager*

## **BibleQue is starting up again!**

Join us in our August Series "Three Extended and Complicated Healings performed by Jesus" on Thursdays at 6pm.

The church provides the meat and beverages and the BibleQue-er is invited to bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Pastor won't be able to host the second week, so we scheduled BibleQue for the month of August as follows:

August 2, 2018 - Jesus Heals a Man Born Blind, John 9

August 16, 2018 - Healing of the Paraplegic at the Pool of Siloam, John 5

August 23, 2018 - Healing of the Gerasene Demoniac, Mark 5

Come and be part of this wonderful bible study – we would love to welcome you!

*~submitted by Office Manager*

## Fourth Friday Fellowship

Last week we had a great turnout as 17 of us watched "Casablanca" and feasted on Moroccan Chicken Stew.

The next "Dinner and a Movie" will be on **August 31<sup>st</sup>** at **6 pm**. If you have movie ideas, please let Stefanie know and we will draw your suggestions from a hat. Please stay tuned for more info and sign-up forms!

*~submitted by Stefanie DeZarn*

## God's Work – Our Hands ++ Save the Date ++

On **September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**, right after worship, we will participate in the ELCA wide event by working outside to beautify our church grounds.

Please set time aside and help us give our property a much needed face-lift.

If you would like to participate and would like to receive a "God's Work – Our Hands" t-shirt, please let our office know this week, so we can put you on the list and order your shirt.

Questions? Call the office for more info!!

*~submitted by Office Manager*

## BASE News

- On August 9<sup>th</sup> at 9 am the BASE Board is having a retreat in place of the regular 3pm meeting.
- On August 30<sup>th</sup> BASE is hosting a Graduation Celebration and a Carnival for the kids.
- On August 31<sup>st</sup> BASE will be closed.

## School Supplies needed!

We are collecting the following items for distribution at our Health Resource Fiesta on September 15<sup>th</sup>:

**Pencils \* Ballpoint Pens \*  
Crayons \* Notebook Paper \*  
Spiral Notebooks \* Elmers  
Glue \* Children's Scissors \*  
Composition Books \* Dry  
Erase Markers \* Backpacks**

A collection box is located in the Narthex and we gladly accept your donations. Thank You.

*~submitted by Office Manager for Jeris Ockfen*





*We are praying for...*

Maxine Coberly, congregation member - Dementia, at Pioneer Place Memory Haven

Amanda Billings, daughter-in-law of Paula Oty – Stage four breast cancer, upcoming double reconstructive surgery

June Broeckel, congregation member – continuous health issues, doing well, is getting weaker

Lori Nelson, congregation member and daughter of Chuck Nelson – Cancer, in hospice care at home

Gail Bohannon, congregation member – brain tumor, health is declining

Kim Cleveland, sister of Angela Aponte – return of lung cancer and new diagnosis of MS, in stable condition

Burton Nessel, congregation member – continuing health issues, doing well

Genevieve Hovey, congregation member – health issues, doing well, Doc says she could live to be 100

Lenora Longfellow, congregation member – injury/old age, is at Brookdale on 176<sup>th</sup>

Dave Pearcy, friend of the Hedlunds, Doyles and Herems – Parkinsons

Dianna Kennedy-Svec, congregation member – Melanoma, is facing more surgery, not everything was removed during first surgery

Audrey Charles, friend of Anne Briehl – Mesothelioma, currently in treatment

Tillie Wolf, aunt of Laurie Howe – serious health issues, full time care at home

Cheryl Drewes, our Director of Music Ministries – breast cancer, clear margins, lymph nodes clear, genetic counseling advised

Elena Hember, Kit Modahl's 18 yo granddaughter – NH Lymphoma, completed 2<sup>nd</sup> round of chemo, 4 to go. Hoping for good progress report soon. She is doing ok.

Sam Castaneda, friend of Edna Coonc – heart issues, on waiting list for a heart transplant @ Univ. of WA Medical Center

Arlene Simmons, friend of Charlotte SurrIDGE – cancer, chemo isn't working this time

Family of Donald Glor, uncle of Marlys McDowell – Donald died this week, end stage cancer

Mary Goldberg, Food for Families Client – cancer, three more spots

Frank Wise, congregation member – health issues, more tests on arteries in neck and thyroid

Jerry Spencer – mother has cancer

Marilyn Goddard, sister-in-law of Jeris Ockfen – water on lungs, on oxygen

Nicholas Mulcahey, son of Sarah Briehl and Ron Morris, deployed on the USS Carl Vinson

*If you would like to add a name to the prayer list, please fill out a prayer request and hand it to an usher or contact the office during our office hours. Thank You.*

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## Office Hours

Monday through Friday  
9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Office is closed on:

*New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day,  
President's Day, Easter Monday, Memorial Day,  
Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day,  
Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Friday after  
Thanksgiving, Christmas Day*

## **Worship Assistants for NEXT Sunday August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

### **Assisting Minister**

Gregg Wright Osborn

### **Lector**

John Herem

### **Communion Assistants**

Jeanette Howe & Kay Schimke

### **Acolyte**

Volunteer

### **Children's Sermon**

Pastor John Schier-Hanson

### **Altar Guild**

Connie Carlson

### **Ushers**

Edna Coonc, Elois Macdonald  
& Sharon Wildfang

### **Greeters**

Glen Ruediger

### **Control Booth**

Jill Olson & Mary Herem

### **Coffee Hour**

Miriam Circle (Kay Schimke)