



Lamplighter Weekly

5th Sunday after Pentecost, July 14, 2019

Spanaway Lutheran Church
16001 A St. South – PO Box 1300
Spanaway, WA 98387
(253) 531-7000
office@spanawaylutheran.org

Our Week at a Glance

SUNDAY + 07-14-19
 10:00am Contemporary Worship
 11:10am Food for Families
 11:15am Holy Ground
 11:15am Health Fiesta Meeting
 12:30pm Adelpnos Worship
 2:00pm Adelpnos Fellowship
 6:00pm NA Group Meeting

MONDAY + 07-15-19
 12:00pm Birthday Luncheon
 7:00pm Boy Scout Troop #679

TUESDAY + 07-16-19
 6:30am Men's Breakfast
 10:00am Adelpnos Siloam Bible Study
 10:00am Pastor's Bible Study
 11:45am Quiet Communion

WEDNESDAY + 07-17-19
 6:00pm TOPS Meeting
 7:00pm Adelpnos Siloam Worship

THURSDAY + 07-18-19
 10:00am Adelpnos Siloam Bible Study
 6:00pm BibleQue

FRIDAY + 07-19-19

SATURDAY + 07-20-19
 12:00pm Food for Families Pick Up
 5:00pm SA Group Speaker/Potluck Mtg.

SUNDAY + 07-21-19
 10:00am Classic Worship
 11:15am Holy Ground
 12:30pm Adelpnos Worship
 2:00pm Adelpnos Fellowship
 6:00pm NA Group Meeting

BASE Hours M – F 5:30 am – 6:00 pm
Preschool Hours M+W+F 9:00 am – 11:30 am

Food for Families Volunteers

July 27	Pick-Up	tba
July 27	Set-Up	Glen and Judy
July 28	Set-Up	SLC Volunteers
July 28	Distribution & Clean-Up	SLC Volunteers

Readings for July 21, 2019

Genesis 18:1-10a

The hospitality of Abraham and Sarah to three visitors of the LORD

Psalms 15

LORD, who may abide upon your holy hill? (Ps. 15:1)

Colossians 1:15-28

Hymn to Christ, the firstborn of all creation

Luke 10:38-42

Jesus says: Martha, your sister Mary has chosen the better part

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Sunday: Health Fiesta Meeting, Office Lobby, 11:15am

Monday: Birthday Luncheon, noon

Thursday: BibleQue, 6pm





Chris Stavig	July 15
Brenda Lustig	July 16
Alexis Montague	July 16
Steve Howe	July 17

ATTENTION!! LOCATION/DATE/TIME CHANGE!!!

Join us on Monday, **July 15th** at NOON at the **Bar Bistro** (1718- 99th St. E. Tacoma) as we celebrate our monthly birthdays with a lunch!

faith and finances

Mortgage Update

07-07-19 received \$845
 Total received to date: \$185,964.09

According to Thrivent statement dated 06-06-19 (the latest), balance owing is: **\$200,623.98**

Financials

	May	Budget	Actual Year-to-Date	Budget
Income	\$31,053	\$25,340	\$125,257	\$126,700
Expense	\$24,089	\$25,322	\$123,537	\$126,610
Difference	\$6,963	\$18	\$1,720	\$90

thank you

Thank you all for the prayers for my 83 year old mom Irene Seidler with her back surgery and recovery. She is now pain free and walking upright without her cane.

~ Laurie Howe

The Memorial Service for

Dixie Matthias

will be held on
July 20th, 2019
at 11:00 am

at Spanaway Lutheran Church



Every Member Engagement Update

Last year, congregation council members conducted in-person Every Member Engagement (EME) interviews with SLC members and recorded members' current engagement in church activities, as well as their interest in additional volunteer opportunities. Stefanie, our office manager, entered the EME responses in a database and developed a report showing members' engagement and interest in Administration, Church Life, Education for Adults and Youth, Facilities Maintenance, Stewardship and Worship & Music.

We have used the EME results to identify new committee members, Vacation Bible School volunteers, Bike Safety Day volunteers, sanctuary decorators, volunteer greeters for our recent Lifetouch photo sessions, church clean-up volunteers, volunteer office assistants, ushers, Lent and Advent soup makers, communion assistants, assisting ministers and so forth.

All council members have copies of the EME inventory results. Committee chairs have copies of the EME results sections relating to their areas of responsibility.

If you are looking for volunteers for a SLC activity, please be sure to consult the EME inventory results for the names of those who are interested and then invite them to participate. To receive a copy of the relevant EME inventory results, please contact Nancy Vignec, Council Vice President, at 253-531-5109 or vignecland@msn.com. Thank you.

Nancy Vignec

Council Vice President and Coordinating Committee Chair

Fourth Friday Fellowship

Join us in July for our Dinner and a Movie:

Leap Year

Leap Year is a 2010 Irish-American romantic comedy. The film follows a real estate worker who heads to Ireland to ask her boyfriend to accept her wedding proposal on leap day, when tradition supposedly holds that men cannot refuse a woman's proposal for marriage. Her plans are interrupted by a series of events and are further complicated when she hires an Irish innkeeper to take her to her boyfriend in Dublin.

Friday, July 26th, 6 pm

Registration slips are on the front office counter. This is a free event, but it is necessary that you register. We want to make sure that we are prepared to host the meal for everyone. No registration slip? No problem! Simply call the office and we will sign you up.

If you have any questions, please contact Stefanie in the office at (253) 531-7000.



Summer

Garden Bible Study

All Ladies Welcome!

Please join Gayle and Marjie for three afternoons of bible study, luncheon, fellowship, laughter, music and hopefully sunshine. We will be using the fun and informative studies found in the Gather Magazine. This summer's study "Lessons from Esther".

Session Two: Esther saves the Jews-Finding our voices.
Friday, July 19, Noon @ Louise's
 1717- 183rd St. Ct. E., Spanaway
 (253) 318-6846 (Louise's Cell)

Session Three: Remembering Esther-Using our voices.
Friday, Aug 16, Noon @ TBA

If you have never joined us before... this is the year! If you need a ride or have any questions, call Marjie 253-845-0971 or Gayle 253-845-6631 and something will be arranged. Come on, Ladies! Grab your bible and come as you are. As a woman of faith: keep Bible Study a part of your summer... You will be blessed because you came... Blessings to all.

P.S.: We ask that you read the Book of Esther before the first lesson. Thank you.



LIVING STONES PRISON CONGREGATION offers a Word and Sacrament ministry to the men incarcerated at **Shelton, WA**. Every Saturday they meet to worship and celebrate Christ's love.

These men look forward to our **joining them** on the evening of **SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH**. Often the guests from outside congregations are the only visitors many will have. **Your presence is a gift and a visible sign to them of God's love and grace for them!**

I hope you will join us for this hugely inspiring ministry! We will carpool to the prison to arrive by 5:30pm. Please contact me as soon as possible, as I will need to get some information from you by July 29th. Thanks!

- Cindy Boushack, cynthianne@comcast.net / 253-307-5393



Summer Youth Activities

Are you in middle or high school? Join in on the following events to beat summer boredom and make some friends:

Saturday, July 20th-- Bike the Orting Trail (bring your own bike). Meet at church @ 9:30 am

Saturday August 24th-- BBQ & Outdoor Movie (*The Princess Bride*). Wright-Osborn's house @ 6:30 pm

• Sign up on the Youth bulletin board.



We are praying for...

*Amanda Billings
 Dave Percy
 Larry McNamee
 Frances Myers
 Jonathan Mix
 Judy Richardson*

*Gail Bohannon
 Audrey Charles
 Jim Taylor
 Sara Jackson
 Diane Kraus
 Family of Dixie Matthias*

*Kim Cleveland
 Lenville Sutherland
 Homer Lowery
 Janet Baldrige
 Oakley Harris
 Cynthia*

Spanaway Lutheran Church

(253) 531-7000

www.spanawaylutheran.org

Contacts:

Pastor

John Schier-Hanson

pastor@spanawaylutheran.org

Office Manager

Stefanie DeZarn

office@spanawaylutheran.org

Director of Music Ministries

Cheryl Drewes

music@spanawaylutheran.org

Preschool Director

Ellen McCracken

preschool@spanawaylutheran.org

BASE Director

Kathy Olsen

BASE@spanawaylutheran.org

Council

Doug Hedlund, President

Soleduck12@comcast.net

Nancy Vignec, Vice President

vignecland@msn.com

Angela Aponte, Secretary

aaponte00@yahoo.com

Mary Herem, Treasurer

herem@comcast.net

Rob DeZarn

dman5757@live.com

Anne Briebl

annebriebl@comcast.net

Glen Ruediger

glynmcmcg9@gmail.com

Bernd Lackemann

thelackemanns@gmail.com

Laurel Wright Osborn

dogdaktari@msn.com

John Briebl

jbriebl@hotmail.com

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

6th Sunday after Pentecost

July 21, 2019

Assisting Minister

Jim Halmo

Lector

Gayle Halmo

Children's Sermon

Gregg Wright Osborn

Communion Assistants

Camille Eliason and Corky Margeson

Acolyte

Volunteers

Altar Guild

Sharon Wildfang, Cindy Boushack and

Connie Carlson

Greeters

Pat and Ron Jorgenson

Ushers

Doug and Anne Briebl

Edna Coonc and Elois Macdonald

Control Booth

Rob DeZarn and Phil Aponte

Coffee Hour

Congregational Life (Aletta Alford)

Holy Ground Leader

Gregg Wright Osborn