



# The Star

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Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
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Weekly News and Events  
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

May 24, 2015  
Day of Pentecost

## 95 ~~Theses~~ Days of Summer Fun

What's coming this summer at Epiphany? 95 days of celebrating God's grace! We are planning lots of fun activities this summer to keep us connected and growing together as a community. Here is just a snapshot: put June 14 on your calendar for the kick-off. We have a big surprise immediately following worship that day with food, fun and fellowship. Another debut this summer is "Sizzling Saturdays" a quarterly opportunity for you to invite friends to come to a festive event. We are working on several service projects (attending a Dash game, zip lining, trekking to Detroit for the National Youth Gathering), so get ready for a great summer of fun and worship, and growing in our faith!

Also, we'd love to see you Sunday mornings at 10 am, so we are trying a little friendly competition to help motivate you. Are you ready for some fun? I want to see your happy faces this summer!

Peace,

**VBS is Coming!**  
**Camp Where Ya Going?**  
**June 22-26!**

We will be joining Parkway Presbyterian at Parkway this year for VBS.

Registration forms are available on the long table in the entry.



THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY		
Office Hours: M-F		
8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm		
May 24-31, 2015		
<b>Today</b>	Encounter: Faith <b>Worship</b>	8:45 am <b>10:00 am</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<i>Memorial Day - Office Closed</i>	
<b>Tues</b>	Toy Builders Bible Study	9:00 am 11:00 am
<b>Wed</b>	Acolyte/Crucifer Training EECC Chapel Choir Rehearsal	6:00 pm 10:00 am 7:00 pm
<b>Sun</b>	<i>Graduation Sunday</i> Encounter: Faith <b>Worship</b> Graduates Reception	8:45 am <b>10:00 am</b> 11:00 am

Pastor Laura and Ashley will be out of the office Wednesday through Friday, May 27-29 for Synod Assembly.



Representatives from the Congregation Council will be glad to talk with anyone regarding a question, concern or comment following the worship service in the Adult Library. Today's

representatives are Melissa Maltzahn, Cory Phillips, and Karl Florian.

**Acolyte/Crucifer Training/  
Refresher Course**  
**Tuesday, May 26th at 6:00**

ALL rising 6-12th graders (current 5th-11th) are strongly encouraged to attend, including those who are currently serving in this role.

Please come ready to jump right in at 6:00. **We will go out for dinner afterwards.**

*Please make every effort to attend!*



**LET US PRAY FOR...**

**Leaders of church & state, especially**

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton                      President Obama  
 Bishop Leonard Bolick                      Governor McCrory  
 Pastor Laura Wind                              Mayor Joines  
*The people and leaders of Nepal*

**Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico**

*The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia and Pr. David Brondos*

**Active duty military personnel, especially**

An Bunjang                                      Randal Middleton  
 Jay Collette                                      David Schultz  
 Sam LeVon

**Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially**

Alfred Alson	Deborah Hinkle	Matthew Oldland
Carolyn Ballard	Annie Landis	Robert Peak
Beverly Bartolomei	Helen Larkin	Carolyn Plater
Bridget McMinn Chin	Beth Layhe	Alice Seppell
David Dana	Bill Mock	Lydia Sparrow
Carolyn Gilden	Allison Morris	Zelda Swanson
Eric Grush	Judy Mullane	Nicole Williams
Corrie Haynes	Kevin Oldland	Jim Wollweber
Robin Hermida		

**Members in need, especially**

Carolyn Canup	Jean Mock	Nancy Stenberg
Phyllis Cochrane	Susan Pester	Harold Williams
Marge Leister	Virginia Schmitz	Pastor Laura Wind
Jim Lippard		

**Homebound and Assisted Living Members**

Barbara Coley	Frances Lanier	Rick Thrasher
Mary Helen Fisher	Cole Lippard	Martee Umberger
William Garris	Helen Preston	Bob Walker
Bob Huber		

**God comes DOWN to us in Love:  
 A stewardship question**

How much is enough?



Isaiah 6:1-8  
 Psalm 29  
 Romans 8:12-17  
 John 3:1-17



Council has scheduled a Basement Clean Out Day for Saturday, June 6, 8:30 am – noon. We want to invite you to help, especially if you have documents or things stored in the basement and you want to make sure that your things are (or are not) thrown away. We know that we have 30-40 boxes of documents that need to be shredded and several grills and other junk items that need to be cleaned out. We have arranged for the documents to be picked up on Monday, June 8 and shredded. Monday also starts the neighborhood bulk item trash pickup and we are planning to put the large items on the curb for pickup.

Please see a Council member if you have questions or can help.

5/17/15 ATTENDANCE	
Attendance	174
Visitors	15



The Women of the ELCA will again participate in collecting items for Lutheran Services Carolinas/Child and Family Services. There will be baskets in the Fellowship Hall. The collected items will be taken to the State WELCA Gathering June 19 - 21. Checks are also welcome. Please make them payable to LSC and mark "Child and Family Services" in the memo field.

This list will be posted on the WELCA Bulletin Board in the Fellowship Hall.

Nancy Grush  
 WELCA Chair, Committee for Action