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

August 28, 2016
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Rally Day is coming September 11 at 8:45am! Everyone, young and old, is invited and encouraged to attend Rally Day, which is Epiphany's kickoff to the new Encounter Faith year. Exciting and new things are planned this year so be sure to come and hear about them. Each Sunday the frog in the narthex will count down the weeks to Rally Day. Don't forget to reserve your spot by signing your name and number in attendance on a fish in the pond! Can't wait to see you there!



THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Office Hours: M-F

8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm

August 28-September 4, 2016

Today	<i>Blessing of the Backpacks</i>	
	Worship	10:00 am
	Reception for Pr. Beeg	After Worship
	Youth Bible Study	5:30 pm
Tues	Group Prayer	11:00 am
Wed	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
Thur	OWLs at Trinity Glen	7:00 pm
Sun	<i>Baptism of Emmie Lou Gerdes</i>	
	Worship	10:00 am



Join us after worship on Sunday, September 18 for refreshments and an "Intro to the Intentional Interim" forum led by Pastor Doug Kearney, our intentional interim pastor. He'll give a presentation

on the typical tasks of the interim period and take your questions. Participants will have an opportunity in table groups to talk about what needs to happen at Epiphany before a new pastor is called. We'll have you on the road before 1pm.

Thank you to

everyone who donated to the VBS Barnyard Project through ELCA Good Gifts. Over \$180 was raised and the following animals were purchased and donated: one sheep, one rooster, one pig, and ten chicks. What a great way to round out *Barnyard Roundup* VBS! See you again next year!



Patryck will be on vacation from Wednesday, August 17th until August 31st.



Help the Forsyth Jail & Prison Ministries



On August 14th ten members of Epiphany's choir, along with 10 members from the Mt. Pisgah United Methodist Church, had an opportunity to sing at the church service at the Forsyth County Correctional Center, followed by fellowship with the inmates. Prison chaplains are provided to the county via the non-profit "Forsyth Jail & Prison Ministries." One of their programs is to support the emotional health of the children of inmates by sponsoring parent/child opportunities. Your choir would like to ask for your financial help in providing assistance to this organization in support of this ministry. Donations may be made through the church, noting contribution is for the "Forsyth Jail & Prison Ministries" or through the ministries website: www.forsythjpm.org.



The combination code on the door will change effective September 1st. Please call the church office for the new code.

Scan this QR code to be taken directly to Epiphany's mobile giving site where you can make a secure online donation today!



LET US PRAY FOR...

Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA President Obama
 Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod Governor McCrory
 Our Congregation Council Mayor Joines
 Christ's Beloved Community

Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico

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

Active duty military personnel, especially

Jay Collette Randal Middleton
 Brian Fenstemaker Nick Puzzoli
 Tim Hawkins David Schultz

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

Alfred Alson	William Hudson	Jane Ritchie
Margaret Ammon	Richard Jensen	Michelle Scicli
Lisa Brandt	Kay Kelly	Rebecca Scott
J.J. Chudamelka	Stevie Kubik	Alice Seppell
Destani Garrett	Annie Landis	Sylvia Shelton
Derrick Gilmore	Andy McMurray	Ella Shore
Tom Goco	Naomi Meckley	Nora Smith
Amy Grady	Allison Morris	Maribeth Stecher
Eric Grush	Bill Muhler	Joe Stephan
Jeff Grush	Robert Peak	Dave Vander Lugt
Ray & Norma Henry	Carolyn Plater	Lisa Wheeler
Ralph Herbison	Nancy Richbourg	Nicole Williams
Kimberly Herring		

Members in need, especially

Sharen Bond	Joyce Kohfeldt	Virginia Schmitz
Jim Cochrane	Jim & Lucy Lippard	Bob Stenberg
Dot Joines	Susan Pester	

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

Barbara Coley	Cole Lippard	Rick Thrasher
Mary Helen Fisher	Helen Preston	Martee Umberger
William Garris	Verdell Thomas	Robert Walker
Marge Leister		

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to

Evelyn Williams and her family at the death of her husband, Harold.

8/21/16 ATTENDANCE	
Attendance	117
Visitors	5

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR SEPTEMBER

EECC - Cheerios, Napkins, 3 & 5 oz. cups, 100% Fruit Juice, Baby Wipes

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers; Grits/Oatmeal

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Apple and orange juice (46 oz. cans), disposable razors, toothpaste, hand lotion and soap (all sample sizes), high efficiency laundry detergent packs/pods.

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Single serve meals, snacks, fresh fruit, and breakfast items; milk, creamer; sugar; paper towels; disposable hot and cold cups; preemie clothes and diapers.

TRINITY GLEN - Hair bows, pins, scrunches for hair

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Shampoo, laundry soap, dish soap (all available at Dollar Tree)

Upcoming Events:

- 9/1 Door code will change. Call the office for new code.
- 9/5 Labor Day - Church Office Closed
- 9/6 Tuesday Bible Study will resume
- 9/7 Choir Rehearsal will resume
- 9/11 Rally Day!
Meet & Greet Pastor Doug Kearney
- 9/12 Handbells will resume
- 9/18 WELCA Sunday
WELCA General Meeting (after worship)
- 9/25 Pastor Doug Presents "Intro to the Intentional Interim" (after worship, pot luck)



Bible Readings for Next Week

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
Psalm 1
Philemon 1-21
Luke 14:25-33

Want to help EECC save some money? Donate school supplies, Harris Teeter points and gift cards (for snacks), and Thrivent Choice Dollars to EECC. Place donations in the EECC collection bin in the hallway or place in the EECC mailboxes (Lisa Nichols or Jackie Pierson). THANKS!! Every little bit helps to keep the budget in line!



Jackie Pierson