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

September 4, 2016
Sixteenth 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!



Join us after worship on Sunday, September 25 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.



Calling All Women!

On **September 18th**, Epiphany will celebrate Women of the ELCA Sunday. Following the service, we will also gather for our **WELCA Annual General Meeting** in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be served, and the **Rev. Dr. Katherine Shaner** will provide our program. Nursery provided. Please make plans to attend! ALL ARE WELCOME!



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

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY	
Office Hours: M-F	
8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm	
September 4-11, 2016	
Today	Baptism of Emmie Lou Gerdes Worship 10:00 am
Mon	Labor Day - Church Office Closed
Tues	Bible Study 11:00 am
Wed	EECC Chapel 10:00 am Communion & Healing Noon
	Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm
Thur	Nora Deal Circle 11:30 am
Sun	Rally Day! 8:45 am Backpack Assembly 9:40 am Worship 10:00 am Meet & Greet Pr. Doug Kearney After Worship

The church office will be closed on Monday, September 5th in observance of Labor Day.

Mickey will be out of the office Wednesday, 9/7 through Friday,



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.

LET US PRAY FOR...

Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA President Obama
Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod Governor McCrory
Pastor Doug Kearney Mayor Joines
Our Congregation Council

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 Duncan Miller
Brian Fenstermaker Nick Puzzoli
Tim Hawkins David Schultz
Randal Middleton

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

The family and friends, staff and students of East Forsyth Middle School at the death of Krishawn Noble.

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:

- 9/5 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)

8/28/16 ATTENDANCE

Attendance 128
Visitors 4



Exodus 32:7-14
Psalm 51:1-10
1 Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-10



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