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

September 25, 2016
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost



Join us after worship today for pot luck 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.

In a few weeks the congregation council will appoint a **Transition Team** to work with Pastor Doug to bring to the council, and then implement, initiatives that will help Epiphany take best advantage of the interim time. We are looking for members who are wise, with spiritual depth and emotional maturity, and who model Christian discipleship. If you know of someone who would serve well on the Transition Team, tell a council member. (A reminder: council nominations go in the box in the entryway. Transition Team suggestions should be made personally to a council member. We intend this not to be confusing.) Today will be the final day for you to make your suggestions to a council member.



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 the EECC mailboxes (Lisa Nichols or Jackie Pierson). THANKS!! Every little bit helps to keep the budget in line!

| THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY | | |
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| Office Hours: M-F | | |
| 8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm | | |
| September 25-October 2, 2016 | | |
| Today | Encounter: Faith Assemble Backpacks | 8:45 am 9:40 am |
| | Worship | 10:00 am |
| | "Intro to Intentional Interim" & Pot Luck | After Worship |
| Mon | Handbell Rehearsal | 6:00 pm |
| Tues | Bible Study | 11:00 am |
| | LSM | 6:15 pm |
| | Tuesday Music Night | 6:30 pm |
| Wed | EECC Chapel | 10:00 am |
| | Choir Rehearsal | 7:00 pm |
| Thur | Evening Threads of Love | 6:30 pm |
| Fri | Girl Scout prep for yard sale | 5:00 pm |
| Sat | Girl Scout Yard Sale | 7:00 am-1:00 pm |
| | Council Workshop | 9:00 am-2:00 pm |
| Sun | Encounter: Faith Together | 8:45 am |
| | Assemble Backpacks | 9:40 am |
| | Worship | 10:00 am |

Pastor Doug will be at the Pastor's Convo next week. In case of a pastoral emergency, please call the church office during office hours. After hours you may reach Pastor Doug at 828-808-9639 if you have a pastoral emergency.



Today is the last day to place your Council nomination form in the blue box on the square table by the wood double doors in the entryway.



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
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

For those who rejoice

Travis & Sarah Gerdes at the baptism of their daughter,
Emmie Lou on September 4th.

David & Charlene Wellborn at the birth of their granddaughter,
Teagan Lynn on September 7th.

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

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| Tim Bean | Piper Hotchsatter | Carolyn Plater |
| Tom Burns | William Hudson | Nancy Richbourg |
| J.J. Chudamelka | Richard Jensen | Jane Ritchie |
| Derrick Gilmore | Kay Kelly | Rebecca Scott |
| Tom Goco | Annie Landis | Alice Seppell |
| Amy Grady | George Lippard | Ella Shore |
| Eric Grush | Andy McMurray | Maribeth Stecher |
| Jeff Grush | Naomi Meckley | Joe Stephan |
| Peter & Jenny Hanner | Allison Morris | Dave Vander Lugt |
| Ralph Herbison | Bill Muhler | Lisa Wheeler |
| Kimberly Herring | Dick Nuss | Nicole Williams |
| | Robert Peak | |

Members in need, especially

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| Sharen Bond | Joyce Kohfeldt | Virginia Schmitz |
| Dottie Bush | Jim & Lucy Lippard | Bob Stenberg |
| Jim Cochrane | Dottie Peoples | Kathleen Tucker |
| Dot Joines | Susan Pester | |

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

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

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to
Matt Cannon and his family at the death of his wife, Norie.

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR OCTOBER

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

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers; Boxed dinners (Hamburger Helper, etc.)

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Ground coffee (regular), hand lotion (sample sizes), socks, razors, 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; premie clothes and diapers.

TRINITY GLEN - Soap

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

9/18/16 ATTENDANCE

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| Attendance | 151 |
| Visitors | 8 |



Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4
Psalm 37:1-9
2 Timothy 1:1-14
Luke 17:5-10

The evening group of
Threads of Love will
meet this Thursday at 6:15
until 8:00pm. Please come
join us and knit or crochet
and fellowship. No
experience is needed. Contact Jeanie Saphar
with questions.



Join us for "**Tuesday Music Night**" this
week. Performance will begin at 6:30.

*New format starting in September
includes a featured group and a group
sing-along.* Please attend even if you
are not performing and bring friends.

We are trying to revitalize the event and need
your support. Thanks!