

# THE GOOD NEWS

The Newsletter of Cornerstone Lutheran Church

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## Don't Miss Out on Summer Fun!



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**Evening VBS in June & July**

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Cornerstone Lutheran Church is reaching out, caring for, and building people toward maturity in Christ!

# From the Pastor

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## The pursuit of happiness

On April 1st, we believers exclaimed to one another "Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!" And we rejoiced that it wasn't an April Fool's Day spoof! Easter Sunday led us into a season of joy and a life of happiness!

Happiness is a popular topic in our world. According to *Psychology Today* about fifty books about happiness were published in 2000. The number skyrocketed to 4,000 in 2008. The article, however, concluded that "the happiness frenzy failed to deliver on its promise. Chasing happiness actually makes people unhappy."

A 2012 Gallop Poll ranked the United States as 33rd in the world on a happiness scale. Emily Smith in her article, "There's More to Life than Being Happy" affirmed: "Something more important than happiness is finding meaning or a life purpose."

Daniel Gilbert, a psychology professor at Harvard University, suggests: "An uncertain future leaves us stranded in an unhappy present with nothing to do but wait... Our national gloom is real enough, but it isn't a matter of insufficient funds. It's a matter of insufficient certainty."

The article "The Science of Happiness" in the January 12, 2018 issue of the magazine *The Week* listed a number of important factors to achieving happiness:

- The quality of your relationships (with family and friends)
- Frequency of events that trigger happiness
- Counting your blessings
- Expressing gratitude
- Positive effects of meditation
- Giving yourself small, achievable goals

It shouldn't surprise us then that there was a person facing imminent death in prison—a prison operated by corrupt officials claiming false charges—who felt compelled to write a "Thank You!" note to important Christian friends for their gift to him. He was



St. Paul, and he wrote: *"I rejoice greatly in the Lord that at last you have renewed your concern for me. Indeed, you have been concerned, but you had no opportunity to show it. I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do everything through Him, who gives me strength."* The "him" is the risen Lord Jesus Christ! (Philippians 4:10-13)

Sometime later, another believer phrased these important words: "...That I may be his own and live under him in his kingdom and serve him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as he is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. THIS IS MOST CERTAINLY TRUE."

St. Paul was more than happy, and so was Martin Luther! I pray this is also true for you!

Blessings in our Risen Lord Jesus!

*Pastor Kuznik*

# General CLC Information

## Spring Voters' Meeting is at Fishers

- Monday, May 14 – 7 p.m.
- Fishers Site

Please join us in May at the Fishers site for our church-wide, semi-annual Voters' Meeting. At this meeting you'll get updates on our Indianapolis/urban ministry opportunities and get a sneak peek at our new website design. We will also vote to approve the annual budget for the next fiscal year, and approve Shawn Hecksel's participation in the LCMS Specific Ministry Pastor (SMP) program.

All confirmed disciples at CLC are invited. You are encouraged to come and be a part of the decision-making for our church. Refreshments will be served, and child care is available.



The Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) is sponsoring a Baby Shower during May for The Sharing Place and the St. Louis Seminary. Please place your donations in the play pen outside a worship area.

Items requested are: small and medium-sized onesies, undershirts, sleepers with feet, gowns, receiving blankets, crib sheets, mattress pads, towels, socks, disposable diapers, baby wipes, shampoo, bibs, and pacifiers. Gently used baby items and maternity clothes are also needed and much appreciated. We hope each family will donate one new baby item.



## High school & college seniors... what's next?

Are you a senior in high school or college? What's next for you? Let us know where you're graduating from, where you're attending college or other future plans, and if you've received any awards, scholarships, or other recognitions.

Submit this information, along with a photo of yourself **by Wednesday, May 16**, to [bit.ly/18HigCol](http://bit.ly/18HigCol). (Or, email [cklemm@cornerstonelutheran.church](mailto:cklemm@cornerstonelutheran.church)). Graduate information will be published in the June newsletter.

## Needed: Empty bottles



Our Vacation Bible School needs to collect 600 empty water bottles for a VBS craft project. Please be sure of the following when making your donations:

- Size is .5 ml (like those in a 24-pack)
- Empty & DRY OUT the bottles
- REMOVE labels
- INCLUDE lids

Donation baskets are at Connection Centers outside worship areas. Thank you!

## Symphony on the Prairie group-priced tickets

Pat Nash is again selling group-priced tickets to Symphony on the Prairie. Tickets are \$23 for adults and \$13 for children (ages 2-12). These tickets are good for all Symphony on the Prairie concerts this summer, including Star Spangled Symphony (June 29-30/July 3-4), The Beach Boys (July 13-14), Classical Mystery Tour: Music of the Beatles (Aug. 10-11), and Who's Bad: Music of Michael Jackson (August 24-25). *(Regular adult ticket prices at Kroger are \$30, and the special concerts listed above are \$36.)*



The deadline for checks to Pat is Thursday, May 31. She will distribute these tickets on Sunday, June 10. To purchase tickets, please make your check payable to Pat Nash and mail to her at 3012 Lucann Street, Carmel, IN 46033. Questions? Call Pat at 317.844.2329. **No group tickets may be ordered after the deadline.**

# Coming this Summer

## Fine Arts Academy: Register soon!

- June 18-22, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
- Theme: "Come to the Waters"

There a limited number of spots still open for this year's Fine Arts Academy (FAA), a week-long summer day camp for children who have finished Kindergarten through 8th grade. This camp focuses on the arts and their connection to faith and community. The staff is composed of professional teachers from the central Indiana area. FAA 2018 will be held June 18-22 from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., with the closing program on Friday evening, June 22, at 7 p.m.



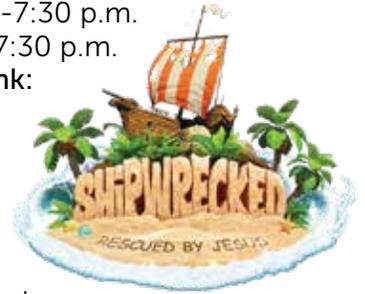
Registration deadline is May 15, as is the deadline to cancel or request a refund. Register and pay at [CornerstoneLutheran.church/faa](http://CornerstoneLutheran.church/faa).

## Be a Teen Helper at the Fine Arts Academy!

The Fine Arts Academy is looking for AWESOME teens to help out during the week of camp. Teen helpers need to have completed 8th-12th grade. This teen program, led by Sarah Williams, promises lots of fun, great Bible study, hart work, and a place to be creative. To apply, go online to [CornerstoneLutheran.church/faa](http://CornerstoneLutheran.church/faa).

## Family (evening) VBS

- Fishers: June 10-12, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Carmel: July 8-10, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Registration/volunteer link: [CornerstoneLutheran.church/vbs](http://CornerstoneLutheran.church/vbs)



Join us for this summer's Vacation Bible School (VBS), "Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus!" We still have openings in our Evening Family VBS sessions at both Carmel and Fishers! During Family VBS an optional light meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. VBS will then begin following the meal. Register at the above link.

**Meal help needed at Carmel:** We're looking for people to help prep food for evening VBS. Menu and food are provided—we just need prep help and servers. To volunteer, go to the link listed above.

## Volunteers needed at all VBS times:

- June 10-12, evening VBS (Fishers)
- July 11-15, morning VBS (Fishers)
- July 8-10, evening VBS (Carmel)
- July 9-13, morning VBS (Carmel)

Positions include Adult Guides (age 16-101), Junior Guides (entering 7th grade through age 15), and Decorating Team. Volunteer at the link listed above.

## SEE DAMARIS PHILIPS OF THE **FOOD** network **LIVE!** Cornerstone Lutheran Church Fishers Coming in June!

- Family Picnic (food served until 5:45pm)
- Cooking demo and keynote from Damaris
- Family Olympics

**FREE EVENT!** (free child care provided)

**H E A L T H Y**  
mind · body · spirit

A series of quarterly conferences to help begin the conversation with our community about physically, mentally, and spiritually healthy families.



## Pastor Brunette plans Sabbatical



It has been the policy of CLC to grant full-time workers the opportunity to take a Sabbatical. Pastor Luther

Brunette is completing his 25<sup>th</sup> year as our Senior Pastor and has been granted a 12-week Sabbatical by the Governing Board beginning June 4, 2018 and ending September 4, 2018.

What will Pastor Luther be doing during this time so that he will be able to continue his ministry in a way that honors God and best serves His people?

- Spend quality daily devotional time with the Lord for a time of renewal and refreshment
- Read meaningful theological books and journals
- Engage in regular exercise
- Spend meaningful time with his wife, Kristine, and other immediate family members
- Plan and conduct an extended family reunion
- Attend a Leadership Conference

During Pastor's Sabbatical, Pastor Scott Giger will serve as Lead Pastor. We are thankful for our other pastors and staff serving diligently during Pastor Luther's absence.

You may contact Jill Nisenshal ([jnisenshal@cornerstonelutheran.church](mailto:jnisenshal@cornerstonelutheran.church), 317.814.4252 x210) if you need to reach Pastor Luther or have questions. Please keep him in your prayers during his Sabbatical!

## Welcome, Marcey!

Marcey Zolner has joined the CLC staff as the Faith Formation Administrative Assistant. Here's a little more about her:

**Where are you originally from?**

*Wheaton, IL*

**What do you do at Cornerstone Lutheran?**

*As the Faith Formation Assistant, I help with organizational and administrative tasks for High School, Middle School, Confirmation, and Children's Ministries.*

**What do you love about CLC and/or why do you like working here?**

*I enjoy the people and appreciate that they understand my love for my family.*

**What makes for a great workday?**

*Checking boxes off my "to do" list! :)*

**Tell a little about your family.**

*We've been disciples at CLC for 12 years. My husband, Marc, plays in the worship band at Carmel and helps with preschool music and elementary Sunday School. I help with a preschool class, and the Wednesday morning Woman's Bible study. We have 4 children: Kira (12), Jenna (11), Zachary (9), and Amanda (7).*

**Where did you meet your spouse? How long have you been married?**

*I met Marc at Baxter Healthcare in Deerfield, Illinois—I used to be his boss! We will be married 18 years in September.*

**Describe yourself in three words:**

*Determined, active, thoughtful.*

**Who's been an inspiration to you in your life?**

*My grandmother—she had a very hard life but never complained or let it show. She always saw the positive in everything.*

**What's the best advice anyone has given you?**

*Forgive and forget.*

**What's playing in your car right now?**

*The Message (XM Christian radio).*

**Favorite food:**

*Ice cream!*

**Favorite vacation or vacation activity:**

*We went on cruise last year and it was truly a vacation for me with no cooking or cleaning!*

**What's something that most people don't know about you?**

*I have climbed Mt. Kilimanjaro in Tanzania, Africa (19,340 ft).*

**If you weren't in the office right now, what would you be doing?**

*Hanging out with my sister, grocery shopping, or going for a run.*

**What is the one THING (not person) you cannot do without?**

*Something sweet to eat.*



# Classes & Studies

## Discover Cornerstone Lutheran Classes

Discover Cornerstone Lutheran (DCL) is specifically geared toward those individuals interested in learning more about what it means to be a disciple at CLC and partner with us in our ministry. In this class, participants will have the opportunity to discover at least three things:

1. What we at Cornerstone Lutheran Church believe.
2. What our purpose is and which ministries we advance.
3. What each member's unique role is as a disciple here.

The class is also a chance to get better-acquainted with the pastoral staff and a great opportunity to meet other individuals and families.

DCL meets during the education hour for 8 weeks. On Reception Sunday, week 9, we welcome those wanting to be active disciples at CLC at a Rite of Welcoming during one of our worship services.

If God has been drawing you to the ministry of Cornerstone Lutheran, then know that we are certain there is a purpose and a place for you here. We would be pleased to have you partner with us in our mission of building others up in the Good News of Jesus Christ! Upcoming dates in 2018 are:

- **Carmel Site:** June 3 - July 22, 9:30-10:25, room 102
- **Fishers Site:** Aug. 5 - Sept. 30, 10:15-10:55, classroom N

Sign up or find out more by filling out the online form found at [CornerstoneLutheran.church/dcl](http://CornerstoneLutheran.church/dcl), or contact Clarissa Hay ([chay@cornerstonelutheran.church](mailto:chay@cornerstonelutheran.church), 317.814.4252 x216).

## Bible study notes

- **The "New Testament Studies" class** on Tuesdays at CLC Carmel room 102 meets from 1-2 p.m., not 12-1 p.m.
- **Women's Ministry** is offering several ways to take part in "The Quest" Bible study (by Beth Moore) this summer. Turn to p. 10 for more information.
- **Bridges**, a Women's Ministry Sunday class, will take place on May 20, 9:30 a.m. at CLC Carmel. Turn to p. 10 to find out more.

- **Bible Study book "sale":** Looking for a new Bible study this summer? The CLC Carmel Library has accumulated many copies of various studies that need a good home. Come to the library the week of May 5-11 and pick something up! (Donations will go to Lutheran Bible Translators).



- **Online study—Torah 1.0:** Pastor Chad Foster from St. Peter's Lutheran in Columbus, Ind., who is also a Messianic Jewish Rabbi, will lead you through portions of the Torah, adding extra richness to the understanding of Jesus as Messiah. Find this online study at [drchad.faithweb.com/torah.html](http://drchad.faithweb.com/torah.html).

CLARIFYING  
THE BIBLE  
A video presentation to help make sense of it all

## RightNow Media: Clarifying the Bible

Whether you are a student of the Bible or learning about it for the first time, knowing and understanding the "big picture" of God's story can be very helpful. In *Clarifying the Bible*, Mitch Maher begins with the big picture, then breaks it down into understandable parts. His two-hour video series is broken into eight manageable sessions which gives viewers the basic framework and story line of the Bible. The material is presented in a passionate, compelling fashion, and in the end delivers on its promise to help people see the Bible with more clarity. Use it in your small group, for personal study, or for one-on-one discipleship.

If you do not have your own RightNow Media login or would like to share this free resource with your family, friends, or neighbors, go to the following link: [RightNow.org/Account/Invite/cornerstonelutheran](http://RightNow.org/Account/Invite/cornerstonelutheran). Contact Clarissa Hay ([chay@cornerstonelutheran.church](mailto:chay@cornerstonelutheran.church), 317.814.4252) for more information on this great resource.

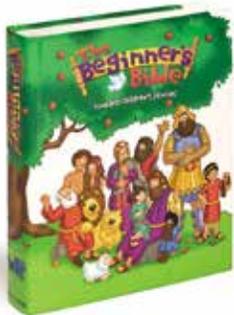
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# Children

## Faith Formation Milestone Event

- Sunday, May 6  
Carmel & Fishers sites
- Training at education time
- Presentation at Carmel:  
10:35 & 10:45 a.m. services
- Presentation at Fishers:  
9 & 11 a.m. services
- REGISTER AT:  
[cornerstonelutheran.church](http://cornerstonelutheran.church),  
search "faith formation event"

This Milestone Event in CLC's Faith Formation program is for those children that will enter the younger preschool class in Cornerstone Kids (Sunday School) for the 2018-19 school year (those that turn 3 years old by August 1, 2018).



At this event, each child registered will receive a picture Bible. In addition, we will have a blessing event during the late worship services

at Carmel (10:35 a.m. Worship Center, 10:45 a.m. Sanctuary) and both services at Fishers (9 & 11 a.m.). If you usually attend early services at Carmel, please be sure to join us at one of the late services on May 6 so you and your child can be a part of this special blessing!

*Throughout the year we focus on a different aspect of faith development for a specific age group. Each event will have a training session for the parent(s) during the education time and a presentation from the parent(s) to the child at a worship service as a token to remember the event.*

# Preschool

## Praise God from whom all blessings flow!

As the 2017-2018 school year comes to an end, we marvel at the many blessings God has given us during these months. We are thankful for the children who have attended our classes. We have been blessed with love and support from their families

- We are thankful for the teachers who have brought joy and wonder into the classrooms every day. They have provided hugs and encouragement to help nurture all these children.
- We are thankful for our new director, Teresa Millwood. Her Preschool Leadership Team includes John Happersberger (Chairperson), Lindsay Blythe, Megan Heer, and Annette Probst. They have brought with them new ideas and directions for our preschool.
- We are thankful for the equipment and classrooms where we have gathered each day. We have been blessed with a myriad of materials which have made teaching exciting and new every day. We are very thankful for your financial support for these supplies.
- We are thankful for all your prayers during these months. God has provided answers for each of our needs and concerns.
- Most of all, we are thankful that the Holy Spirit has helped these children learn to love their Best Friend and Savior, Jesus. The children know that He will be with them and care for them throughout their lives.

Our end-of-the year brunches will be held during the week of May 21. The families will gather to celebrate the many blessings God has provided during this year of preschool. We pray that God will continue to bless us in the years to come! Have a safe and blessed summer!

# Scouting

## Scouting Sunday May 6, Carmel site

Do you have a son entering Kindergarten through 5th grade? Would you and your son like to experience the fun of shooting rockets, racing Pinewood Derby cars, and day camping; in addition to the attending the Den and Pack Meetings, making friends, and learning many life lessons, values, and skills? If so, Cub Scouting may be for you!



Cub Scout Pack 188 is chartered by Cornerstone Lutheran Church Carmel and is having a Scouting Sunday on May 6, starting after the late services (from about 11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.) in the Gym. Snacks will be provided.

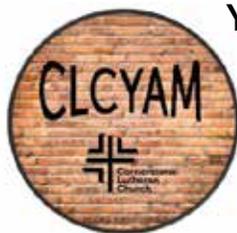
While your Son is participating in Cub activities on May 6, Pack 188 adult leaders, parents, and Cub Scouts will be present to talk about the benefits of Scouting and how you and your son can get involved. For more information, email to Marcus Holcomb ([holky5@gmail.com](mailto:holky5@gmail.com)).

# Fellowship

## Seniors Luncheon May 7

Our next Seniors Luncheon will be on Monday, May 7, starting at noon at CLC Carmel room 102. Our program will be presented by the WRAPsody Quartet, singing music of the 50's and 60's, hymns, and more. This is sure to be a fun-filled musical afternoon!

Come for an afternoon of food, fellowship, and learning. We especially invite those Seniors who are new to Cornerstone Lutheran. Contact Bates McIndoe ([batesandjudy@yahoo.com](mailto:batesandjudy@yahoo.com), 317.571.0877) with questions.



## Young Adult Ministry (YAM) events

*All young couples and singles in their 20s and 30s are invited to meet up for Bible study, dinner, fellowship, and service as we seek to grow in our walk with Christ and each other. For more information on all these activities, follow CLC's Young Adult Ministry on Facebook – [Cornerstone Lutheran Young Adult Ministry \(CLCYAM\)](#) and Instagram – [clcyam](#).*

### Bible Study: Sundays, 12-1:30 p.m.

- May 6: Potluck
- My 20: Pitch-in for pizza

Come join us for an interactive Bible study and food at Carmel, room 102. Topics include stewardship, adulting, joining Jesus every day, and other real life matters.

### Climb Time + Dinner

- Wednesday, May 16, 7 p.m.

We'll have fun rock climbing followed by dinner. Meet at Climb Time in Fishers. Please check the Facebook group for updates or contact Wes Smith (260.452.6049).

### Fishbowl Theology & Dinner

- Thursday, May 31, 7 p.m.
- Union Brewing Co., 622 S. Rangeline Rd., Carmel

Meet up for dinner one evening a month for a time of fellowship and great questions with a pastor. This month, we welcome Pastor Gary Miller. Contact Wes Smith (260.452.6049) for more information.

## Local summer concerts:

### A fun way for Small Groups to connect!

Small groups meet regularly to study the Bible, pray, encourage one another, and have fun! Part of the fun can be getting to know one another outside of meeting times. Plan an outing with your group or join up with another small group during one of the family friendly (and often free) music events offered in our communities beginning in May. See the links below for a listing of dates and musicians.



### Carmel

Cool Creek Park & Nature Center  
[visithamiltoncounty.com/event/cool-creek-concerts/55448](http://visithamiltoncounty.com/event/cool-creek-concerts/55448)

The Gazebo  
[carmelgazeboconcerts.org/concert-schedule](http://carmelgazeboconcerts.org/concert-schedule)

### Fishers

Nickel Plate District Amphitheater  
[fishers.in.us/420/Summer-Concerts](http://fishers.in.us/420/Summer-Concerts)

### Noblesville

Dillon Park and Forest Park  
[cityofnoblesville.org/egov/documents/1523381067\\_1222.jpg](http://cityofnoblesville.org/egov/documents/1523381067_1222.jpg)

### Westfield

Urban Vines Winery & Brewery  
[urban-vines.com/events/](http://urban-vines.com/events/)

### Indianapolis

White River State Park  
[visitindy.com/indianapolis-lawn-concert-lineup](http://visitindy.com/indianapolis-lawn-concert-lineup)

# Outreach

## Military Ministry Bike Project a huge success!



Even though the ride down the Monon Trail had to be cancelled due to rain, our CLC riders came out in full force. Our participants, with help from

Two Men and a Truck, delivered 25 refurbished bikes to HVAF (Hoosier Veterans Assistance Foundation), who in turn headed up a Hand Over Ceremony and lunch to veterans and participants alike. This was a chance to personally meet the vets and thank them for their service.

Broad Ripple Chick-fil-A donated 70 chicken sandwiches; CLC provided chips, apples, and soft drinks; and everyone received a box of Girl Scout



CLC youth "hand over" a bike to a vet.

cookies donated by Girl Scouts of Indiana. All the bikes were refurbished and made ready to ride by Conquest Cycling. They also installed front and rear lights and bottle holders on each bike. Other supporters were LWML, Thrivent Financial, Flanner Buchanan, and the USO of Indiana.

With the generous donations that we received from our church family, we were able to include helmets, backpacks, lightweight blankets, hygiene kits, pocket flags, and ponchos for all the veterans receiving the bikes. CLC's Military Ministry committed to donating a total of 50 bikes and the remainder will be delivered soon. Many thanks to everyone who made this project a reality!



## Scholarships available for students attending Lutheran schools

The Outreach Team is now accepting scholarship applications from those who are disciples of CLC. Scholarship funds are available to those who are pursuing a university education to work in the areas of preaching, teaching and other ministries of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. Funds are also available for those attending Lutheran High School of Indianapolis and Lutheran elementary schools and kindergarten.

For a copy of the policies and the application, go to [www.cornerstonelutheran.church/lutheran-schools](http://www.cornerstonelutheran.church/lutheran-schools). Applications are due no later than June 30, 2018.

### To submit your application:

- **Mail:** Carmel Lutheran Church, Attn: Outreach Team, 4850 E. Main St., Carmel, IN 46033
- **Email:**  
High School/Elementary – John Happersberger ([johnhappersberger@gmail.com](mailto:johnhappersberger@gmail.com))  
Colleges/Seminaries – Dave Reed ([davidcsa@aol.com](mailto:davidcsa@aol.com))
- **Fax:** 317.814.4260, Attn: Outreach Team
- **Drop off at church:** Mark the envelope "Outreach Team"

Please direct any questions to the contacts listed above. The Outreach Team hopes this scholarship assistance will make it possible for more of our student disciples to attend Lutheran schools!





## Be a part of The Quest!

The Quest, a personal Bible study open to both women and teen girls, is designed to promote intimacy with God through the study of Scripture and prayer. By using the imagery of an adventurous

quest, each woman is invited to spend personal time with God asking “quest”ions and searching the Bible for direction. Although discussion in a small group setting can enhance this study, it was not designed with this specifically in mind. Therefore, we are providing you with a variety of opportunities to engage in this study:

### For moms and High School sophomore girls:

- Sundays through May 20, 9:30 a.m.
- CLC Carmel Student Lounge (across from the Student Center)

### Spring Quest concluding video

*This began with the opening videos in March.*

- Carmel: May 7, 7 p.m.
- Fishers: May 14, 7 p.m.

### Summer Quest videos

- Opening video at Carmel: Wednesday, June 6, 9 a.m. or 7 p.m.
- Closing video at Fishers: Wednesday, August 8, 9 a.m. or 7 p.m.

### Other ways to participate in Summer Quest:

- Invite a friend(s) to join you in your summer study. Share insights over lunch or coffee.
- Start a neighborhood study.
- Gather a group of women and meet throughout the summer.
- Study on your own, utilizing your insights into a blog post, poem, song, or artwork.

For access to the video components of this study, please contact Jan Williams ([jwilliams@cornerstone.lutheran.church](mailto:jwilliams@cornerstone.lutheran.church)).

## Bridges gathering

- Sunday, May 20, 9:30 a.m.
- CLC Carmel, room 102

As mothers, daughters, and friends, today’s women encourage each other to be brave, fierce, courageous, and strong—an “I am woman, hear me roar” mentality. How does that line up with Jesus’ teaching of “Blessed are the meek”? Meekness evokes images of a milquetoast personality or a doormat mentality, and seems to be at odds with the desire of women to be strong, secure, and competent. Do women of faith need to abandon one image for the other? Are they exclusive values? Join the conversation with Jan Williams as facilitator. Build some Bridges, connecting your life through Scripture with other women.

## Ladies Daytime Fellowship

There will not be a meeting or lunch for Ladies Daytime Fellowship in May. Thank you for all of your great work for CLC, the preschool, and other ministries every month!

## Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS)

We’re excited to announce that CLC is looking to start a new group, MOMSnext, for mothers of school aged children (1st-12th grades). If you are interested in any of our MOPS groups, or this new MOMSnext group, for the 2018-19 school year, contact the following leaders:

- **Fishers MOPS daytime group:** Sara Konopka ([skonopka10@yahoo.com](mailto:skonopka10@yahoo.com)).
- **Fishers MOPS evening group:** Sara VanDyke ([svandyke312@gmail.com](mailto:svandyke312@gmail.com)).
- **Carmel MOPS daytime group:** Abby Kruse ([abbykruse@gmail.com](mailto:abbykruse@gmail.com)).
- **MOMSnext group:** Lynne Craft ([lsp1107@hotmail.com](mailto:lsp1107@hotmail.com)).

We are also gauging interest and looking for women to lead or participate in a Carmel MOPS evening group. If you are interested, please contact Rebecca Sterchi ([rlsterchi@yahoo.com](mailto:rlsterchi@yahoo.com)).



# Among Us

## Births

Jack Randolph Wagner, son of Kevin & Catherine Wagner, March 26.

Isla June Walker, granddaughter of Tom Gambrel, March 30.

## Baptisms

Everleigh Jean Burney, daughter of JD & Emilie, April 7.

Marcella Lynn Bahler, daughter of Kent & Jordan, April 8. (Grandparents: David & Cora Bailey)

Quinn Iris Cagle, daughter of Jakob & Toni, April 8. (Grandparents: Phil & Amy Cagle)

Desmond James Hathaway, grandson of Eston & Janet Hathaway, Apr. 15. (Parents: Joshua Hathaway & Kasie Christian)

Reid Michael Brunton son of Eric & Shannon, April 21.

Emerson Barbara Geitgey, daughter of Jonathon & Melissa, April 21. (Grandparents: Mark & Barb Kleinschmidt)

Fiona Charlotte Paul, daughter of Robb & Christie, April 22.

## Wedding

Jody Wassermann & Becky Main, April 14.

## Sympathies to the families of

Bernie Biberdorf

Thad Summersett (Curt Oeschle's cousin)

Judy Shields (Brian Corvino's mother)

Alleen Fuchs (Marsha Tomchaney's mother)

Benita Bowman (Larry Bowman's mother, Tracy Bunch's grandmother)

Lois Holloway (Beth Love's mother)

Rafael Embid (Anja Nitz's nephew)

## In the News

Jeff Mohler has been named president and chief executive officer of Special Olympics Indiana.

Kevin, Tracy, and Megan Bunch were featured in an article in the *Current* newspaper about Megan raising money for Riley Hospital for Children.

Michael Robb, son of Kevin & Sheri Robb, was featured in an article in the *Current* newspaper about being part of Ball State's a capella group, Sedoctave, who earned first place at the International Championship of Collegiate A Capella Midwest Quarterfinals.

Josh Pedde was in a recent article in the *Current* newspaper discussing the benefits of music education.



The family of Bernard Biberdorf wish to thank all those from the CLC family for their prayers, warm hugs, thoughtful kindnesses, cards, food, and dear friendship at this time of Bernie's passing on to his heavenly address. There couldn't be a more appropriate time than that of the Easter celebration of the resurrection of Jesus and the promises he made for all who draw near to him. The punctuation mark of the huge storm on the day of the funeral was a vivid reminder to all of the awesome power of God.

Thank you to Pastor Luther Brunette for his part in the service, and to all the ladies who prepared and served the wonderful luncheon which allowed so many folks to visit inside, as the rain poured down outside. Thank you, also, to Eric Nelson for recording the service for those family members who couldn't attend.

We also thank the many persons who donated towards the memorial in Bernard's name—he and Marcy cherished this church and their many friends here. Thanks also for the pastoral visits while he was in the hospital and rehab center—they meant a lot to him and Marcy.

It all made for a memorable and wonderful day for all of the family as we said goodbye to our loved one.

~Marcy, sons Greg & Todd Biberdorf,  
and daughter Amy Ferraro

Thank you to Pastor Dan, Jill, and Eric for the beautiful service and Celebration of Life and Hope for Ed Hughey's homecoming. I am grateful for the kind words and support from my CLC family during this difficult time.

~ Sandy Hughey

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## Summer golf opportunities

2018  
CLC Student Ministry  
Golf Scramble

Friday, August 24  
11 a.m.  
Bearslide Golf Course

**STUDENTS**

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### CLC Golf Scramble to benefit Student Ministry

Mark your calendar for the 2018 Golf Scramble to benefit Student Ministry! Lunch and dinner will be provided at the Golf Scramble. Information on registration and sponsorship coming soon. Contact Shawn Hecksel ([shecksel@cornerstonelutheran.church](mailto:shecksel@cornerstonelutheran.church)) with questions.

### CLC Men's Summer Golf League

- Brookshire Golf Club
- Begins in June
- Mondays starting at 5:30 p.m.  
(four open tee times)

Each 9-hole round is only \$19, including cart. There is no commitment for the entire summer—you simply sign up for the Mondays you have available through a mobile app.

For more information on the golf league and mobile app, contact Travis Walton ([travis\\_walton74@hotmail.com](mailto:travis_walton74@hotmail.com), 317.339.7102).

