

CURRENT CONTRIBUTIONS* AND WORSHIP FOR - August 19, 2018

General Fund	\$ 4077.00	Thur. 7:00pm	13
Building Fund	\$ 85.00	Nursery	0
Endowment Fund	\$ 10.00	Sunday 9:30 am	60
Memorial Fund	\$ 50.00	Sunday 10:45 am	28
All Other Funds	\$ 10.42	WEEK TOTAL	101

*Contributions include online giving

THIS WEEK'S SERVANTS

August 26, 2018

	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 8/30
Greeters - Parking	Sharon Kimmel	LaDean Titus	
Communion	-	-	
Worship Assistant	Chuck Brummer	Lovell Davis	John Hafner
Ushers - Captain	Mike Murphy	TBD	
- Assistant	Jake Murphy		
Projectionist / AV	Murphy	Joshua Thompson	
Weekend Custodian	Chuck Niesen		

NEXT WEEK'S SERVANTS

September 2, 2018

	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 9/6
Greeters - Parking	Marlys Hyslop	Alexis Gartland	
Communion	Alexis G / Jerry L	George Wise	
Worship Assistant	Bruce Davis	Christian Weidner	Les Lehrke
Ushers - Captain	Kevin O'Donnell	TBD	
- Assistant	Chuck Brummer		
Projectionist / AV	Lynn Henry	Kevin Zook	
Weekend Custodian	John Hafner		

VISITORS: Check out our website, www.berealutheran.org for more information about Berea.

Copies of the **September Eager Berean** newsletter are also available in the tract rack in the narthex.

MEMBERS: Pick up your **September Eager Berean** from your mail box.



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THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, August 26

8:30 am Worship
9:45 am Education Hour
10:45 am Worship ☩
1-3:00 pm Light Rest

Monday, August 27

10:00 am LWML Cards
4:00-6:30pm B4&A Open House
Loaves and Fishes

Tuesday, August 28

4:00-6:30pm B4&A Open House
6:00 pm A.A.
(NO Friendly Visitors mtg. this month)

Wednesday, August 29

8:00 am Prayer Breakfast- *Bkr Sq.*,
6:00 pm A.C.A.

Thursday, August 30

7:00 pm Prayer Service
- *Lord's Supper*

Friday, August 31

6-7:00 pm Light Rest Bible Study
- *Fireside Rm*

Saturday, September 1

1:00 pm Reina - *Fireside Room*
4:45pm Wedding Rehearsal

Sunday, September 2 - Lord's Supper

9:30 am Worship
9:45 am NO Education Hour
12-2:00 pm Light Rest
2:30pm Wedding

☩ - On the 2nd and 4th Sundays at 10:45am, we offer a contemporary worship service

If you would like to place an announcement in the Beacon, please give it to the office in writing (note or to office email), by noon Tuesday for the upcoming Sunday.

YOUR BEREA STAFF

Rev. Kevin Tiaden, *Pastor*

OFFICE

Allen Petersen, *Parish Administrator*
HaeKyung Thompson, *Community Outreach Coordinator*

YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY DIRECTOR

Paige Fladland

MUSIC

Paul Cordes, *Music Director*
Kerryj Murphy, *Choir Director*
Penny Voxland, *Music Assistant*

BUILDING

Shawn Donnelly, *Custodian*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BEFORE & AFTER CARE OPEN HOUSE

Come one, come all, and see what Berea Lutheran Before and After Care is all about! We will be hosting open houses on August 27th & 28th (tomorrow and Tuesday) from 4-6:30pm.

We are seeking some wonderful volunteers from our congregation who can come help out on either or both of those nights. The volunteers will be helping watch the children while parents check out our facility and keeping our goodies stocked out on the table.

If you are not able to help out during the event, but would like to pitch in, we would appreciate cookie and/or brownie donations for refreshments. Don't have a child but want to learn more about our program, you are welcome to come stop at the open house too! The more the merrier! We hope to see you there!

CHOIR SEASON BEGINS!

Choir will begin practicing WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH from 7:00-8:00pm in the choir room. The first 30 minutes will be devoted to practicing the Cantata and the second half to regular choir season songs. Last year we put out a call for Tenors and had our biggest tenor section in years. This year the call goes out to **Bass** voices – we are looking for anyone on any part, but if you can sing bass you might get an extra cheer from us for joining! Can't commit to regular Sunday services 1-2 times per month? Join us in participating in the Cantata portion only! This year's Cantata will be Dec. 16th at 9:30am. It is a wonderful cantata featuring gospel style songs – SO FUN! We welcome everyone: we aren't professional singers. We are a group of people who enjoy music and serving our gifts and love of music to God in a way of thanking Him for His blessings. We laugh, we sing, we have a wonderful time of fellowship together on Wednesday nights and some Sunday mornings. We hope to see you there! Any questions – contact Kerry Murphy: kerryjm@earthlink.net

RALLY SUNDAY

Join your church family for Rally Day, Sunday, Sept 9th. We will meet some of our new members and have some fun times planned! There will be one service at 9:30am. More information to follow.

Thank You

Flowers today are in honor of those having birthdays this week, especially one person (Esther Bunch). Happy birthday all!

DIRECTORY UPDATE



Work has begun on updating our church directory. A draft is posted on the Fireside Room doors for you to review. These will be up for proofing and corrections/additions thru August 26th. The plan is to have the new 2018-19 directories available on Rally Sunday, Sept 9th

FALL FESTIVAL

If you're thinking about starting your fall cleaning, keep in mind the **White Elephant Sale**. Your "elephants" might be someone else's "treasures"! Bring items to church beginning October 1st and leave them in the conference room. Please insure they are clean and in working condition. *Penny Blomquist*
New Area: Berean Accessories
A new booth this year will feature Scarves, Purses, & Jewelry (used or new) donated by Bereans and offered at better-than-garage-sale prices. You can begin bringing these items to church also on Oct. 1st and leave in the Coat Closet.

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE

LWML Card Corner

Now available:

*Birthdays, Anniversary,
& Get Well*

Also...*Remembering Shut-ins:*
Along with our prayers, Thinking of You cards are always welcome.

Thanks to all donors, crafters, and purchasers for your support! All card income goes to support LWML mission projects in U.S. & abroad.

This Week's Birthdays

Anita Feller	8/27
Judeen Johnson	8/27
Katherine Wellens	8/27
Esther Bunch	8/28
Gary Lund	8/28
Leslie McKeown	8/31
Kevin O'Donnell	8/31

May the Lord bless your special day!

Count Your Blessings...a Stewardship Minute

"But you say, 'If a man tells his father or his mother, Whatever you would have gained from me is Corban' (that is, given to God)." Mark 7:11

Each one of our vocations, in the home, in the church, and in society have a claim on our resources. The Pharisees thought that they could use the Kingdom of God as an excuse to shirk their duty to their parents. But they were wrong. Of course, doing it the other way around would also be wrong. God has called us to be supportive of our families, our churches, and our communities each in the proper proportion.