ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 14, 2024

Sunday, April 14—Second Sunday of Easter

9:00am Worship Service (also livestreamed on YouTube)

Coffee Hour

Monday, April 15

3:00pm Walking Group at Quickel's Cemetery

7:00pm Faith Formation (Luther Writings) via Zoom:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82157526586?pwd=WktTTzRzQ1dKU0xacmtlc0JQQU1sZz09

Meeting ID: 821 5752 6586 Passcode: 360135

Tuesday, April 16

8:00am Bible Adventure - Fellowship Hall until 10:30am

6:00pm Staying in Step - Fellowship Hall

6:45pm VBS Advertising Meeting

Thursday, April 18

10:00am Bible Study – Fellowship Hall1:00pm Knit Wits – Parish House

Saturday, April 20

9:00am Women of LIFE Quarterly Business Meeting – Manchester Café.

6:00pm Fusion Worship – Fellowship Hall

Sunday, April 21—Third Sunday of Easter

9:00am Worship Service (also livestreamed on YouTube)

Coffee Hour

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: 8am-2pm Monday & Tuesday; 8am-10am & 12pm-2pm Wednesday; OFFICE CLOSED THURSDAY.

LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR APRIL 21 Acts 4:5-12 * Psalm 23 * 1 John 3:16-24 * John 10:11-18

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 21 are due at 8am, Tuesday, April 16.

QUICKEL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE. The Quickel Scholarship is granted annually to one but no more than three students. Deadline for the applications is **April 15**. See the Council Secretary, Joan Fitz, for an application or email her at jmfitzzie@comcast.net. Place the completed application in Joan's mailbox in the library or email it directly to her. Eligibility Criteria: 1) ACTIVE church member at Quickel Lutheran Church, 2) High school graduate, and 3) Furthering education in college, training school, etc., AT ANY AGE

<u>FUSION WORSHIP</u> is Saturday, April 20, at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome!

<u>2024 GERANIUM SALE TO BENEFIT AUXILIARY TO SPIRITRUST LUTHERAN</u> Red, white and salmon plants available, \$5.00 each. Orders taken until **April 24**. Plants available Sunday, May 12. Questions, contact Cindy Kelbaugh. Order using the pink pew slip.

COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for the following:

- Coffee Host make the coffee on Sunday morning before worship.
- Dessert Host provide snacks or use the snacks provided by our sponsors.

Sign up on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Coffee hour sponsors are always needed to donate snacks or give a donation.

THE GOALS COMMITTEE met on April 2 and discussed the following:

- Reminder: **Fusion Worship** is on the third Saturday of the month at 6:00 pm.
- **Movie nights** are tentatively the second Friday of the month in May, June, July, and August with Z & D Fries as our food truck. All are welcome for the food truck, movie, or both!
- **VBS is July 29-31**, 2024, from 6-8 pm. Please plan on attending the meetings based on how you are helping as shown in the *VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL* announcement.
- Next Goals meeting is Thursday, April 25 at 6:30pm in the Parish House. Please keep our
 goals of community outreach and youth participation, as well as the above outreach opportunities,
 in your prayers.

<u>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL</u> will be held July 29-31, 2024, from 6-8pm. We'll be hosting VBS for kids aged 3 (and potty-trained) through 6th graders. Our theme is *Camp Firelight: A Summer Camp Adventure with God.* "Whenever I am afraid, I put my trust in you," Psalm 56:3.

If you are going to help in any of the following areas, please plan to attend the meeting that matches what you'll be doing. If you cannot make a meeting, please reach out to Shanda Goodwin (717 858 4320).

- Advertising April 16 at 6:45pm
- Music / Decorations April 23 at 6:45pm
- Crafts / Snacks May 7 at 6:45 pm

- Teaching May 28 at 6:45pm
- Games / Science June 4 at 6:45pm
- Final Meeting (for all) June 25 at 6:45pm

WOMEN OF LIFE UPCOMING EVENTS

- **April 20** Quarterly Business Meeting will be held at 9am at the Manchester Café. Please complete a green pew slip if you plan to attend.
- May SpiriTrust membership fundraiser. Geranium delivery May 12
- May 4 What kind of box do you have God in? Are you ready to let him out of the box to be free to work within you? Come and find out! Spring retreat will be held at the Parish House from 9am to 2pm. More information to come.
- June 22 Spring Yard Sale sponsored by the Women of LIFE. Volunteers needed!
- July Summer Fun at the Dittmans' (date to be determined).
- August 24- Quarterly Business Meeting

Any questions concerning Women of LIFE, contact Barbara Dittman at 610-329-1035 or email at badsad84@gmail.com

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET for April 14, 2024, Third Sunday of Easter

1 John 3:1a – See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are.

Our identity – who we really are – forms the hub of our lives as steward-disciples. Our actions and thoughts revolve around that hub. And John reveals that we are children of the Almighty. When you live, as a child of God at your core, everything else falls into place.