

QUICKEL'S ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 5, 2026

Sunday, July 5– Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

8:45am Worship Service
Coffee Hour

Tuesday, July 7

6:00pm Staying in Step – Parish House Gathering Room

Wednesday, July 8

4:00pm Drop off items for Bazaar until 6pm

Thursday, July 9

4:00pm Drop off items for Bazaar until 6pm

Friday, July 10

9:00am Set up for Bazaar

Saturday, July 11

8:00am Bazaar – Fellowship Hall

Sunday, July 12– Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

8:45am Worship Service
Coffee Hour

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING WORSHIP BULLETIN INFORMATION

As bulletins must go through a proofreading process, please submit your information for them at least two weeks in advance. Items that are needed are anthems, preludes, postludes and participants in worship. Thank you so much for your help.

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday 8am-12pm; Wednesday 8am-10am & 12pm-2pm

JULY 12 LECTONARY TEXTS: Isaiah 55:10-13 * Psalm 65:9-13 * Romans 8:1-11 * Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

QUICKEL'S PRAYER TEAM PLEASE NOTE Jeanne will still be sending our Prayer Requests during the summer months via email. Council and committee chairs: Please send your monthly prayer requests by **July 8** to jwaltemyer@comcast.net. Thank you.

QUICKEL'S BAZAAR is on **Saturday, July 11th** from 8am-2pm in the Fellowship Hall. You can drop off donations on Wednesday and Thursday, July 8th and 9th, from 4pm-6 pm. Donations of gently used clothing and shoes are acceptable. No large furniture, TVs, exercise equipment, or paint will be accepted. We are asking the congregation for individually wrapped baked goods to sell. Set up is Friday, July 10th at 9am until finished.

SERVANTS WEEK DONATIONS Servants Week is the week of July 20th. They are seeking monetary donations and/or gift cards to Weis or Giant. You may place your donations in the basket in the narthex by **Sunday, July 12th**. Please see Christy Cutshall if you have any questions.

OUR NEXT OUTREACH MEETING will be on **Tuesday, July 14th** at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to attend to work on ways to make Christ's love known in our neighborhood. We'll reflect on our VBS as well.

WOMAN OF LIFE QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING is at Friendly's at 9am on **Saturday, July 25th**. Please RSVP to Barbara Dittman if you're attending at badsad84@gmail.com or text at 610-329-1035 or sign up on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED Please consider helping! Our children (3-7 yr olds) need one or two more Sunday School teachers for this upcoming year. Lessons and an assistant teacher are provided. The class meets for about twenty minutes during the service. EX: You would be scheduled to teach five Sundays from Sept to the end of 2026. See Denise Mehl for more information.

FUNDRAISER FOR NEW OUTDOOR NATIVITY SCENE Council would like to increase Quickel's witness of God's love to our community. One way we would like to do that is to have a nativity set on display outside during the Advent and Christmas seasons to show what the reason for the season is: Christ coming to earth. We would like to fundraise for a nativity set and stable. We located a 12 piece, 32-inch fiberglass Heaven's Majesty nativity set at Catholic Supply of St. Louis, Inc. There is also a stable to accompany the nativity set. Including shipping, we would need \$3500. If you feel led to donate towards this nativity set, label a pew envelope with "Nativity" and place it in the offering plate. There will be a visual in the sanctuary to monitor our progress towards the goal. If you have any questions or suggestions, please see Sandy Hawk. Thank you for considering this way of helping Quickel to make Christ's love known in our community.

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT Samuel Sipe is working towards his eagle rank for Boy Scouts. For his project, he is building a 12x12ft pavilion with a concrete pad outside of the church to be used for outdoor services and anything else it may be helpful for. The cost of the project is \$5500-\$6000 and Samuel is asking for donations to cover the cost. Building is occurring right now and will continue through June to July. Please place your donation in one of pew envelopes and mark it "Samuel's Eagle Scout Project". Thank you for your support in helping Samuel accomplish this important step toward earning his Eagle Scout award.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS July 5, 2026 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Matthew 11:28 – "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Jesus has come to do the work so that we might have rest from burdens and labors we are not capable of bearing. He frees us from sin, death and the demands of the Law. In that peace and rest of Jesus we find a new purpose — His light yoke is not a burden to bear, but a joy!

YOUR CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

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Please consider serving our congregation as a council member, especially when we have vacancies. Your support in completing a current term would be greatly appreciated