



MESSIAH MESSENGER

June 9 - June 16

Powered by God's grace to live God's love in the world!

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Sunday, June 9th

9:00am -- Worship

10:15pm -- Year of the Bible

1:30pm — Confirmation

Campers Leave for
Carol Joy Holling

Tuesday, June 11th

6:30pm—Lion's Club Mtg.

Saturday, June 15th

12-5—Fellowship Hall
Reserved for Lion's Club

Sunday, June 16th

Father's Day

9:00am -- Worship

10:15am -- Year of the Bible

6:00pm -- Year of the Bible

Welcome!

May this time of worship strengthen your faith and desire to serve the Creator who loves us with everlasting love in Christ Jesus.

Children are welcome in this worship service, and encouraged to participate in any way they are able to. Teach the children sitting around you how to use their hymnals, bulletins, follow the screens, and sing & speak loudly! We value the noise made by our children!

Visitors, we are especially glad to see you.
Please come again!!

As disciples of Christ, we encourage you to CONNECT with ministry opportunities here at Messiah!

Please fill out a CONNECT sheet today. After you've recorded your name(s) and pertinent information, please turn these sheets over and think about the ways in which you can use the gifts and talents given to you in the ministry here at Messiah.

CONNECT sheets can be placed in the offering plate as we give our gifts of time, talent, and treasure to God.

CONNECT

In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

Allen Castens, BJ Merrihew, Bev Smith, Bryce Sweeney, Caleb Friesen, Cassandra Hahn, Cele Sullivan, Cheryl Holland, Colton Chandler, Connor Jacobs, Courtney Schnabel, Dale Vanderford, Dennis Baseman, Deryl Danielson, Don Reynold, Don Schaffert, Ed Rathje, Hannah Miller, Jackson & Colton, Janet Lagocki, Kale Mooney, Kellen Farris, Kinzlee Grigsby, Lenette Gleason, Lois Plate, Lori Massie, Lynn Schaffert, Marlene Mersch, Matt Ziegler, Sandy Dickison, Scott Barker, and Shari Krejci.

We pray for the family & friends of these individuals as they grieve:

We pray for these individuals & their family & friends as they serve in our military:

John Nicola and Marc Groetzing
Cody Schultz, Grandson of Richard & Barbara Berthold



**Recycling
at Messiah:
Stewardship
& Care for
Creation**

Help us care for creation by recycling at Messiah!
Find a blue recycling can for these items:

Bulletins—Paper Items
Coffee Cups
Plastic Water Cups
Plates (unsoiled)
Pop Cans/Bottles

**Serving Us in Worship
TODAY 6/9/19 @ 9am**

Ushers	Troy McCain Duane Katt
Youth Ushers	Cassidy Aycock Jeremy Oswald
Reader	Elena Kuehner
Acolytes	Keegan Chaney Caleb Ruch
Musician	Sharisa Tyma
Greeters	Lue Erpelding JoAnn Landenberger
Sound Booth	George Chaney
Video Recorder	Bill Arndt
PowerPoint	Daniel Helzer
Worship Asst.	Kim McCain

**Serving Us in Worship
Next WEEK 6/16/19 @ 9am**

Ushers	Bill Arndt Laura Jobman
Youth Ushers	Devin Danielson Dylan Danielson
Reader	Gen Weiss
Acolytes	Alexa Katt Naela Merrihew
Musician	Mary Roehrs
Greeters	Mike & Diane Stewart
Sound Booth	Mark Jobman
Video Recorder	Duane Katt
PowerPoint	Craig Shaffer
Worship Asst.	Kenny Howland

Church Staff

Senior Pastor:
Pastor Sarah Ruch

**Pastor of Children, Youth,
& Family Ministries:**
Pastor Miles Ruch, Jr.

Office Manager:
Pam Tyma

Custodian:
Carrie Swanson

Church Email:
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Vacation Bible School @ Messiah

July 15, 16, & 17th
5:30pm-8:30pm— *supper included!*

*Registrations are available now!
Pick up a paper copy on the Information
Center counter or fill out the online form
linked to our Website and Facebook
event!*

We're excited to try something new this year with an **evening VBS** for kids PreK-5th grade! 6th graders are invited to help as Crew Leaders and adults as Station Leaders!

We need YOU to make this happen!

Please consider volunteering, and sign up for your spot in the Information Center. Sign-ups for snack needs will be coming soon.

CONFIRMATION CAMP—ADD OUR STUDENTS TO YOUR PRAYERS!

Messiah and St. John's Confirmation classes will be attending Confirmation Camp at Carol Joy Holling (outside of Ashland, NE) this week! Please keep our confirmation students in your prayers, that their faith might continue to be formed and grown in this time!

FAIRTRADE COFFEE & CHOCOLATE FROM OUR YOUTH GROUP!

Did you forget to order coffee from the Youth Group? Are you moping along because you don't have any of that delicious, fair-trade coffee or chocolate? Then have no fear! The Youth Group has more coffee and chocolate for sale, but supplies are limited. Milk Chocolate, Dark Chocolate Caramel Crunch, and Dark Chocolate Almond are available as well as Breakfast Blend, French Vanilla, and Toffee Caramel Coffee! Coffee is \$12 per bag and chocolate bars are \$4 per bar. Please see Pastor Miles or stop at the table in the Narthex to purchase yours!

GOD'S WORK. OUR HANDS.

Messiah's Council is looking for your ideas! Do you know of projects or people or organizations that could use a helping hand? Do you have some ideas for service projects you'd like to participate in? Please write your ideas down in the space provided on your CONNECT sheet over the next few weeks!

A'ROR'N DAYS PARADE:

Messiah will be taking part in the A'ROR'N Days parade on Saturday, June 22nd. We're looking for adults and kids to ride our float and help pass out candy. Please mark on your CONNECT sheets if you are able to help!

MESSIAH LUTHERAN QUILTERS DISPLAY:

There's a NEW quilt hanging in the hallway to the Fellowship Hall. Please check it out! Thank you quilters!

GOODWILL TRUCK IN AURORA:

The Goodwill truck will be in Aurora and accepting donations from Tuesday, June 11th-Monday, June 17th. Donations are accepted from 8am-5pm.

CALLING ALL PLASTIC BAGS!

Our WELCA ladies will be working on a new ministry, crocheting sleeping mats for the homeless and others in need. This is a fantastic ministry that allows us to be stewards of God's creation as we reuse and recycle our plastic bags and stewards of God's people as we care for one another. You can place your plastic bags in the marked container in the Narthex. **Check out what a finished Sleep Mat looks like on the table in the Narthex too!**

HEALTH KITS FOR LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF:

Our WELCA ladies are continuing their collection of 4-5 oz. bars of soap this month!

CAN CARE-A-VAN:

26,570.1 lbs of food & monetary donations was collected in this week's Can Care-A-Van for the Hamilton County Food Pantry! Messiah donated 612.2 lbs! Thank you for your generosity!