



MESSIAH MESSENGER

November 1, 2020 — November 8, 2020

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

In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

Bonnie Paisley
 Cassandra Hahn
 Chris Lamprecht
 Deb Griffith, daughter of John & Karen Rogers
 Diane Haden
 Ed Rathje
 Ella Geiken, granddaughter of Mark & Laura Jobman
 Heidi Wess, niece of Ron & Diane Haden
 Jason Sautter, son of Dee Sautter
 Kathy Akerlund
 Kerry Smith, friend of Joyce Collingham
 Kevin Henderson
 Lois Plate
 Marlene Mersch
 Pauline Hahn

Sawyer James Felumlee, grandson of Lynn James & nephew of Charly & Kiley James
 Sue Schultz
 Tammy Craig, daughter of Marj Junker

**All health care workers and first responders and other essential workers on frontline battling COVID*

Please let the office know if your loved one needs removed. Thanks!

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

Harold Junker
 Paul Niemeyer, father of Mary Roehrs

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

PFC Rebecca Bicknase, daughter of Walter & Cheryl Bicknase
 Carson Zimmermann, great-grandson of JoAnn Landenberger

Congregational Forum

Sunday, November 15 — following Worship

Have Questions? Get Answers!

Learn more about Messiah's progress in the Call Process

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Sunday, November 1st

9:00am Worship/All Saints Sunday/
 Blessing of LWR Quilts
 10:15am Little Learners

Tuesday, November 3rd

8:30am Moms in Prayer

Wednesday, November 4th

6:00pm GLOW!
 6:30pm Confirmation at Messiah
 7:00pm Youth Group
 7:00pm First Place

Sunday, November 8th

9:00am Worship w/ Pastor Karen
 10:15am Little Learners

Please call the church office if you wish to reserve a room for your next meeting.

Pam's

Office Hours

8:00am thru

2:00 pm.

Monday

through

Friday.

402-694-2017



Pastor Karen's Hours: Tuesday — 10:00am-3:00pm

Wednesday — 11am-6:00pm

Thursday — 10:00am-3:00pm

402-499-8240

Serving Us in Worship THIS WEEK
11/01/20 @ 9:00am

Ushers	Bill Arndt Duane Katt
Youth Ushers	Kasey Schuster Jaylee Schuster
Reader	Steve Vrana
Acolyte	Kenna Merrihew
Musician	Connie Nick
Greeters	Steve & Marilyn Vrana
Sound Booth	Craig Shaffer
Video Recorder	Diana Shaffer
ProPresenter	Cassidy Knust
Worship Asst.	Kim McCain

THE MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers:

All members & friends
 worshipping today!

Transitional Pastor:

Pastor Karen Uden Tjarks
 402-499-8240

Office Manager:

Pam Tyma

Custodian:

Carrie Swanson

Church Email:

messiah@hamilton.net

Serving Us in Worship NEXT WEEK
11/08/20 @ 9am

Ushers	Rick & Cara Penner
Youth Ushers	Kelsey Mersch Kylie Mersch
Reader	Eric Dam
Acolyte	Kirsten Mersch
Musician	Connie Nick
Greeters	Delores Danielson
Sound Booth	George Chaney
Video Recorder	Keegan Chaney
ProPresenter	Craig Shaffer
Worship Asst.	Mariah Newmyer

Looking ahead . . .

November 1st — All Saints Sunday & Blessing of LWR Quilts.

November 15th — Congregation Forum following Worship (Coffee will be served).

November 22nd — Thankoffering Service — part of regular Worship.

November 29th — Advent 1

December 13th — Kids Program during Worship

December 24th — Christmas Eve Worship — 5:00pm & 7:00pm

December 27th — Lessons & Carols

TRANSITION UPDATE

Transition Team is in the process of completing interviews.

Video Team & Mission Site Profile Team—have been appointed and will begin putting together Messiah's profile.

Telling Our Story surveys are being made ready and will soon be available for the congregation's input.

Packin' on the Pounds

Last year Messiah's youth collected over 2,000 pounds of food for the Hamilton County Food Pantry. This year the need is as great or greater than ever.

In an attempt to surpass last year's collection, the Women's Organization (W/ELCA) have issued a challenge to the Confirmation Kids to see who can "Pack on More Pounds".

Collection boxes will be in the entry — show your support by placing donations of hygiene products and monetary donations in your team's box. Items donated will be weighed every Wednesday with Pastor Karen and Pastor Ricardo serving as Referees. (Each dollar donated equals 2 lbs. of food.)

Results will be posted each week.

The challenge will begin Sunday, November 1st through Sunday, November 15th. All items collected will be delivered to the pantry in time for Thanksgiving.

Hamilton County Backpack Food Program

Messiah has been asked to collect 15 oz. cans of sliced peaches, pears or fruit cocktail. Food donations can be left in the basket by the front door.

Messiah will continue to practice social distancing during worship and other church activities through October. Masks will be required while in the building. Thank you for your cooperation.