

Announcements and Upcoming Events

We offer with joy and thanksgiving what God has first given us, ourselves our time and our possessions.

"Unified Fund Summary (the Unified Fund is the checking account from which all routine operating expenses are paid; e.g. payroll, utilities, supplies, etc.)"	
Beginning Bal. October 7, 2024	(\$144.86)
Sunday Offering	\$4,217.00
Online Giving	\$1,110.00
Subtotal	\$5,182.14
Payments	(\$3,759.69)
Ending Bal. October 7, 2024	\$1,422.45
Beginning Bal. October 14, 2024	\$1,422.45
Sunday Offering	\$5,471.00
Transfer from Vanguard Savings	\$5,000.00
Online Giving	\$1,170.00
Subtotal	\$13,063.45
Payments	(\$8,374.64)
Ending Bal. October 14, 2024	\$4,688.81
Unified/Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings October 13, 2024	
Building/Renovation	\$50.00
Member Emergency Fund	\$45.00
Memorial Fund	\$100.00
Worship attendance for October 13 th 8:00AM-50 & 10:30AM-88 for a total of 138.	



St. David's annual meetings will be held on Sunday, November 3rd & Sunday, November 10th. Meetings will take place after each service. The purpose of part one shall be to present the nominees for Congregational Council and Synod Assembly Delegates to the congregation and to allow for additional floor nominations and to ask any questions about the Proposed Constitutional Amendments. Additionally, the proposed annual Ministry Spending Plan will be presented and discussed. The purpose of part two shall be to elect members of the Congregation Council and to vote on the annual Ministry Spending Plan. Voting will take place after each service.

October 20, 2024

Pastor Mark's Schedule Week of October 20-26

Sunday 10/20	Sunday Morning Worship Worship at FCI-Loretto, 2:00PM
Monday 10/21	Office Hours, 9:00AM-1:30PM Learning Place Bible Story Time, 10 AM Visitation in the afternoon
Tuesday 10/22	Working from the parsonage
Wednesday 10/23	Office Hours, 9:00AM-1:30PM Visitation in the afternoon
Thursday 10/24	Somerset Area Ministerium Meeting, 9AM 1 st Methodist Church, Somerset Office hours, 10:30AM-1:30PM Visitation in the afternoon SDLC Church Council Meeting, 7:00PM
Friday 10/25	Overtime Ministry, 8:30PM-11:00PM
Saturday 10/26	Trunk or Treat, 2:00PM SDLC Lower Parking Lot

Pastor Mark is always available by phone or email at any time of the day or night if you need him for pastoral care.
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Reformation Sunday is a big day for St. David's Sunday School with a huge celebration during the Sunday School hour in the fellowship hall. The children's Sunday School classes will rotate to 3 stations with a play, art project, and a snack that will teach them about Martin Luther and the beginning of the Lutheran church.

Tee shirts for our St. David's children (grades pre-k thru 6th grade) registered for Sunday School for the 24-25 session, have been ordered. They will be passed out on Sunday, October 20th during Sunday School to be worn at the Marty Party in the fellowship hall during Sunday School hour on October 27th.

The youth will be performing the play for the congregation during the 10:30am service and also serving the post worship snack in the Narthex. Please make plans to attend and help celebrate Reformation Sunday in the Lutheran Church!



We are excited to announce our Trunk or Treat event, happening this Saturday, October 26th from 1 pm to 3 pm in the church lower parking lot! This fun-filled afternoon is a wonderful opportunity for our community to come together and celebrate.

We are seeking families and individuals who would like to participate by decorating their trunks and handing out candy to the children. If you can't attend but still want to help, we would greatly appreciate candy donations or monetary contributions to purchase candy.

A sign-up sheet is available in the narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Brett.

Thank you for your support, and we look forward to a spooktacular event!



St. David's Jr & Sr High would like to thank the congregation, friends and family for attending the 2nd annual Spaghetti Dinner. Over \$1000 was raised for the class to do good works in the community. A huge thank you to Matthew & The Desert Family for donating the pumpkins, and Adam Thomas for the noodle prep. We will continue to collect Back to School items until Oct 27th. See the board in the narthex. Our goal is to get all slips filled!

LAST DAY TO GET YOUR COUPONS

St. David's Worship & Music Ministry Team

(Non-Profit Organization)



ONE DAY ONLY - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2024
SHOP 8AM - 11PM

DONATE \$5 AND ENJOY:

- **25% OFF DISCOUNT SHOPPING PASS***
- **REGISTER TO WIN A \$100 BOSCOV'S GIFT CARD**
One Winner at every Bosco's store

100% OF YOUR DONATION GOES TO OUR ORGANIZATION

For Shopping Passes or information, contact:

Brett Merberger 814-242-5092

For more details visit boscovs.com/friendshelpingfriends
*Exclusions Apply



St. David's Jr. and Sr. High Sunday School Class will be collecting back to school items to give to Conemaugh Township High School, North Star Middle School, Somerset Middle School, Johnstown Elementary and Johnstown Middle School. Please see the cork board in the narthex for items needed and remove the tag for what you will donate. Bring those items to the narthex and drop them in the donation box. We are very excited to help our schools and neighboring schools with these items. If you are able, please share your good fortune with others so their school year can be blessed with many needed supplies. The students thank you for your consideration!



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LAST DAY TO ORDER



The spirit sale to benefit Jr and Sr High. The sale begins now and goes on to today, October 20th. Orders will be delivered 3 weeks after sale closes to St.

David's Narthex. It is back by popular demand.....

The link can also be found on the church website (www.stdavidslutheran.org)

<https://stdavidlutheranchurchfallspiritsale.itemorder.com/>

Copies of the flyer can be picked up from the back of the church or you can use the QR code.



Acolyte signup sheets for the months of **November & December** are posted to the bulletin board, across from the church office

... **please sign up**. Acolytes continue to be needed for each of our Sunday 8 A.M. and 10:30 A.M. services. Your volunteering is a gift to the congregation. Thank you in advance for hearing the call and saying "here am I, I will serve".

DEADLINE TO ORDER PRESALE IS NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

ANNUAL YOUTH APPLE DUMPLING FUNDRAISER



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

DIRECTIONS

1. Volunteers should plan to join us on Saturday, November 2nd for the youth's annual apple dumpling fundraiser!
2. Youth and adult volunteers can sign up in the narthex to help all day starting at 9am until finished. Come any time!
3. Lunch will be provided for ALL volunteers between 12pm-1pm.

INGREDIENTS

- Apple Dumpling pre-order forms are available in the back of the sanctuary. Orders are due to the church office by Sunday, October 27th.



POSTER Contest!

It's time again for the St. David's Sunday School Poster Contest! Students are encouraged read our mission statement, and illustrate what it means to them.

**GLORIFY GOD,
 SHARE THE LOVE OF JESUS,
 DO GOOD WORKS THROUGH SERVICE**

One winner per Sunday School class.

Prizes will be awarded and winner's art will be displayed in the hallway for the year.


Any medium is acceptable. Use crayons, paints, collage, digital designs, or photos in your art.

All submissions should be on 18x24 paper (paper will be provided or digital art may be submitted to mckoola@gmail.com).

Please include the student's name and class on the back of the art.

**Artwork due Nov 10
 Congregation will vote Nov 17**

***Schedule of Upcoming Events ***

Sunday 10/20:	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
 OUT OF OFFICE	The church secretary will be on vacation October 21-25 . Please refer to Pastor's schedule for office hours. For pastoral emergencies please contact Interim Pastor Mark Fischer by cell 717-870-4757 or email: pastormarkfischer@gmail.com	
Monday 10/21:	9:00AM	YOGA (FH9)
	4:30 PM	Girl Scouts (CR2)
	6:00 PM	Bible Study (21A-C)
Tuesday 10/22:	6:00PM	LP Board Meeting (CR2)
	6:30 PM	Sage Herbalists (FH9)
Wednesday 10/23:	4:00 PM	C.T. Teachers (FH9)
	6:00 PM	Adult Choir
	7:30 PM	Bell Choir
Thursday 10/24:	7:00 PM	JSO Community Strings (FH9)
	7:00 PM	Council Meeting (FH9)
Friday 10/25:	9:00 PM	Overtime (FH9)
Saturday 10/26:	1:00 PM	Trunk or Treat (Lower Parking Lot)
Reformation Sunday 10/27:	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism/Marty Party (FH9)
	9:15 AM	Parent Sunday School Group (CR2)
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service

*** October 20 * (Intinction) ***

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Acolytes- Macey Whetzel	Acolytes- Need Volunteer
Altar- Sue Risch	Altar- Lois Tessari
Cantor- Wendy Figard	Cantor- Choir
Communion Assts- Sotosky Family	Communion Assts- Wendy Figard & Jack Winters
Lector- Erin Sotosky	Lector- Wendy Figard
Ushers- Sotosky Family	Ushers- Jack Winters & Jeff Rowe

Counters- Dave & Cindy Liska, Jean Magdelinic

If you would like to commune but are unable for any reason to go forward to the altar, please let an usher know so communion can be brought to you.

*** October 27 * (Communion) ***

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Acolytes- Need Volunteer	Acolytes- Need Volunteer
Altar- Ronna Marisa & Kathy Carnahan	Altar- Sherri Andrews
Cantor- Judy Brotz	Cantor- Choir
Communion Assts- Bill Bergman & Ronna Marisa	Communion Assts- Greg & Cathy Lilly
Lector- Bill Bergman	Lector- Pat Sleek
Ushers- Leo & Ronna Marisa	Ushers- Greg & Cathy Lilly

Counters- Bill & Sherri Andrews, Joyce Gindlesperger & Ronna Marisa

Mission Statement

"Glorify God, Share the Love of Jesus, Do Good works through Service"