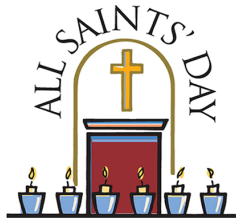


Announcements

NOVEMBER 1, 2020

"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 Balance October 19, 2020	\$16,682.24
Unified Offerings 10/18/20	\$3,193.00
Online Giving	\$730.00
Subtotal	\$20,605.24
Payments	(\$9,111.14)
Ending Balance October 19, 2020	\$11,494.10
Beginning Balance October 26, 2020	\$11,494.10
Unified Offerings 10/25/20	\$4,199.00
Online Giving	\$520.00
Subtotal	\$16,213.10
Payments	(\$8,058.98)
Ending Balance October 26, 2020	\$8,154.12
<i>A weekly offering of \$6,526.00 in undesignated funds is required to meet the current obligations of the parish. The 2020 budget is \$339,390.00</i>	
Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings October 25	
Capital Campaign	\$600.00
Harvest Home	\$10.00
Attendance for October 25, 2020- 8:00 AM- 49 10:30 AM-80 for a total of 129.	



As a part of our All Saints Sunday celebration, we remember with reverence and thanksgiving those of our congregation who have entered the church triumphant since last All Saints Sunday. They are **Mildred "Milly" Liska, Janice Bungard, Carle Allen, Leona Ruth Miller & Harry Ray Gindlesperger.** We also celebrate, with joy and thanksgiving, those new saints who have entered into Christ's grace through the waters of Holy Baptism since last All Saints Sunday. They are **Paxton Edward Feathers, Evangeline Rose Tresnicky, Lillian Eleanor Griffith & Ian Jacob Golias.**



Prayer Vigil

The Conemaugh Township Area Ministries will be hosting a Prayer Vigil on Monday, November 2, 2020 in the Maple Spring Parking Lot. This is a nonpartisan Prayer Vigil to pray for our country and all those running for elected offices. If weather permits, we will meet in small groups to pray but we will also be using the church FM Transmitter to allow those that want to stay in their cars the ability to hear what is going on also. We hope that you will decide to join us in prayer on Monday, November 2, 2020 at 7:00 PM.



Our Church Mission *We are God's servant people with Christ-like hearts empowered by the Holy Spirit through Word and Sacrament. We proclaim God's grace, love, justice, and forgiveness to all people through worship, learning, witness, service, and support.*

EVENT CANCELLED

The Conemaugh Township Area Ministries (November) Thanksgiving Service and (December) Live Nativity have been cancelled for this year.

Worship TOGETHER

The Sunday morning Worship Services are available on the St. David's Facebook Page and on YouTube.

Also services are posted to the church website www.stdavidsluthearn.org



St. David's Online Giving by going to the church website www.stdavidslutheran.org click on **GIVE**, click on **SIGN IN**. You will need to register for a new account. Once you are registered you can

give to the **General Budget (unified); Capital Campaign or Endowment Fund** using a credit card or bank account. You may also choose to make your gift recurring. Questions please call the church office 479-4110.

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Contact Trace Forms



Please make sure when you sign in on the contact trace forms you write the **names of those attending the service, not just the family name**. These sheets are used to track individual attendance by the church secretary.



St. David's monthly donation to the St. Francis Sharing & Caring Food Pantry is boxed macaroni & cheese. Please remember to grab several boxes, the next time at the store, and place them in the blue tubs in the narthex. Thank you for your faithful commitment to this ministry!



Election Day ~ November 3rd
Soup Sale for the Historical Society
@ the Swank House on Main Street



ONLY

11:00 AM-1:30 PM
Quarts \$7.00
Pie (by the piece) \$3.00



Attention Youth!!

The Children and Youth Team is so excited to announce that we will be travelling to Minneapolis, Minnesota in summer 2022 for the ELCA Youth Gathering! Any youth currently in grades 7-11 are eligible to attend.

Every three years, 30,000 high school youth and their adult leaders from across the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America gather for a week of faith formation known as the ELCA Youth Gathering. Through days spent in interactive learning, worship, Bible study, service and fellowship, young people grow in faith and are challenged and inspired to live their faith in their daily lives. The Gathering was originally scheduled for summer 2021, but due to concerns with the COVID-19 pandemic, it has been rescheduled to July 24-28, 2022.

The Children and Youth Team will be hosting 2 virtual events on **Tuesday, November 24th** and **Sunday, December 6th at 7:00 PM**. During these events, youth and their families can find out more information about what the Gathering will look like and what preparing for the Gathering will involve. This will be a time to ask any questions you may have. Please know that attending either of these events is not a commitment to attending the Gathering; official registration will take place in early 2021.

If you are interested in attending one of the 2 virtual events, either sign up in the narthex outside the sanctuary, or you can contact Lindsie Hammaker at 814-381-9461 or lhammaker29@gmail.com. Additionally, if you cannot attend one of the virtual events, but are still interested in finding out more information about the Gathering, please contact Lindsie Hammaker.



ADVENT/ CHRISTMAS SEASON ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Bringing All Members of St. David's
Together During COVID-19*

Plan to be a part of the activities:

- ❖ Devotions and activities for every household - more details to follow....
- ❖ Collecting items needed by community groups - more details to follow....
- ❖ **SAVE THE DATE... Sunday, December 20th, 2020 –**
Advent Outdoor Evening at the Church.

Read Sunday bulletin announcement sheets and next month's newsletter for more information!

Schedule of Upcoming Events in the Parish
 ~ Please check the website calendar for the most up to date events ~

All Saints Sunday 11/1:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
Friday 11/6:		Pastor's Day Off
Sunday 11/8:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	12 PM	Council Meeting (FHg)

November 1 *Worship Volunteers

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
<u>Communion Assistants</u> Sue Risch & Ronna Marisa	<u>Communion Assistants</u> Tonya Telenko & Mary Jane McCready
<u>Lector</u> Deb Harris	<u>Lector</u> Sarah Worst
<u>Ushers</u> Joe Risch & Dennis Naugle	<u>Ushers</u> Dave & Sis Barabas

Counters-Team 2: Doug & Linda Shrader, Joyce Gindlesperger & Dave Barabas

All communion assistants should go downstairs to serve those in vehicles listening to the service.



The Children & Youth Team is looking for any families (EVERYONE with or without children/youth!) willing to make a short video for our "Virtual Christmas Pageant!" Things obviously look different this year, and we thought it might be a nice moment to try something completely different. We are looking for people to read, sing, write, dance, or whatever your contribution might be! Because of the social distancing measures in place, we thought we would ask families to contribute in their own way in their own time. The plan is to compile these videos

into a longer video of our congregation sharing their input from their homes (or wherever you may end up filming). We are still brainstorming how to make this work, so if you are interested in helping, please contact Stormie Cannistraci. If you are interested in participating in some way, please also contact Stormie Cannistraci at stormiegclark@gmail.com or text/call 724.689.7342.