

Announcements

OCTOBER 5-6, 2019

"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 September 23, 2019	\$20,110.15
Unified Offerings	\$4,526.25
Online Giving	\$60.00
Subtotal	\$24,696.40
Payments	(\$9,259.90)
Ending Balance September 23, 2019	\$15,436.50
Beginning Balance September 30, 2019	
Unified Offerings	\$3,666.00
Learning Place Monthly Contribution	\$200.00
Online Giving	\$35.00
Subtotal	\$19,337.50
Payments	(\$4,110.26)
Ending Balance September 30, 2019	\$15,227.24
A weekly offering of \$6,500 in undesignated funds is required to meet the current obligations of the parish.	
Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings September 29, 2019	
Capital Campaign	\$180.00
Endowment Fund	\$50.00
Member Emergency Fund	\$23.00
Overtime	\$50.00
World Hunger	\$70.00
Youth	\$25.00
Total Attendance for September 29 at 9:30 AM was 128.	

The Hospital visitor this week is
Mary Jane McCready (10/8).

MISSION STATEMENT: *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.*

"THEN SINGS MY SOUL"

Billy Graham tribute concert at Davidsville Community Church on October 8th at 7 PM.
Refreshments to follow concert.
EVERYONE WELCOME!



Today is Blanket Sunday. A donation of \$5.00 will purchase a new blanket. Envelopes are in the pews.

The new blankets along with the knotted ones that are assembled here at St. David's will be distributed by Lutheran World Relief worldwide, as well as in the United States. The need is great, and your generosity is appreciated. Some of the blankets made by our Knotty Ladies are on display today.



As of September 30th, we have a committed total amount of **\$165,729.64** and we have received a total of **\$89,064.74**. To avoid taking a loan out and wasting money on interest payments, we need to have **\$175,000** collected by this spring.



A free Stop the Bleed course is scheduled for Monday, October 14th at 6PM in the fellowship hall. Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex, deadline to sign up is **TOMORROW, October 7th**.



There will be an Acolyte Training **TODAY, October 6th & NEXT SUNDAY 13th**, during the Sunday school hour open to all, in the nave. Questions please contact Pastor Faron.



Recently Milly Liska, 102, had broken her hip. We are hoping to send her 102 (Or More) Get Well Cards! Her address is Milly Liska, 137 Bear Hollow Road, Davidsville, PA 15928



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) or capital campaign using a credit card or bank account. You may also choose to make your gift recurring. Questions please call the church office 479-4110.



Create a foundation for the future of our youth!

You've already donated to the future of our church, but what good is a building if there is no one here to occupy it in the future? The Children & Youth Team is restarting, and beginning to plan, dream, and set goals for this year and the future. In order to do that, we need your help! We are launching a foundational fundraiser to kickstart projects/activities for the youth of our church. In the narthex is a poster board for the "Youth Love Line" with envelopes numbered 1 to 200. We are asking you to help build up our youth by creating a "love line" to them by taking an envelope and donating the dollar amount written on the front to the youth fund. For example, if you take envelope #72, you are donating 72 dollars to the youth fund. To make your donation, please put the donation in the numbered envelope and put it in the offering plate. When you take an envelope, we are asking you to replace it with a red heart so we can complete a love line to show support to our youth now and in the future. **Our goal is to have all of the envelopes gone and replaced with the hearts of the congregation!**



After attending the Homeland Security course, it was recommended that we put in an Air Horn Warning System. There will be air horns in all classrooms, selected offices and other areas of the church beginning in October of 2019. Air horn locations are noted on the floor plans. The floor plans as well as the complete St. David's Evangelical Lutheran Church Emergency Plan copies will be in sheets protectors located by every air horn. Please take the time to familiarize yourself with the emergency plan and the air horn locations. The air horns are for emergency only. One long blast means get out of the building. Three shorts blasts mean come and help. Each air horn is labeled with instructions. **Adults please take the time to discuss with your children that these air horns are only for use in an emergency situation.**



Pastor's tend to acquire several books in their efforts to lead the people of God. Some people have expressed interest in access to these books. Through past experiences, I have found that lending books is a way of also losing them. Therefore, I have prepared a place for anyone who might wish to visit and read in my office. In reflection of the varied schedules, I am making two windows of opportunity to visit on a weekly basis, during office hours on Mondays from 1-5 pm and on Wednesdays from 4-8 pm. I will either be in the office or working around the church during those hours, but you are welcome to come and explore. Shalom



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YOGA

It's Time!

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 American Standard Version (ASV)

3 For everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven: **2** a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted; **3** a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up; **4** a time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance; **5** a time to cast away stones, and a time to gather stones together; a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing; **6** a time to seek, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to cast away; **7** a time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak; **8** a time to love, and a time to hate; a time for war, and a time for peace. And also.... a time for yoga! Return for a time of physical and spiritual nurturing as the summer sun ends and autumn breezes blow. An eight-week session has begun and runs until Monday, November 11th. **THERE WILL BE NO 7PM CLASS ON OCTOBER 14th**. As always, there is a 9:30am and a 7pm class. The cost is \$65/series or \$10 per class drop-in. All classes are beginner PLUS. Join us this year and bring a friend - yoga is for everyBODY! Contact Elizabeth with questions [525-2894](tel:525-2894).



~SAVE THE DATE~

NOVEMBER 9th at 9AM

MAKING APPLE DUMPLINGS



In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in memory of Pastor Ken Diable may be sent to the Williamsburg

Food Bank, c/o Zion Lutheran Church, 217 Plum Street, Williamsburg, PA 16693.

MAKING IT MINE

Galatians 2:20 It is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

CALLING ALL YOUTH GRADES 6 -12! The Allegheny Synod Youth Event "Making It Mine" is approaching quickly and is scheduled for **7pm Friday, November 22 to 12:30pm Sunday, November 24, 2019.** The event is held in State College for youth who are in grades 6 to 12 for the 2019-2020 school year. We believe that gathering with other Christian youth is important in shaping relationships with the church and the world. Youth gatherings include worship, bible study, music/performances, speakers, volunteer activities and time spent with our church youth as well as youth from across several counties in our western PA. Registration for the Allegheny Synod Youth Gathering has begun! Please obtain a registration form from the narthex. St. David's council has committed funds toward sending our youth to the event, so we are asking the families of registering youth to contribute **\$50** toward the total registration fee (hotel, food, and registration costs). Scholarships are available for members with financial issues as we hope all kids can attend; please talk to Pastor or a member of the Children & Youth Team if you would like to attend but cost is an issue. **Please complete the registration forms and give to the church secretary with payment ASAP - hard deadline TODAY, Sunday, October 6, 2019.** Friends can attend but must pay the full \$125 fee for the weekend. With questions, please contact either Rachel Kimmel (rachel.b.thomas@gmail.com) or Elizabeth Hunsberger (elizabethrpile@yahoo.com).



IT'S HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL & OVERTIME SEASON!

The last Overtime of the season is scheduled for Friday, **October 18th from 9-11 PM.**

Schedule of Upcoming Events in the Parish

~ Please check the website calendar for the most up to date events ~

Saturday 10/5:	5:30 PM	Worship/Communion Service
Blanket Sunday 10/6:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	12 PM	Christmas Play All Call (FH9)
Monday 10/7:	Jessica, the office secretary will be on vacation October 7-11 during this time office hours will vary. Office secretary questions or tasks should be postponed until after Jessica's return on October 14. In case of an emergency please contact Pastor Faron Johnson at 570-246-3031 (cell).	
	9:30 AM	Yoga (FH9)
	1-5 PM	Pastor's Office Hours
	7 PM	Yoga (FH9)
Tuesday 10/8:	6 PM	Pastor's Bible Study (C21)
Wednesday 10/9:	4 PM	Youth Choir
	6:30 PM	Youth & Children Team (C16)
	6:30 PM	Adult Choir
Thursday 10/10:	6 PM	LP PTA Meeting (CR2)
	7 PM	JSO Community Strings (FH9)
Friday 10/11:	<i>Pastor's Day Off</i>	
Saturday 10/12:	5:30 PM	Worship/Communion Service
Sunday 10/13:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9 AM	Confirmation Class (FH9)
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	12 PM	Council Meeting (FH9)
*October 6 © *		
Acolytes- Gentry & Jackson Sotosky (8); Ellie Hunsberger & Danika Black (10:30)		
Altar-Diane Miller & Kathy Naugle (8); Mandi Tercek & Michelle Zoldey (10:30)		
Communion Assts-Emil Bolha & Bryan Rabbitt (8); Susan Zaman & Jack Winters (10:30)		
Bread-Sue Risch (8); Bill Bergman (10:30)		
Lectors- Ashley Kopp (8); Morgan Sleek (10:30)		
Greeters-Rick Miller (8); Bill Bergman (10:30)		
Ushers-Dennis & Kathy Naugle (8); Von & Marsha Parkins, Jack & Carol Winters (10:30)		
Worship Captain- Ashley Kopp		
Counters-Team 1: Bill & Pat Bergman, Lou Ann Reckner, Alan Mankamyer & Sue Risch		



Come out for Faranda's Farm in Hollsopple for "Lutheran Night at Faranda's Farm" Sunday October 13th from 4-8pm. Admission fee of \$8/person includes all regular fall farm activities including 5-acre corn maze, hayrides, games, and more! Navigate the corn maze during the day or be brave and try it with a flashlight after sunset! It's fun for the

whole family! An outdoor vespers service will be held at 6:30pm. We hope this will be a great event for congregations from all over Somerset and Cambria County and beyond! \$4 of each admission fee will be donated to "Grace Delivered," the Somerset County ELCA Lutherans' mobile ministry. Bring a non-perishable food item to support our local food pantries! Faranda's Farm is located at 1171 Penn Avenue, Hollsopple, PA.