



August 2013

I Need More...SATISFACTION

“A man can do nothing better than to eat and drink and find satisfaction in his work” (Ecclesiastes 2:24).

That is what the writer of the book of Ecclesiastes said, and he said it three different times in his book. It sounds simple enough: Somehow find the ability to lean back in your hammock on your day off and say, “What a satisfying life this all is!”

But maybe your expectations for satisfaction in this life are too high. Maybe they are unrealistic. Maybe they are even wrong and pivot around your own self and ego.

The Bible says about God, “You open your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing” (Psalm 145:16). Many believers bow their heads and speak this verse before they eat their food. In their prayer at their dinner tables they acknowledge that God is the source of their satisfaction. They recognize it too when they pray this part of the Lord’s Prayer: “Give us today

our daily bread.”

The Apostle Paul told a young pastor, “If we have food and clothing, we will be content with that” (1 Timothy 6:8). Perhaps those who demand more satisfaction from life are not thinking of the simple but sublime satisfaction that is the desire of many hearts. They forget that in their work—whatever it may be—they can glorify God with faithfulness and cheerfulness and thankfulness that they have the ability to feed themselves and their family. Those are the aspirations of a loving God for our satisfaction.

Satisfaction in our lives does not come because of what we do but because of what God does. He takes care of us...body and soul. He feeds us. He sent Jesus to rescue us from his great dissatisfaction over our sin. He promises to be with us and bless the work of our hands. He says that what we do for him will not be in vain.

Be satisfied—truly satisfied—with that!



August Birthdays

4-Aug	Fullen, Richard
7-Aug	Hefti, Mike
7-Aug	Skinner, Louise
9-Aug	Nichols, Kendall
12-Aug	Nichols, Brian
15-Aug	Skinner, Natalie
15-Aug	Stover, Angy
18-Aug	Fangel, Jerry
24-Aug	Durall, Margie
24-Aug	Horn, Paul
24-Aug	Reinheimer, Donna
26-Aug	Orta, Dawn
27-Aug	Strickland, Rob
28-Aug	Kassebaum, Megan
31-Aug	Freeman, John
31-Aug	Granicki, Monique
31-Aug	Oakes, Virgil



7-Aug	Disch, Bonnie and Gordon
8-Aug	Maurer, Jeff and Rachel
9-Aug	Kassebaum, Paul and Megan
14-Aug	Todd, Brian and Renae
15-Aug	Ford, Cameron and Jennifer
16-Aug	Mazdorff, Malcolm and Ericka
21-Aug	Durall, Ray and Margie
22-Aug	Gurney, Peter and Joan
24-Aug	Fullen, Richard & Conny
29-Aug	Milward, Scott and Tina
30-Aug	Hans, Anthony and Lara

Note: Please let Rose know if an error has occurred in the newsletter.

Help us welcome our new vicar!

The WELS Conference of Presidents has assigned Ben Zuberbier as our vicar. He will move to Kentucky and spend a year with us.



The cost to have a vicar is subsidized because of our mission status and the majority of the cost is covered by a grant. Our congregation's financial responsibility will be \$12,000 to support the vicar program over the course of the year. Please keep that in mind as you do your stewardship planning.

His installation service will be on August 18th with a celebration dinner to follow, games and bouncy house for kids. Please contact Cameron Ford or sign up to bring items for the potluck.

Let us thank God for the opportunity to participate in the training of our future pastors!

Care Packages for Soldiers

Thank you to everyone who donated toward the 7 packages mailed off last week to our soldiers. They contained personal care items, books, and some fun toys to help with down time. We will be sending them again in October. If you want to donate money or items (place in basket on piano) please talk to Lara Hans.



STEWARDSHIP NOTE

Isn't it wonderful having someone to clean our church? The voters' approved hiring a cleaning service with the congregation, agreeing to increase their giving to cover the cost, as their individual gifts allowed. Please consider adding a little extra to your offering envelope if you can to help keep our King's temple clean!

CHURCH NEEDS

1. **Food for church food pantry**— Please bring in food staples to replenish our ministry to those in need. The food pantry is located behind the door to the kitchen, next to the silver refrigerator. (suggested items: spaghetti and other pastas, spaghetti sauce, canned fruits & vegies; soups)
2. **Vicar** - Vicar Zuberbier will arrive by August 15th, can you help with the following: Check the bulletin board for sign-up.
 - Organizing a food/staples pantry drive
 - Unloading his U-Haul Trailer
 - Lending furniture for him use.
 - Moving the loaned furniture
 - Providing meals until he is settled
3. **Sunday Snacks** - Please sign up to bring snacks for the Coffee and Snack time after church. More than one person can sign up for a Sunday. It doesn't have too much - simple cookies work great.
4. **Pastors' Conference** - September 8-10, 2013. We are hosting. We will need drivers for airport pick-up and return, daily food preparation and serving, daily snacks prepared, and to-go lunches prepared. Check bulletin board by mailboxes for sign up.

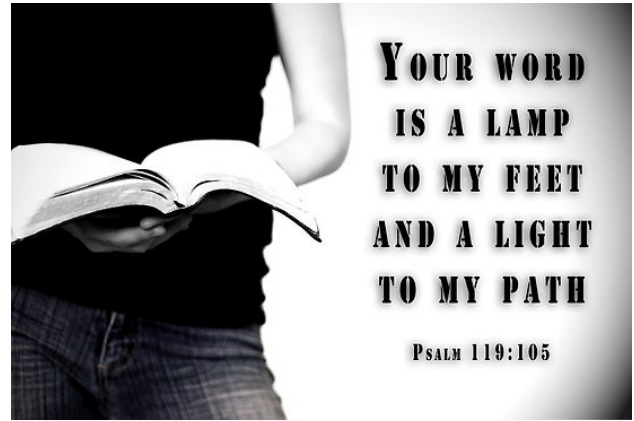
Stewardship

Christ's Love, Our Calling: Love Speaks

This August—September the title of our focus is "Love Speaks". We will focus our attention on what is a natural reaction for God's people to his Word: sharing it with others. This special emphasis is designed to motivate us and to guide us in sharing our faith. We'll have this focus both in our worship services and Bible studies. You won't want to miss one Sunday of this special emphasis. We pray for God's blessings as his love guides us in our calling.

Every Member Visits

Pastor Horn, Vicar Zuberbier and Brien Grace will be conducting Every Member Visits from September through December to share the joys of ministry in the Word of God.



Sunday School, Confirmation and Adult/Teen Bible Study will begin on September 8th

Sunday school is for ages 3-12. The children meet in the sanctuary after worship for music and then head to their classrooms. Class ends at 12:15pm

Confirmation class is for grades 6-8 and meets in the sanctuary after music time and ends at 12:15pm

Adult/Teen Bible study meets in the Fellowship Hall after fellowship time and ends at 12:15pm. Pastor Horn will lead a study on Romans chapters 9-16.

The study of God's Word is our highest priority!

Quarterly Voter's Meeting August 11, 2013



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FaithLutheranKy



Here is our name for the Facebook home page:
Faith Lutheran Church, Radcliff, Kentucky

Faith Lutheran Member Highlight Jake, Angy, Christian, Abby and Joshua Stover



Q: How and where did you meet?

A: **We meet when we both were serving at Fort Knox.**

Q: When and where you married?

A: **Jul 3, 2005 in Fremont, Ohio**

Q: Tell us about your children?

A: **Christian age 14, freshmen in high school. Wide receiver on the football team and enjoys soccer and band. He is a hugger. Abigale age 7, 2nd grade. Likes soccer and singing and has a recent interest in running, completed two 5k runs this year. Joshua age 4, active boy that is a sports fanatic. He is learning to play violin.**

Q: What is your home state?

A: **Jake: Ohio. Angy: South Dakota**

Q: What are your occupations?

A: **Jake: Unit Administrator for Army Reserve unit Angy: Air Traffic Controller**

Q: Are you military and if so what branch, etc.?

A: **Jake: Yes, Army Reserve**

Q: What are your individual hobbies?

A: **Jake: Football, Barbeque, military history. Angy: Cake decorating, cross stitching**

Q: What does your family enjoy doing together?

A: **Camping, Hiking, attending kids sport games**

Q: Do you have a favorite sports team?

A: **Jake: YES, very much so Ohio State and Cleveland Browns.**




Q: What is Jake's position on the church council?

A: **President**

Q: What do you like best about Faith Lutheran Church?

A: **Family environment and great sense of community. Good food.**



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Sundays: 10 am: Sunday Worship</i> <i>11:30am: Adult 19-Minute Bible Study</i></p> <p><i>Communion Sunday = </i></p>				1	2	3
4 	5 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	6 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	7	8 <u>6:30pm: Outreach Calls</u>	9	10
11 Voters' Meeting	12 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	13 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	14	15 Vicar Arrives <u>6:30pm: Outreach Calls</u>	16	17
18 Vicar Zuberbier's Installation and Potluck 	19 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	20 <u>6:30pm: Outreach Calls</u>	21	22 <u>6:30pm: Outreach Calls</u>	23	24
25 Council Meeting after Bible Study	26 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	27 <u>6:30pm: Out-reach Calls</u>	28	29 <u>6:30pm: Outreach Calls</u>	30	31



STEWARDSHIP CALENDAR

Thank you for your service to our Lord!

A friendly reminder: if you are unable to perform your duties as usher, please find someone to take your place.



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Pray for the members of our church family on the day their name is listed.</i></p>				1 Teri Oakes	2 Carlos, Dawn, Joshua, Hannah, Matthew Orta	3 Josh, Anna, Ayden Parker
<p>4 Ushers: Cecil Maus, Earl Enevold, Jake Stover, Michael Rowlette Counters: Earl Enevold and Ben Emerson Attendance: Valerie Erne  Organist: Lynne Hogan</p>	5 Richard, Julie Poore	6 Chris, Renee, Chris Reinheimer	7 Steve, Donna Reinheimer	8 Dann, Kay, Megan Reynolds	9 Michael, Rita Rowlette	10 Ana, Troy, Tyler, Dominic Sanders
<p>11 Ushers: Aaron Tomita, Brian Todd, Ken Wood, Rocco Erne Counters: Michael Rowlette and Joel Thibodeau Attendance: Joel Thibodeau Organist: Katie Hefti</p>	12 Christa, David Sasaki	13 Sean, Louise, Hannah, Molly, Abby, Natalie Skinner	14 Barbara Snider	15 Nicole, Chris Spencer	16 Jake, Angy, Christian, Abby, Joshua Stover	17 Rob, Kris, Justin, Collin Strickland
<p>18 Ushers: Scott Milward, Jason Johnson, Collin Strickland, Nathan Wood Counters: Jeremy Hicks and Brien Grace Attendance: Earl Enevold  Organist: Lynne Hogan</p>	19 Megan Strickland	20 Joel, Mary, Kaydence, Ryan Thibodeau	21 Brian, Renae, Cody, Ashley Todd	22 Ed, Becky, Aaron, Shelby, Casey Tomita	23 Brigitte, John Wells	24 Gene Whitaker
<p>25 Ushers: Bill Kiefer, George Dalton, Steven Amling, Malin Eichbrecht Counters: Debbie Fangel and Gerlinde McCarty Attendance: Valerie Erne Organist: Louise Skinner</p>	26 April, Jim Wiedeman	27 Anna Wiley	28 Ken, Mindy, Nathan, Samantha Wood	29 Cindy, Molly, Nikki Wright	30 April, DaVana, Sawyer, Lewtin Yates	31 Kathi Allard