



**May 13, 2018**

**THE MAY ETERNAL CANDLE**

Is Given by Ken & Nancy Blekicki  
In Celebration of their Anniversary

**TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS**

Are Given in Loving  
Memory of Andrea Elterich

**TODAY'S BULLETIN COVERS**

Are Given to the Glory of God!

*~Announcements & Events~*

*Dedicate your children to God and point them in the way that they should go, and the values they've learned from you will be with them for life. – Proverbs 22:6*

Next Sunday, May 20th, we will have our Voter's Meeting immediately following third service. We will be voting on our slate of nominees for board positions, posted in the Narthex.

Large Print bulletins and announcements are now available. Please ask the ushers.

Pastor's Book Club will be meeting on Thursday, May 17th and 31st at 7:00 PM. We are reading Authentic Christianity, How Lutheran Theology Speaks to a Post- Modern World by Gene Edward Veith Jr. and A. Trevor Sutton. All are welcome.

The Dare to Read Class is finishing Luther's Works Volume 21 and will start on Luther's Commentary on Galatians. All are welcome to join, Sundays at 9:30 AM. POC: Loren Weihemuller.

A new ministry is forming at Grace! *His House Ministry* has been working on a home in Goose Creek that suffered hurricane damage last year. The next scheduled work day is Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM. We will be installing interior dry wall that day. Please contact Pastor if you would like to participate.

The Young at Heart luncheon for May will be held on the 16<sup>th</sup> in Grace Hall at 11:30. Our speaker will be Tom Glisson from Heartland Hospice Care. He will present to us "Hospice 101" Lunch will be provided. Please join us. all are welcome!

**TODAY IS THE LAST DAY** that Billy Graham will be taking family photos for the new church directory. He will be in Grace Hall after the services today. Please stop by if you are in need of an updated photo. A big thank you to Billy!

Last Sunday's Mite Box collection totaled \$72.79

What if you could be debt-free with an emergency fund of 3–6 months of expenses saved, all while investing for retirement and planning for your family’s future? Sound impossible? It’s not! With Dave Ramsey’s class Financial Peace University, you CAN take control of your money. We will be offering the Financial Peace University class in Grace Hall on Monday nights from 7 to 9 pm starting June 4th for nine consecutive weeks. If you’re interested in learning more about the class, please contact Linda Robinson. Class registration is open until Sunday, May 27. Look for more information and a sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

CSU is hosting televised debates for the gubernatorial candidates. Democratic candidates will debate at 7:00 PM on May 15<sup>th</sup> and Republican candidates at 7:00 PM on May 16<sup>th</sup>. The primaries take place on Tuesday June 12<sup>th</sup>.

The ordination/Installation of John Engwall is scheduled for Sunday, June 17th at 4 p.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Aiken, SC. President Denninger will be officiating and Pastor John Johnson of Christ Lutheran Church, Mason City, IL will be the preacher.

## *~Serving Schedules~*

### MEMBERS SERVING 5/13/18

**Tabulators:** Lewis Tomlin  
Judy Manners, Martha Hicks

**Usher—8:00:** Greg Sheldon, **11:00:** Darrell Billham

**Elder— 8:00:** Bryan B. (L), Loren W.  
**9:30:** John K. (L), Sam S.  
**11:00:** Mike R. (L), George J.

**Reader—8:00:** Nicole Thompson  
**9:30:** John Kinney  
**11:00:** Lewis Tomlin

**Acolytes – 8:00:** David Thompson  
**11:00:** Clara Robinson

**Crucifers—8:00:** Georgia Hoffman  
**11:00:** Talia Medley

**Altar Guild—** Chris Robertson

**Greeters: 8:00:** Bob & Pat Shipman  
**9:30:** Jim & Nancy Clowney  
**11:00:** Maria Parrish, Maria Anderson

### MEMBERS SERVING 5/20/18

**Tabulators:** Ed Marquardt  
Kathy Hein, Carol Curtis

**Usher—8:00:** Rich Wilson, **11:00:** Ed Marquardt

**Elder— 8:00:** Dave M. (L), Mike R.  
**9:30:** Mike R. (L), John K.  
**11:00:** Charlie M. (L), Sam S.

**Reader—8:00:** Barbara Lamos  
**9:30:** Mike Robinson  
**11:00:** Margaret Salow

**Acolytes – 8:00:** Lauren Willsea  
**11:00:** Emma Graham

**Crucifers—8:00:** Lauren Marano  
**11:00:** Katelyn Schmedeke

**Altar Guild—** Carol Skinner

**Greeters: 8:00:** Ken & Nancy Blekicky  
**9:30:** Jim & Nancy Clowney  
**11:00:** Katie Graham

### **Last Week’s Attendance**

Attendance: 145  
Communion: 136

### **Last Month’s Income Report**

April Receipts: \$36,922.68  
April: \$33,763.50

## *~ Weekly Calendar ~*

Sunday May 13 MOTHER'S DAY	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 AM Service of The Word 9:30 AM Bible and Sunday School Classes
Monday May 14	7:00 PM BUNCO - GH
Tuesday May 15	10:00 AM Crafts 10:30 AM & 7:00 PM Life Lite Study 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry Training
Wednesday May 16	11:30 AM Young at Heart – GH 1:00 PM Hand and Foot Canasta - GH 7:00 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal
Thursday May 17	7:00 PM Pastor's Book Club
Friday May 18	11:00 AM Bible Study
Saturday May 19	9:30 AM Confirmation Class 3:00 PM Anniversary Presentation - S 5:00 PM Anniversary Banquet - GH
Sunday, May 20 PENTECOST VOTER'S MEETING	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 AM Service of The Word 9:30 AM Bible and Sunday School Classes 12:00 PM Voter's Meeting

## *~Daily Bible Readings~*

Sun. May 13	Num. 14:1-25, Luke 18:18-34
Mon. May 14	Num. 14:26-45, 15:1-41, Luke 18:35-19:10
Tue. May 15	Num. 16:1-22, Luke 19:11-28
Wed. May 16	Num. 16:23-40, Luke 19: 29-48
Thurs. May 17	Num. 16:41-17:13, ( <i>Num. 18:1-19:22</i> ), Luke 20:1-18
Fri. May 18	Num. 20:1-21, Luke 17:20-37
Sat. May 19	Num. 20:22-21:9, Luke 20:45-21:19
Sun. May 20	Num. 21:10-35, Luke 21:20-38



# Prayer Requests

5/13: **Bull Halsey** has asked for prayers for the family of **John Fitch** who passed away on Sat. May 5<sup>th</sup>. John was the father of their daughter-in-law, Hattie.

5/13: UPDATE on **Patty Barnes' husband Jeff**, who has esophageal cancer. Praise the Lord that the latest pet scan showed no cancer after treatments. Please continue to pray for Jeff during the next phase with upcoming surgery.

5/6: Please pray for the family and friends of **John Ruditis, brother-in-law of Nancy Clowney**. John went to meet his Savior after a long battle with cancer.

5/6: Please pray for the family and friends of **Andrea Elterich**. Andrea went to be with the Lord on Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.

4/15 **Margaret Salow** has asked for prayers for Summerville Baptist Church's handbell choir director, **Marcia Brantley**, who has a systemic infection which the doctors can't seem to resolve. She has had reactions to the antibiotics which complicates any improvement. Please pray the doctors can resolve this and get her back to celebrating the Lord through music.

4/1: UPDATE on **Charles Halsey**. He has had bloodwork done that shows his maintenance program is no longer effective for treatment of his cancer. He is in pain in different areas of his body. He needs our prayers as do Bull and Dottie.

4/1: **Marta Simpson** has asked for prayer for her **mom, Angela Martinez**, who is in poor health.

4/1: Please pray for **Marta Simpson's sister in law** who is suffering from severe depression as well as physical ailments.

3/11: **Lauren & Travis Cartee** have asked for prayer for Lauren concerning healing from polycystic ovarian syndrome.

1/28: UPDATE on **Helen Marano's sister, Linda Kearney**. Linda will be starting radiation therapy soon. Please pray for healing from her cancer and peace for her family.

1/14: **Nancy & Ken Blekicki** have asked for prayers for their **niece, Kerri**, who is being treated for breast cancer.



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