

NEWS & NOTES

Please keep this insert to keep current with all that is going on at SLC.

Today	8/25	9:00 AM	Worship and WELS Connection Video
		10:15 AM	CCM Open Forum and Voters' Meeting
Mon.	8/26	6:30 PM	Monday Night with Jesus
Tues	8/27	5:00 PM	Activities Committee Meets
Wed.	8/28	6:00 PM	Movie Night: Bring a Snack
Thurs.	8/29	7:00 PM	Back to the Basics
Sun.	9/1	9:00 AM	Worship and Member Communion
		10:15 AM	Fellowship
Mon.	9/2	2-4 PM	Ice Cream Jamboree

Willing Hands

This Sunday: 8/25

Organist: Computer

Ushers: Mark Boehringer and Wally Marsh

Altar Care: Janene Malzer

Tellers: Dick and Cathy Yeakel

Kitchen Helpers: Mark Sprengeler

Serving the Lord Next Week:

Ushers: Larry Wiersum and Joe Schindler

Altar Care: Kelley Buch

Tellers: Jean Tartaglia and Jim Moldenhauer

Kitchen helpers: Mark Sprengeler



*We're here to
Serve*

September 1	Larry Wiesum	Joe Schindler
September 8	Charles Ochsner	Andrew Ryan
September 15	Jim Moldenhauer	Tom Johnson
September 22	Bill Meyer	Wally Marsh
September 29	Bryan Becht	Mark Boehringer
October 6	Jim Moldenhauer	Tom Johnson
October 13	Larry Wiersum	Andrew Ryan
October 20	Joe Schindler	Bill Meyer
October 27	Jacob Stephens	Jim Moldenauer
November 3	Mark Boehringer	Bryan Becht
November 10	Jacob Stephens	Tom Johnson
November 17	Jim Moldenhauer	Joe Schindler
November 24	Bill Meyer	Wally Marsh
November 27	Thanksgiving Service	Tom Johnson Jim Moldenauer



Church Council Officers:

Please call our elected officers with questions and concerns.

Chairman:	Mr. Chuck Ochsner	(702) 823-5498
Vice-Chairman:	Mr. Mark Boehringer	(605) 545-1919
Treasurer:	Mr. Eric Braun	(608) 385-3558
Trustee:	Mr. Mark Osterberg	(702) 355-5601
Elder:	Mr. Duane Meyer	(702) 239-3439



Our Thanks to the Lord: Our congregation has prayerfully and thankfully chosen to support the ministry of our church through our thank offerings.

Offerings needed per week: \$3400

Offerings last week: \$1617

May God continue to bless us with his gifts and with a heart of praise and thanks to bring our offerings of thanks to do his work.



Activities Committee: Tuesday, August 27 @ 5:00 PM
Activities will be finalizing our plans for the Ice Cream Jamboree planned for Labor Day.



Wanna Get Involved? You Can Help.....

For questions and information regarding these items please call or talk to.

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| Kitchen Helpers: | Kelley Buch | (414) 943-0814. |
| Ushering: | Jim Moldenhauer | (702) 489-2627. |
| Altar Guild: | Kelley Buch | (414) 943-0814. |
| Caring Hands: | Roxanne Ochsner | (702) 823-5498. |
| Ministry Team: | Pastor or any of the Councilmen. | |
| Council: | Chuck Ochsner | (702) 823-5498 |
| Activities Committee: | Shawnee Osterberg | (702) 595-0311. |

If these things don't seem to fit your abilities, but you would like to lend a hand in some way, please contact Pastor or the Council to discuss how you might help. Thanks and God bless!!

We Pray For Those With Heavy Loads:



- Our shut-in members who rely on others: Wanda Boger, Dorie Heyn, Byron and Nancy Houseworth, Lou Howard, Nick Nussbaum, and Audrey Vergara.
- Our straying and inactive members, that the love of Christ might guide them back to the Word of God to hear the wonderful message of their Savior.
- For safety for all who are traveling this summer.
- For our pastor and council, for godly wisdom as they seek to do the work that the Lord has given us to do.
- For our schools and our children that they may be a place of learning and safety
...and for all others, whether we know it or not, who need the Lord's care today.



Bible STUDY
Join us!

Bible Study Starts Soon.....

Let your friends, family and everyone else know that we will be starting Bible Study very soon. Come as we grow in the Word.

Back to the Basics: Thursdays @ 7:00 PM

This class is for anyone wanting to know the Bible better.

This We Believe: Sunday Mornings after Labor Day

A review of what members of Summerlin Lutheran Church believe.

Romans: Wednesday Morning @ 10 AM after Labor Day

Romans is the book where Paul teaches the difference between the Law, which does not save, and the Gospel, which takes us to heaven.

For the Kids..... and Young at Heart
Crayons and Pencils are available. Please ask an usher for help



Jesus teaches us that we should care more about him than
about all the stuff in the world.

WELS Together Newsletter

Delegates to the 65th biennial synod convention, held at Martin Luther College in New Ulm, Minn., three weeks ago, have much to remember and to share with others as they return to their home congregations.

Illustrating how our worldwide fellowship of confessional Lutherans continues to grow, our synod had the privilege of declaring fellowship with two overseas Lutheran church bodies. The Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ—Kenya is a relatively new Lutheran church body that is united with WELS in doctrine and practice. The Christian Evangelical Lutheran Church in Taiwan had its origin as a WELS mission in 1968 and has since become an independent church body. The convention formally declared fellowship with both Lutheran churches; delegates cast their unanimous votes with a standing ovation.

The convention approved the synod's two-year ministry financial plan recommended by the Synodical Council. No changes were made to the plan that was proposed. This plan outlines the financial support that will be provided to all areas of ministry for the next two years.

Numerous changes to the synod's bylaws were approved. Most of these changes involved bringing more consistency to the length of terms on various boards and committees. Nearly all positions are now four-year terms, with a person able to succeed himself twice.

Twenty memorials (requests for convention action) were acted upon by the convention via floor committee reports and resolutions.

Director of the WELS Commission on Congregational Counseling Rev. Jon Hein's keynote presentation provided an honest evaluation of membership trends and the challenges posed by a changing culture. He outlined the synod's plans to address these challenges making use of the means of grace and committing all results to the hands of the Holy Spirit.

After hearing reports from all areas of the synod's missions and ministries, many delegates commented that for the first time they had a real picture of the scope and nature of the many things we are doing together as a synod. They expressed an eagerness to return home to share what they had learned with their congregations.

Rev. Joel Voss was re-elected as the synod second vice president and I was blessed and honored to be elected to serve another term as synod president.

The convention was another opportunity for WELS to acknowledge the amazing grace of God as he works through us to proclaim the gospel now and, as the convention theme stated, “for the generations to come.” Serving in Christ, President Mark Schroeder

Access all synod convention news and materials at wels.net/2019synodconvention.

New Bible Translation Available

A new translation of the Bible—the Evangelical Heritage Version (EHV)—is now available from Northwestern Publishing House (NPH).

More than one hundred people—pastors, professors, teachers, and laypeople—have been working on the translation since 2013, all under the direction of the Wartburg Project, an independent Lutheran Bible translation effort by WELS and Evangelical Lutheran Synod (ELS) pastors and professors. About 30 WELS and ELS pastors and professors were involved in translating and the technical review, and 100 people served as proofreaders and popular reviewers. “By the time it was done, at least ten people had read every book,” says Rev. John Brug, general editor and Old Testament editor. All are volunteers, except Brug, who worked full time.

The EHV aims to provide a balanced translation that is good for all uses in the church, according to Brug. This means it preserves traditional familiar biblical idioms while better clarifying some language that may be confusing in other translations. Being balanced also means that “sometimes you have to be a little more literal in your translation, and sometimes you have to be a little more free,” says Brug. “We tried to look at each passage in its own case and not have one rulebook that covered everything.”

While only WELS members and those in fellowship with WELS worked on the translation, Brug is quick to note that this is not a “WELS Bible,” and it is not just for Lutherans. “No one should be able to say there is a Lutheran slant in the translation,” Brug says.

The Wartburg Project is working on content for an EHV study Bible that will provide Lutheran commentary on the passages. It hopes to have an electronic version available by the end of the year.

A committee appointed by the Conference of Presidents has reviewed the EHV. In its report, it writes, “Several of our reviewers expressed the hope that the EHV will continue to go through an editing process in anticipation of future editions. . . . At the same time, we find the translation accurate and faithful, and can recommend it for use in our church” (2019 Book of Reports and Memorials, p. 8). Brug says that the Wartburg Project welcomes suggestions to improve the translation. He anticipates reviewing changes for revisions after three to five years.

The new edition of Luther’s catechism from NPH using the EHV translation is available for preorder. It also is available using the English Standard Version and the New International Version 2011 translations. This is an example of NPH’s use of the eclectic approach: offering multiple translation choices when possible for a single resource.

Brug says he has been blessed to have been able to take part in a project of this scope. “I certainly learned a lot, but the greatest thing is the spirit with which the participants worked,” he says. “To work together with my brothers and sisters in Christ on God’s Word—the whole Bible—intensely for five years is a great blessing, and we hope it will also be a blessing to those who use what we developed.”

Learn more about the EHV translation at wartburgproject.org. Order the translation at nph.net.



To learn more about our Synod please log on to www.wels.net.



Movie Night
This Wednesday
8/28 @ 6:00

Bring a snack to pass.

BYOM..... Bring Your Own Movie
and we will decide what to watch...



Open Forum and Voters' Meeting
Today after church

CCM:
A review of Phases 1 and 2
What is coming up in Phase 3



Please join us...
**Labor Day Ice Cream
Jamboree!**

**September 2nd at 2 P.M.
Fellowship Hall**

**Ice Cream and a fun game of
Jeopardy**

**Summerlin Evangelical
Lutheran Church
1911 Pueblo Vista Dr
Las Vegas NV 89128**

**RSVP to:
(702) 595-0311**





Let's get ready for the congregational garage sale.
The Activities Committee invites you to come and be part of the fun.
September 7 and October 5 @ 9 AM.

Also plan ahead:
Garage Sale: November 15, 16
We need workers and helpers.



Phonics
Reading
Conversation

ESL for Adults

Phonics
Reading
Conversation

欢迎不同英文水平的成人和我们一起练习英文
Hora de practicar inglés para adultos. Todos los niveles.

To schedule or for more information.....
call Mark @ (702) 254-5953 or (702) 582-0764
www.summerlinlutheran.org

Mark Sprengher is working to reach out to our community with English as a Second Language classes.

These lessons are helpful for our friends and neighbors who would like to speak, read, or practice their English skills.

If you have a friend or acquaintance who might like to practice in this setting please have them call Mark for more information.

If you have a Chinese friend, please make sure to mention that Mark is fluent in Cantonese. This might help them feel more comfortable.