

Advent Lutheran Church Weekly News Week of June 21-27



- July Worship Assistants: we need your help!! Please consider serving:
 lector, communion assistant, usher. See the sign up board in the Narthex.
- Food Pantry (with St. Andrew): needs for June deodorant & toilet paper
 Collection shopping carts in front/back door entryways
- "Little Free Pantry" current needs for this week are: canned fruit, bar soap, oatmeal
 There is a collection box outside the church office.
- **Altar Flowers:** Altar flowers this weekend are given by Deborah Horvath and Mary Jane Horvath, in loving memory of Bill Horvath and Velma Nygord.
- Advent Endowment Committee Scholarship Program: Applications due July 13, 2025. The Endowment Committee will be awarding up to 2 scholarships of \$1,000 this July. Recipients will continue to be chosen randomly via lottery. Please email Bob McClanahan, Endowment Committee Chair, for an application. Applications must be received by July 13 for the drawing. Eligibility criteria are listed on the application. Please be sure to submit an application if you are eligible and to share this information as appropriate. Contact me with any questions. Sincerely, Bob McClanahan, Endowment Committee Chair (mcclanclan@aol.com / 440-867-3663)
- St. Andrew Bocce Ball League: Our food pantry church partner, St. Andrews, has asked us if want to form some teams and join their Bocce Ball League. It is on Tuesday nights in July and part of August at 6:30pm. The teams consist of 4 people. The cost is \$40 per person for the entire season. All the money goes toward their missionaries and service projects. They start the grill 5:30pm-6:00pm for a cookout and everybody brings a dish for potluck. Meet new Christian brothers and sisters in fellowship. You don't have to be there every week or can come for cookout or be a sub player. If you are interested in participating, please contact John Marshaus 440.897.6360 or email: johnmarshaus1234@gmail.com. All money is due July 1st. Cash or check. It is on the front lawn of their church at RT. 84 and Little Mountain Road. Thank you. League begins on July 8th.
- Blood Drive: Saturday, July 12 * 8am-1pm * redcrossblood.org Key word: Advent 1.800.RED.CROSS

 Online Giving: If you'd like to support Advent's ministry electronically, scan this QR code to visit our online giving page.



- TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME! Come join us for a Captain's Baseball Game on Friday, July 25 at 7pm. Tickets are \$12.00 each. Please sign up on the Bulletin Board, and make tickets out to Advent with the Memo: baseball. Let's Root for the Home Team! Any questions call Doreen Mattson @ 216-389-7611.
- Goodtime III Sightseeing Cruise Advent and St. Andrew: Sunday, August 24 · 3pm-5pm. Boards at 2:30pm. Rain or shine. Fully enclosed lower deck. Great views of the city. Food and beverage available for purchase. Multi-generational event. All are welcome. We will be partnering with St. Andrews. Cost for seniors 60+ \$23.00, ages 13-59 \$28.00, ages 5-12 \$15.00. Carpooling from Advent at 1:30pm. Located: East 9th St Pier Voinovich Park, next to Rock n' Roll Hall of Fame. For Reservations and payment contact: John Marshaus (440.897.6360; email: johnmarshaus1234@gmail.com. Come and join us for an afternoon of family fellowship. Parking \$11.00 for 3 hour at Pier, \$6.00 behind Browns Stadium. Wheelchair accessible and bathroom. Deadline to sign up and pay is July 31st.
- OK Gang Luncheon: On July 21, 2025 the OK Gang will be going to The New China Buffet Restaurant located at 5935 Andrews Rd. located in the strip mall behind Wendy's (between Marco's Pizza and Marc's) at 12:45pm.. The New China Buffet is a favorite of many members of the Advent family and has a wide variety of delicious Chinese and American dishes including roast beef, salmon and shrimp. You have many choices of desserts, fresh salad fixings and desserts. If you happen to be vegetarian or vegan or need gluten free, I am sure you will find plenty to eat. The cost is very affordable and just let them know you are senior citizen to get that discount. So mark your calendar for July 21st and join us at the New China Buffet for a great time and very good food. It is a great way to meet other members of the Advent family that go to different weekly services. Please sign up on the Signup sheet located on the bulletin board in the Narthex. If you have any questions you can talk to Cherie Moore, Kathie Hayden or Jenny Helland or any member of the witness committee.

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