



Advent Lutheran Church Weekly News - *Week of September 12-18*



October Worship Assistants: we need your help!!
lector, communion assistant, usher. See the sign-up board in the Narthex.

Food Pantry (with St. Andrew): needs for September – **toothpaste & toilet paper**

“Little Free Pantry” current needs for this week are: **anything you would like to donate**

Altar Flowers: Flowers this weekend are given by Kathy Jennings, in honor of her granddaughter Katy’s 19th birthday.

A Night of LGBTQ+ Healing: Join us for an evening of fellowship, as people in the LGBTQ+ community and allies share their stories on reconciling the anti-LGBTQ+ dogma they heard in churches growing up and how they are moving toward a place of healing.

When: September 28, 6:30pm-8:30pm

Where: Lake Erie Bluffs - Lane Road Shelter (3301 Lane Rd, Perry Twp, OH 44081)

Light refreshments will be provided. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the Narthex. If you are unable to sign up in person or have any questions, please email the LGB committee at adventmentor.lbg@gmail.com. Hosted by Advent Lutheran Church, St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, and the LGBTQ+ Allies of Lake County

Sunday Morning Adult Sunday School Begins a New Study: Many of you are probably aware of the popular TV series called **THE CHOSEN** starring Jonathon Roumie as Jesus. The program depicts the places and events surrounding the life of Jesus and the lives of his key followers, as outlined in the Gospels. Each week we will view an episode, to be followed by a brief discussion. The episodes are 40 to 50 minutes in length. The discussions will be 15 to 20 minutes long. **There will be no deep theology. The discussions will be light, centering around how the episode draws you closer to Christ. There are no books to purchase.** Each week, discussion materials will be sent out via email. The material will contain a brief synopsis of the next episode-plus discussion questions. There will be no homework. Do not attempt to answer the questions ahead of time. You may have already seen the current episodes on your own. Don’t let that discourage you from joining us. Watching it with your brothers and sisters in Christ will bring a dimension to it that cannot be duplicated in the isolation of your living room. **The CHOSEN will begin on Sunday, September 20, at 10:15am using in-person format only. There will be no zoom option.** If you are interested in joining us, please call/text Tim Krueger at (440) 391-0369 so that you can be placed on our email list (which is how the discussion material will be sent out). You can also email Tim at LTCTKRUE@aol.com.

Welcome New Members: We extend a warm welcome to our new members that are joining Advent this weekend: Richard Blum & Donna Cilensek and Victoria Krug. Welcome to the Advent Family. May God Bless You!

OK Gang: On Monday, September 21, the OK Gang will be going to Tavern Six, located at 7592 Euclid- Chardon Rd. in Kirtland, Ohio at 12:45pm. Tavern Six’s mission statement is to offer their customers a superior local venue that is known for its great food made from fresh ingredients. Their soups, vegetables, sauces, and dressings are house made daily and their food is prepared fresh at the time it is ordered. They are proud to offer *gluten free and vegan plates*, catering to a wide variety of eating preferences and they handle each order with great care; every meal, every cocktail, every specialty cupcake. If the weather cooperates, we will be eating outside on their patio so if you get chilled you might want to bring a sweater.

Flu Shots: the annual flu clinic will be held on Sunday, September 27 from 10am-12noon. If you are on Medicare or have health insurance that covers the vaccine, you are invited to receive yours at Advent. Please bring your insurance card. Sign up in the Narthex. Call Christine Noble with any questions (440346.3120).

Quilt Raffle: It's time again for the Advent Quilt group to display our quilts for the lucky raffle winner to pick one. The quilts will be on display September 26 thru October 4. The tickets are \$5 per ticket (5 tickets for \$10). Tickets are being sold now. Please pick up the quilt before October 8. We will use the funds for buying our supplies and donate to the church funds. Thank you!

Saturday Night Potluck: Please join us for the potluck on Saturday, September 26. Plates, cups, and silverware will be provided. Bring your dish to share and come join us for an evening to get to know the people who worship with you. Questions: contact Cathy Doering (cookimaker761@aol.com or home phone: 440.379.7338)

Blessing of the Pets: Calling all dogs, cats, hamsters, goldfish and parrots — and any other animal who is part of your family! On Sunday October 4th from 1pm-3pm, Pastor Steve will be blessing our pets. Join us for an afternoon which would include:

- + Pet Blessing
- + Staged Photo Opportunity
- + Raffle baskets
- + and more (stay tuned for additional info)

**Group pet blessing will take place at 1:30pm.
Individual pet blessings will also be available after the group blessing**

Fellowship Fall Event: Please join us on October 11th in the narthex for a celebration of FALL. Everything pumpkin and apple will be served between services. It's always a celebration when we all get together. The Fellowship Committee

This Weekend's Worship Assistants - (September 12 and 13) GPOD: Chris Noble			
	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Communion Assistant</u>	<u>Usher</u>
4:00pm	Lloyd Doering	Cathy Doering, Jeanette Fabian	David Fabian
10:00am	Jamie Kettermann	Jamie Kettermann, Rochelle Hellier	Erik/Tara Hellier

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