

## Messiah Lutheran Church Information Guide

Sunday, July 29, 2018

Messiah Lutheran Church \* 1801 W. Plano Pkwy. \* Plano, TX \* 972-398-7500

Rev. Dr. Victor J. Kollmann, Senior Pastor

## Bible Class Opportunities

GROUP	LEADER(S)	TOPIC	LOCATION
Adults	Pastor Kollmann	<i>Genesis</i>	Gymnasium
Adults	Pastor Otte	The Sermon on the Mount	E215S
Adults	Various leaders	Revelation	E237N
Growing Marriages in Christ (GMC)	Pastor Welmer	<i>Romans</i>	E110S Conf. Rm.
Mosaics	Preston Dellinger	Comparative Religions	E220S
Guests	Joan Konkel & Cathy Dalton	Meet Messiah	Guest Desk

Maps to the Education Building can be found at the Guest Information Desk in the Lobby.

**GENESIS**-A verse by verse study on this book of beginnings.

**THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT** (Matthew 5-7) is the study series in Pastor Otte's UPPER ROOM Bible Class. Jesus' words offer a nice mix of faith-principles and practical applications to living the life of God's beloved in Christ. Come to the upstairs classroom for engaging conversation and dynamic teaching, which will challenge your life and help to grow your faith.

For those who want to listen to Pastor Otte's Sunday morning Bible class, you can subscribe to [messiahlutheranpodcast.com](http://messiahlutheranpodcast.com) using your favorite podcatcher app. Each Wednesday, the previous week's class will be available via email or other listening platforms online. Thank you to Phil Kasper who is directing and editing this production.



**ADULTS-Revelation**-This class is currently studying the New Testament book of Revelation.

**GMC**-Please join us as we do an in-depth study of Paul's Letter to the Romans.

**MOSAICS**-Messiah Mosaics is a class geared at anyone in their 30s or 40s, married or single. This is a discussion based class that examines how God's Word influences our daily walk with Christ. New study-A comparative discussion of other religious beliefs including Islam, Mormonism and various Protestant denominations with the foundation of Lutheran beliefs.

**MEET MESSIAH**-If you would like to know about Messiah, meet at the Guest Information Desk at 9:30am. A few of our members will take you on a tour of our campus and answer questions you may have about our church.

## Sunday School Opportunities

**Youth Sunday School Openings:** Grades 5-12 in Youth Room (E213S)

Class/Grade	Room	Teachers
3s, 4s, K	E133N	Michelle Nelson, Gilly Chrisman
First and Second Grade	E111S	Autumn Knoernschild and Jakob Yandell
Third and Fourth Grade	E113S	Chris Price and Larry Bush
Fifth-Eighth Grade	E214S	Michael Neumann
Ninth-Twelfth Grade	Youth Rm.	Elizabeth Ledford, Barb Coen and Jodi Sorenson



**SUNDAY NURSERY**-An attended nursery for infants until walking steadily is in the Education Building, E123N. Care for steady walkers through age 3 is in room E125N. Caregivers available from 8:00am - 12:15pm. A vibrating pager system allows parents to be called by the caregivers. **We also have a cry room located at the back of the Sanctuary.**

Messiah Lambs Early Childhood Center

Amy Myers, Director

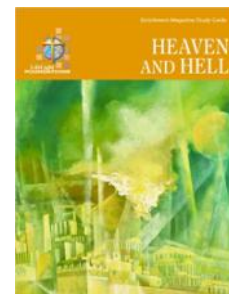
amyers@messiahlutheran.com/ 972-398-7560.

Messiah Lambs Early Childhood school is currently registering for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have a child who is 6 weeks through 5 years old and are interested in our school, please contact Amy Myers or Linda Roberge in the Lambs office at 972-398-7560 for more information and to schedule a tour of our program.



## Mid-Week Bible Study Opportunities

The Tuesday Women's Bible study and the Wednesday Men's Bible study will take a break in June, July, and August. The Tuesday study will resume on September 4th, and the Wednesday study on September 5th.



**WOMEN'S THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP~9:30-11am.** Our summer study is the Lighthouse Series study on Heaven and Hell. There is no cost for the study.

Ellen Thorne and Karrie Looney facilitate this series. To reserve your study, e-mail eet75002@yahoo.com. We meet in Room E247N on the 2nd floor, down the back hallway.

**Free baby-sitting** is offered with advanced notice to Amy Plenger, [aplenger@messiahlutheran.com](mailto:aplenger@messiahlutheran.com).



## Children & Youth News

Amy Plenger-972-398-7524 or aplenger@messiahlutheran.com  
Elizabeth Ledford-972-398-7509 or eledford@messiahlutheran.com

**Confirmation 2019** - We have the dates for Confirmation 2019! Please mark your calendars with these dates:

- \*Confirmation Camp - June 3-6
- \*Confirmation Rehearsal and Brunch - June 8
- \*Confirmation Sunday - June 9

**No MESH for the next three weeks** -Elizabeth will be in El Paso on Wednesday of this week. On August 8, we will take a break from MESH as we will have the planning party the next day. The following week, on August 15, Elizabeth will be on vacation. MESH will resume meeting on Wednesday, August 22!

**JAM** - 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to JAM, our weekly junior high Bible study! Come hang out in the couch room from 6:30 to 7:30 on Tuesday evening!

**5th Grade Scavenger Hunt** - Junior High Students starting out in the youth group will have an amazing opportunity on **August 7 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.** to experience a scavenger hunt around Messiah. We will meet in the couch room, have some prayer time, and then break out into small groups, looking for different areas where key youth ministry events and church events take place! There will be prizes for completing the hunt and it will be a great time to experience what JAM is like for your students. We hope to see you there!

**High School Back to School and Planning Party** - We will meet at the Brownlee's house on Thursday, August 9, to hang out and plan our events for the upcoming year! If you would like a say in what we do this year, I encourage you to be there. More details will be sent out asap!

### Acolyte Training



Pastor Welmer will offer make up training for those interested in acolyting **TODAY** following the late service in the Sanctuary. It should only take about 30 minutes. This is for youth entering the 5th grade in the Fall and not yet confirmed. If you have any questions about what is involved in this special ministry, please call the church office at 972-398-7500.

**Robert Brown**, saxophone and **Teresa Logue**, piano

will present a recital

**Saturday, August 4, at 6pm**

Messiah Lutheran Church Chapel

## Messiah Serves: Our Social Ministries and Outreach

Dawn Johnson - 972-948-8966 - dawnmj@fastmail.net



**Thank you for your support, it's a fun service project to be part of and your generosity makes it a successful service project each year!** Through your generosity we were able to donate bookbags, school supplies and a monetary donation of \$100 to the School Supply Project. If you still have school supplies

they can be dropped off at the Social Ministries and Outreach table located across from the bookstore. *If you have any questions about The School Supply Project or the supplies needed, please contact Dawn Johnson at 972-948-8966 or [dawnmj@fastmail.net](mailto:dawnmj@fastmail.net).*



The School Supply Project

*A Community Service*

The School Supply Project is committed to the belief that a positive self-image is essential to the learning experience of the well-educated child. To enhance the self-image, we will provide school supplies to the disadvantaged students in the Plano Independent School District. Through contributions of money and donations-in-kind from Resurrection Lutheran Church and other churches, the business community, school groups, and individuals, we will distribute these supplies to children identified as "in need" by social service agencies and school officials. <http://theschoolsupplyproject.org/index.html>

### **ONGOING COLLECTION PROJECTS**

Please note that all collection projects are located in the designated collection area next to the Family Room in the chapel building. Questions about any of our collection projects you can contact me at [dawnmj@fastmail.net](mailto:dawnmj@fastmail.net) or 972-948-8966. Details regarding our ongoing collections can be found at <http://www.messiahlutheran.com/ministries/adult/social-ministries-outreach/>

*If you would like more information about our Social Ministries & Outreach programs or Lutherans for Life and the opportunities we have to Share God's Light, I can be reached at (972) 948-8966, or [dawnmj@fastmail.net](mailto:dawnmj@fastmail.net).*



Dallas Lutheran School is looking for a school bus driver to help with occasional field trips and athletic events. Applicants need to have a school bus certified license. For more information contact Brad Krause at the school number, 214-349-8912.

# Pray for One Another This Week

Steve Chambers, that he may come to church and come to know Christ. (Samantha Chambers)

John Berquist, brother in Tennessee. (Lois Dusza)

James Hurst-Good results from leg bypass surgery on August 1<sup>st</sup>.

Laura Baumann, boss/ friend, she gets good feedback from oncologist and treatment plan is set. (Dianne Kiehne)

Carl Barber, father of Michael Barber, good health and well being.

Larry Leonard, Leslie Mensching's father, healing from his oral cancer.

Thanksgiving for safe return from Wilderness Camp in Colorado of granddaughter Faith Bollom. Thanks for protection from injury or illness. (Joyce Laux)

Lois Cassady, Mike's mom, that this process picks up and answers are quicker. She has a PET Scan on the 24<sup>th</sup>. (Kim Cassady)

Please Lord, may we have peace in the world and may rain come soon. Bless our police who keep us safe; may the meanness against them go away. (Dorothy Rigg)

Alaina Cavin, daughter, safe travels home as she travels alone for the first time. (Heather Oltmann)

Affordable healthcare for Texas public school employees. (Richard Edwards)

Health, happiness and comfort to those suffering in silence. (Liz Beetley)

Pray for the City of Dallas and the families of the Police Officers who have died. Pray for the families who lost loved ones in the duck boat accident, especially the woman who lost nine in her family. Give them all strength and comfort. (Jerry & Jane Baedke)

Natalie Smith, grandmother of Scott Smith, relief from back pain and healing from a crushed vertebrae in her lower back.

Grandson, Carl, safe trip home for a week in Utah. (Jan May)

David Buck, cousin, relieve pain and restore feeling in leg and foot. (Cathy Winkler)

Karen Parhizi family, dear Lord, help me make the best decisions for me in moving north. If indeed Iowa is my destination, please help my son, Alan, accept my choice. Please continue to heal me. Amen.

Michele Matz, daughter, healing from ankle surgery and infection that has developed. (Steve Matz)

Katie, Phil, Jackie & Lily, for the youngsters in our family, that they don't get discouraged. (Kathleen Reitzel)

College students returning to college, safety, health and strength for the new school year. (Jackie Luecke)

Don Walters, father of Darlene Kler who is in hospice. (Ken & Paula Kler)

Patricia Sweitzer, for relief of severe pain and for good results from an MRI this week. (John Sweitzer)

Amber Burwinkel, daughter-in-law, that all the testing she is undergoing is good and that the cancer is gone. (Kim Burwinkel)

Charlene, get well and good health. (Bob & Cindy Diffin)

Curtis M., long time close friend, and last surviving member of his family. His younger daughter, Mindy is seriously ill and in ICU. (Bob & Marilyn Schwarz)

**RECOVERY: For Healing-**Cindi Staal, John Rigg, Marla Johnson, Peggy Dornbusch, Tiffany Tobaben, Marvin Thornton, Lori Lessman, Dawson Pfister, John Gardner, Gerry Hughes, Bob Sands, Gary Mahaffey, Ken Gable, Jerry Ross, Michelle Duchow, and Dick Huechteman. Bob Florsheim-shoulder, Karen James-knee, Jim Tobaben-knee, Sandra Ward-back, Wayne Farrington-toe, Ellarea Poeck-foot, Bill Moyer-heart, Bonna Devine-back, Wayne Visalga-back, and Barb Coen-wrist.

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**SHUT-INS** Carol Avellanet, Andrew Brondos, Marian Collins, Sue Fackler, John Fey, Rosella Frank, Kathleen Haarberg, Freda Hafeman, Bob Hormann, Stu & Kris Johnson, Karen Krejci,

Jerry Krantz, Betty Ladishew, Tom & Jean McCutcheon, Ann Murphy, Jean Osburn, Tony Raines, Rich Tobaben, and Alma Zadow.



## Together in the Lord This Week

### TODAY

**Worship**  
**Bible Class/Sunday School**  
**Worship**

**8:30 AM**  
**9:45 AM**  
**11:00 AM**

Acolyte Training  
Visitation Team-Kalbfleisch  
Grace Community Church

12:00 PM  
1:00 PM  
3:00 PM

### THURSDAY

Women's Bible Class  
Open Gym

9:30 AM  
7:00 PM

### MONDAY

Boy Scouts

7:00 PM

### TUESDAY

JAM

6:30 PM

### WEDNESDAY

**Worship Service**  
MESH  
Praise Team

**7:00 PM**  
7:00 PM  
7:30 PM

### SATURDAY

Saxophone recital

6:00 PM

### NEXT SUNDAY

**Worship**  
**Bible Class/Sunday School**  
**Worship**

**8:30 AM**  
**9:45 AM**  
**11:00 AM**

Visitation Team-Konkel  
Grace Community Church  
JOYFUL Bible Study

1:00 PM  
3:00 PM  
4:00 PM

### SAVVY SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING



What you need to know to maximize retirement income. Strategies, ideal time to apply for Social Security, and more!

Please call 972-521-0011 or email [ridgemontassociates@thrivent.com](mailto:ridgemontassociates@thrivent.com) to reserve a place for yourself and a guest.

Tuesday, July 31, 6:30 PM, Landon Winery, 101 N Kentucky St., McKinney

Thursday, August 2, 7:00 PM Rejoice Lutheran Church, 12000 Independence Pkwy., Frisco



### AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS

We have 2 AED devices at our campus. The one device is in our Education Building near the Main Office next to the Doughnut Table.

The second device is in our Gymnasium Lobby between the two bathrooms. These two devices are available to help with medical emergencies.