



Bible Biz



Weekly in the Word Opportunities:

Sunday: Sunday School 8:45 AM
 Confirmation Class 8:45 AM
 Worship Service 10:00 AM
 BYG (Bible Youth Group) 6:00 PM
 (check calendar for BYG events)

Wednesday: KCJam 5:30-6:30 PM
 Wednesday: Fellowship & Prayer 6:00-6:45 PM

1st & 3rd Tuesdays 6 PM: Ebenezer Bible Study
 Contact Connie Bazemore (912)659-2188

Bible Lutheran Church Office Info

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 or by appointment

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NEWS & NOTES October 2, 2022

Altar Flowers

The flowers this week are given by Thomas & Ramona Kessler in memory of Rebecca Lynn Kessler.

Christmas Cantata Practice

Our Cantata Practice begins today! The year's Cantata is a very upbeat performance of "Repeat the Sounding Joy!" **Everyone is welcome** to come and make a loud noise for Jesus! Practices will take place after Sunday worship for one hour. Please find the dates listed below:

October 2nd, 16th, 23rd, 30th
 November 6th, 13th, 27th
 December 4th, 11th

Be sure to see Karen Hall for your book/CD if you would like to participate.

Wedding Shower for Emma Wheeler

Reminder there will be a Wedding Shower for Emma Wheeler Ratchford and John Ratchford this afternoon at 3:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall here at Bible Lutheran. All are invited.

A Light For Christ

In an effort to be a continued light in our community for Christ, we will be hosting a Trunk or Treat at Bible Lutheran on Monday, Oct. 31st, from 5-8 pm. How can you help? We need people willing to decorate their car trunks or truck beds. You can make it as simple as decorating your trunk and handing out candy or you can incorporate a simple game for the children to enjoy. We will also need volunteers to help with a few simple game activities. Our overarching theme this year is "Tell me the story of Jesus"! There are several options for you to choose from to decorate your trunk and represent one of the wonderful stories of Jesus. For example: Jonah and the Whale, Moses and the Ten Commandments, Noah's Ark, or any of your favorite Bible stories.

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A Light for Christ (cont'd)

A Google Doc link is shown below and will be emailed out to all members. Please complete the Google doc letting us know how you would like to participate. You can choose your own Bible story and decorations, or we can help give you information on how to order a decoration kit from Oriental Trading for easy decorating ideas. We will need to know your story choice by October 9th.

In order to make this a success, **we need a few things:**

- Trunks for treating (at least 6 cars, more would be great)
- Candy, candy and more candy!
- Donation of about 5 round bales of hay that can be returned when we are done
- Donations of different sizes of pumpkins

Items donated can be placed in designated boxes in the Fellowship Hall marked T or T.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call or text Karen Hall (912) 547-0353 or Leslie Dickerson (912) 663-2088. Lets Bless Our Community!

Google Doc link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdOupnincigYAHOWYWVRa-HX2iV0ibZ9OFEB4t5GthroIRC8w/viewform?usp=sf_link

GRITS News

- Many thanks to all who contributed to our Loaves & Fishes this past Monday. With the food and snacks provided (plus some leftovers from Sunday) we were able to fix over two-hundred twenty (220) meals for thirty families, plus snacks for our shut-ins. God is good!
- RAFFLE Time! GRITS annual fundraiser for Disaster Relief is now underway. Please see Connie Bazemore or Ramona Kessler for tickets (\$20 each). Money raised supports many causes throughout the year. Please support this ministry and have a chance to win - money (\$\$), a trip to St. Augustine, Redfin sunglasses, a gift certificate to Savannah Sweets, a message board from repurposed wood, and one of our ladies quilts! Drawing will be held at our Anniversary Dinner in November.

Nursery Assistants Needed

If you would be willing to assist in the Nursery on Sunday morning, please contact Marci Burnsed at (912) 547-5021.

Finding Your Servants Place

Willing, able, gifted servants of Jesus offer their service to Christ's Body, the church. On the back page of the Bible Biz each week is a list of the groups of Bible that meet for fellowship and service. If you aren't already part of a group, or if you are looking to be more involved, check out the Bible Connections and Helping Hands boxes. There are plenty of options for everyone! If you are even more adventurous, there are Committee and Council service opportunities available. To learn more about these, call Pastor Dave (912) 661-8735, or a Committee Chairperson.

BASH - Sandra White (912) 658-0071

Christian Ed.- Dawn Vorel (912) 507-1876

College Connection - Lauren Collum (912) 675-3572

Evangelism - Ken Thompson (912) 665-6850

Finance/Stewardship - Jimmy Helmlly (912) 657-3647

Property/Staff Support/Church Council - Harrold Wheeler, Jr, (912) 856-0800

Worship & Music - Connie Bazemore (912) 659-2188

Youth/Youth Planning - Amanda Rutland (912) 665-2206

Church Council Officers 2022:

President: Harrold Wheeler, Jr. (912)856-0800

Vice Pres.: Andy Dasher (912)663-4244

Secretary: Ann McDaniel

Candy Donations Needed

We need **lots** of candy donations! The Effingham County Fair Parade will be October 17th and we will also have the Trunk or Treat on October 31st. A candy donation tub is located in the Fellowship Hall. Please let us fill it over and over to be sure we are prepared.

Coming in October

Oct. 16, Habitat for Humanity Speaker: Jimmy Rutland. This kicks off our new Effingham Local Mission Project. You will be invited to participate over the coming months in a variety of ways. This is sponsored by our Evangelism Committee as part of our INTENTIONAL OUTREACH MINISTRY.

Oct. 16, the Baptism of Brooklyn Byrd during Sunday Service. (Lisa Byrd, proud grandmother. Child of Ian and Jade Byrd, out-of-state members).

Oct. 17, Effingham County Fair Parade. Bible Lutheran also uses the Fair for INTENTIONAL OUTREACH MINISTRY. A float is built and then congregational members walk in the parade handing out candy and Bible activity books. Christian Education also places a booth in the fair with a religious theme. To make this a successful event, we will be collecting candy (deposit in fellowship hall) and other items for the float that will be advertised in the next few weeks.

Oct. 22, Habitat Wall Raising Event in Guyton. Come be a part of this amazing effort! More information will be given at a later date.

Oct. 25, Thrivent Charitable Giving Dinner. Thrivent Representative Michele Schumann will host a free dinner and give a short seminar on how to maximize your charitable giving for our local agencies in your will planning. Call her to reserve your seat: (912) 429-9646.

Oct. 30, Effingham County Reformation Celebration. A 505th Celebration of the Protestant Reformation is sponsored by the congregation of Holy Trinity on Sunday, October 30, 2022, beginning with worship at 5:00 PM. The preacher for this special service is the Rev. Bob LeFavi, Ph.D., D.Min., and Pastor Emeritus of Bethel Lutheran Church (LCMC).

Oct. 31, Trunk or Treat at Bible Lutheran Church. This year's overarching theme is "Tell me the story of Jesus". Won't you decorate your trunk (or truck) and come be a Light for Christ?



Danny & Becca DeLoach

With their children -
Wesley, Anna and Joshua
(pictured left to right)

Danny and Becca are members of Wycliffe Bible Translators. They served in Papua New Guinea for over 20 years as Scripture Engagement specialists, training church leaders on how to use translated Scriptures in ministry, developing literacy skills for people to read Scripture in their own language, and putting Scripture in oral forms to make it broadly accessible. In 2016, Danny completed a PhD program in which he developed new ways to engage with Papua New Guinean church leaders to encourage greater use of vernacular Scriptures in the Papua New Guinea church.

The DeLoach family now live in North Carolina where Danny serves as a Senior Field Coordinator, responsible to work with global ministry partners and with Papua New Guinean church leaders to accelerate the pace of Bible translation in Papua New Guinea.

How to bless the DeLoach family and keep the vital work of Bible translation moving forward.

Love gifts may be submitted by mail or online

Mail to: Wycliffe Bible Translators
P.O. Box 628200
Orlando, FL 32862-8200

Make the check out to Wycliffe Bible Translators and include a note with it, or on the memo line:
"For the Wycliffe ministry of Danny and Becca DeLoach"

OR, give online at: wycliffe.org/partner/deloach

For Personal Correspondence

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6915-A Cinder Run
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Email: deloachpng@gmail.com

Website: www.deloach.info

October 2-15, 2022

Joke of the Week: A poor country pastor was livid when he saw a receipt for a \$250 dress his wife had purchased. "How could you do this?" he exclaimed. "I don't know", she wailed, "I was standing in the store looking at the dress. Then I found myself trying it on. It was like the Devil was whispering to me, "Gee, you look great in that dress. You should buy it.".

"Well, you know how to deal with him", the pastor said, "Just tell him - 'Get behind me, Satan!'".

"I did", replied his wife, "but then he said 'It looks great from back here, too!'".

Sun. 10/2	8:45 AM Sunday School 10 AM Worship Service Cantata Practice after Worship Service 3 PM Ratchford Bridal Shower at BLC 6 PM BYG (Bible Youth Group) Meets	Sun. 10/9	8:45 AM Sunday School 10 AM Worship Service Evangelism Meets after Worship Service
Mon. 10/3		Mon 10/10	6:30 PM Church Council Meets
Tues. 10/4	10 AM Quilting Group Meets	Tues10/11	
Wed. 10/5	5:30 PM KC-JAM Practice & Activities 6 PM Wednesday Fellowship & Prayer 7 PM Adult Choir Practice	Wed.10/12	5:30 PM KC-JAM Practice & Activities 6 PM Wednesday Fellowship & Prayer 7 PM Adult Choir Practice
Thurs. 10/6	6:00 PM Worship & Music Committee Meets 6:30 PM Property Committee Meets	Thur.10/13	
Fri. 10/7		Fri. 10/14	
Sat. 10/8		Sat. 10/15	



LOOKING AHEAD:

10/16/22 Baptismal Service/Habitat for Humanity Speaker
10/17/22 Effingham County Fair Parade
10/22/22 Habitat Wall Raising
10/30/22 Effingham Reformation Celebration

10/31/22 Trunk or Treat
11/6/22 Baptismal Service
11/13/22 BLC Anniversary Dinner
12/18/22 Christmas Cantata

SUNDAY SERVANTS		Oct. 2nd	Oct. 9th	Oct. 16th	Oct. 23rd
	Acolyte/Crucifer	Clara Vorel	Brooks Burnsed	Grant Rutland	Dylan Blaser
	Altar Care	Charlene Morgan	Andy Dasher		Charlene Morgan
	Announcer	Beth Helmly	Beth Helmly	Beth Helmly	Beth Helmly
	Children's Moment	Katie Whitten	Katie Whitten	Katie Whitten	Katie Whitten
	Council Servant	Ben Williams	Ben Williams	Ben Williams	Ben Williams
	Communion Asst.	Charlene Morgan	Andy Dasher		Charlene Morgan
	Altar Flowers	Thomas & Ramona Kessler		Jeff & Lisa Byrd	Connie & Earl Bazemore
	Head Usher	Ron Morgan	Travis Bazemore	David Osteen	Ron Morgan
	Lesson Reader	Andy Dasher	Travis Bazemore	Melissa Osteen	Beth Helmly
	Livestream	Worship & Music	Worship & Music	Worship & Music	Worship & Music
	Musician-Comm.	Karen Warnell	Karen Hall	Karen Hall	Karen Hall
	Musician-Service	Karen Warnell	Karen Hall	Karen Hall	Karen Hall
	Nursery Assist.	Carrie N./Dawn V.	Amanda/Ramona	Marci B./Brooks B.	Katie W./Beth H.
	SS Opening	Karen Williams	Karen Williams	Karen Williams	Karen Williams
Yellow Ribbon Hst	Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelism	
ATTENDANCE 9/25 SS: 44 WORSHIP: 90 LIVESTREAM: 9					

BIBLE CONNECTIONS

Interested in being part of a service group or Bible Study? Here's a list of contacts for you.

- * Adult Choir
Karen Hall (912) 547-0353
- * College Connection
Lauren Collum (912) 675-3572
- * Ebenezer Bible Study
Connie Bazemore (912) 659-2188
- * GRITS (Gals Rich in the Spirit)
Beth Helmly (912) 657-3539
- * KC Jam (Children's Choir)
Karen Hall (912) 547-0353
- * MOB (Men of Bible)
Ron Morgan (912) 547-1717
- * Quilter's Group
Connie Bazemore (912) 659-2188
- * Wednesday Fellowship & Prayer
Church Office (912) 826-2710
- * Youth (BYG)/Youth Planning
Amanda Rutland (912) 665-2206

Helping Hands - Always Needed



Adult Choir is looking for singers for the choir and the Christmas Cantata. You don't have to be Pavarotti, just want to praise God with song.

The Quilter's Group is doing some wonderful work - if you have free time on Tuesday morning to work with a small group of fantastic people, contact Connie Bazemore. (You don't need to know how to sew to help)

Volunteers are needed to help in the Nursery on Sunday mornings. If you are able to help, please contact Marci Burnsed (912)547-5021.

Trunk or Treat volunteers are needed to help with game activities. Also, we need some trunks (or trucks) for the event. Contact Leslie Dickerson (912)663-2088 or Karen Hall (912) 547-0353