

ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 3, 2017

STUDENTS...

Welcome to Memorial Lutheran Church!! Memorial exists for students like you. Our building is open from 8:30 AM to 11 PM, Sunday through Friday, and from 10 AM to 7 PM on Saturday. You are welcome to find your own study space. Coffee, tea, and sometimes snacks are available in the kitchenette (next to the Student Center). We also have free Wi-Fi.

Student Fellowship will meet on Wednesdays at 8:30 PM in the Student Center. Join us this Wednesday for Christian songs, devotion, prayers, and a snack.

Join us next Sunday September 10 for our first free breakfast pizza from 10:30-11 on the east side of Fellowship Hall before the 11 AM service.

Fermenting the Faith for young adults and graduates students will meet at Olde Main at 8:00 PM on Tuesday, September 5.

TODAY...

In our prayers: We pray for the victims of Hurricane Harvey.

Today is "Mite Box Sunday". Please put your contribution in a plain envelope labeled "mites" and take it to the church office. Make your checks out to *Women of Memorial* as they have their own account.

UPCOMING...

The church and office will be closed tomorrow for Labor Day.

Confirmation instruction begins on this Wednesday, September 6 at. The 8th grade will meet in east Fellowship Hall with Pastor Mark, the 7th grade in the Cardinal Room with Pastor Dave, and the 6th grade with Elaina Soulek in Room 2.

"F.I.S.H." (Friday International Student Hospitality) is a meal prepared by internationals and shared by people from other countries along with concerned Christians. Our first FISH dinner of the semester will be Friday, September 6. The food is being prepared by the Beta Sigma Psi fraternity and John Anderson.

Teachers are needed for Sunday School which begins September 10. If you are interested in helping, contact Jeff and Denise Balvanz at 232-0261. Teachers will meet on Tuesday, September 5 at 7 PM in the Cardinal Room.

If your child will be new to Sunday School at Memorial in the fall, please contact the church office so we can be sure to get them on the list. We want to make sure we have enough materials for everyone. Children who are 3 years old by September 1 and potty-trained are eligible for the Pre-School class.

Sunday School will begin next Sunday September 10 with our Rally Day service. We will be asking parents of Sunday School children to bless their children. Parents are also asked to take their children to their classrooms to meet their teachers. There will be no music time until the

18th. During class on the 10th a Bible story book will be given to new preschoolers, a Bible storybook to Kindergartners, a Bible to 3rd graders, and a catechism to 6th graders.

LWML Fall Rally will be September 16 beginning at 8:30 AM. The In gathering will be men's socks. If you are interested in going, contact Sally Hartman at 233-2279.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE, STUDY, AND CONNECT...

An option for worship—beginning next Sunday, September 10 we will resume our special worship service at 10 AM in the MLC Student Center. Parents can attend while their children are in Sunday School and the service will be simplified for internationals who may be attending.

If you would like to be a secret prayer pal to a confirmation student this fall please contact Jan Anderson.

Note these times for our music groups. Rehearsals are in the organ loft. Join us.

Bells and Chimes II - rehearses Tuesday at 6 PM. Director, John Anderson

Memorial Bells - rehearses Tuesday at 7 PM. Director, Mary Peterson

Memorial Choir - rehearses Wednesday at 7 PM. Director, Jackson Daubitz

Memorial Brass - rehearses Thursday at 8:15 PM. Director, Alec Garringer

International Student Ministry:

Serving as a conversation partner—Do you have an hour during the week to help an international practice their English? You will receive guidance to get started including ideas for topics or activities.

Teachers are needed for the fall semester: Call Judy if you have an hour to spare.

10 AM Monday - Advanced Level

2 PM Tuesday - Conversational activities

10 AM Friday - Mom's Group