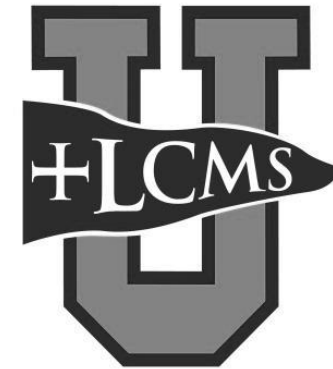


Calendar for January 22 – February 4, 2017

Sunday January 22	Bible Class Morning Worship Lunch/LWML Service Project International Bible Study/Fellowship <i>(Come at 5pm for food & fellowship)</i> Evening Worship with Communion	9:15 am 10:30 am 11:45 am 5:30 pm 7:00 pm
Monday January 23	Evening Bible Class	7:00 pm
Tuesday January 24		
Wednesday January 25	Choir Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Thursday January 26	LCMS-U Bible Study	7:00 pm
Friday January 27	Men's Bible Study/Breakfast <i>(Held at the Downtowner Restaurant)</i>	6:00 am
Saturday January 28		
Sunday January 29 <i>Guest Preacher Rev. Dan May</i>	Bible Class Morning Worship with Communion Endowment Presentation Name Tag Sunday Reception International Bible Study/Fellowship <i>(Come at 5pm for food & fellowship)</i> Evening Worship	9:15 am 10:30 am 10:30 am 11:45 am 5:30 pm 7:00 pm
Monday January 30	Evening Bible Class	7:00 pm
Tuesday January 31		
Wednesday February 1	Choir Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Thursday February 2	LCMS-U Bible Study	7:00 pm
Friday February 3	Men's Bible Study/Breakfast <i>(Held at the Downtowner Restaurant)</i>	6:00 am
Saturday February 4		

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Announcements

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Church Office Hours:

Monday-Friday, 12:00-4:00pm

Free Lunch/Service Project: Stay after worship on January 22 for a free lunch, provided by the LWML. We will also be working on a service project and would appreciate your assistance. Everyone is welcome!

Endowment Presentation: Indiana District President Rev. Daniel May and Pastor Philip Krupski, Director of Gift Planning and Development, will be with us on January 29. They will be making a presentation during the 10:30am service of a special endowment gift to the church, and President May will preach that day. We hope you will join us for this occasion.

Name Tag/Social Sunday: Please join us for our Name Tag/Social Sunday on January 29. We will distribute name tags at worship on the fourth Sunday of each month to help people get acquainted. Then everyone is invited to stay after worship for a reception with refreshments and socializing in the church library at the end of the main hall. We hope you can make it!

2016 Contribution Statements: 2016 contribution summary statements are now available. Pick yours up on the table at the back of the church. If you notice any discrepancies on your statement, please contact the church office or let Financial Secretaries Katherine Krupski and Sara Wendte know.

Offering Envelopes: You may pick up offering envelopes for 2017 any time on the table at the back of the church. Just write down your name and indicate which box number you took.

Missing Tool Box: A tool box that had been stored in the supply closet downstairs for years is missing. If you moved the tool box or have any idea what might have happened to it, please contact the church office. Thank you!

LCMS U Winter Weekend at IU: Mark your calendar for the LCMS U Winter Weekend at University Lutheran Church and Student Center in Bloomington, Indiana. The event will take place February 10-11, and the theme is "Faith in the Halls of Power: How a 21st Century Christian Should Think about the Public Square" with guest speaker Timothy Goeglein, deputy director of the White House Office of Public Liaison from 2001-2008, current vice-president for External Relations at Focus on the Family in Washington, D.C., and recent plenary speaker at the LCMS National Campus Ministry Conference. Cost is \$15 per person. Register online at indianalutheran.com, or on the sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the hallway.

Van Schedule

University Lutheran provides a free van service for students who may need a ride to or from Sunday worship or Thursday LCMS-U. The van is tan and clearly marked with University Lutheran Church. After worship, there is time for you to get some refreshments and visit with others before the van leaves.

	10:30 AM	7:00 PM
	Worship	Worship/Thurs. LCMS-U
Back of Cary (Cary Quad)	10:05	6:35
Stadium & Jischke (Own, Trk, Wly Co-Rec)	10:07	6:37
	10:09	6:39
Jischke at Meredith (Mer, Wnd)	10:11	6:41
1 st St. at Earhart (Ear, Harr)	10:13	6:43
MacArthur & 3 rd St. (Shr, Hil)	10:15	6:45
Purdue West (Mct, Purdue V.)	10:17	6:47
Arrive at ULU	10:25	6:55

Special Prayers: Feel free to add to this list by emailing the church, or by letting Pastor know.

- For those serving in the military, including Rusty Becker, Joe Garn, Eric Vahle, Anne Radavich, Bryan Smith, Joshua Elmshaeuser, Ryan Guard, Curtis, R.J. Weldon, Lance Noel, Jessica Franklin, David Valentino, Tom Mussmann, Ben Meredith, Andy, Joe Evelo, Ci Zhang, and Ronnie LaMar
- For wisdom in planning the future ministry of University Lutheran Church
- For those who suffer for the sake of Christ worldwide
- For all pregnant women and for their children
- For people battling cancer, including Skyla, Mike Decker, Sidney Paul, Tracey Smith, Ronnie Eversole, and Alberta Lapham
- For friends and family members who do not know Jesus
- Thanks that Mr. Montes has been able to return to McCutcheon High School after his accident, and prayers for his continued recovery
- For Helen Radavich, Fred and Blanche Heintz, and others who are not able to come to worship
- For Amanda Hassman's father, recovering from heart surgery
- For the family and friends of Doris Dilden and Dr. Sue Karcher, who passed away recently
- For people traveling, including Dr. Stan Gelvin and Dr. Lan-Ying Lee as they go to Japan for a three month research project
- For Dr. Gelvin's father, who was recently moved to assisted living

Bible Study Opportunities: The following Bible studies are meeting throughout the week. New people are always welcome!



Sunday Morning Bible Class – 9:15am

Study and discuss Scripture with others before Sunday morning worship in this class, led by Pastor Herman.

Monday Evening Bible Study – 7:00pm

Look in depth at the Smalcald Articles in this class, led by Pastor Barton.

LCMS U – Thursdays, 7:00pm

Come meet other students and study God’s Word at the LCMS U led by Pastor Herman, featuring an open discussion and an opportunity to hear what God’s Word says about issues in our world today.

Men’s Breakfast/Bible Class – Fridays, 6:00am

Join us for a Men’s Breakfast/Bible Class at the Downtowner Restaurant located in the Market Square Shopping Center in Lafayette. For more information, contact Tom Schultz at Thomasa.schultz1@gmail.com.

English Classes/Bible Studies for Internationals: The following classes are geared toward internationals, but all are welcome.

Dinner and International Bible Study – Sundays, 5:00pm

Pastor Herman leads a Bible study following a free meal. Currently we are reading about different biblical heroes of the Christian faith.



English Conversation Class – *This class is currently on hiatus and will not meet again until sometime this spring.*

This class is for students, visiting scholars, and spouses, and covers word pronunciation, idioms, and American holidays. Contact Karen Mullen at karenjmullen@gmail.com for more information.

English Conversation/Current Events

This class meets for one hour to read current news and information items, and discuss meanings of words and cultural differences. If you are interested in attending, contact Yogi Yergler at purdueyy@gmail.com for details.

Officers for 2017 Church Council: Please pray for our 2017 Church Council officers, who will be installed on January 22:

- President: Ethan Ernst
- Vice President: Ben Scholer
- Secretary: Ruth Mussmann
- Treasurer: Derek Schwanz
- Assistant Treasurer: Grace Whitham
- Financial Secretary (2): Sara Wendte; Katherine Krupski
- Chairman of Deacons: Joe Evelo
- Chairman of Stewardship: Sydney Shelton
- Chairman of Christian Education: Kristin Noller
- Chairman of Evangelism: Emily Nadler
- Chairman of Social Ministry: Joe Evelo
- Chairman of Social Activities: Chris Oyer
- Chairman of Trustees: Aaron Korff

Choir/Music Ministry: All singers are invited to join our church choir, which has rehearsals on Wednesdays at 6pm. We are also looking for more singers and instrumentalists to assist with music for upcoming worship services. For more information, contact Choir Director Benjamin Nold.

LWML Meeting: LWML will have its first meeting of the semester on Wednesday, Feb. 8, 7pm in the church library. We will be planning events and projects for this year, and all women are encouraged to attend.

Lutheran Basics Class: Have you ever wanted to learn more about what the Lutheran Church teaches and believes? Pastor Herman would love to meet with you. Contact him at pastorherman@icloud.com for more information or if you might be interested in attending a Lutheran Basics class this semester.

GroupMe Text Updates: Would you like to receive text updates about events at the church? Be sure to download the GroupMe app (available for iOS, Android, and Windows phones)! Then email your phone number to the church office at ulutheranchurch@gmail.com or sign up online at <https://goo.gl/forms/LyLTc5kpcQ02e5Gt1>, and we will add you to the group.

Van Drivers Needed: If you might be interested in driving the church van to pick up students for Sunday worship or Thursday LCMS-U, contact Ruth Mussmann at rpmuss@gmail.com.

Altar Guild Volunteers Needed: We are looking for a few people who might be willing to serve on the Altar Guild and assist with setting up communion for worship on Sundays. If you are interested in helping, contact Jean Bristol at jeanandmike@virtualbristol.net.

Pocket Change Sunday – January 29: The LWML is sponsoring monthly Pocket Change Sundays, encouraging people to bring in coins to donate for mission projects. Please plan to bring in your spare change on January 29 for our next collection. We also thank everyone who has already given change in previous weeks. We appreciate your generosity!

Water Bottle Collection: We are still collecting 16.9 fl. oz. water bottles for Food Finders Food Bank. The bottles are used to distribute laundry soap, and Food Finders currently uses about 2,100 bottles per month. Please deposit the bottles, uncrushed with the lid, in our collection container downstairs.

Soles4Souls Shoe Collection: We are continuing to collect all kinds of shoes for needy people around the world. Please donate your gently used or new shoes in the box downstairs to help this worthwhile cause.



500th Anniversary Reformation Events: The Lutheran Church will celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation in October 2017. St. James Lutheran, Lafayette, is organizing a year-long celebration and inviting all area LCMS churches to participate. Possible events include a Reformation celebration dinner, a book club, Martin Luther study, films and activities that will share information about Martin Luther, and a community-wide celebration on October 29, 2017. If you might be interested in joining a committee to help plan the celebration, contact Barbara Francis at 463-7375 or bpfr58@frontier.com.

Mission Trip to Haiti: Spencer Owen, a senior in the DCE program at Concordia University, Nebraska is organizing a mission trip to Haiti for college-aged students in May. The week-long short term mission trip includes teaching ESL classes, holding Vacation Bible School, helping with children in an orphanage, visiting the elderly, helping with a feeding program in one of the poorest villages in the world, and rebuilding a home that was destroyed in Hurricane Matthew. For more information, see the flyer posted on the bulletin board in the hallway or contact Spencer Owen at spencer.owen@cune.org or 712-790-4665.

Issues, Etc. Radio Show: *Issues, Etc.* is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: Martin Luther's Last Year, The 95 Theses, Lutheran Higher Education, The Conversion of Paul, Companions of Paul: Timothy & Titus, Late 4th Century/Early 5th Century Bishop John Chrysostom and more. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.



Lutheran Hour Broadcast: To the world Jesus seemed to be a loser. He suffered what all would consider defeat in order to win a new life for you. Is that how you view Jesus? In next week's broadcast of *The Lutheran Hour* Pastor Gregory Seltz speaks on the topic "The Word of the Cross, The Power of Life" to help us understand what Jesus has really done for us. *The Lutheran Hour* is heard every Sunday in our listening area at 7am (720 AM); 7:30am (97.3 FM); 9:04am (107.7 FM); and 10am (97.3 FM).



Lutheran Radio Station: KFUF is the longest continually operating Christian radio station in the United States. Owned and operated by the LCMS, KFUF offers an array of audio resources from worship services to inspirational music to in-depth study of God's Word through programs including "The Bible Study," "Ask the Pastor," "Studio A," and "Law & Gospel." KFUF also offers syndicated short-form programs like Dr. Paul Devantier's "By The Way," Dr. Mary Manz-Simon's "Front Porch Parenting," and Concordia Seminary President Dr. Dale Meyer's "The Meyer Minute." Visit kfuf.org to learn more or listen live.

Thank you to those who serve!

Sunday, January 22

Preacher: Pastor Justin Herman
Organist (10:30am): Carol Ghiselli
Organist (7:00pm): Jeff Goodspeed

Sunday, January 29

Preacher (10:30am): Rev. Daniel May
Preacher (7:00pm): Pastor Justin Herman
Organist (10:30am): Carol Ghiselli
Organist (7:00pm): Benjamin Nold