



# Announcements

This Week of May 19—May 26 at Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church

[Church Office Hours are 9:00—2:00, *weekdays only*]

Church Office and Pastoral Emergencies: 412 563-0300

Website: [www.mtlebanonlutheran.org](http://www.mtlebanonlutheran.org)



Today **Pentecost/ Confirmation Sunday/ New Choir Robe Dedication**

8:30 Festive Sanctuary Worship  
8:30 Virtual Worship Live Stream on Face book  
9:30 Coffee Fellowship in Foyer  
10:00 Festive Sanctuary Worship  
10:00 Sunday School  
10:00 Confirmation  
11:00 Confirmation Reception-All Are Welcome  
2:00 Daily Bread Meal  
4:00 Youth Group Meeting

Monday 10:00 <sup>am</sup> Pentecost Flowers Planting—All Are Welcome

7:00 Study Group-Pentecost

Thursday 10:00 Study Group

Next Sunday The Holy Trinity/ Confirmation Sunday

**The Reverend Elizabeth A. Eaton**

Presiding Bishop, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

**The Reverend Kurt F. Kusserow**

Bishop, Southwestern Pennsylvania Synod

Congregational Staff:

**The Reverend Douglas M. Heagy**

Senior Pastor

**Dr. Christopher Keenan, DMA**

Director of Music and Organist

**Mr. Larry Allen**

Director of Music and Organist Emeritus

**Mrs. Kris Malia**

Parish Secretary



***The Liturgy may be viewed on our Facebook page and YouTube Channel—***

Please contact the church office during weekly office hours for information.



**Confirmation Sunday**

**Today 10:00 am**

Immediately Followed by  
a Reception in the Foyer  
All are Welcome



*Day of Pentecost*

**New Choir Robe  
Dedication Today  
At Both Liturgies**

A SPECIAL WELCOME to all who are visiting with us. Please take a moment to receive our Visitor Folder which includes information about Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church. If you are visiting and wish to join our church family please call us or send us an email, and introduce yourself to the Pastor. *We look forward to welcoming you back soon.*

USHERS can assist you with during Sanctuary Worship. Restroom facilities for the physically challenged are located just north of the Narthex.

NURSERY CARE is available during both the early and late church services. Children are always welcome in worship.

**The nursery has been temporarily relocated to the ground level of the Education Wing.**

## DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

During the distribution of communion we ask the congregation to social distance down the middle aisle to receive the Eucharist, and dispose of your portion cups in the receptacles located on either side of each section of pews as you return to your seats. Thank you. Gluten free hosts are available

**Sunday Morning Fellowship** today between both Worship Liturgies in the Foyer.

**Confirmation Reception today—11:00 am**

in the Foyer, or Front Lawn (weather permitting) to honor the Confirmands. All Are Welcome.



**NEXT SUNDAY  
The Holy Trinity  
Confirmation Sunday**

Isaiah 6:1-8

Psalms 29

Romans 8:12-17

John 3:1-17

## WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Craig Elias; Andy Kelemen; Linda Larkin; Jennifer Meyer;  
Marlott Schocker

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** are given to the Greater Glory of God by The Lutz Family in loving memory of Debbie's father, George Moberg; To God's greater glory by the Trivilino family in honor of Hannah's birthday.

<b>Sunday, May 19</b>	<b>Crucifer</b>	<b>Lector</b>
8:30	Henry Keplar	Tom Dougherty
10:00	Luke Frankovitch	Tim Honkala



## Congratulation to Our 2024 Confirmands

Max Bruno  
Mackenna Cercone  
Finn Darcy  
Quin O'Brien  
Sam Wetzel

### Stewardship Snippet

**May 19, 2024 (Pentecost Sunday)**

**Psalm 104:24, 25** – O LORD, how manifold are your works! ... The earth is full of your creatures. Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great.

*We sometimes forget that animals, fish, birds, insects and reptiles are also creations of God that need to live. As stewards of creation, we honor all living things and work to ensure that they, like us, have safe, clean, abundant habitat.*

### Spring Bible Study & Study Group

**Monday Night Bible Study** 7:00 pm-8:30 pm  
Festival Days In The Month Of May—Bible Study and discussion related to Pentecost & the Holy Trinity.

**Thursday Morning Study Group** 10:00 am-11:15 am  
Discussions around the book: *Ark Encounter: The Making of a Creationist Theme Park* by James S. Bielo.

### **A Note from the Treasurer:**

For many members, the e-offering platform has been a useful tool and we thank you for using it. This is a reminder that if you use your bank account directly, the fee is 30 cents. If you use a credit card, the fee is 3.25%. Please use the bank account direct debit if at all possible.



I would like you to consider participating in our online giving designed to simplify weekly giving in our congregation.

Electronic giving will enable every household or individual to make their church offering using electronic funds transfer or credit card. You may already be using online bill pay for your mortgage, car payment, or insurance premium through an automatic withdrawal from your checking or savings account. Many of you also have used your credit cards to purchase goods online through Amazon, eBay, or a number of other sites.

We have teamed up with myEoffering to enable you to use the same process to give your offering electronically from your bank account, credit or debit cards.

There is no cost to you for this new giving option. If you are currently giving on a weekly basis, you will no longer need to write out 52 checks a year or prepare 52 envelopes. And when travel, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, this program will allow your weekly offerings to continue uninterrupted.

You can participate in the electronic giving program immediately, just visit our church website and look for the "Donate Now" button.

Thank you for considering this new giving opportunity.

Save the Date: **Vacation Bible School**  
**Camp Firelight** July 15-19 9am-noon  
Volunteers Needed!



Camp Firelight Details! July 15-19, 20-24

Stop by the Camp Firelight VBS table in the Narthex during the month of May to find out more information about the week's events and activities. Sign up to be a volunteer. Pick up a supply donation list. Do you have camping gear? Can we borrow it for the week July 15-19? We have decorating, crafting and snack needs. See you at the camp table!

### VBS Volunteer Meetings:

Sunday, June 2—11:15 am  
Monday, June 3—7:00 pm

### **Daily Bread Ministries Meal—Today- May 19**

This menu will be fried chicken, macaroni & cheese, vegetable and a dessert. We are accepting monetary donations for the ingredients to make this meal. Thank you for all of your support in this much needed ministry.

Youth Group Meeting—TODAY- May 19th from 4-6 pm. We will be making pet toys for furry friends in our area. Please reach out to Julia Nelson for more information at: jmnelson26@comcast.net

Class of 2024—Parents—please submit the names of the Spring graduates for the June Voice to the Church office. Include the graduates name, and future plans so that we may share your joy with our congregational family. Our prayers and best wishes are extended to all of our graduates!!

### **The Pentecost Flowers Planting - Come Join Us...**

Tomorrow—Monday, May 20 at 10:00 am—we will be planting the Pentecost flowers in the beds in front of our building to beautify the grounds and to signify the Spirit's work in our midst and in our community. All are welcome.

Thanks to all who came out to Global Links. Our next event will be on Wednesday, June 5 at 1-3:00 pm. Look for the sign up sheet in the Narthex.

*Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.*



Acts 2:3-4