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The Linwood Lindy



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“Summertime Variety and Continuity”

I don't know why I am surprised anymore, but it just seems like the summer has gone way too fast! Among other things, this summer has included the pastor's presence as a counselor and leading music at Church Camp, the attendance of 27 of the church's members at three "Symphony on the Prairie" programs, a Pop-up-Pantry one Saturday, weekly hymn-sing-alongs before worship, and a box of 4 kittens dropped off at the church door. (They still need permanent homes if anyone is interested...) In the meantime, service at the Food Pantry and Rummage Room continues like clockwork. We have seen record numbers of people at the Food Pantry in particular averaging over 100 families/patrons weekly and nearly 120 on one Wednesday!

Now as September draws near we begin to turn our attention to fall activities. Please note these two special dates coming up:

- **Back-to-Church Sunday – September 8th**
- **Installation Service of Frank Everett as Minister in worship on September 29**
(includes lunch after the service)

So much to be grateful for, so much to look forward to in our life together at Linwood Christian Church.

Pastor Frank

Special Events Coming Up

****September 7** **Choir Work Day** **10-2p Date Change****
Wear comfortable clothes and enjoy running through the hymns for the coming year

September 8 **Heritage Sunday**
Congratulate our “new” 50-Year Members and join us after the service for a pitch-in Luncheon. Meat, drinks, and table service will be provided. If you have a favorite salad, side dish, or dessert to share, bring it along with the rest of your family and friends.

****September 12** **Bells/Choir Rehearsals 6:30/7:30p Date Change****
September 28 **POP-UP PANTRY** **10-noon**
Neighborhood Food Pantry in the Linwood Parking Lot. Open to all.

September 29 **Installation of Rev. Frank Everett**
Official welcome of Pastor Frank as our new Senior Minister. Dinner will be served after the service.

Thoughts & Prayers



Health Issues:

Martha Etheridge, Marilyn Henegen, Doretta Terry, Sharon Williams, Mark Johnson, Deeann List, John Wiggins, Larry Kerr

Prayers have been asked for:

Jerry & Sue Meyers, Brian Slowinski, Aaron Cepeda, Ariel Horne, Toby Parson, Jenn Streyckman, Donna Bray, Dee Miller, Jim Graham, Tom May, Andy Wysong, Jessica Moore, Roger Schumaker, Jimmy DeBord, Margie Wilson, Jessie Patton, Sheila Patton, Larry Nigh, Beth Purkerson, Lorrain Smith, Tiffany Tuttle, Janie Ball, Art Gale, Tia Winters, Jake Marshall, Timothy Rogers, Candy Brown Wiley, Becky Spudic, Bonnie White

We join with God's loving concerns for those facing life's difficult times:

Kennedy Rogers, Janet Lawrence, Deb Sullivan, Michael Buchanan, Bob Spudic, Ed Urban and family, Pastor Rick Harting and Eastgate Christian Church

We offer prayers of Condolences to the family and friends of: Martha Etheridge's daughter, Yvonne Herring, who passed away on June 26th.

Special Prayers for: Levi Truitt, now learning to JUMP!

Prayers of Joy are offered for: Sheila Patton who is now out of ICU!; Deeann will not need surgery; Larry is doing well with an adjustment to medicine



The Book Nook

We're in the dog days of Summer, why not take on the massive volume of material by **C. S. Lewis** in our library?

The Complete C. S. Lewis Signature Classics is a single book that contains 7 volumes of his writings:

Mere Christianity teaches that we can argue that God exists by the very fact that all humans believe that there is a standard of morality in the universe.

The Screwtape Letters. Screwtape instructs Wormwood to make a list of all the young women in the Patient's neighborhood that would prove to be bad marriage matches for the Patient.

The Great Divorce poses the question, will the people in Hell remain in Hell for all eternity, or one day, will God free them and bring them to Heaven?

The Problem of Pain offers profound insights into the nature of pain and the role it plays in the Christian worldview.

Miracles argues for the existence of the supernatural and, by extension, the plausibility of miracles.

A Grief Observed offers a powerful exploration of grief and the human experience.

The Abolition of Man discusses a hypothetical innovator who seeks a rationalistic basis for the belief that it is good to die for one's country.

Joan Woodruff
Church Librarian

Adult Sunday School Class



Ed Urban continues to lead the class on a journey through the book of **Psalms**, adding insight and commentary as we go.

We meet for 30 minutes on Sunday mornings at 9:25 in the library. Stop by the parlor and bring your coffee and snack along to class.

From the Pews:

Attendance is up!

Slowly, but surely, our attendance is growing. Some new faces and some we haven't seen all summer. Come and join us in song and worship. Pastor Frank always provides food for thought!

Schedule changes for choirs!!

Please note that due to circumstances beyond Beth's control, the Choir Work Day has to be moved to September 7th and Bell/Choir rehearsals won't start until September 12th. So that gives you another few days to decide to join in the lovely musical program offered at Linwood.

If you are going out to lunch after the service September 15th, here's someplace to go!

Downey Avenue Christian Church, 111 S Downey Avenue, is having their 15th Annual Hog Roast **Fundraiser** and Homecoming Celebration on September 15th from noon to 3p. Read the article on page 4 of the Indiana Christian Summer – 2024 edition.

Downey opened up their facility to us when we had our fire a few years back. We used their office equipment to print bulletins and conference room to hold meetings, and many other "little things" that we just didn't have any more. This would be a good way to repay their generosity. It is not necessary, but helpful if you let them know you are planning to attend at this link: <https://forms.gle/4e8zy3uwuc3dqp7r7>

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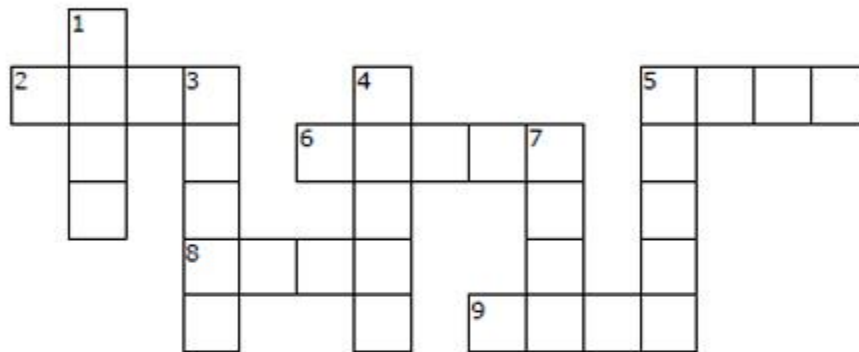
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Your Lindy Crew

Jesus Walks on the Water

During the fourth watch of the night Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake. Matthew 14:25 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 14:22-33 (NIV)



ACROSS

2. The natural movement of air
5. To travel along on your feet
6. Moving swells on the surface of the sea
8. A small vessel for travel on water
9. An unpleasant feeling caused by danger

DOWN

1. To go downward in water
3. A lack of confidence or belief in God
4. A firm belief in God
5. A liquid that comes down from the clouds as rain
7. To rescue someone

FEAR	FAITH	DOUBT	WAVES	WATER
SAVE	WIND	BOAT	WALK	SINK