

New Covenant Lutheran Church E-Weekly Newsletter

May 27 - June 3, 2021



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NCLC Calendar

This Sunday:
How Do We Explain the Spirit?
John 3: 1-17

Live Stream to Facebook at 9:00 AM
In-person Worship in the Sanctuary at 10:30 AM

Women's Bible Study	Tues	7:00 PM
Men's Bible Study	Wed	7:00 AM

Upcoming Events

VBS at Living Water	6/21-6/25	9:00 AM
Music Camp	7/12-7/16	10:00 AM

ONLINE WORSHIP INSTRUCTIONS:

New Covenant Lutheran Church continues to hold online worship services in addition to in-person worship.

We use Facebook Live for our online worship services.
You do not have to have a Facebook account to watch the service.

Go to New Covenant Lutheran Church's Facebook page at 9:00 am Sunday to see the service live. Our Facebook page is at www.facebook.com/NewCovenantAZ.

PASTOR'S CORNER

What a special Pentecost Sunday last weekend. It was so good to see so many people returning and **one couldn't help but notice the Holy Spirit moving through the congregation** as we worshipped. **God is present and God is faithful!**

And **thank you Mary Cole** for working all week on upgrading our A/V and presentation systems in order to provide a higher quality experience for worship. I hope that you enjoyed the ability to sing along with the hymns and songs this past Sunday.

On Sunday we also said good-bye to Ellie Kalogeris and Becky and Chris as they prepare to move back out east to Maine. The good news is that with our new virtual worship experience, they won't be far away.

And on Monday, we had a party with some of the confirmation youth who could attend. In case you are wondering, we are playing a game of human knots in this picture, not praying. Although we did pray before we ate!

This Memorial Day weekend, we remember those who have given their lives while serving in the US military in order to defend and preserve our nation. This weekend carries with it a personal connection. I remember when my parents attended the funeral of my mom's cousin Jerry who died in the Viet Nam war. I was a young boy, but I remember Jerry from our family gatherings and picnics.

This Sunday, we will take another look at the Holy Spirit as we celebrate Trinity Sunday. Bill Cope will be on hand to talk with us about Grace Homeless Ministries and **we will take a closer look at Nicodemus in John 3: 1-17 as we look at the question "How do we Explain the Spirit?"** The theme is drawn from v. 8 in our Gospel for Sunday. Take a closer look!

See you Sunday!

Pastor Steve

Confirmation's Human Knots



June Mission Project

Donations to purchase bottled water and provide homeless care at Grace Lutheran Church



May Mission Project

We are collecting hygiene products (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, deodorant, sunscreen) and money to

NOURISH PHX
(formerly known as ICM Food & Clothing Bank)

Soul Sisters Hiking and Yoga

On break for the summer!

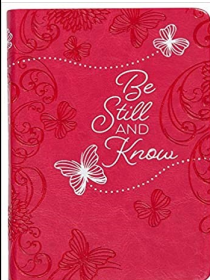


Sunday School for 3rd - 5th graders

On break for the summer!

Weekly Podcasts...

Clarey Dees is publishing a podcast each Monday based on the devotional "Be Still and Know" (available from Amazon). The podcasts can be accessed through the Communications section of our website at www.newcovenantaz.church



MEMORIAL DAY

REMEMBER AND HONOR

Tammy Zorn's
Celebration of
Life Service

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 2021

3:00 PM

NEW COVENANT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Scripture readers are needed!

Please consider reading the scripture for worship this year. Readers are needed for both the in-person and livestreamed services. For livestreaming, you would read and record the scripture, email it to the church office and it would be added to the livestream worship service on Sunday. It's only a few verses, you could use your smart phone to record and send the video, and you can have do-overs if you stumble over a word or name! You would be given the scripture well in advance and it would be needed by the Thursday before your worship service. Sign up on the link at the top of this E-Weekly email and contact the office with questions. Thank you!

SCRIPTURE READING



LIVING WATER
LUTHERAN CHURCH

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Register by June 1st!



JUNE 21 – 25

**IN PERSON* &
VIRTUAL OPTIONS
AVAILABLE**

**REGISTRATION IS
FREE!**

OPEN TO CHILDREN AGE 4 TO 6TH GRADE

For More Info & to Register visit:

lwlcaz.org/vbs2021



**Living Water Lutheran Church
9201 E. Happy Valley Rd.
Scottsdale, AZ 85255**

***IN PERSON WILL HAVE LIMITED CAPACITY & MASKS ARE REQUIRED**

Sing Out Loud! Summer Music Camp

*Join us for some much-needed music making this summer!
Students will have the opportunity to sing, play, act, and
perform together!*

July 12-16, 2021

**10am-3pm each day
Final Performance that Friday**

**Kindergarten – 6th grade
\$150 per camper**

Bring your own lunch – healthy snacks provided

Camp will consist of activities, sight-singing, vocal
exercises, acting, performing and more!

Instructors: Patti Kruse and Molly Bass
Registration: patti.kruse@newcovenantaz.org

