New Covenant Lutheran Church September 2 - 9, 2021

Happy Labor Day!



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NCLC Calendar

This Sunday:
"The Anchor of Hope!"
Hebrews 6: 13-20
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In-person and Live Stream to Facebook at 10:30 AM

Women's Bible Study	Tues	7:00 PM.
Men's Bible Study	Wed	7:00 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 10:30 am Sunday to see the service live. Our Facebook page is www.facebook.com/NewCovenantAZ

Sept. Monthly Mission

Supporting Refugees with

- New Towels
- New Queen Sized Sheets
- Monetary Donations

Drop off items at church or make a monetary donation online, in church or mail a check to the church office.

Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest





It is with a heavy heart that I share with you some sad news about one of our former team members here at New Covenant Lutheran Church. Sue Dueck, our office manager for the years 2015-2018, contracted Covid-19 in July and passed away on August 16th. I will always remember Sue for many reasons, but these two are foremost on my mind today.

She was an amazingly faithful woman of God. Her faith was central to who she was as a person. She always treated each personal encounter with respect for the other and that came from knowing who she was in relationship to God. She was a daughter of God.

Although Sue had many talents in the office, her greatest accomplishments were in the relationships that she forged with her family and friends – her husband, Henry, her sons and daughters-in-law, her grandchildren, her parents and her sisters. She was first and foremost, a wife, a mother, and a grandmother.

If you would like to help the Dueck Family, there is a Go-FundMe account on Facebook to which you can contribute (search Sue Dueck and check the link in the post's first comment). These proceeds will go to assist with funeral and medical expenses. There is also a meal train for Henry for which you can contribute.

We are in the beginning stages of forming a coalition with our three partner ELCA Churches in the NE Valley (Christ the Lord, Carefree; Living Water, Scottsdale; and New Journey, Fountain Hills) to provide help with an immediate need for refugee resettlement support. Lutheran Social Services has reached out for our assistance. We will update you with more information as we learn more about the need.

Do you have hope? What sustains you when you get weary? This Sunday, we will look at the Promises of God in Jesus Christ and why we can hope in those promises. Join us as we look at Hebrews 6: 13-20, and explore the theme, An Anchor of Hope!

Labor Day Weekend Blessings to you all! Pastor Steve



STARTING SEPTEMBER 12

TEACHERS ARE NEEDED

Mark your calendars now for the return of In-Person Sunday School for grades K-2 and 3-5! Sunday school begins promptly at 10:30 am and the children will join the worship service just in time for a brief children's message before communion. Please consider joining our 'teaching team' by volunteering once a month or how many times you can! All the planning and prep is done for you! All you need to do to prepare is familiarize yourself with the lesson, pray for the children you serve, and rejoice at knowing you just got to share God's story of love with young, curious hearts and minds. We encourage 'older youth' to help as well. Contact Ms. Patti with questions.



Pastor Steve's teaching notes and questions

Our website is updated weekly to include the latest Hebrews sermon as well as the teaching notes and questions for that sermon. Find the notes and questions on the Ministries tab under Bible Studies.





Happy Birthday in September to part of our New Covenant family!!

(Not everyone has given us their birthday so we may have missed a few.) Hope your day is great!

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Our Church's New Mobile App is Here!

Vanco, our eGiving provider, has launched an updated mobile app called Vanco Mobile to replace GivePlus Mobile.

Please download Vanco Mobile by **September 30**. Vanco will be retiring GivePlus Mobile after this date.

Go to www.newcovenantaz.church/giving-options/ for more info.



Sunday School Teachers Sunday Scripture Readers

Check out our SignUpGenius sign ups to add your name!