

# Bulletin Announcements 10/14/2018

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**GUEST PASTOR:** Today we welcome Rev. Paul Hopkins as our guest preacher. Pastor Hopkins, his wife Joan, and their three children were longtime members here at Divine Shepherd before he began his studies at the seminary. Welcome back. God's blessings on your preaching of Jesus Christ!

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** Today's altar flowers are given by Dan & Robin Wise in honor of their 15<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary (October 18).

**BOOK OF CONCORD:** Join us this Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. for our monthly study of The Augsburg Confession. All are welcome.

**WEEKDAY BIBLE CLASS:** Pre-confirmation children are encouraged to join us in the sanctuary and narthex on Wednesdays (4:00-5:30 p.m.) for a Bible story, music, craft, snack, and games. All are welcome.

**MEN:** Join us this Saturday at 8:30 a.m. at Family Square Restaurant for our monthly Bible breakfast. Our topic is prayer.

**PROPERTY OR FACILITY ISSUES:** If you notice something that needs repair or attention, please let the Board of Trustees know via [bot@ds-lcms.org](mailto:bot@ds-lcms.org).

**WORK DAY:** The Board of Trustees invites members to join us on Saturday, October 27 as we tackle projects both big and small, inside and outside.

**OKTOBERFEST:** Thrivent is sponsoring the annual Oktoberfest on Sunday, October 28 at 11:30 a.m. Please sign up on the sheets in Luther Hall if you are attending and/or to bring a dish to pass.

**FALL YARD WORK:** Our youth group is ready to assist you with raking leaves, cleaning gutters, etc. Donations will help them attend next summer's Higher Things youth conference. See Lori Mumme to schedule the youth.

**BLOOD DRIVE:** We are partnering with LifeSource to host a blood drive on Saturday, November 17 (9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.). Mark your calendar and help us help others. Your blood donation can help others live!

**SHOP WITH SCRIP:** The next turn-in date is October 21. See Judy Yuenger to buy pre-purchased cards. You may elect to receive 50% of your profit percentage back as a cash rebate (paid directly to you in the form of a quarterly check). Questions? Contact Lisa at 630-636-6390 or [dsicmanna@yahoo.com](mailto:dsicmanna@yahoo.com).

**LIFE & LIBERTY PRESENTATION:** You are invited to hear Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz, Executive Director of the LCMS Lutheran Center for Religious Liberty (and former Lutheran Hour speaker), speak about our place as Christians in the public square, the importance of the rights of life and religious liberty, current threats and challenges that Christians face in government and society, and what you can do. This presentation will take place at Bethany Lutheran Church in Naperville on Thursday, November 1 (9:00am–1:45pm) and costs \$10/person. See the bulletin board for registration information.

**EQUIPPING THE PRIESTHOOD OF ALL BELIEVERS:** Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio. This week's topics include: Christians & Public Schools, The Separation of Powers in the US Constitution, God the Father, The Book of Daniel, The Three Men in the Fiery Furnace, and more. You can listen live or on-demand at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org) and on the LPR mobile app.