**ALTAR FLOWERS:** Today's altar flowers are given by Brian & Cindy Rambeaux in honor of Cindy's birthday and in grateful thanks for all of God's blessings.

**GET TO KNOW:** Say "Hi" to one of the children or teenagers here at church this morning who you don't know very well. Ask a question or two to get to know him/her better.

**LIVING YOUR FAITH:** Today we continue *Every One His Witness* in Bible Class. Come and learn how to share the good news of Jesus through natural, relational, and contextual conversations.

**CHOIR PRACTICE:** Choir practice is this Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. All are encouraged to lend their musical talents to the church choir.

NEWSLETTER: October newsletter articles are due Monday, September 24.

**PORTALS OF PRAYERS:** Pick up your regular print October-December 2018 issue of *Portals of Prayer* from the bookshelves in Luther Hall.

**FIREWORKS:** Join us this Saturday, September 29 for Bolingbrook's Fall Fest fireworks at dusk. As they are shot off in the field to the east of our property, we have the best seat in town. Bring a lawn chair, some snacks, and a friend or two.

**PROPERTY OR FACILITY ISSUES:** If you notice something here at church that needs repair or attention, please let the Board of Trustees know by sending an email to <u>bot@ds-lcms.org</u>.

**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.

**SHOP WITH SCRIP:** The next turn-in date is October 21. See Judy Yuenger to buy pre-purchased cards.

**MANNA REBATES:** As of August 19, you may elect to receive 50% of your profit percentage back as a cash rebate. These rebates will be paid directly to you in the form of a quarterly check. The more you purchase using physical cards, reload, reload now, and scrip e-cards, the more you will earn. Any questions, please contact Lisa Cruz (630-636-6390 or <u>dslcmanna@yahoo.com</u>).

**EVANGELISM QUOTE:** "Take heed to yourself and to the doctrine. Continue in them, for in doing this you will save both yourself and those who hear you." [1 Timothy 4:16]

**STEWARDSHIP QUOTE:** "He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully." [2 Corinthians 9:6]

**ESSENTIAL EXERCISE FOR THE CHRISTIAN MIND:** Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public. This week's topics include: The Movie "The Nun," What Is the Catechism and Why?, The 7th & 8th Commandments, Wisdom & Fear, and more. You can listen live or at your convenience at <u>www.issuesetc.org</u> and on the LPR mobile app.

## **UPCOMING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:**

Sunday Bible Classes	Sundays @ 10:45 a.m.
Women's Bible Study	October 2 @ 1:00 p.m.
Book of Concord Study	October 16 @ 7:00 p.m.
Men's Bible Breakfast	October 20 @ 8:30 a.m.