Captive Free will lead worship services at First Lutheran on Sat., July 20th at 5:30 pm and Sun., July 21st at 9am, and at Nativity Lutheran on Sunday, July 21st at 11am.

They will also perform a concert at First Lutheran’s National Night Out Block Party on Tuesday, July 23rd.

National Night Out Block Party 2013!
Tuesday, July 23rd, 6-8 pm.
Come join us for an evening filled with summer favorites! Experience a night filled with live music provided by the Contemporary Christian music group Captive Free. Other guests include McGruff, the Crime Prevention dog and local Fire fighters and fire trucks. Bring your kids or grandchildren for other summer fun favorites - a bounce house, face-painting, games and crafts. Participate in benefit drawings for exciting family baskets!

Enjoy fellowship with family, friends and neighbors while relishing hot dogs, brats and sipping orange drink (or any other beverage that you bring). We will also have soda and water for purchase. You are welcome to bring a dessert to share (cookies, brownies).

It’s an evening to celebrate family, friends, fellowship and faith – all your summer favorites! (Be sure to bring along a lawn chair.)

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Dear Friends:

As I write this we are in the midst of Vacation Bible School. We are making a renewed effort to reach the children and families of our community with the Good News of Jesus. Teaching children the Word of God is so important. Did you know that most people are won to faith in Jesus Christ because they learned about Jesus as children? What we learn as children sticks with us all our lives. Sunday School and Vacation Bible School are so important to our church. Look what Jesus says concerning children:

“Take care that you do not despise one of these little ones; for, I tell you, in heaven their angels continually see the face of my Father in heaven.”
Matthew 18:10

You are an evangelist proclaiming the Word of God when you teach a child or bring them to church. You are one of the beloved prophets of God when you help children grow in faith. You are a wonderful example of faith when you pray with and for the children. Thank you to all of the people who are part of Sunday School and Vacation Bible School! You are blessed by God and a blessing to others.

Thank you to all of the people who have worked with children in our church. There is a huge potential for working with children in our community.

In Christ, Pastor Peterson

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First and Nativity Lutheran Churches (ELCA)
Richard Peterson, Pastor
(414)324-8296
Henry Hammerling, Pastor Emeritus at First Lutheran
Dennis Jon Wolfgang, Director of Music/Organist
Shirley Cogan, Mission Interpreter
Bobbie Jo Mleziva, Sunday School Superintendent
Barb Reed, Secretary
Debra Knitter, Custodian, First Lutheran

Office Hours: Monday thru Friday 9am to 12pm
Office located at 7400 W. Lapham, West Allis

In Memory Of….
Bernice Borchardt (F) who passed away on 6-1-13.

First Lutheran Church
Council/Committee Members for 2013

PRESIDENT: CARLA ULLERICH
VICE PRESIDENT: ADRIANA REES
SECRETARY: JAQUELIN BAYER
TREASURER: WERNER BAYER

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: Bobbie Jo Mleziva
EVANGELISM: Joy Dowd
FINANCE: Werner Bayer
MEMORIAL FUND: Marie LePage
MISSION INTERPRETER: Shirley Cogan
SOCIAL MINISTRY: Earl Casto
STEWARDSHIP: Lavone Reis
WORSHIP & MUSIC: John Bennethum

Nativity Lutheran Church
Council Members for 2013

PRESIDENT: JENNIFER HERBERT
VICE PRESIDENT: MAUREEN JONES
SECRETARY: JACI STEFFES
TREASURER: JILL MICKELSON
MISSION INTERPRETER: Shirley Cogan
Worship and Study

**Worship Matters by John Bennethum**

Do Lutherans observe **SAINT'S DAYS**? The answer is YES, and if you want to look at the complete list I refer you to pages 15-17 in our ELW Hymnal. We generally observe a particular Saint's Day when it happens to fall on a Sunday (or Saturday). June, July and August this year are unusual in that there are very few that we will observe. Note that in the list days are designated as "Lesser Festivals"--usually Apostles; or Commemorations". They also list the color parament that should be used: R = red; W = white, etc. Our list represents the list that Martin Luther shortened as a Roman Catholic; but notice we observe:

- **June 3rd**: John XXIII, Bishop of Rome, 1963, W
- **August 15**: Mary, Mother of our Lord, W

We also include:

- **June 7**: Seattle, Chief of the Duwamish Confederacy, 1866, W;
- **July 28**: Johann Sebastian Bach, 1750, W and George Frederick Handel, 1759, W, musicians;
- **August 10**: Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr, R
- **August 28**: Augustine, Bishop of Hippo, 430, W

Apostles include:

- **June 11**: Barnabas, R; **June 24**: John the Baptist, W;
- **June 29**: Peter and Paul, R; **July 3**: Thomas, R;
- **July 22**: Mary Magdalene, Apostle, W; **July 25**: James, R;
- **August 24**: Bartholomew, R.

A Committee periodically reviews our list and does add new dates: **January 15**: Martin Luther King Jr, renewer of society, martyr, 1968, R.

Special people remembered for their lives of service. May we find inspiration in their lives!

*John Bennethum, Deacon*

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**Bible Study Opportunities**

**TUESDAY MORNING**

**BIBLE CLASS**

During July and August we will continue our study of the **Bad Boys of the Bible**. On July 2nd, Hildegarde Mullarky will be presenting **ABRAHAM** while on July 9th, Jackie Grauberger will present **LOT**. On July 16th, Arnie Garber, our Orthodox Jewish Friend, will be with us to share once again. Then on July 23 and 30th Lavone Reis will tell us about **JACOB**.

In August, Sue Arnold will present **JEPHTHAH** on August 6th; Betty Schwenke will tell us about **SAMSON** on the 13th. Pastor Peterson and Lois will tell us about their Missionary work in **MEXICO** on the 20th; Sue Arnold will present **JUDAS** on August 27th. **NO CLASS** on September 3rd due to Labor Day.

ALL are welcome to join us. **Tuesday morning, 10:00am-11:00am in the Fireside Room.** Bring your Bible and join us. **Need a Bible? See John.** John Bennethum is our Teacher.

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**For Women Only........**

The Saturday Morning Women's Bible Study took a break in June, but will start back up on July 13th. It's never too late to start! Meet at 9:30 a.m. at First Lutheran in the Fireside Room every Saturday morning, enjoy fellowship, snacks and dig deeper into the Bible. If you have any questions, contact the church office.

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**MUSICIANS NEEDED!**

We’re looking for volunteers to provide special music during a worship service this summer. No long-term commitments required - even a one-time gig would be appreciated. There are many ways to “make a joyful noise” - why not volunteer?

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**BIBLE QUIZ**

During Israel’s 40-year sojourn in the desert, where did the Lord turn bitter water sweet so the people could drink it?

- A. Egypt
- B. Mt. Sinai
- C. Canaan  **Answer:** See Exodus 15:23-25
- D. Marah

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**Prayer can help...**

If serious illness or other life factors affect you or those you love, contact the church office and we will send your request through our prayer chain. We have people who will pray for your need. If you are interested in joining a prayer chain, contact Marie Le Page (First Lutheran), Laverne Breed (Nativity Lutheran) or the church office.
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Son Quest Rainforest

First Lutheran’s Vacation Bible School classes were held Tuesdays and Wednesday, June 11-26. This year’s program was Son Quest Rainforest. We had 35 children learn how important God is in their everyday life! The children had a great time and we had almost perfect attendance by all.

On Wednesday, June 26th we celebrated the last day of VBS with a Pot Luck supper and the children sang the songs they learned for their parents, grandparents, and friends. The children did a great job. Thank you to everyone who came and supported the children.

A special thank you to the following people for volunteering your time to VBS: Kevin and Debra Kubek, Joy Dowd, Greta Plicka, Linda Grulke, Shirley Cogan, Deborah Nicolet, John Bennethum, Sandy Wymellenberg, Bobbie Jo and Brayden Mleziva, Maxx Jaeger, Doris Rangel, Brittney Sotelo, Chris Hasenberg, Cindy Labadie, Warner and Jackie Bayer, Lois Peterson and Pastor Peterson.

Thank you also for all of you who donated food and money. Without your support, we would not be able to provide a quality meal and program to our youth!

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF
SCHOOL KITS

Nativity and First Lutheran congregations, it’s that time of year again. Nativity has some beautiful school bags to fill. Help needy students around the world by donating school supplies! Drop off supplies in the LWR SCHOOL KIT containers at each church. Each kit contains the following:

4 - 70 count Notebooks of ruled paper (8 1/2 x 11) - No Loose Leaf
One 30-centimeter ruler or a ruler with both inches and centimeters
One blunt tip scissors
One pencil sharpener
Five new pencils with erasers
Five ballpoint pens, black or blue
One eraser, approx. 2 1/2” long
One box of 16 or 24 crayons

Thanks for your help!
Info and Opportunities

**Going Shopping?** The food pantry at First Lutheran could use donations of jelly, canned corn and snacks. Anything else you’d care to pick up is always welcomed! Thank you.

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**You are invited to read with us!!**

To: First/ Nativity Book Lovers
From: Jennifer and Madelyn Herbert
What: Brand new blog designed to help you choose excellent books to read/ share
When: Summer or anytime
Where: http://savurbks.wordpress.com/
(or in your search bar: savurbks)
RSVP: Follow us on our blog (via email) and leave us a comment/ suggestion

Hope to see you soon!

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**Christmas in August**

Help Operation Christmas Stocking celebrate the spirit of Christmas in August. We are looking for items to fill the stockings for female clients attending the Free Clinic at Cross Lutheran, expectant/new parents in WA/MM School Age Parents and children of our Adult Food Pantry clients. Help us fill our stockings by donating chapter books for children ages 9 years to 12 years, coloring books, crayons, pencils, magic markers, envelopes, high-lighters, glue sticks round tipped scissors, folders, loose-leaf paper, and small stuffed animals. Kids also enjoy matchbox cars, puzzles, bubbles, and jump ropes. For the adults and teens travel size soaps, lotion, conditioner, perfume samples, nail care items and socks/knee-hi hose are appreciated. We are getting more requests for baby items such as wipes, towels, soap, diaper cream, bibs, teething toys, baby blankets and infant sleepers. Or surprise us with your own ideas! Donated items can be placed in the collection Barrel or under the tree in the Narthex during the month of August.

Please help us decorate Christmas stockings and finish men’s scarves from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 on Wednesday, August 21st at First Lutheran. Everyone is welcome!

If you have any questions please contact Greta Plicka or Jackie Bayer.

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**Help Wanted for Coffee Hour**

at Nativity Lutheran Church

Lots of fun, great people, stimulating talks, great chance to enhance your friendships. Don’t miss this opportunity! Sign up now and help fill the empty spaces. Thank You.

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Anyone interested in joining a First/Nativity exercise group? Interested in running your first race with a few fellow friends? Need some encouragement to stroll the track? I am considering starting an exercise group to attain all of the above! Perhaps we could meet one evening to exercise (walk, run, jog, stroll, talk) or just enjoy some camaraderie. Hart Park in Wauwatosa could be our meeting place followed by treats (of course)! Join us for fellowship, fun, and some exercise! If interested, contact the church office or Madelyn Herbert to let her know your interest and availability. Watch the Sunday bulletins for updates!

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**Altar Flower Sign-Up**

Both churches have openings for altar flowers and eternal lights. Check the sign-up sheets located in the narthex of each church.
Evangelism on the Move:...

YOU'RE INVITED to our National Night Out Neighborhood Block Party at First Lutheran on Tuesday, July 23 from 6-8 p.m.

This is a great opportunity to connect with our neighbors, enjoy food, Christian music by “Captive Free”, children’s crafts, face painting and a “bounce house” for younger kids. We provide grilled brats and hot dogs, pickles, chips and McDonalds orange drink. You are welcome to bring your own beverage or we will have soda and bottled water available for purchase. Be sure to bring a lawn chair because we have limited seating in front of the band & at tables.

We’ll also have benefit drawings for family gift baskets and prizes.

All are welcome to bring cookies or brownies to share with our neighbors. See the sign up sheet in the narthex.

For safety, the south end of S.74th St. and Lapham St. in front of the church will be closed to traffic from 4-8pm.

We still need help with a few things:

- **Housing** for the 5 members of the music group Captive Free, 3 girls and 2 boys, on Saturday (July 20), Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings. If you can provide a place to sleep and maybe breakfast for one or more members, please contact Pastor Peterson. The people who provided housing last year are unable to do so this year.

- We need a flat bed trailer for the band to use as a stage. A trailer that holds 4 snowmobiles is about the size we need. Please contact the church if you know of one we could borrow.

- People to help set up, clean up and monitor the kids going in and out of church during the party. Sign up on the sign up sheet or contact Joy Dowd at 414-232-1165.

See you at the party!

Reaching out in our community to share the word of God.

Social Ministry Corner

Thanks to your generosity our food pantry ministry is active and helping those in need in our immediate neighborhood and community. If you are interested in volunteering to help at the food pantry, stop in on a Friday between 9:30 and noon and check it out. It is amazing how much it has grown in the past 5 years! We especially need people to help check visitors in by verifying their address. Some of our long term helpers are no longer able to serve.

**Thanks!** to the following members and friends of First Lutheran/Nativity who have donated or prepared food for the food pantry lunches in the past month: Peggy and Glen Phillips, Pat and Mike Temke, Natalie Jaeger, Cindy Labadie, Jamie Schoberg, Jackie Judkins, the Hrovat family and Carol Leonard. All are welcome to donate food, such as homemade soup, cookies, brownies, salads, etc. We can provide the ingredients, including cake mix, flour, noodles, meat, etc., if you want to prepare a dish. Contact Joy Dowd if you have questions.

**Attention gardeners** – If you have extra vegetables that you’d like to share, you are welcome to bring them to the food pantry. Just call the office at 414-476-4664 to make arrangements to drop them off or we can pick them up. Visitors to our pantry enjoy the fresh produce.

**Habitat for Humanity Donations**

We will again be providing lunch for 75 workers on Habitat for Humanity projects on Sept 17th. HFH works with local agencies and low income homeowners to provide safe housing for families. All of the workers and skilled trade persons volunteer their time to work on building or rehabbing houses. We will need $80-100.00 to cover the cost of the lunches. Please watch for the donation jar on the welcome desk.

Unlike some of us, hunger doesn’t take a vacation. Remember in your daily prayers those who are struggling with life.
The Scoop on Stewardship......

You shall LOVE the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your mind, and with all your soul, and with all your strength. This is God's first and great commandment. The love of Jesus is far more wondrous than we can ever describe or imagine.

It is the glory of God, and His very nature, to be always GIVING. God is the owner of all. There are no power, no riches, no goodness, no love, outside of God. His is a love that always delights to give. The best we can do is respond to that wondrous love with our free and joyous stewardship. Christian stewardship is always a response to the love of God for us. The Apostle John said it so well, "We love because He first loved us!"

The goal of Christian stewardship is the faithful management of all that we have so that God can use our gifts to transform us spiritually and to extend Christ's love to others here at First Lutheran as we manage our goals and missions. We never know how our acts of giving are going to be used and multiplied by God, but we can be certain that they will be!

If you have not returned your pledge promise card, please do so soon.

WHEN PEOPLE GIVE THEMSELVES TO THE LORD, THE LORD MAKES THINGS HAPPEN!

Lavone Reis: Stewardship Chairperson, First Lutheran

Community Information

Corn Roast
American Legion Post 219

On July 27th, Post 219 will be hosting a corn roast at ProHealth Care Park, 2950 S. Sunny Slope in New Berlin from 12-3p. Enjoy dinner for $12 (kids under 6 are free). There will be raffles and a playground is available for children. Proceeds benefit the American Legion Post 219 which funds a program to help veterans in need. See Mike Plicka at First Lutheran for more information.

Lilac Bus - July & August Schedule

Open to all West Allis Area Seniors. Call 302-8715 to make a reservation - First Come, First Served! Cost is $3 per round trip.

Wed., July 10 - Lunch at Golden Corral and shopping at Aldi’s and Wal Mart.
Fri., July 19 - Festa Italiana at Summerfest grounds.
Tues., July 23 - Cedarburg shopping and lunch at Cedar Creek Settlement ($5 bus fee).
Wed., Aug. 7 - Shopping at Southridge and Greenfield Plaza. Lunch at Red Robin.
Fri., Aug. 16 - Shopping at El Ray and Michaels. Lunch at Omega.
Tues., Aug. 27 - West Allis Farmers Market, West Allis Town Center. Lunch to be determined.

Hart Park Senior Center

Crafter’s Corner - 1st Thurs. of each month at 9am
Scrabble - Wednesdays at 10am
Cards and Games for Ladies and Gents
Skat: Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:30 am
Men’s Sheepshead: 12:00pm Mon. thru Thurs.
Bridge: Thursdays. at 12:00; call Pat at 231-3935 to sign up.
MahJongg: Wednesdays at 12:00. Call 471-8495 for information.

West Allis Police Reserves
39th Annual Chicken Dinner

The West Allis Police Reserves are holding their 39th Annual Chicken Dinner in conjunction with National Night Out on Monday, July 22nd, at the West Allis Farmers Market. Support our local reserves by purchasing a dinner. Drive-through available on 65th & National beginning at 4:00 p.m. Seated dinners served from 5 p.m. until sold out.

Dinner consists of 1/2 spit-roasted chicken, potato salad, baked beans, pickle, roll and butter for $8.50.
Many Thanks

Oklahoma Disaster Relief

Two of our regular food pantry volunteers traveled to Oklahoma to offer their services with disaster relief. Here is part of the journal they kept online:

6/21/13
We made it to Oklahoma City without delay - 14 hours straight through from Milwaukee to Oklahoma City. Yesterday we spent time with a family who lost everything. They have a house to rent, and thanks to EVERYONE... their children have diapers, wipes, toys and food! Thank you to Pastor Doug Brewer and his church family at Southgate Baptist (Oklahoma) who accepted the other items with a gracious and kind heart. Knowing they are organized and distributing the items who NEED them. The church is also serving meals to workers, visitors and residents... over 600 meals per day. We showed up at this church, unannounced, because other churches were overwhelmed. The love of Christ was evident as we unloaded the neverending cargo van. We spent time with members of the church, getting to experience their personal accounts and stories of what has happened. We saw an entire neighborhood in rubble, as if a bomb had taken out everything. We have seen where people died, and most importantly, where people LIVE! God Bless you all as we continue our journey to try and help.

Thank you,
Craig & Nancilyn Ketola

Pastor Peterson,
The days since the CBTS/Wisconsin Commissioning of Graduates have flown by and this expression of appreciation and thanks is late. The entire service went well and that is the result of many details which were cared for by you and folks in your congregation.

I actually returned this Sunday when Carson Chin had a special service with Milwaukee Chin to “bless” Ronald for his completed study. There were 200 in attendance who worshipped for 3 hours and then had a traditional Chin meal in the fellowship hall.

Thank you for your commitment to Christian hospitality to the Chin. They appreciate you and your congregation, as do I.

Again, my thanks,
Arlo R. Richter, Executive Minister
American Baptist Churches of Wis.

Thank you so much for getting the word out about our Noodles Night fund raiser held on Thursday, June 20. And thanks to everyone at your congregation who supported Greater Tosa Interfaith by dining at Noodles, 7700 W State St. I still do not have the final figures but it appears that we made about $500. Thanks for your help!

Sincerely, Diane Euting, Director, Greater Tosa Interfaith

Best Wishes to the Mlezivas!

A service of Godspeed and a coffee hour reception were held on June 2nd at First Lutheran for the Mleziva family - Scott, Bobbie Jo, Brayden and Cohen. Bobbie Jo served as Sunday School Superintendent and VBS Coordinator for the last several years. Scott helped not only with Sunday School and VBS, but also served as an usher. Both Scott and Bobbie Jo served on the church Council. They moved from the area to Mequon to be nearer to Scott’s workplace. We’ll miss them all and wish them the very best of everything.
To see these pictures in color, go to www.firstlutheranelca.org
My fellow Lutherans,

The Greater Milwaukee Synod Assembly was held from May 30 to June 1, 2013 at the Country Springs Hotel & Conference Center in Waukesha. I was privileged to attend with John Bennettum, Pastor Richard and Lois Peterson. Pastor Richard and John were representing First Lutheran, and I represented Nativity.

Thursday afternoon was taken up with registration and a Ministry Fair. The fair contained many informational booths with information on programs sponsored by the ELCA, GMS and local churches. Afterward, an ethnic meal (South American, Mexican and Puerto Rican) was served. Pastor Richard and Lois seemed to enjoy it. John and I were less brave and headed to the coffee shop for more bland American food.

The assembly formally opened at 6:00 p.m. with worship led by Bishop Jeff Barrow. Afterward, we had our opening session including the report of the credentials introduction of visitors, and reports of some committees. Former Bishop Herbert Chilstrom of Minneapolis gave the keynote message.

Friday’s session opened at 8:00 a.m. with worship, credentials committee report, budget presentation, presentation of nominees for various offices, balloting, and the presentation of six resolutions.

Brief summaries of the resolutions are as follows:
Resolution #1 - To create a task force to review the status and future structure of our clusters.
Resolution #2 - The use of funds from the sale of Milwaukee Synod church properties.
Resolution #3 - The establishment of a Refugee Resettlement Task Force.
Resolution #4 - Accompaniment, awareness-raising advocacy for the people of the Holy Land.
Resolution #5 - In support of the legislation prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity.

All resolutions passed.

The afternoon session began with worship led by Rev. Richard Suero and members of Faith Santa Fe Church. It was a very moving service. It was conducted in both Spanish and English.

After the report of credentials, action and balloting on the budget, etc., we were dismissed to attend more educational workshops. Friday night was the Synod Assembly banquet. Recognition of pastoral anniversaries and awards were held.

Saturday morning opened at 8:00 a.m. After worship we had the rest of the reports, including Bishop Jeff Barrow’s report.

Sisters and brothers, it was a pleasure for your delegates to represent you.

Sincerely,
Shirley Cogan

Greater Milwaukee Synodical Women’s Organization 26th Annual Convention

“LIFE-GIVING SPIRIT”

Saturday, October 12, 2013

Registration: 7:30-8:30 a.m.
Delegate Orientation: 8:45 a.m.
Convention Opening: 9:00 a.m.  Day Concludes at 4:00 p.m.

$40 Registration if received by Thursday, Aug. 15th. Registration fee after that date is $50.

Worship together with your sisters in Christ and celebrate the Holy Spirit that gives us life. Relax and enjoy workshops on spiritual and physical health. Enjoy fellowship, banquet luncheon, displays, worship and more. Contact the church office for registration forms or more information.
**This ‘n That Around Here**

**FISH FRY FRIDAYS**
The last Friday of each month, Lutherdale Bible Camp offers a great fish fry at a reasonable cost - $12 for adults and $7 for 12 and under. After dinner, stroll the grounds and see what Lutherdale has to offer!

**July—August Birthdays**

**First Lutheran:**
- 7/1 Bradley Noack
- 7/1 Angela Waranka
- 7/2 Lindsey Siskoy
- 7/6 Jenny Schultz
- 7/8 Gregorio Calderon
- 7/9 Billy Davila
- 7/9 Jackson Masch
- 7/11 Greta Plicka
- 7/14 Jordan Davila
- 7/14 Dorothy Musich
- 7/16 Joyce Gardner
- 7/17 Gary Biorn
- 7/18 Matthew Grulke
- 7/18 Michael Weisnicht
- 7/19 Jennifer Medina
- 7/19 Sierra Weisnicht
- 7/22 Ronald Berka
- 7/26 Michael Plicka
- 8/1 Maya Noack
- 8/2 Lily Weisnicht
- 8/4 Ariane Fisher
- 8/10 Kristin Lewandowski
- 8/11 Parker Zehe
- 8/18 Debra Knitter
- 8/19 Daniel Behrens
- 8/19 Anne Felton
- 8/19 Alex Medina
- 8/20 Brittany LaSavage
- 8/21 Angelica Medina
- 8/23 Ralph Bayer
- 8/23 Cohen Mleziva
- 8/25 Alanna Certion
- 8/25 Mark Eisenreich
- 8/25 Chris Guthrie
- 8/25 Earl Junck
- 8/28 Justin Grohall
- 8/31 Denise Ryan

**Nativity Lutheran:**
- 7/16 Doris Vokovitch
- 7/28 Michelle Jones
- 8/1 Dennis Klotz
- 8/12 Mary Simmers
- 8/18 Sandra Larson
- 8/21 Shirley Gruetzner

**First Anniversary Blessings**

**Nativity Lutheran:**
- 8/9 Gene & Dawn Reynolds 38 yrs.

**First Lutheran:**
- 7/20 Brandon & Jessica Martin 1 yr.
- 8/22 Bryan & Natalie Jaeger 15 yrs.

**FIRST LUTHERAN FINANCES 2013**

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**FIRST LUTHERAN ATTENDANCE**

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We have a couple of needs in our church community….
A family is in need of a 3 bedroom apartment in the West Allis area with rent under $700. Another family is looking for used appliances - stove, refrigerator and dryer. If you can help, call the church office.
Worship With Us

Saturday
5:30 p.m. at
First Lutheran

Sunday
9:00 a.m. at
First Lutheran

11:00 a.m. at
Nativity Lutheran
6905 W. Bluemound

If you no longer wish to continue receiving this newsletter, please contact the church office.