

## More Information

### Week Ahead

#### Worship Services

8:15am – Traditional; 10:45am – Contemporary  
9:30am - Adult Bible Study

**Sunday** (see above schedule)  
**Tuesday** 12:30pm Afternoon Bible Study  
**Wednesday** 7:00am Prayer  
**Thursday** 7:00pm Meseke Bible Study  
**Sunday** (see above schedule)

#### Tithes & Offerings

Weekly Budget Need: \$5000  
Received: 7/19 - \$4574

### Today's Worship

**Old Testament:** Deuteronomy 7:6-11  
**Second Reading:** Acts 13:44-52  
**Gospel:** John 1:1-13

Flowers are given for Mindy Swanson's birthday.

**Elder** John Bero  
**Communion Asst.** Dan Fay  
**Greeters** Dick & Donna Vehrs 8:15  
Diane Dilbert, Christina Hanson 10:45  
**Readers** Cindy Meseke 8:15  
Kathy O'Connor 10:45  
**Sound Board** Nicholas Smith 8:15  
Lauren Winsel 10:45  
**Ushers** Bruce & Susan Reiter 8:15  
Bill & Sue Speaker 10:45

**Staff:** Pastor Doug Swanson - pastor.swani@gmail.com  
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Donna Darby, Church Secretary - kogdonna@gmail.com

## Prayers

Please keep the following in your prayers this week. Those listed in bold are new requests.

**Immediate Need:** **Larry Welch**; Nella Worst; Dennis Krieger; Amy; Ingeborg Cundiff; Pat Taylor; Connie; Kay Paulsen; Margaret Larson; Elizabeth Villalobos; Nancy Clausen; Lawrence Knief; Joyce Padzera

**Long Term:** Barbara & family; Char Stading; Barbra Brezinski; Wanda Koscak; Elaine Summers; Judith Doyle

**For the Nations:** Iran - Nuclear deal: As a church we are called to pray for peace, justice & preservation of life

**Other Prayers:** for the *Lutheran Youth Corps*, that God would guide the development of this new volunteer opportunity for high school or college graduates who want to spend a year engaged in domestic service from a Lutheran perspective.

To request a prayer or to join the prayer chain, please call Isla Schulz: 847-931-9965.

Let Pastor or office know of any changes, additions or deletions. We will keep people on our prayer list for 3 weeks. If you wish to add them again in the future, just let us know. If you are being hospitalized, please contact pastor or the church office. Thank you!



# King of Glory

## Lutheran Church & Preschool

Transforming Lives...

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Serving the world.

## July 26, 2015



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## Welcome to King of Glory

It is our hope that you find here the love and joy that is a part of our Lord's worship, and that you share this experience with others throughout the week. Our Worship services are on the screen. If you need a paper copy of the service please see an usher.

**An adult staffed nursery** is available downstairs in the Preschool classroom. Please feel free to bring infants & young children\* (ages 6 & under) downstairs anytime during the Bible Study & 10:45am service.

**During the Offering**, please fill out the attendance cards and place in offering plate.

## Statement of Participation in Holy Communion

We welcome to the Lord's Supper those baptized individuals who hold firmly to the belief that Christ's body and blood are indeed present in, with and under the bread and wine, and that by receiving the body and blood of Christ, as a believer, we receive forgiveness of our sins. Prior to partaking of the Lord's Supper therefore, one should examine themselves and ask:

*Am I truly sorry for my sins? Do I believe in Christ and His words in the sacrament? Do I plan with God's help to try to amend my sinful life and do better? Am I withholding forgiveness from someone that I should instead be granting?*

In the Lutheran Church, Holy Communion is considered a public confession of the faith taught in this place. If you are a visitor unfamiliar with the teachings of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, we invite you to join us for a blessing at the communion rail. As you kneel, place your right hand over your heart with your head bowed so Pastor will know to give you a blessing.

**NOTE:** For those who might have a special circumstance and cannot use the wine, white grape juice is available in the middle of the tray. Gluten free wafers are also available. Please let Pastor know your need before the service.

## News & Notes

**July/August Mission** is Deaconess Lori Wilbert and her ministry Voice of Hope-Behind the Wall. She will visit us Sunday, August 2, to share how the year has gone and what has happened in her ministry. To support Lori, you can use the Mission envelope in your box or mark a donation as 'missions'. Thank you!

**South Elgin Food Pantry item of the week: Cereal**

**Haiti Mission Trip - December 2015:** An interest meeting will be held August 9 after the 10:45 service. A group from Lord of Life, LaFox is traveling to Haiti December 30-January 5, and we are invited to join and serve with them. Come and find out more about the trip. Please see Pastor Doug or Stephanie for info.

**What is a Comfort Dog?** A comfort dog interacts with people at churches, schools, nursing homes, hospitals, events, disaster response situations and just about anywhere else people need comfort and care. A dog is a friend who brings a calming influence, allowing a person to open up their hearts and receive help for what is affecting them. They lower barriers and open opportunities to build meaningful relationships in our community.

## Vision Statement

King of Glory is a community of believers whose lives and relationships are being transformed daily by the gospel of Jesus Christ and whose desire is to help others experience the same. In this newness of life we are committed to using our God given gifts and talents to serve our neighbors near and far.

**Update: 2015 Missions:** It is easy to forget all that God has done, which is why it is important to look back every once in awhile. So how has God worked through our various Mission projects so far this year? Over 6000 diapers for the FVPC; \$1570.46 for the Ferry family in Indonesia; over 70 bags of food for the South Elgin Food Pantry; \$1,839.65 for VBS. Thank you for your faithfulness! As Pastor Doug always says: God is Good...All the Time!

**KOG Church Picnic:** *Sunday, August 30*, right here in our own backyard. The fun will begin immediately following the 2nd worship service (about 11:45am). Please sign up in the Narthex so we know how many to expect. Please indicate whether you would like to bring a salad, vegetable, dessert, hotdogs, or give a cash donation. Our KOG grillers will be grilling burgers, brats and hotdogs and serving them hot off the grill! Cash donations will go toward the tent rental, paper goods, and drinks. King of Glory has been serving the community for over 25 years. On August 30, we will say "Thank you" to the members who were active in starting our congregation as well as others who were influential to our history. Without their dedication, we would not have this church. We are also inviting the members of Christ Redeemer to join us that day. Outdoor games will be on tap as well as time for socializing and relaxing. We hope everyone can be there. Don't forget to sign up!

**Properties is asking for help** on Friday, July 31, to bring a lift into the church and replace some lights and fans. On Saturday we need manpower to place the lift onto the Altar area to replace the lightening in the tower windows. Please call Sharon: 847-931-1116 to volunteer. Thanks in advance!

**Afternoon Bible Study** will meet on Tuesday, July 28 at 12:30pm. NO Bible Study on August 4.

**Flower Chart for Sunday altar flowers** still has openings for August 2 & 30, September 6 & 20, October 11 & 25, all of November and December 20. Flowers are \$20. Chart in on secretary's door.

**Raging Waves Waterpark:** We are going to Raging Waves Waterpark in Yorkville on Tuesday, August 4. The cost is \$30 which includes lunch. We will leave around 9am and stay all day until the park closes at 6pm. The cost is covered for any adult driver. Sign-up on hall table or text Stephanie.

**National Youth Gathering:** A meeting will be held *Sunday, August 9, at 9:30am* for all those going into 8th grade thru Senior year in High School. You will receive information concerning the Youth Gathering being held next summer in New Orleans. Please attend if interested in learning more.

**Back to School Sales** are starting and that is a good time to collect bargains for our School Kit donations to Lutheran World Relief. Right now there is an urgent need in Syria and other countries for:

- 70 sheet spiral notebooks
- Rulers - 12" and centimeter
- Pencil sharpeners
- #2 pencils - unsharpened
- Ballpoint pens
- Box of crayons - 16 or 24 count only
- Blunt scissors
- 2 1/2" Erasers

Your donations can help a child get an education not available without these necessary supplies. If you like to sew, please take a backpack kit found on the hall table. Materials and directions are in each kit. Your help will put a smile on a child's face and better their future!