



A weekly publication of Moxham Lutheran Church
Week of May 12, 2024
The Rev. Rebecca S. West, Pastor



Assisting Today in Worship

Presiding Minister: Pastor Jim West

Minister of Music: Matthew Sprinkle

Assisting Minister: Kim Williams

Communion Assistant: Dan Berkebile

Council Representative: Scott Rugh

Lector: Kim Williams + **Greeter:** Kathi Lepere



Announcements

Today, Kim Williams will lead the first part of worship through the readings. Pastor Jim West will arrive in time for the gospel reading to preach and preside through the rest of the service.

Prayer requests for Marcie Mangus, Phil Newbaker, Jean Zemet, and Phyllis Fusko.

Flowers for Pentecost — Order forms for Geraniums and altar and chancel flowers are in the welcome area. Deadline to order is today.

Note that weekly Lectionary Study will continue through the summer months. We meet each Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. at Christ Lutheran. See Carol Harding or Pastor for details.

Sunday Adult Learning class is done meeting until Fall; Children's class will end on May 26. Information to come about summer faith formation opportunities!

Thank You to the Friendly Fellowship Committee for the "Nacho Your Average Gal" Nachos for Mother's Day!

April Thank Offering supporting Pastor's Discretionary Fund totaled \$ 305.00.

May Thank Offering supports the Allegheny Synod Seminarian Fund.

Jesus, Others, You (JOY) — The perfect formula for **JOY** is "*Jesus, Others, You.*" When you put Jesus first in your life, you stay with him and have the joy he promised his followers. When you are concerned about others and helping and encouraging them, you have no time to wallow in self-pity or self-concern. You see the needs of others, and your heart goes out to them. As we help them spiritually, emotionally, or materially, we can experience a joy unknown to self-centered people. Join in a monthly gathering where we discuss "having balance in your life." Gatherings will be held on the fourth Saturday of each month (May through October) from 10 a.m. to Noon in the parlor. The first gathering is May 25th. A sign-up sheet is on the welcome table.

Pastor Rebecca will be out of the office next week to participate in the Festival of Homiletics as part of her continuing education.

Go Tell It In The Mountains Promotional Video —This link: <https://youtu.be/wy2UGerdO4> takes you to the promotional video for the Go Tell It IN The Mountains initiative.

Tend Festival @ Camp Sequanota — Share in intentional time of faith discussions, good music, art, worship, ecology, and fellowship at Camp Sequanota. This event will have an open schedule allowing participants the freedom to pick what is right for them. It will include options for multiple workshops, open recreation & hiking, and time to relax and refresh yourself and your family. For more information and to register, click here: [Tend Festival \(sequanota.com\)](http://sequanota.com)

Remember your Epiphany star word? Continue to reflect on your word for the coming year and ponder what significance this word might have in your life, and how God may be speaking to you through the word you chose.

Readings for next Sunday, May 19th; First Lesson: Acts 2:1-21 + Psalm 104:24-34, 35b + Second Lesson: Romans 8:22-27 + Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15



This Week

Sunday, May 12 — Happy Mother's Day

9:00 a.m. Learning Time for Children

10:00 a.m. Worship

Council meeting follows worship

Monday, May 13

Pastor attending Festival of Homiletics through Friday

Tuesday, May 14

Pastor attending Festival of Homiletics through Friday

Wednesday, May 15

Pastor attending Festival of Homiletics through Friday

9:00 a.m. Property Group

11:00 a.m. Lectionary Study @ Christ Lutheran

5:00 p.m. Cambria County Victim Services mtg

Thursday, May 16

Pastor attending Festival of Homiletics through Friday

9:00 a.m.—Noon Faith Community Nurse on site

Friday, May 17

10:00 a.m.—Noon Early Head Start Socialization

Noon-12:30 p.m. Early Head Start Policy council mtg

Sunday, May 19 — Pentecost

9:00 a.m. Learning Time for Children

10:00 a.m. Worship

Birthdays this week: 18 — Lisa Miller



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