

THIS WEEK @SPLDECATUR

Sunday 5/12 Message: "Red Letter Living: Being" **Happy Mother's Day!**

9:15 am Education Classes for all ages

9:10/11:45am Family Talk (?’s for the Pastor - Family Room)

Shop the ELC Scholastic Book Fair (located in ELC Lobby)

Monday 5/13

5:30 pm Women’s Ministry Meeting (Family Room)

6:00 pm SPL Women Bible Study (Dining Room)

Tuesday 5/14

8:00 am SPL Foundation Meeting (Conference Room)

10:30 am SPL Women Bible Study (Family Room)

2:30 pm LSA 8th Grade Graduation Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

3:30 pm Junior & Senior High LoftTime (The Loft)

6:15 pm Lay Ministry (Large Conference Room)

6:30 pm Cancer Companions (Family Room)

Wednesday 5/15

5:30 pm Spring F3 Dinner

6:00 pm VBS Prep (Great Room/Warehouse)

6:30 pm Spring F3 Classes / SPL Youth Wednesday Night

Thursday 5/16 SPL Staff Retreat

6:30 am Men’s Bible Study (Conference Room)

3:30 pm Junior & Senior High LoftTime (The Loft)

7:00 pm LSA 8th Grade Graduation (Sanctuary)

Friday 5/17 SPL Staff Retreat

LSA Last Day of School (Noon Dismissal)

Saturday 5/18 Message: "Red Letter Living: Forgiving"

7:30 am Motivated by More Exercise (SPL)

10:00 am Memorial Service -Sandy Komewald

10:00 am AA Big Book Study (Room 122)

4:00 pm Contemporary Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

6:00 pm Contemporary Worship (VBS Prayer Walk 5pm)

Sunday 5/19 Message: "Red Letter Living: Forgiving"

9:15 am Education Classes for all ages

9:15 am New Member Mentor Training (Family Room)

12:00 pm VBS Prayer Walk

2:00 pm LSA High School Graduation (LSA Gymnasium)

Actual Giving Year to Date

\$ 802,280 as of 5/05

Budgeted Giving year to Date

\$ 778,500

2019 Annual Budget =
\$2,260,000

Year to Date Ahead =
\$ 23,780

WE WORSHIP...

Last Weekend in Worship: 715

Four Week Worship Average: 747

...BETTER TOGETHER!

OUR BELIEF: Receiving the Lord’s Supper

The Apostle Paul wrote, "A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup." (1 Corinthians 11:28) In order to examine yourself before attending the Lord’s Supper, when offered, ask yourself the following questions:

1. Do I believe I am a sinner, and am I sorry for my sins?
2. Do I believe Jesus, by His death, offers me forgiveness for all my sins?
3. Do I believe I receive the body and blood of Jesus in and with the bread and wine? (They are not merely symbolically present.)
4. Do I truly desire to turn from my sinful ways?

If you are able to answer "yes" to these questions, we invite you to join us for the Lord’s Supper, when offered. Children and adults who cannot answer affirmatively are invited and encouraged to come forward for a blessing but should refrain from receiving the bread and wine.*

*For those who are unable, or prefer not to consume wine, cups with white grape juice are located in the center of the communion trays.

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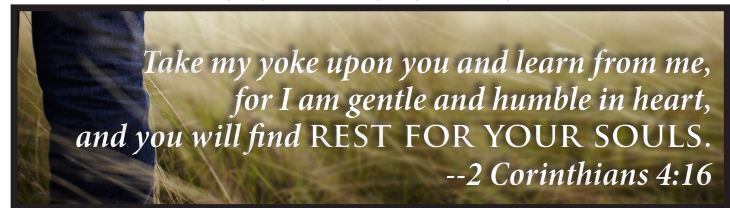
6:00 PM & 10:30 AM WORSHIP

May 11 & 12, 2019

PASTOR ERIC TRICKEY

PASTOR MARK GEARIG

PASTOR BILL GRUENINGER



Thought Before Worship

"Our life is frittered away by detail. Simplify, simplify."

--Henry David Thoreau

Call to Worship

Brand New Day

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Opening Praise

Open Up the Heavens

Goodness of God

Confession and Absolution

Lord, You are a God of order. You created all things to live in harmony with You, including us. Forgive us for the chaos we have created between ourselves and You, and between ourselves and others. Forgive us for the unnecessary and unhelpful complexity we build into our lives which leads us into busyness, burnout, and blame. Teach us to seek Your Kingdom first, and then trust that You will provide everything else we need. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

Words of Institution

Celebrating the Lord’s Supper

If you have not communed with us before, please read "Our Belief: Receiving the Lord’s Supper" located on the back page. We encourage families to commune together. Prayer Ministers will be at the back of the Worship Center to pray with you during this time.

Communion Songs

Lord I Need You

It Is Well



LOVE GOD. BUILD THE HOME. CHANGE THE WORLD.

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