

THIS WEEK @SPLDECATUR

Sunday 2/2

9:15 am Pastor's Class with Rev. Dr. Michael Ziegler, LHM
12:00 pm Membership @SPL Class (12-4pm Dining Room)
3:00 pm Pick-Up Basketball (Field House)

Monday 2/3

6:00 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (6:00-9:00am)
11:30 am Seniors Walk & Talk (11:30a-2:30p SPL Field House)

Tuesday 2/4

5:30 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (5:30-9:00am)
5:30 am Motivated by More Exercise (SPL Field House)
3:30 pm SPL Youth LoftTime (Field House 3:30pm, Loft 4:30pm)
6:30 pm Lay Ministry Meeting (Conference Room)

Wednesday 2/5

6:00 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (6:00-9:00am)
11:30 am Seniors Walk & Talk (11:30a-2:30p SPL Field House)
3:30 pm SPL Kids 5th/6th Grade LoftTime
5:30 pm F3 Dinner: Casserole Buffet
6:30 pm F3 Classes for All Ages

Thursday 2/6

5:30 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (5:30-9:00am)
5:30 am Motivated by More Exercise (SPL Field House)
6:30 am Men's Bible Study (Large Conference Room)
8:30 am LIFT Women's Fellowship (Dining Room)
4:00 pm Senior Outreach Team Meeting (Family Room)
5:30 pm Handbell Ensemble Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
6:00 pm Choir Potluck and Rehearsal (Dining Room/113)

Friday 2/7

6:00 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (6:00-9:00am)
11:30 am Seniors Walk & Talk (11:30a-2:30p SPL Field House)
6:00 pm SPL Kids Family Fun Night (Dining Room)

Saturday 2/8 Message: "No King but King Jesus"

7:00 am ManUP Men's Ministry (The Loft)
7:00 am Get Moving - Walk/Run @SPL (7:00-9:00am)
7:00 am Motivated by More Exercise (SPL Field House)
10:00 am AA Big Book Study (Room 122)
4:00 pm Contemporary Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
6:00 pm Contemporary Worship

Sunday 2/9 Message: "No King But King Jesus"

1:30 pm SPL Youth Winter Jam (Depart for St. Louis)
1:30 pm Second Sunday @SPL "Sleep & Stretching" (SPL Field House)

ROOTED EXPERIENCE GROUPS

Meeting throughout the week: Sunday 6:00pm, Monday 6:00pm (women),
Tuesday 10:30am, Wednesday 6:30pm, Saturday 7:00am (men)

WE WORSHIP BETTER TOGETHER!

Last Weekend in Worship: 775
Four Week Worship Average: 721

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

February 1 & 2, 2020

PASTOR ERIC TRICKEY

PASTOR MARK GEARIG

PASTOR BILL GRUENINGER



A Warm Welcome to

Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

Speaker, Lutheran Hour Ministries

Sharing today's message & leading

Pastor's Class on Sunday at 9:15am



Call to Worship

See a Victory

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Opening Praise

Crown Him With Many Crowns

All I Am

Confession and Absolution

Gracious Father, You have spoken clearly in Your Word that we have been chosen to declare Your wonderful deeds to a broken and confused world. Yet so often Lord, I come to You only to receive... more grace, more encouragement, more blessings. Forgive me for not clearly sharing Your love with the people in my life; for avoiding spiritual conversations; for keeping my faith under wraps when I should have shouted Your Good News. Cleanse me of these and all sins in the name of Jesus and ignite again Your Spirit's power in my heart. Amen.

Celebrating the Lord's Supper (Saturday Only)

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 available at the back of the Worship Center to pray with you during this time.

Words of Institution (Saturday Only)



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Communion Songs Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)
Who You Say I Am

Prayers of the Church & The Lord's Prayer
A handout with this week's prayers is available at the back of the Worship Center for those who would like to continue to pray for these concerns.

Baptism (Sunday 10:30am)

Offering Christ Be Magnified
Our offerings, gifts, and tithes are returned to Jesus in response to His sacrificial love for us. During the Offering time, please complete one of the worship cards found in the pew in front of you and pass it to the center aisle. Our staff will pray over any items you include in the prayer portion located on the back of your card.

Message "Bridge Builders"
Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

Blessing

Closing Song Lay Me Down

ROOTED IN CHRIST | COMMITMENT 2020

This week, complete the 2020 Commitment Card
Return your card in Worship February 8 & 9



MESSAGE NOTES

Series of horizontal lines for writing message notes.

FAMILY AND FAITH CELEBRATION - BAPTISM

During 10:30am worship, we celebrate the Baptism of Charlotte Elaine Force (12/31/19), daughter of Bethany and Garrick Force. Please welcome Charlotte and her family as she receives new life in Christ. Congratulations!



FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

Flowers on the Altar are placed to the glory of God and in celebration of Loretta Kendall's 75th Birthday from her children Loretta Smith, Tom Kendall and families.

WEEKLY NUDGE

Think through a conversation starter that you could use in almost any situation to begin to share Jesus.



Membership @SPL • SUNDAY

Have you considered making a commitment to membership? Join us for class this weekend (12-4pm) Sunday in the Dining Room and learn all about SPL. Interested in becoming a New Member Mentor? Contact Pastor Mark 423-6955.

MISSION: ST. LOUIS 2020 • REGISTER NOW

You can be one of the 100! Register NOW for MISSION: ST. LOUIS happening June 21-26, 2020 at Extreme Faith STL. Dig in to an incredible serve experience & get equipped for making a difference in the community. Connect with Pastor Mark & Pastor Bill (423-6955). REGISTER at SPLDECATUR.ORG

Servant Leader Appreciation Luncheon • February 23

Calling all Super Servant Leaders! We know not all superheros have capes and we want to celebrate all you do for the ministry of SPL. Come Sunday, February 23rd at 12pm (doors open 11:45am) for this event in your honor. Reserve your spot for lunch by contacting the Church Office at 423-6955 by February 19th.

Get Moving @SPL • For All Ages

Grab your walking shoes, bring a friend, and come out to SPL for a WALK/RUN Group Monday-Friday mornings (6:00-9:00AM) and Saturday mornings (7:00-9:00AM). Come anytime and walk indoors or outdoors. SENIOR WALK & TALK also in Field House 11:30-2:30pm M-W-F. MEN'S Basketball - Sundays at 3:00pm. Interested in serving as a greeter? Contact Gayle at galbs@aol.com

SPL ADULTS

SPL WOMEN

Bible Study • Regular times will return in March (Study/Date TBA) Mondays 6:00pm is a Women's group for The Rooted Experience thru 2/24
LIFT WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP • February 6th at 8:30am (Cell Phone tips)
LWML Mite Box Collection • Return Mite Boxes to SPL (Fellowship Area)
SECOND SUNDAY @SPL • February 9th at 1:30pm - SPL Field House
This one's for the girls! It's "Sleep and Stretching for the Stressed Out Sister" presented by Wellness Coach Melanie Brown. Free event! Come ready to learn and to stretch! Bring a mat if you have one. Exercises will be modified for those that need to remain in a chair.

SPL ManUP MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Bible Study • Saturday mornings 7:00am, The Loft
Bible Study • Thursdays 6:30am, Conference Room

SPL KIDS

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Worship: Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning (During Message Time): Ages 6 weeks-3 years (Nursery), 3 years-K (Rm 206), 1st-4th Grade (Great Rm)
Sunday Education (9:15am): PreK-K (Room 211), Gr. 1-4 (Great Room), Gr. 5-6 (Family Rm)
BUILDING BLOCKS - For Parents/Caretakers and Children 0-3yrs (Sunday Rm 203)
5th/6th Grade LoftTime: Wednesdays 3:30-5:30pm (during Winter F3)
SPL Kids F3: Classes on Wednesday at 6:30pm (thru February 19)
Early Communion: Class for 6th Grade Parents & Students, Sundays 9:15am beginning March 1st (4 weeks). Register at SPLDECATUR.ORG
SPL Kids Family Fun Night • February 7th 6-8pm
Games, music, dancing, food & fun! Family ticket \$5.00 - Now available in the Fellowship Area and online at SPLDECATUR.ORG (one ticket per family)
Watch for updates at facebook.com/groups/SPLKids & via email.

SPL YOUTH

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Youth Gr 9-12 • Sunday Mornings at 9:15am in The Loft
Confirmation Gr 7 & 8 • Sundays at 9:15am (Rm 122)
LoftTime Gr 7-12 • Tuesdays 3:30-5:30pm (When school is in session)
Wednesday Night @ TheLoft • Wednesdays at 6:30pm
Winter Jam • February 9th - Ticket+Travel \$20
Join us in St. Louis | Depart SPL 2/9 1:30pm | Register at SPLDECATUR.ORG

LSA

LUTHERAN SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

LEAP for LSA: Don't miss the LSA Dinner Auction happening on Leap Day, February 29th (MTZ Conv. Ctr) 5:00-11:00pm. Cash Bar, Appetizers, Silent Auction. Dinner at 6:30pm (Catered by Nelson's) followed by Live Auction (7:30pm) & live music. Tix \$55. Call 233-2001 or go to https://www.facebook.com/itsgreattobeanLSALion/