



Newsletter

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A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR

Deuteronomy 8:2 ceb

2 Remember the long road on which the Lord your God led you during these forty years in the desert so he could humble you, testing you to find out what was in your heart: whether you would keep his commandments or not.

Greetings, siblings in Christ!

This week, as I joyfully return to our worship, we will be exploring the scripture out of Deuteronomy (first verse above) that challenges us to remember what God has done for us in the past. We have talked about this before in our worship, the Israelite peoples' practice of recalling the faithfulness of God in their lives, but I wonder when was the last time you practiced this ritual? Taking stock of what God has done for us, even NAMING it out loud, can go a long way in strengthening our faith and re-establishing our gratefulness.

If you can, take some time before Sunday to truly think of all God has done for you—in your life, in this season, even in this month. Take time not just to think about it, but actually to name it. Create a list if that's helpful, and then look back over it before you come on Sunday morning. And if one of those things you are grateful for is a friend or neighbor in your life, show them by inviting them to join you in church this Sunday, where we will spend some time naming some gratefulness together.

Yours In Christ

PASTOR GLEN

PRAYER CONCERNS

Reesor/Stuart Family and their friend Pam; Cindy Andrews; Lettie Morse; Margo Petracek; Janet & Ray Iggulden; family & friends of Bev Mesey; Jan (Tracey Richmond); Aunt Judy France (Jennie Dent); Peter Schüren, Mike Reilly, & Mark Gudde (Debbie Lund); Jerry Chulick (Jo Ann Claywell); Mary Schiller & family (Connie Kroenung); Randy R. (Beth Anderson); Pat Delf, Marian Ruffle, and Ruth Hille (Marcia Kennon); individuals & families affected by the St. Louis tornadoes and those who are helping them; and prayers for strength and wisdom for our country's leaders and for good decisions here and around the world.

Strengthen your faith with

INTENTIONAL PRAYER



Please come for a time of being present to God as we pray in a small group setting.

Sunday, July 13th, 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Chapel

Email Linda Shantz at lindawshantz@gmail.com with questions.

The MOUNTAIN SERVICE

SCHEDULE *July*



@themountainsservice

THIS WEEK

Worship Service With Communion

Thursday,
July 10, 2025

Guest Leader:
Beth Anderson



Fellowship Hall

Thursday, July 17 at 7:30pm
Group Discussion - Space Room

Thursday, July 24 at 7:30pm
Group Discussion - Space Room

Thursday, July 31 at 7:30pm
Group Discussion - Space Room

Thursday, August 7 at 7:30pm - Fellowship Hall
Worship Service with communion



**American
Red Cross**

Community of Giving

Community Blood Drive

**July 22, 2025
2 pm – 6 pm**

Webster United Methodist
600 North Bompart

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We Look Forward to Seeing You

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Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

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"Gateway To A New Life"

**Join us at 7pm, Thursday, July 24,
for a free screening of this St. Louis-
based documentary and a panel
discussion about immigration in
greater St. Louis.**



"As we enter a time of uncertainty about the future of immigrants in the United States 'Gateway to a New Life' runs counter to the current rhetoric by showing that immigrants enrich the cities in which they settle." – DIRECTOR KATHY BRATKOWSKI

Hosted by Webster Hills UMC, in its Christian Life Center
1333 W. Lockwood Ave., Glendale, MO
Registration requested, not required.
www.gatewaytoanewlifefilm.com

Scan To RSVP



HATS OFF TO WUM EPWORTH

JUNE VOLUNTEERS



Every other month United Women in Faith with congregational support provide 5 meals that help feed at-risk and homeless youth who come to the Epworth Drop In Center on 7520 Natural Bridge Road. Lead Street Outreach worker Jenn Deaton says that during the summer the number of youth needing services increases.

The following nineteen persons made up this month's volunteer team: Joan Ballam, Sharon Vreeland, Ellen Hendrickson, Cindy Andrews, Maggie Stevens, Jennie Dent, Nancy Philips-Kuelker, Polly Williamson, Louise Thomas, Dianne Wallace, Stan Richert, Teresa Woelbling, Katie Renkins, Donna LaVoie, Tracey Richmond, Michelle Hostmeyer, Janet Iggulden, and Linda Guth Stangl: preparing, shopping, delivering or making a cash donation to cover some purchased food.

If you would like to help with a meal in August, contact Carolyn Redmore at 314-249-8215

SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY!



Grades: K – 6th

Location: Webster United Methodist
600 North Bompert Avenue,
Webster Groves, MO 63119

Dates: July 14 – 18, 2025

Time & Cost: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM |
\$295 (before discount)

Camp Director: Erin Gerth |
erin.gerth321@gmail.com

Register at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://www.invent.org/camp) or
800-968-4332



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Thanks to the generous support from the Employees Community Fund of Boeing St. Louis and General Motors, a limited number of need-based scholarships are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Families interested in financial assistance should contact Erin Gerth at erin.gerth321@gmail.com.