

CONCORDIA CONNECT - HIGHLIGHTS

September 6, 2026

Shaped By Christ... To Share His Love!

Today's Theme

God's laws are just. His prophets and pastors exercise authority in condemning sin, wickedness, and evil. Inequities cannot be ignored; all are subject to God's authority. We are also subject to earthly governments and authorities who strive to restrain unruly behavior. As Citizens in both kingdoms, our conduct should reflect humility, love, duty, and honesty. As members of the church, it is just that we are called to care for and regain unrepentant sinners.

Today's Lessons

Ezekiel 33:7-9

"Warn the wicked"

Romans 13:1-10

"There is no authority except from God"

Matthew 18:1-20

"If your brother sins against you . . . "

Connect with Staff

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Church & School Staff:

Tressa Cline Brooke Robinson
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Sympathy to: Gary Reeder on the death of his father, John Reeder.

Seminary Student: Lamar Stewart

Missionaries: Rev. Jason & Emily Groth, Belize
Rev. Jonathan Anderson, Panama

Military:

Eric Galloway Kendall Hamm Tony Sherrill
Christopher Walker Jaylen Joyner Nathan Malin
Amber Miller Clay Weedman Madison Jordan

Friends:

Eli Ames
Greg Sigmon
Nathan Brown
Marsha McNair
Ginger Sermons

Connect - Highlights deadline is noon on Wednesday and pertains to items happening on Sundays only.

Nursery Hours

8:45a - 12:15p

Located down the main hall off the sanctuary on the right-hand side, just a few doors past the office area. Look for the sign.

Greeters Today:

(9:00) Paul & Sandy Von Rentzell
(11:00) Paul & Frances Hale

Lectors Today:

(9:00) David Isenhower
(11:00) Steve Dunker

Emmaus Room Reception:

Board of Assimilation

Greeters Next Week:

(9:00) Bill & Nita Stewart
(11:00) Jessica Huffman

Lectors Next Week:

(9:00) Susan Harman
(11:00) Stephanie Guelzow

Fellowship next week:

Cindy Sigmon

Trustees for September:

Martha Staley
Terry Kuchenbecker

Altar Guild for September:

Stephanie Guelzow
Joyce Pugh

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 6

Installation of Cory Westby - Both Services

9a Worship & Communion

10:10a Christian Education

11a Worship & Communion

Monday, September 7

Labor Day

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, September 8

9a Staff Devotion & Meeting

11:30 PrimeTimers

12p Concordia Connect - News Email arrives in your inbox.

6p Day School Board

6:30p Elders

Wednesday, September 9

7a Ladies' Bible Study - EM

8:10 CCDS Chapel - Sanctuary

Thursday, September 10

6:30a Men's Bible Study

2p Pastor's Bible Study - EM

6p Trustees

Friday, September 11

CCDS 5th- 8th Grade attend 911

Sunday, September 13

9a Worship & Communion

10:10a Christian Education

Full Church Bible Study Starts

11a worship & Communion

Sunday Christian Education begins at 10:10a.

EDU 1 - Preschool 3 - K

EDU 3 - 1st - 3rd Grade

EDU 7 - 4th - 5th Grade

EDU 6 - 6th - 8th Grade Confirmation

EDU 8 - Adults

EDU 9 - Adults

Emmaus Room - Adults

Library - Adults



Birthdays and Anniversaries Sept. 6 - Sept 12

If your name is missing from one of these lists, please let the church office know,
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Birthdays: Brandon Bryan, Sharon White, Tracie Gerken, Emmalyn Walker, Curtis Burns, Clydie Beal, Jacob Matthews, Isaac Matthews, Dana Biehler, Nathan Malin

Wedding Anniversaries: Michael & Tracie Gerken, Steve & Betsy Murray, Dale & Dianne Lawing

Just the Facts:

General Fund Offerings: \$ 9,184

Budget Needs: \$ 19,407

Attendance: 218

Online Giving: \$ 2,335

Member of the Week: Nancy Bolick - PO Box 553, Conover, NC 28613.