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May-June 2018

POG Post

From the Desk of the Minister of Administration

In 2018, we are POG: PRESENT, OPEN, GROWING.

Thanks be to God! Warmer weather has finally arrived! I am enjoying watching the flowering trees burst into action, the flowers growing and the grass greening. Michigan is indeed beautiful in the spring/summer.

May is promising to be full of action. Sunday, May 6 was Confirmation Sunday. On that day, Penelope Gackenbach, Savannah Gurley, Melanie Riedel and Isabelle Vartanian affirmed their baptisms and became adult members of Prince of Glory. Congratulations, beautiful ladies!

On Sunday, May 20, we will celebrate First Communion. At this time I do not have a confirmed list of those celebrating their first communion, but there will be a nice group of children.

Refresher courses for current Stephen Ministers will be on May 14, 21 and June 4. **All current Stephen Ministers are expected to complete all classes unless cleared with Pastor Bob.**

More important dates to remember: Sunday, May 27 will be the first Sunday of summer hours; worship will be at 9 & 10:30 a.m. on Sundays. The office is closed on Monday, May 28, for Memorial Day.

Lastly, we send our heartfelt condolences to the following families on the loss of a recent loved one:

- The family of Carol Long
- The family of Ray Wanttaja

Until next month...

Debbie

Note from the Editor

Starting with this issue, moving forward, the POG Post will be published in alternate months. If you would like something included in the July-August issue, please email newsletter@princeofglory.org by June 22.

Supporting the Good Shepherd Food Pantry

Throughout the year, POG collects items to help stock the food pantry at Good Shepherd Lutheran church in Royal Oak. You can place any donated item on the metal shelving unit or in the plastic laundry basket in the narthex.

During the month of May, we're collecting canned tuna or chicken; shampoo and conditioner.
During the month of June, we're collecting peanut butter, jelly and jam; toilet paper.

Save the Date

Praise in the Park at Jimmy John's Field in Utica will be on **July 22**. More details to come.

Wednesday Activities Group Schedule

Date	Event	Details
5/9	Bible study	11:30 a.m.
5/16	Restaurant	
5/23	Bible study	11:30 a.m.
5/30	Oh My Lolli! & custard shop tour	Driver: J. Thompson
Sunday, 6/24	"Burt & Me" (music by Burt Bacharach) at Meadow Brook Theatre; dinner afterward	\$27.20; be @ POG @ 1 pm, show @ 2 pm

Upcoming Primetimers Events

Date	Event	Event Owners
May (tbd)	"Sherlock" at Purple Rose Theatre	Clyde & Connie Hietikko
June/July (tbd)	Trips to Grosse Ile, Jimmy John's Field	
August (tbd)	"Willow Run" at Purple Rose Theatre	Sharon Davis
September 15	Planning Meeting/Potluck	Ron & Judy Carmona

Upcoming Servants and Schedules

Assisting Ministers

Date	Servants
May 6	9:00 – Coleen Genette 11:15 – Fran Spry
May 13	9:00 – Rick Lee 11:15 – cont. band
May 20	9:00 – Jack Erickson 11:15 – Samantha Pollock
May 27	9:00 – Ron Carmona 10:30 – Dexter Thor
June 3	9:00 – Coleen Genette 10:30 – Fran Spry
June 10	9:00 – Rick Lee 10:30 – cont. band
June 17	9:00 – Jack Erickson 10:30 – Arlene Pollock
June 24	9:00 – Ron Carmona 10:30 – Dexter Thor

Communion Assistants

Date	Servants
May 6	9:00 – Jo Logan 11:15 – Larry Tikkanen
May 13	9:00 – Rebecca Greenway 11:15 – Chuck Davis
May 20	9:00 – C. Charpentier-Hankins 11:15 – Arlene Pollock
May 27	9:00 – Gina Thompson 10:30 – Larry Tikkanen
June 3	9:00 – Jo Logan 10:30 – Chuck Davis
June 10	9:00 – Rebecca Greenway 10:30 – Larry Tikkanen
June 17	9:00 – Cheryl Charpentier-Hankins 10:30 – Samantha Pollock
June 24	9:00 – Gina Thompson 10:30 – Heather Rockensuess

Lay Readers

Date	Servants
May 6	9:00 – Ron Carmona 11:15 – Bonnie Schwab
May 13	9:00 – Arlene Pollock 11:15 – Arlene Pollock
May 20	9:00 – Lori Bluhm 11:15 – Lori Bluhm
May 27	9:00 – Cheryl Charpentier-Hankins 10:30 – Chris Purtell

VBS Is Coming: July 23 — 27



The poster is designed to look like a piece of torn paper with a scalloped edge. At the top left is a circular logo with a cross and the text "PEOPLE OF ALL GENERATIONS" and "PRINCE OF GLORY". In the center is an illustration of a shipwrecked ship on a small island with palm trees, with the word "SHIPWRECKED" in large, 3D block letters. Below the ship, it says "RESCUED BY JESUS". The main title "SHIPWRECKED" is in large, bold, black letters, followed by "VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL" in a slightly smaller, bold, black font. The dates "July 23 - 27, 2018" and times "9:30 AM - 12:15 PM" are listed below. The location "Prince of Glory Lutheran Church" and "1357 W. 14 Mile, Madison Heights" is provided. A paragraph of text describes the theme: "Venture onto an uncharted island where kids survive and thrive! Anchor kids in the truth that Jesus carries them through life's storms. For ages 3 years - 5th grade." At the bottom, it says "For more information call (248) 588-4652".

SHIPWRECKED
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 23 - 27, 2018
9:30 AM - 12:15 PM

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Register or donate online: <https://vbspro.events/p/events/princeofgloryvbs>

POG College Scholarship Program

Most of you have seen the pictures on the wall at the end of the hallway showing our POG college scholarship students. We thought it might be of interest to those of you not familiar with this program to learn more about it.

Nineteen years ago, a private endowment was made to POG to provide modest financial scholarships to POG students who qualify with the requirements. These scholarships are for \$500 (for tuition, fees or books) per semester (\$1,000 per school year) for up to \$4,000 total for four years of college for a bachelor's or associate degree.

Funds for these scholarships come from the endowment and do not include any funds from the operating income of the church. The review and decisions regarding applications are made by the POG Scholarship Committee.

Applying active POG youth are required to complete and submit to the Committee a separate application for each semester. The basic requirements to potentially be eligible for a scholarship include:

- Attending a public state of Michigan university, a state community college or any ELCA university
- Enrolling in a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester (unless extenuating circumstances) and maintaining a minimum GPA of 2.0
- Continuing participation in worship and activities at POG or church activities at the attending school

Through 2017, 48 POG college students have received scholarships totaling \$125,000.

Application letters will be sent in mid July to POG college students continuing their college programs and to POG high school students we expect may be applying to colleges.

*Sincerely,
Prince of Glory Scholarship Committee*