Greetings in Christ and Welcome to May!

**Bulletin insert:** The Lutheran Island Camp Telephone Registration jamboree is going on this weekend. Simply call the camp number and leave your name, phone number, and the event your child is registering for. If you haven't been to camp before, please provide additional information such as age and address or you can register online at any time.

Thanks for help on **Spring Work Weekend!** We had workers from Redeemer Willmar, Zion Alexandria, Messiah Sartell, Christ Elbow Lake, Zion Hoffman, Zion Ada, Grace Breckenridge, and St. Paul Henning. Thank you all for your help!

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of **Gerry Lundwall** who passed away April 29<sup>th</sup>. Gerry's wife, Alice is a long-time camper in our Quilting Retreats and many family members have been campers and staff. Praise be to God that eternal life is Gerry's gift to celebrate.

**Family Reunions** are a great way to enjoy Lutheran Island Camp and Christ Serve Ranch. Give us a call or email to get the process going for this year, next year or for 2021.

**Tree planting** has been going on at Christ Serve Ranch this week. 19,500 trees will be planted. That is in addition to the nearly 7,000 that were planted 4 years ago will provide quite a forest for future generations.

Our thanks to the group of ladies from Henning and Deer Creek who came out yesterday to help get the clothing organized for the Camp Store. We also had visitors from Hinckley and from Maine. Our Building New Bridges campaign cabinet was also at camp.

## **Summer 2019 Program Highlight:**

## Trailblazer/Voyageur Night Owl Camp

Some children are just made to be night owls. This will be the camp for them as we shift the schedules by 6 hours and they stay up until 3:00 am. Breakfast will be served at noon. Some new, nighttime activities will provide our night owls with some fun and adventure.

Age: Trailblazer (7-11) and Voyageur (12-14)

Date: June 9-14

**Rate:** \$310 **Deposit:** \$75

This weekend (Friday through Sunday) we will be having a **Telephone Registration Jamboree**. If your child is a past camper, simply give us a call and give us the camper's name and the event they want to attend. That's it. No deposit at this time. New campers will need to spend a few minutes but not more than 4-5 minutes. This telephone jamboree is intended to make registration quick and easy and it helps us plan for the summer.

## **Question and Answer:**

Question: Usually we receive a spring mailing from camp but haven't this year.

**Answer:** We have had a few problems this spring. We have had some staff illness and some software problems. We are hoping to get something out in the next week or so. In the meantime, visit our websites to make an online donation.

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