



LAMB OF GOD LUTHERAN CHURCH, COLUMBUS, OH  
**WEEKLY NEWS & NOTES**

APRIL 30, 2017

**CROSS-CULTURAL OUTREACH WORKSHOP**

How do we overcome linguistic and cultural barriers to share the Gospel with those who live around us and speak Spanish (or other non-English languages)? Join us Saturday, May 6, at 9:30 am, for a special presentation by WELS Hispanic Ministry Consultant Tim Flunker.

This workshop will identify cultural barriers and explain how we can overcome those barriers. We will address the “cultural Catholicism” that many Latinos profess.



We will also look at a variety of methods by which a small group of volunteers can reach an ethnic minority population that is gathering in one place.

We encourage all of our members to attend to learn about our neighbors and help us determine whether this is a viable ministry opportunity to pursue.

Lunch will be served at about noon, following the presentation.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING, WORK DAY**

Our next Congregational meeting will be after worship next Sunday, May 7. All members are encouraged to attend to hear updates and provide input on our ministry together.

Our spring cleanup/work day will be on Saturday, May 20, beginning at 9:00am. There will be tasks inside and outside to keep our property looking good to the glory of God. Come and lend a hand!

**CELEBRATING 50 YEARS!**

God’s richest blessings to Ellis and Joann Blinsky! “We invite the members of Lamb of God to join us in celebrating 50 years together.” The Golden

Anniversary Celebration is on Saturday, May 20th, at 4:30pm, 4289 Co Rd 20 in Mount Gilead. Please RSVP to the Blinskys.

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**Give Thanks  
 to the Lord!**

Attendance (4/23)	
Worship:	45
Sunday Bible Study:	14
Children’s Sunday School:	8

## ALPHA CENTER LIFE WALK

The annual LIFE WALK to benefit the Alpha Pregnancy Help Center will be Saturday, May 13. We will take a morning walk/run (rain or shine) around Schiller Park in German Village to raise funds and show support for the life-saving work that is being done at the center as well as upholding the God-given value of every human life, from conception to natural death.

Registration begins at 8:30 am at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 322 Stewart Ave, Columbus, with the walk/run starting at 9:00 am. More information

will be coming out soon. If you cannot walk but would like to make a donation, please contact Cindy Greiner, member of St. Paul's, at 614-804-4773 or [cindy@justasking.org](mailto:cindy@justasking.org). All checks should be made out to "WELS Lutherans For Life Metro-Columbus".

Would you or your company like to be a LIFE WALK Sponsor? All sponsors will be listed on the registration/pledge form as well as on the back side of the t-shirts. Please contact Cindy Greiner if you would like to support life in this way. Thank you!

## WELS COLUMBUS ASCENSION SERVICE

Join fellow Christians from all over central Ohio to celebrate the Festival of the Ascension of our Lord on Thursday, May 25, at 7:00 pm, at Beautiful Savior

Lutheran Church, 2213 White Rd, Grove City. Refreshments will be served following the service.

## RETURN TO GRACE LUTHER MOVIE

The four Columbus area WELS congregations have organized a joint viewing of the new movie, *A Return to Grace – Luther's Life and Legacy*. The viewing will be on **Wednesday, May 31, at 6:30 pm**, at the Marcus Crosswoods Cinema (200 Hutchinson

Ave, Columbus). Tickets must be purchased in advance, and information on how to do that will be available shortly. For now, simply save the date! You can watch a trailer for the movie at [vimeo.com/194987636](http://vimeo.com/194987636).

## PRAYER REQUESTS



Please keep in your prayers this week:

- Shut-ins: Kitty, Dot, Monty, Jeri
- Military (or reserves): Garrett, Dane
- College Students: Ian, Janet, Zoe, Matthew
- Lucile Hart, who recently fell and broke her collar bone

*Request prayers of your pastor and/or your fellow Christians using a prayer request form by the mailboxes or online at [LambofGodColumbus.org/prayers](http://LambofGodColumbus.org/prayers)*

Happy Birthday!  
May 4—Otto Chen

## This Week: May 1-7

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Ohio Pastoral Conference—Marietta, OH	Ohio Pastoral Conference—Marietta, OH		6:15pm—Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm—Bible Basics Class		9:30am—Cross-Cultural Outreach Awareness Workshop	9:15am—Sunday School and Bible Study 10:30am—Worship 11:45am—Congregational Meeting

### Serving at Lamb of God May 1-6

- Cleaning: Ross Family
- Bulletins: Micaiah Wagner
- Lawn Mowing: Brian Burrows

### Serving at Lamb of God May 7

- Accompanist: Elisabeth Wagner
- Counters: A. Wintrich and D. Szczublewski
- Ushers: Jerry Ross and Brian Burrows
- Bible Study Refreshments: Chen Family