

Sermon Notes
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God's power is _____ than any other.

"God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, 21far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come." (Eph 1:20-21)

Jesus promises to _____.

"...It is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you." (John 16:7)

The Spirit gives us power to be _____.

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." (Acts 1:8)

We are empowered to _____.

"For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." (Eph. 2:10)

What ministry has God empowered you to do here in our community?

NEWS AND EVENTS

Good Samaritan Thrift Boutique

NOW OPEN AT THE LAKES CAMPUS

Our Thrift Boutique is officially open! We are currently accepting donations! See the welcome center for a full donation list, volunteer opportunities, and hours. Please note - the thrift shop will be closed for Memorial Day on May 28 & 29.

Senior Ministry Hike

SATURDAY, MAY 27 | 7:00AM | WETLANDS PARK

All are welcome to join! Meet at Wetlands Loop Trailhead at 7am. Contact Lisa Carson at 702.592.5750 or lisacarson@msn.com.

Potluck Ministry Celebration!

JUNE 4 | 10:30-12:30 | LAKES CAMPUS

We hope to see YOU Sunday, June 4th as we welcome new members, officially launch the Good Sam Thrift Boutique, and rejoice in 33 years of ministry at Sahara and Cimarron! Hot dogs and hamburgers will be on the grill - bring your favorite side dish or dessert! We'll have music, the bounce house, and fun for all ages!

Honor Thy Father Blood Drive

SUNDAY, JUNE 18 | 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM | WINDMILL CAMPUS

Every two seconds, someone in the U.S. needs blood. The entire process is very safe and very fast, and you will feel amazing knowing you potentially saved up to three people. Schedule your appointment at goodsamvlv.com.

Now Hiring @ Good Samaritan Christian Academy

OPEN POSITIONS IN PRESCHOOL & ELEMENTARY

Interested in making a difference in the lives of children? Our academy is currently hiring for preschool and elementary positions. Contact Mrs. Dake at 702.301.2020.

Food Distribution Ministry

1st & 3rd SATURDAYS | WINDMILL CAMPUS

Make a difference in the lives of others by volunteering with our food distribution ministry. Our food distribution ministry is serving over 50 families twice a month. Want to learn more about serving on this ministry? Contact Pastor Don at dlorfling@goodsamvlv.com.

Bible Study

THURSDAYS | 10:00 AM | CHAPEL | WINDMILL CAMPUS

Our last Bible study before breaking for the summer will be May 25. Bible study will resume following Labor Day.

PRAYER MINISTRY

Grief - Loss of Loved One(s)

The family of Deputy Kaitie Leising ; The congregation of Our Savior's Lutheran in Rogerat the murder of a member by her husband; Anne & family at the loss of her mother

Health – Cancer

Lindsey Caruso - recovering from surgery; Tommie Quisenberry - breast cancer and other health issues; Jane Forbes - strength; Carol Connor - strength; Phil - not doing well; Cheryl - chemotherapy; Jen - continued healing; Bill - chemo finished, pray for strength and healing; Kelly - good results from tests of cancer treatments; Judy - brain cancer; Zoey's mom - chemo and for Zoey who is caring for the family; Debbie Sandillo - breast cancer and upcoming surgery; Jackie Kopka - awaiting test results concerning ovarian cancer; Kelsie Barry - brain cancer and depression; Charles Perry - healing from surgery; Pam Long - healing

Health – General

Jack and Andrea McDonald - recovering from car accident; Brad - healing for a bone infection; surgery and recovery; Mary - several major health problems; Warren Waage - hospitalized due to stroke; healing; Jerry Connor - good test results for upcoming test; Andrew Z. - recovery from coma; Jennie Long - kidneys; Mike English - health; Luke's neighbor who fell and hurt knee; Eric J. - health issues; Lynda Bennes' sister, Donna - dying; on life support; Christina - healing and strength; Karen's father in ICU recovering from stroke; Lynn Scholtes - recovery from emergency surgery; Brian Carlin - improved health; Stephanie T. - knee issues/possible surgery; Marcella Gill - recovering/healing from fall; Donna Hall - knee surgery recovery; Sherry O'Rourke - continued healing; Diane D. - healing after fall; Judy, Shane and Chad - healing; Keith - strength, healing; Jason Brasier - health and healing, good biopsy results; Wanda Heatherly - surgery; Sandy - recovery after surgery; Jack MacManus - health; Dave & Jan Larson - continued strength; Jerry and Karen Petts - strength; Rosie O'Brien - strength and healing, good test results from latest biopsy; Barbara Fanslow - strength and healing; Doug and Pam Cornford - healing; Dorothy M. - health; Carol White - health; Carol and Bob Van Der Linda - health and strength; Mrs. Schwartz - biopsy results

General Request(s)

Corrina Ortega; Gilbert family - health, finances - pray for God's blessings; Nina and Lance - to pass the NCLEX exam; Kipruto - do his best during an important race; Des, on deployment - pray for safety and health; Lynn S. - health, healing and safe travels; Alex - school; David - guidance and strength; Maddi - niece of member Kirk Hultgren, missing since March 31

Spiritual/Emotional/etc

Brittany, Miranda, Tyler, Amber, Brayden, Hayden and Rayleigh as they remember their mom - Randy Hammer's daughter, Marci; Davey C. - get off drugs; Ed and Sandy - strength and love; Karen - nearing the end of days; Jay - severe depression; Sandy's daughter to realize what is best for her and her boys and not to succumb to Satan's temptations; Milt - peace and comfort; Melinda - peace and strength; Alyssa - faith, peace; Karen - strength, faith and hope; Danny - addictions; Bobby and Kelly - salvation

Thanks and praise

Praise and thanks to God for Lynn's healing from major surgery

WAYS TO GIVE



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