

OUR MINISTRY TOGETHER

	Saturday, May 25	Sunday, May 26
Accompanist	Emily Dalthorp	Dave Blumer
Altar Care		Denise Rehor
Ushers	Chuck and Bert Ann Ray	Kevin and Kathy Johnson
Lector		Graduates

May 18 and 19

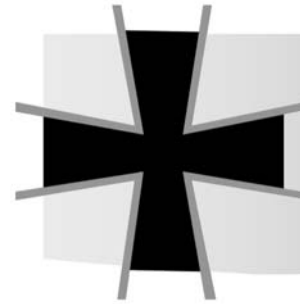
We Worship	Saturday	35
God	Sunday	86

In 2019-2020 Memorial seeks to be a place growing faith in ourselves and others through flexible and inclusive worship, learning and service experiences.

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The
SUNDAY MESSENGER
The Sixth Sunday of Easter and Bacculaureate
May 26, 2019

TODAY

We Celebrate Our High School Graduates. Our worship this Sunday includes the Bacculaureate with our high school graduates. The graduates and their parents have an opportunity to bless one another. We conclude worship in the courtyard and extend our own blessing upon the students. Memorial's high school graduates are Tony Adelmund, Aiden Alderson, Caroline Ausman, Alexis Black, Samantha Black, Riley Bremer, Jack Cahill, Hannah Earles, Mikayla Long, Megan Mumm, Kelby Rewerts, Jacob Sanders, Breanna Schumer, Devin See, Wyatt Stansbery, Nathan Tanner, and Colby Vincent.

2019 Ministry Endowment Grant Applications Are Ready. The Ministry Endowment Board invites you to apply for a 2019 grant. Grants are awarded for ministries here at Memorial, ministry projects in our community, and global ministry projects. **The deadline for applications is Friday, July 26, at Noon.** Please note this is earlier than past years.

THIS WEEK

Check Out the New Church Directory and Add Your Photo. The new directory is underway. You can access the directory to add your own photo or update information. You can also access a booklet copy using the link on Memorial's home page. Printed copies will be available from the church office in a few weeks after more photos have been added. A suggested donation of \$5 for print copy is welcome to cover the cost.

Church Office Closed for Memorial Day. Regular office hours resume on Tuesday, May 28.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

It's Easy to Remember Memorial Over the Summer Months. Did you know you can sign up for automatic giving and choose to enroll just for the summer? Did you know you can just text a donation to Memorial whenever the mood hits you? See Deacon Jodi if you would like to explore either of these options to help sustain Memorial's ministries over the summer months even when you might be away.

SAVE THE DATE-Community Vacation Bible School on July 7-11. A community Vacation Bible School is planned for a Sunday through Thursday the first full week of July at First United Methodist. The children will gather under a theme of Caring for the Neighborhood. It begins each night with a light dinner. The children move through rotations of learning, music, games and service. Watch for more details and registration soon.

Why Are You Proud to be Part of Memorial? This question was posed at the Council Forum on April 28 and to the 7th and 8th grade students and their parents during class on May 1. Over and over again the responses included the words welcome, connection, and inclusiveness. A more extensive report will be given by the officers on June 8 and 9.

Care Center Devotions in June. Memorial partners with other area churches to lead devotions each Wednesday at four of Nevada's care centers or senior residences. In June Memorial is scheduled to lead devotions on June 12 and June 19. Devotions are at two places each morning beginning at 9:30 am and the second location at 10:00 am. If you would be willing to share a word and prayer with the residents, please sign up on your Sent to Serve.

Help With Carpet Removal. Over the past couple of months there has been work on the pastor's offices and bathroom. A new ceiling and lighting have been installed. The next step is to replace the carpeting in the northwest office to be prepared for our Interim Pastor. To save money, we can remove the old carpet. If you would be willing to help remove the carpet, please sign up on your Sent to Serve slip.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday May 26	8:00 am 9:00 am	Baccalaureate Breakfast Worship w/Baccalaureate
Monday May 27		<i>Memorial Day-Office Closed</i>
Tuesday May 28		
Wednesday May 29		
Thursday May 30	9:00 am 4:30 pm 5:30 pm	Staff Meeting Harmony Clothing Closet Open Food at First Nevada
Friday May 31		
Saturday June 1	5:00 pm	Evening Communion
Sunday June 2	9:00 am	Worship