



6.1.2026 Open Arms Weekly News

Scripture for the week:

“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

MINISTRY NEEDS

Charitable Organization Establishment Do you or someone you know have knowledge of 501c3's? Can you assist Open Arms in establishing one? Would you have any background in laying the groundwork for it? Speak with Pastor Eddie or Ken Kincaid. FOUNDATION NAME: *Beacon of Blessings*

MONDAY MEN'S WORK CREW meets every Monday at 6:00pm to work on projects around the church and day care. If you are handy and are looking to share your skills, contact Don Wellman to get involved! **ON HOLD FOR THE SUMMER**

AMPLIFY – a fully integrated e-giving, check-in, directory, scheduling, and “stay connected” system – is LIVE! Be sure to get connected to see weekly newsletters, view livestreams, see the directory, as well as give your offering each week. If you have questions, contact Debbie (dreszke@openarmscenter.com).

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

Vacation Bible School registration is now OPEN! This year's theme is “Faith on the Farm: Growing in God's Love”. Scan the QR codes to register or click the tab in the Amplify app! Would you like to help with VBS? Contact Noel Gee for more info – noel.granger16@gmail.com

DIG INTO THE WORD

Youth Bible Study (9th through 12th grade) will be meeting in room 234 (North Hallway past the restrooms) after Worship on Sunday's. Bible study lasts approximately 30 minutes. If you have any questions or want to learn more, look for Tom Griffin or Kara Garcia. Our current study is in the book of Romans.

Men's Bible Study is held on the 3rd and 4th Tuesdays, at 6:30 pm, in the Upper Room. For the four remaining Bible Study sessions prior to our summer break, we will be reviewing the topic of the early Christian Church. The sessions will involve an informative DVD, an overview of the Book of the Acts, scripture readings, and discussions focused upon the early church vs the current church. The sessions will be held in the Upper Room, at 6:30 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Dave at ferber_david@yahoo.com

B.L.T Basic Lutheran Teaching - members are encouraged to join the class to learn more and dive deeper into their faith! We invite lifelong members to join as well to discover hidden gems of their faith as they continue their faith journey.

PRAYER REQUESTS AND INTENTIONS

Let's pray for those who are grieving: Barb Green, Gajda Family, Beverly's cousin Ted

Let's pray for those who are sick: Sherry, Linda, Ron, Jason, Clydine, Gaige, Daryl Cutter, Daycare children, Barbara Jean, Richard Red, Richard, Ian, Nola, Kelly, Lennie, Colton, Kevin, Bob Rayer, Knox, Charlie and his father & mother, Dean O'Kelly, Kim Hoeft, Linda Derrick, Dan Mecker, Katie O'Kelley, Joe O'Kelley

Let's pray for those in need of prayer: Mildred, Aubree, Sarah, Tina, Danielle, Olena, Daycare Staff, Chelsey, Danielle, Christina, Tyler, World Peace