



June Mast

June is our first full month of summer and summer activities.

June 14th is our annual Congregational meeting. Plan to come and vote on the policies and budget for the next year.

June 21st is FATHERS' DAY. There will be a reception following the service,

There will continue to be a service of worship and communion every Sunday at 9:30 am,

When you are not on summer vacation, we look forward to seeing you and worshipping with you.

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- Website: www.lolssi.org
- Facebook: www.facebook.com/LordofLifeSSI
- Vimeo Livestream: <https://vimeo.com/event/5036656/embed>
- Library (Vimeo Services as of April 2025): <https://vimeo.com/showcase/11648268>

Please note that all of the above links can be found on our Lord of Life website or Facebook

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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

From the Pastor's Desk:

Well, here it is June already halfway through 2026, where has this year gone. I thought about starting my newsletter article as I have a couple times in the past by saying "faith doesn't take a vacation." Then start using the entire summer church newsletter with clichés like "we still need to pay the light bill during the summer months" and "don't forget to come to worship this summer." Some may say in a passive/aggressive way, "I already have," but I don't want to dwell on the summer slumps in the life of the congregation. To be honest, that would be a bummer of a newsletter article, (but we still need those things and more). So, let's keep it positive.

Summer is my all-time favorite season! Why is it my favorite season you ask? Well, when I was younger it meant no school, longer days, warm weather, warm ocean waves (now by the pool), traveling to see family, friends and a time for rest and renewal. I truly hope that your summer is a time for rest and renewal. In Genesis 2:2-3, It says that even God made time to rest. Our world and culture is not slowing down anytime soon. Day by day, it's harder than ever to catch our breath and as we read in scripture, "take a sabbath." Jesus never once in scripture told us to "Go! Be busy" Rather he empowered and sent his disciples to share with the world God's love and to grow in their faith.

I encourage you to spend some quiet ("be still") time with God in prayer, to soak up some sun with a good book, and be mindful of the beauty and gifts of God's creation. Of course, we would love to see you in worship and grow in using your gifts, so that we can continue the ministry God has called us all to do. Hopefully, our worship and stewardship of God's gifts translate into Sabbath time for you, your family, and those you invite to worship and be part of our community of faith.

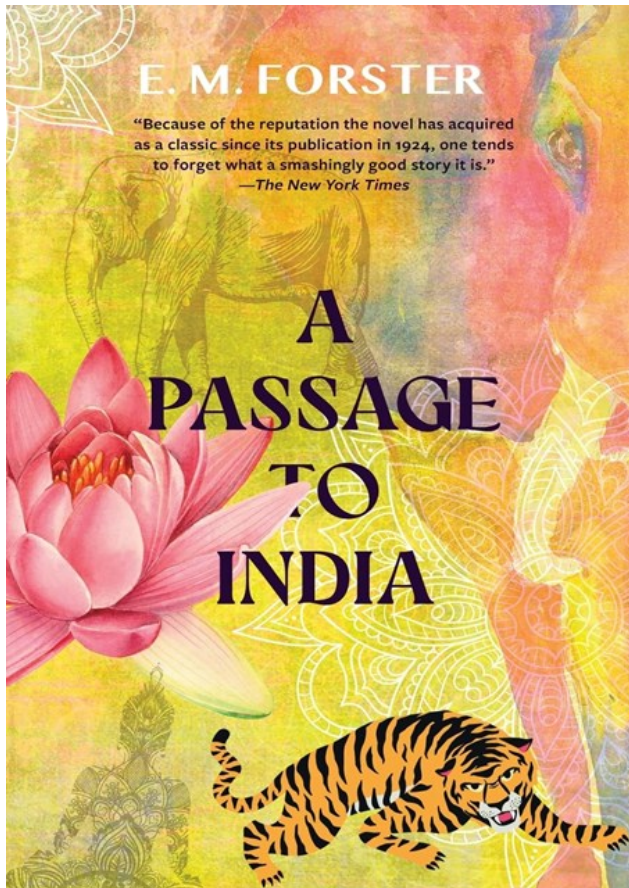
Let us continue to grow in discipleship and faith! Have a fantastic and blessed summer

Your Brother in Christ,

Pastor Bob



Lord of Life Literary Society



Our June discussion will be hosted by Diane Rancourt, on Tuesday, June 23, at 10:00 AM, in the Council Room.

Diane's selection is *A Passage to India*, by E. M. Forster.

The book is available at local bookstores and/or online at Amazon.com and Thriftbooks.com. A Kindle edition is also available.

RSVP to Diane and join us for discussion and fellowship. All are welcome. Bring a friend.





Manna House



Lord of Life prepares and serves a bagged lunch each month on the second Thursday of the month,

If you plan to help prepare a lunch on June 11, please be at Manna House by 9:00 AM, or to help distribute the bagged lunches, come at 11:15 AM.

Manna House is located at 1408 G Street, Brunswick, GA.

Come, Let Us Pray



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Rely on your relationship with the Lord, seek to know Him better and ask for increased capacity to prayerfully intercede for others. Then pray for courage to pray for your fellow Lord of Life members by praying through the church directory, or for the needs of those mentioned each week in our church bulletin.

Let us trust each other to pray for one another.



From Music Director Mary Monroe:

Sometimes, I get 'writer's block' and can't decide what to share in my monthly MAST article....this was one of those months. So, I thought I would ask God to help me; I leafed through my bible until I was compelled to stop. I landed in 1 Corinthians, chapter 9, where we hear Paul speaking about his 'obligation' to proclaim the gospel! We get a sense that Paul is proud to be 'entrusted with this compelling commission' that he is certain has been laid upon him. Have we not been entrusted with that same commission?

We leave a building every Sunday under a stained glass window that reads, "Go in peace, serve the Lord". In all of our thoughts, words, and deeds during the week, proclaiming the gospel should be integrated into all of those things. We, as disciples of God, are given opportunities each and every day to proclaim his word to others, we just have to be faithfully alert enough to notice those opportunities. Paul goes on to write that in his proclamations to those in Corinth, he has made himself 'a slave to all, so that I might win more of them'.

It is the long season of Pentecost.....the green season of growth in the church; so go out into God's mission field and proclaim his name in all that you do. 'Win more of them' and be proud to boast, as Paul was to do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that all people may share in its blessings!

Father's Day Reception



A reception will be held following the service, on Sunday, June 21, in honor of Father's Day.



New members! Welcome Sydney and Nate.





June Birthdays

- Kevin Manson, June 3rd
- Alex Alley, May June 6th
- Christine Schofield, June 9th
- Mary Neal, June 16th
- Byron Zantow, June 31st



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	1 Bible Study 10 am	2 Tai Chi 10 am	3 Open Sewing 9 am	4 Tai Chi 10 am	5	6
7 1st Sunday Meal 9:30 am, Service	8 Bible Study 10 am	9 Tai Chi 10 am	10 Open Sewing 9 am	11 Manna House Tai Chi 10 am	12	13 Quilt Guild
14 9:30 am, Service Congregational Meeting	15 Bible Study 10 am	16 Tai Chi 10 am	17 Open Sewing 9 am	18 Tai Chi 10 am	19	20
21 Fathers' Day 9:30 am, Service Reception after	22 Bible Study 10 am	23 Tai Chi 10 am Book Club 10 am	24 Open Sewing 9 am	25 Tai Chi 10 am	26	27
28 9:30 am, Service Council Meeting	29 Bible Study 10 am	30 Tai Chi 10 am				