WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JANUARY 22, 2017

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church January 22-29, 2017

Today - January 22

Youth Sunday and Puppets Today!

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

10:15 a.m. Finance/Budget Information Meeting

10:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal

11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

1:00 p.m. Sudanese Worship

6:00 p.m. Youth Dinner

6:40 p.m. Junior Choir Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

Monday - January 23

6:00 p.m. Samaritas Parent Support Group

6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Practice

8:00 p.m. Bell Choir Practice

Tuesday - January 24

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday - January 25

7:00 p.m. Worship Ensemble Practice

Thursday – January 26

6:30 p.m. Tech & Communications committee Meeting

6:30 p.m. Evangelism Committee Meeting

7:00 p.m. Property Committee Meeting

Sunday - January 29

10:00 a.m. Combined Worship Service

11:15 a.m. Annual Congregational Meeting

12:15 p.m. Potluck Lunch

1:00 p.m. Sudanese Worship

6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

Last Week's Response:

Attendance:

9:00 a.m. - 111 11:15 a.m. - 120

Offerings Received YTD: \$22,135 Offerings Needed YTD: \$22,096

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Altar Flowers are given today to the Glory of God in honor of Jon Killgore's birthday.

Serving Our Congregation Next Sunday: January 29, 2017 10:00 a.m. Combined Service

Council: Steve Gillich

Altar Guild: Sarah Dockweiler

Bread Baker: Bonnie Guttormson

Welcome Center: Sharon Mack

Acolyte: Jake Gillich

Worship Assistant: Vicki Blubaugh

Coffee Servers: Dan & Amy Corey

Ushers: Bill Houseknecht, Kristen Thornton,

Daryl & Jennifer Breymeyer

Communion Assistants: Jim & Jane Ward, Matt & Cindy June

Reader: Carrie Smith

Nursery: Megan Steele, Carrianne Evele

Greeters: Stu & Sandy Healey

Counters: Jennifer Breymeyer, Deb Park

Sprouts Teachers: No Class Today
Video Operator: Todd Huston

That operators is a mass.

Sound Board: Matt June



Plan to join us for CLC's Annual Meeting Sunday, January 29, 2017

10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:15 a.m. Annual Meeting 12:15 p.m. Potluck

Potluck suggestions:
Last name A –M: dish to pass (casserole, salad, etc.)
Last name N – Z: dessert

Bring your own table service. Beverages will be provided.

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, and faithful in prayer." Romans 12:12

Prayer Requests for the Week of January 15

- Prayers of healing for Linda Patterson who had shoulder replacement surgery.
- † Prayers of thanksgiving for a new grandson who will be coming in April for the Groenevelds.
- † Pray for strength and wisdom for Amy Goetsch to read & create a resource group for our brothers & sisters with visible and invisible disabilities to gain safe employment.
- ₱ Pray that Tracey S. is able to find a nice affordable home and strength.
- Pray for healing and comfort for the Pell family, whose 7 year old was diagnosed with brain cancer.
- Prayers of healing for Terry who is battling pancreatic cancer.
- † Prayers of healing for the many physical problems Tanis deals with.
- Prayers of healing and strength for baby Elliott and his family.
- † Pray for Pat and family who are taking a trip to Florida; Pat has stage 4 cancer.
- Prayers of strength and healing for Donna Garen.
- [†] Prayers of healing for Chris's knee problems.
- Pray for direction for Brandon Pannill.
- Prayers of healing and comfort for Kendra who lost her mother.
- Pray for continued recovery for Noah Bosse who was in a bad car accident, and is getting care at Mary Free Bed.
- Prayers of thanksgiving for friends and family at CLC.

Prayer Requests for the Week of January 8

- † Prayers of healing for Loraine LeFurge who is recovering from a stroke.
- ₱ Prayers of healing for Ron Heidrich who is recovering from a stroke.
- 🕆 Prayers of comfort for the VanSlyke Family as they mourn the sudden loss of their son/brother/uncle David.
- ₱ Pray for a speedy and complete recovery for Pat Girand who had knee surgery.
- † Prayers of thanks for all the friends who supported us during our temporary move until we got back to our house after the August 20 tornado. The Owens
- 🕆 Prayers for continued improvement in health for Steve Green.
- Prayers of thanksgiving for the 90th birthday of Herb Libby this week.
- Prayers of healing for Roger Nichols who has a painful back problem.
- Prayers of healing for Bernard Bucek who fell recently and injured his eye and has cuts on his face.
- Prayers of unity for the Bucek and Potter families.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Cmdr. Roger Bouma, friend of Larry and Mary Knappen
- Jeff McCullough

■ Adam Lundquist

- Cole Moore, nephew of Jim and Jane Ward
- Cody Westbrook, grandson of David Barrenger
- Matt Lashbrook, grandson of Nancy Scudder
- Seth Dewey, grandson of Bud and Cherie Bronson
- Hayden Gort, grandson of Larry and Joan Gort
- Specialist Kayla Pohl, granddaughter of Dale & Kay Siebelink, niece of Mike & Kim Siebelink, stationed in El Paso, Texas

God speaks to those who take time to listen and he listens to those who take time to pray.

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

<u>Sisters Bible Study:</u> Our Sisters group is beginning a new Bible study called "Trusting in Christ." We meet the first and third Mondays of every month in the Ed. Wing at church at 7:00 p.m. We would love to have you join us for this eight session study. Books are available at a cost of \$8 each. Please sign up at the table in the Gathering Space. We will be discussing session two at our next study time on February 6.

<u>Love, Laugh, 'n Lunch:</u> All ladies are welcome to join us when we get together for lunch on February 7 at 11:30 AM at Uccello's Ristorante (3940 Rivertown Pkwy, Grandville). RSVP to Marilyn Miheve (mimiheve@gmail.com) or Dianne Vissers (<u>diannevissers@gmail.com</u>). See you there!

<u>Attention Blood Donors!</u> Our first blood drive of the year is only 3 weeks away and only 4 people have signed up. Please contact Whitney VanGessel by phone, 616-295-8750, by email, <u>whitney.vangessel@gmail.com</u>, or simply just come up to me before or after church to schedule!

<u>Ladies of CLC:</u> On March 2nd, Natalie Grant and Charlotte Gambill are teaming up again for the "Dare to Be" event. This year's theme is "Light Up the Sky" and it takes place at Kentwood Community Church beginning at 7 PM. Tickets are \$19.75, unless we have a group of 10 or more, then they will be \$16.75 each. Last year this was a really fun event, including great music from Natalie Grant and a Bible lesson from Charlotte Gambill. The event is open to women of all ages. If you have an interest in going, please add your name to the sign-up sheet in the gathering space.

EVER YTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

Branch Deadline: The deadline for information to be included in the February Branch is Tuesday, January 31, 10:00 AM. Please email articles, pictures, and/or news of future plans to Audrey at office@clcwyoming.org.

<u>Please Note:</u> The youth group no longer collects cans and bottles as an ongoing fundraiser. We have appreciated your participation in the past. Thank you.

<u>Did you know</u> we email out these announcements every week? We also use email to share important notices, prayer requests, and news pertaining to the congregation. If you do not receive our emails, then there is a good chance we don't have your address and you will miss something! If you would like to be included in this method of communication, please contact Audrey in our church office at 532-2774 or send her a note at office@clcwyoming.org.

<u>Personal Care Pantry:</u> The items PCP needs right now are: shampoo, fabric softener, toothpaste, bath soap, dish soap, laundry detergent, paper towels and facial tissues. Please place the donations in the box behind the Welcome Center. Cash donations are also a blessing, as they can be used to purchase products and food for the dinners.

Personal Care Pantry helped 26 families on Monday, which included several new families! The following people have requested prayers:

Sossity: her family needs a house Yeny: for continued good health Carmen: for her and her family

Geraldine: help for her to learn English

Juana: for her kids...her young son is crying a lot

Lidia: thankful all is well Ingrid: illnesss in her family Iris: her baby is sick

Magdalena: her husband is getting his teeth fixed

Amber: recovery for her sisters who just had surgery Hasan, Rafaelina, and Martina: for their families Natalia: problems with her knee and hand

Irma: thankful for prayers and wants them to continue Angelina: her husband is having surgery on his thumb

Gloria and Juliana: thankful for good health Adriana: for her kids; son, Christian is bi-polar Florentina: she is sick and would love to get well

Fermin: for good health

Martha: her family is looking for jobs and she is thankful for prayers Paloma: for good health and for her kids to be successful in school Elsa: knees are bad with arthritis and she has had one replacement

Geneva: financial help to meet her monthly budget and prayers of thanksgiving for a successful open heart surgery 10 years ago and a new kidney 9 years ago

<u>Poinsettias:</u> There are two orphan poinsettia plants in the Gathering Space from our Christmas celebration. They need good homes to go to – wouldn't you like to adopt one to give a home to? Whether or not you ordered a plant to decorate the sanctuary, please choose one from the array and take it with you this morning. That will make an orphan plant happy!

YOUTH NEWS AND EVENTS

<u>Our Next Youth Dinner</u> takes place tonight at 6 PM. This dinner is open to any youth that would like to attend. Any questions? See Suzanne Snider.

<u>Confirmation Students and Their Mentors:</u> We are making dinner for the patrons of Gilda's Club on Wednesday, February 5th. We will be making soup, stews, and chilis to feed those hungry mouths! If you are able to make something or donate another needed item, please sign up using the following link: http://signup.com/go/3edUWT

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Share Your CLC Event Pictures (with a brief description):

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