

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 8, 2016

Please join us after worship for fellowship with coffee and refreshments.

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church

May 8-15, 2016



Today – May 8

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:15 a.m. Bible Study with Pastor Dave
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

Monday – May 9

5:00 p.m. Personal Care Pantry
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting

Tuesday – May 10

6:30 p.m. Council Meeting

Wednesday – May 11

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday – May 12

9:30 a.m. Bible Study with Pastor Dave

Friday – May 13

6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday – May 14

1:00 p.m. Confirmation 'Team' Church Clean Up
4:00 p.m. Wedding – Wayer/Duthler

Sunday – May 15

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service (Confirmation)
10:15 a.m. Bible Study with Pastor Dave
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. Mosaic

Last Week's Response:

Attendance: 9:00 a.m. – 142 11:15 a.m. – 146
Offerings Received YTD: \$137,849
Offerings Needed YTD: \$136,731

Serving Our Congregation

Sunday, May 15, 2016

Council:

9:00 a.m. Andy Wicks
11:15 a.m. Suzanne Johnson

Altar Guild:

9:00 a.m. Sarah Dockweiler
11:15 a.m. Jean Wisinski

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Georgia Cutler
11:15 a.m. Steve Kauffman

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Tyler Nichols
11:15 a.m. Haley Steele

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Vicki Blubaugh
11:15 a.m. Callie Torkelson

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Lynn and Brian Byler
11:15 a.m. Lou & Julie Fischer

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. Brian Crane, John, Colin & Connor Naklizki
11:15 a.m. Phil Wauben, Ken Davison, Rich Neubecker,
Jack Cuncannan

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Ron & Nancy Heidrich, Jane Reardon
11:15 a.m. Jean Wisinski, Matt & Cindy June

Reader:

9:00 a.m. Richard Jaeschke
11:15 a.m. Deb Park

Nursery:

9:00 a.m. Megan Steele
11:15 a.m. Megan Steele, Carrienne Evele

Greeters:

9:00 a.m. Jack & Barb Small
11:15 a.m. Tim & Kim Zeitter

Counters: Nancy Heidrich, Brian Crane

Sprouts Teachers: Melinda Sheldon

Video Operator:

9:00 a.m. Donna Garen
11:15 a.m. Kris Baker

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Dave Byler
11:15 a.m. Matt June

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer Requests from May 1

- ✚ Prayers of comfort and healing for Craig Ratliff's cousin, Susan Cairns who is struggling with neuro-muscular issues.
- ✚ Prayers of comfort for the Dean Kemink family who mourn his death.
- ✚ Prayers of God's comfort and strength for Elaine and Beth and their families as they face serious medical issues
- ✚ Prayers of comfort for the Miller family in coping with the loss of their mom.
- ✚ Pray for Ryan who desires money to go back to school.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for John Rhodes from prostate cancer surgery.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for Ethan Diaz's broken arm.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for Fred Howard who had brain cancer surgery.
- ✚ Pray that Christina Rockwell will have a safe and healthy pregnancy with no more complications.
- ✚ Pray for families and individuals affected by addiction.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for Miss Oakling who has cancer.
- ✚ Prayers for Kathie Fetting-Bakker's surgery in Ann Arbor on May 2 to be successful (Hans & Dorothy Fetting's daughter)
- ✚ Prayers of thanksgiving for three college graduates in our family: Jason, Justin & Megan Steele/

Prayer Requests from April 24

- ✚ Prayers of comfort for Nancy Scudder who mourns the death of her step mother, Luella Thellmann.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for Ethan Diaz who broke his arm and is in pain.
- ✚ Prayers of comfort and peace for Jackie Koehler and her family who mourn the loss of her father, Marion Withers.
- ✚ Pray for God's guidance for those who are having marriage problems.
- ✚ Prayers of thanks to God for answered prayer for Gerry Stockwell.
- ✚ Prayers of healing for Sena Helms who is 91 years old and fell.
- ✚ Prayers of comfort for Sondra Breeding and family who mourn the sudden loss of her son.
- ✚ Pray for a blessed summer ministry for Living Water Ministries.
- ✚ Pray for strength and focus for college students who are preparing for and taking exams.
- ✚ Pray for healing and strength for Alice Burgess (98 year old neighbor of the Goetsch family) who fell and broke her hip.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Cmdr. Roger Bouma, friend of Larry and Mary Knappen
- Adam Lundquist
- Cody Westbrook, grandsons of David Barrenger
- Casey Gort, grandson of Larry and Joan Gort and Jack and Shirley Reminga
- Kayla Pohl, granddaughter of Dale & Kay Siebelink, niece of Mike & Kim Siebelink, serving in South Korea
- Jeff McCullough
- Cole Moore, nephew of Jim and Jane Ward
- Matt Lashbrook, grandson of Nancy Scudder



Altar Flowers are given at the 9:00 a.m. service today to the Glory of God by Marilyn Burgard in appreciation of our 16th Bell Choir season.

Altar Flowers are given at the 11:15 a.m. service today to the Glory of God by Beverly Tillman in honor of the college graduation of 2 granddaughters.



Happy Mother's Day to all our moms that help teach Sunday School and Sprouts. Take a day off, put your feet up (not on the pews please 😊) and enjoy the morning! We will still have Sunday School between services though, led by a few of our fearless male teachers! Make sure to join us! Sprouts will not be taking place during second service this Sunday, however. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Bell Choirs: Our end of the year party is at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, May 9 at Marilyn's house. There are no more rehearsals after that until fall.

Body & Soul Sisters: We started our fellowship last year on May 19th with a brisk two-mile walk, so to celebrate our ONE YEAR anniversary (a little early), we are going walking again! This time we are hitting the trails at Blandford Nature Center *1715 Hillburn Ave. NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504) on Tuesday, May 10 at 6:30 p.m. (note the date change). We will meet/park by the entry gate at BNC and go from there. Watch the weather! We may need to wear boots if we've had a lot of rain.

Also, mark your calendars! We are bowling on Thursday, May 26th at 6:30. Details to be announced.

Volunteer! We are excited to again be running an aid station at the Fifth Third River Bank Run, which is being held on May 14. There is a signup sheet in the Gathering Space. Please direct any questions to Scott Westers at 616-540-0003 or swesters@trailerequipment.com.

CLC Spring Clean-Up Day: It's set for Saturday, May 21st with two-hour shifts beginning at 8:00 a.m. for the early riser! It's time to spruce the place up outside . . . twigging, pruning, raking, barking. And inside. . . windows, pews, and nooks and crannies! Sign-up lists are available on the table marked **CLC Spring Clean**. We welcome all ages including all youth! There will be jobs for everyone! For those that can't make the Saturday session, we will meet the following Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and most of the day Friday if needed. If you're not able to do physical work but still desire to be a part of the fun, we will ask for help with refreshments for all shifts. The Confirmation class and mentors will be meeting on Saturday, May 14th at 1:00 p.m. to kick off the Clean-Up. We need some help in the kitchen during that time.

Summer Sprouts signup is out and ready for your to fill up!! The summer schedule of Sprouts begins June 12th and lasts until Labor Day weekend. We need YOUR help to keep our Sprouts program running through the summer! So please find the signup sheet in the narthex near the VBS tables and pick a day you'd like to teach. All the lesson plans and craft ideas are provided for you in the bin right when you sign up. It couldn't be any easier! If you've thought about teaching Sunday School in the past, but wasn't sure if it was the right thing for you, this is a great way to test the waters. There are only 13 slots available, so sign up before your favorite Bible story is taken!

Summer Kids Programs: VBS for elementary and ONE for middle school aged youth are open for registration! Come to the "picnic" tables and register to participate, volunteer to help, or see what kinds of items you could donate to keep these great summer programs running smoothly. T-shirt forms are also available. It takes a lot of hands to keep these programs moving and yours are just the ones we need! The ONE middle school program runs from July 12-14 and the VBS elementary program "Son Rock Kids Camp" will take place from July 24-28!

CLC Bus Trip on Wednesday, July 27: You are invited to join CLC's *Love, Laugh 'n Lunch* group for a get-away day to Chelsea, Michigan's Purple Rose Theater. The day will include pick-up and return at CLC, lunch and shopping in downtown Chelsea, and a matinee performance of "Mornings at Seven" (a gentle comedy that celebrates love and family). Cost for the day is \$99. Feel free to invite a friend to join you. For more information and to make your reservation, pick up a flier/reservation form at the Welcome Center. Send your reservation to Intern Pastor Karen. We only have 11 tickets left, so while the reservation deadline is June 1, first come will be first served.

Volunteer Needed: We are in need of someone to do the scheduling of Sunday morning coffee servers. A list of willing volunteers is provided – we just need someone willing to make the schedule and check in to be sure the volunteers are coming on their scheduled day. If you are willing to help or need more details, please contact Tammy Davison.

Personal Care Pantry: Items needed this week: bath soap, shampoo, conditioner, fabric softener, laundry detergent, Kleenex, and dish detergent. These donations can be put 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.

CLC Business Cards: The Evangelism Committee has gotten new business cards for our church. They have been placed on card holders at various spots around the Gathering Space. Please take a card or two to give to a friend or acquaintance who might be seeking a church. The new cards have the current website.



Confirmation Youth and Mentors: Don't forget that we are planning our last service project for this school year on Saturday, May 14, from 1-3 p.m.! Join us after you've helped out, or ran the 5/3 Riverbank Run, and help us clean up the outdoor worship space, and surrounding grounds of twigs, branches, and other debris. Let's do our part in helping to keep our place of worship sparkly clean and safe from tripping hazards!! If you haven't let Suzanne know if you are attending, please do so ASAP. The quicker we work, the quicker we get to eat ICE CREAM!! ☺

Summer Registration is happening for ONE and VBS. Check out the registration table in the Gathering Space. We are in need of volunteers for both programs and our donation tree shows the many items needed – please take a tag and return your item(s) in the coming weeks.

Mosaic is not meeting tonight. Enjoy some time with your Mom. Next Sunday, May 15th, bring your appetite and enjoy discussion, games and a snack with Pastor Dave.

Work Camp: The next team building meeting for all participants is on Sunday, May 22nd, from 5:30-6:00 p.m.

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