

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 14, 2017

**This Week at Christ Lutheran Church
May 14-21, 2017**

**Serving Our Congregation
Next Sunday: May 21, 2017**

Today – May 14



9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
Buffalo Wild Wings Fundraiser
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship

Monday – May 15

5:00 p.m. Personal Care Pantry
6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Year-end Picnic
7:00 p.m. Sisters Bible Study

Tuesday – May 16

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
6:30 p.m. Fellowship Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Youth & Family Committee Meeting

Wednesday – May 17

7:00 p.m. Worship Ensemble Practice

Friday – May 19

4:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday – May 20

Archambault/Visnovsky Wedding

Sunday – May 21

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
12:30 p.m. WorkCamp Meeting
1:00 p.m. Sudanese Worship
2:30 p.m. Private Event (Killgore)

Last Week's Response:

Attendance on April 30:
9:00 a.m. – 157 11:15 a.m. – 142
Offerings Needed YTD: \$144,181
Offerings Received YTD: \$140,352
Shortfall: \$3,829



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



Council:

9:00 a.m. Tom Goetsch
11:15 a.m. Ken Davison

Altar Guild: Suzanne Johnson

Bread Baker: Suzanne Johnson

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Dorothy Fetting
11:15 a.m. Carrienne Evele

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Nora Paulson
11:15 a.m. Rebecca Snider

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Vicki Blubaugh
11:15 a.m. Don Groeneveld

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Todd & Raechelle Huston
11:15 a.m. Tom & Karen Owens

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. Harry Wendland, Gerry Guttormson,
Dianne Vissers, Ron & Nancy Heidrich
11:15 a.m. Ken Davison, Rich Neubecker, Jack Cuncannan,
Tom Owens

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Steve & Vicki Blubaugh, Chris Boes
11:15 a.m. Jean Wisinski, Kaila & Tamara Wright

Reader:

9:00 a.m. Jim Nemeth
11:15 a.m. Julie Menacher

Nursery:

9:00 a.m. Amy Goetsch
11:15 a.m. Letty Burgstahler, Ray Panches

Greeters:

9:00 a.m. Howard & Muriel Andrews
11:15 a.m. Bob & Carol Peters

Counters: Jeff VandenBerg, Tim Laurent

Sprouts Teachers: Koehler Family

Video Operator:

9:00 a.m. Denise Sironen
11:15 a.m. Todd Sheldon

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Dave Byler
11:15 a.m. Mike Siebelink

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Prayer Requests for the Week of May 7

- † Prayers of comfort to the Dockweiler family as they mourn the loss of Sarah's grandfather, Bill Gleason.
- † Prayers of healing for Barb Benson who fell last week. She is recovering at Brookcrest in Grandville.
- † Prayers of peace and healing for Donna Garen.
- † Prayers of healing for Bill Wolters who collapsed this week; the cause is unknown.
- † Prayers of strength and comfort for Phil & Sue Wauben as Phil fights cancer.
- † Pray for the Noorman family as Jamie struggles with life.
- † Prayers of healing and recovery for Neal Lehman who had a stroke.
- † Prayers of comfort for all those mourning the death of Bill Gleason.
- † Pray for that God will provide a path for better employment and housing for Anne & Patrick Gegg.
- † Prayers of healing for Larry Hasting, Carlon Snyder's brother-in-law, who is battling lung cancer.
- † Prayers of thanks that Ruby Painter is celebrating 100 years of life. Ruby is Marcia Nichols' mother.
- † Prayers of thankfulness for those remembering the friendship of Joy Johnson and missing her.
- † Prayers of strength for Sheryl Steele, Bobbie Neubecker's mother, who will finish therapy this week and go home.

Prayer Requests for the Week of April 30

- † Prayers of comfort and support for Phil & Sue Wauben as they deal with Phil's cancer issues.
- † Prayers of healing for Donna Erikson who is recovering from knee surgery.
- † Prayers of healing for Tyler Bugai.
- † Prayers of strength and peace for Donna Garen.
- † Pray of healing for Michaun Herp who is recovering from surgery.
- † Pray for safe travels for George & Nancy Leib (Jennifer Breymeyer's parents) who are driving from FL to MI.
- † Prayers of healing for Josh Corey who will have surgery this week.
- † Prayers of thanks for the health of babies and their parents.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Cmdr. Roger Bouma, friend of Larry and Mary Knappen
- Cole Moore, nephew of Jim and Jane Ward
- Matt Lashbrook, grandson of Nancy Scudder
- Chris Fite, nephew of Tammy Walsh
- Seth Dewey, grandson of Bud and Cherie Bronson, deployed in the Mediterranean basin area.
- Specialist Kayla Pohl, granddaughter of Dale & Kay Siebelink, niece of Mike & Kim Siebelink, stationed in El Paso, Texas
- Seam Toomey, friend of the June family, on a 9-month tour to the Middle East and leaves his wife and 2 children home
- Jeff McCullough
- Cody Westbrook, grandson of David Barringer
- Hayden Gort, grandson of Larry and Joan Gort

****If you or a friend/family member would like to be remembered in prayer, please contact the church office (532-2774 or office@clcwyo.org) by Friday at 10:00 a.m. to have your request printed in this portion of Sunday's announcements. Of course, you can let Pastor or the church office know at any time that you wish prayers for someone.*

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Buffalo Wild Wings Fundraiser: Join us today at Buffalo Wild Wings! Come and celebrate Mother's Day and help raise some money for our church! At any time today, stop by with a fundraising flyer (located on the table in the youth corner) and we will receive 20% of the total value of your food bill. This is a really easy way to help support the youth – everyone has to eat somewhere, why not make some money while we're at it!!

Attention Mosaic! There will be no meeting tonight! Take the night to enjoy some time with your Mother and show her how much you love her!

Sisters Bible Study: Our Sisters Bible study group will be starting a new book on Monday, May 15 at 7:00 PM. It is called "Proverbs and Parables": *"With unique insight, this study parallels the truths of Old Testament proverbs with New Testament parables and applies them to contemporary living."* Cost is \$6.40. Books will be available the next two Sundays at the Welcome Center. We meet at church the first and third Mondays of the month from 7:00-8:30 PM, and we would love to have you join us!

Handbell Concert at Trinity: On Friday evening, May 19, Trinity Lutheran Church in Grand Rapids will host the Westminster Concert Bell Choir in concert from 7:30-9:30 PM. They have the most extensive range of handbells (8 octaves) and chimes (6 octaves) of any choir in the country, and have the reputation of being the finest bell choir in the US. Their director, Kathleen Ebling-Shaw, is internationally known in handbell circles, having taught at many seminars for directors and led this choir in many television performances and international tours. I think you will find this concert to be both fun to watch and musically well performed. It should be of interest to ringers and everyone else as well.

Attention New Members and Sponsors: I scream, you scream, we all scream for ICE CREAM! It's that time of year, and the Embrace Committee would like to invite all new members and their sponsors from the Fall 2016 and Spring 2017 classes to a small gathering at the Church on May 24. The event will be from 6:30-7:30 p.m. and ice cream and beverages will be provided. Please bring the whole family and the nursery will be open. Any questions, please contact one of the Embrace Team Members. See you there!

Spring Parade of Homes: Last year Personal Care Pantry received \$500 for volunteering at the spring Parade of Homes. We have the same opportunity this year, but not enough volunteers! Would any of you be willing to help us out? The money would really help in purchasing products for the families we provide for. All you would need to do is sell tickets and keep track of how many people tour the home. There are openings on:

*Saturday, May 27 from 1 to 5 or 5 to 9

*Friday, June 2 from 1 to 5 or 5 to 9

*Saturday, June 3 from 5 to 9

*Friday, June 9 from 5 to 9

The house is located in Wayland. There will be a brief meeting tomorrow, Monday the 15th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sunday School area to explain everything or you can contact Cathy Chappell if you can help.

Work Campers are collecting financial donations to be given to the Chillicothe, Ohio, food pantry when they go there in June. There is a donation box next to the sign-up for prayer partners; donations will be received through June 11. Our van space will be at a premium when we head to Ohio, so it would be difficult for us to bring food donations.

Dave's Dogs and Burgers: Coming up on June 14 we will be hosting the last youth fundraiser of the year to help support our Youth! Dave's Dogs and Burgers got a little wet last year, so we are planning another one so we can have it outside! Join us from 5:30-8:30 and be served right in your car! We will need a few donations, so if you can't make it or would like to help, please email Steve@clcwyoing.org for more information.

Our Little Ones Need You: Sprouts continues through the summer. Look for a summer volunteer teaching schedule to be out in the Gathering Space today. Summer Sprouts is very easy to do: just sign up for a date, grab the folder that contains all the lesson information and craft suggestions, and show up for that day! There aren't that many weeks to summer, sadly, but that means that there aren't a whole lot of spaces to teach either! Sign up soon to get your pick of the lessons. This is a great thing to do as a family as well. Older kids are always a huge help in making Sprouts fun for the little ones!

Coming Soon: SonWorld Adventure Park VBS: It's going to be a WILD RIDE!! Registration and volunteer sign-ups will be available at the registration table. You can also order your T-shirt for this year and pick up a CD of the music so you and your kids can start rocking out to some tunes all summer long in preparation for the big week! VBS is for any child age 4 up through those entering 6th grade this fall. This year it will run from Sunday, July 23rd to Thursday, July 27th from 6:00-8:30pm. If you are an older youth or adult and would like to volunteer, we would love to have you!! There are many opportunities to help and we are happy to have you for whatever time you can offer. Our donation board is also up and ready to go. If you've been waiting for a way to help out our program, this is it!! Pick a tag, bring in the item that is listed by the due date listed and we will love you forever!! (Don't worry, we'll love you forever regardless!) There are tons of options, including gift card/monetary donations, so there is something for everyone!

ONE: VBS is always a big hit, but did you realize that we actually run TWO VBS programs in the summer?? You hear a lot about our elementary VBS, but we also put on an amazing middle school program called "ONE." This program is for

any child entering 6th-9th grade this fall. We will host this program from Tuesday, July 11th through Thursday, July 13th from 6-8:30pm. Though not as large scale as our traditional VBS, we worked with over 25 middle school youth last year and are hoping for an even larger turnout this summer!!! All of that means, we need your help! We are looking for those who would like to lead a small group discussion, help with recreational activities, help with service projects, and of course if you are talking about middle school kids, you have to talk about food!! We provide dinner each night for this group of kids so we will need lots of help with providing a meal each night. If you are interested in helping, please check out the registration table after service today and sign up to be a part of "ONE!"

EVERYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

Christian Summer Camp Scholarships Are Available! Is your child going to have a Christian Summer Camp experience? Your Christ Lutheran Family wants to support your family's desire to nurture your child's faith. Forms to receive a \$50 camp scholarship are available back on the youth board. Please fill out and return the necessary paperwork to Steve Lundquist, Kim Holwerda, or the church office by Sunday, July 2, 2017.

Personal Care Pantry Needs: If you would like to help PCP, these items are needed right now: fabric softener, shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, Kleenex, toilet paper, dish detergent, and laundry detergent. 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 had 26 families on Monday night! There were several new families who expressed thanks for our ministry. The following people have requested prayers:

Carmen: for her family and for good health

Natalia: for her family to be in better circumstances

Maria C.: for her health and that of her family

Anita: for good health and better financial circumstances

Deborah: for her sister Cynthia, who is in an nursing home

Mark: for our president and all the leaders of our country

Fermin: for his back pain to get better

Gail: for her and her family as they had to move into a different home

Romelia: for her and her family, especially Ken who has vision problems

Angelina, Bill, Maria N., Alicia, Martina, Rosa, Annette, and Simon: for their families

Patricia: for the Garcia Lopez family

Renee: thankful for her job and recent move

Jeanette: for health and good fortune for everyone

Hedwig: for good health

Paula: thankfulness that her life is going well

Margarita: for her family and for healing of her wrist

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