

Welcome to Christ Lutheran Church!

Announcements for October 11, 2015

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

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church

Today – October 11

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Sabbath Series Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
1:00 p.m. Sudanese Worship
4:30 p.m. Puppet Team Practice
6:00 p.m. Youth Meal
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice
6:30 p.m. Confirmation
6:30 p.m. Mosaic

Monday – October 12

5:00 p.m. Personal Care Pantry
6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Practice
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
8:00 p.m. Bell Choir Practice

Tuesday – October 13

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
6:30 p.m. Council Meeting

Wednesday – October 14

7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. Gospel of Luke Bible Study

Thursday – October 15

9:30 a.m. Sabbath Series Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Body & Soul Sisters
6:30 p.m. Oasis of West MI (private meeting)
7:00 p.m. Mission Support Committee Meeting

Sunday – October 18

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
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
4:30 p.m. Puppet Team Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. Youth Meal
6:30 p.m. Confirmation
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Serving Our Congregation

Sunday, October 18, 2015

Council:

9:00 a.m. Steve Gillich
11:15 a.m. Kelli VandenBerg

Altar Guild: Dianne Vissers

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Linda McCullough
11:15 a.m. Aimee Paulson

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Jack Cuncannan
11:15 a.m. Cora Evele

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Ron Heidrich
11:15 a.m. Steve Green

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Pete & Jill VanGessel
11:15 a.m. Chris & Melinda Leinberger

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. John & Mary DeHerrera, Walt Akhurst,
Mary Whitehead
11:15 a.m. Ken Lundquist, Kristen Thornton, Tom Owens,
Ray Panches

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Pat Potter, Jane Reardon, Ruth Salmon
11:15 a.m. Mike & Carrienne Evele

Reader:

9:00 a.m. Jim Nemeth
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. Judy & Jim Tummons
11:15 a.m. Deb & Dave Park

Counters: Bill Boss, Deb Park

Sprouts Teacher: Suzanne Snider

Video Operator:

11:15 a.m. Kris Baker

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Michael VanderMeer
11:15 a.m. Matt June

Last Week's Response: October 4, 2015

Attendance:

9:00 a.m. – 122 11:15 a.m. – 161

Offerings to Date: \$296,686

Offerings Needed: \$303,846

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer Requests from October 4

- † Pray for Lee Burgard, Marilyn's brother, who is in the final stages of cancer.
- † Prayers of healing for Nancy Deater, who is struggling with some health issues.
- † Prayers of healing for Sadie Bowers who was seriously injured in a car accident last week.
- † Prayers of comfort and healing for Liz Hicks, who is paralyzed.
- † Prayers of healing for Fred Howard who is fighting cancer.
- † Pray for all who are involved in the Oregon school shooting.
- † Prayers of healing for Bill Joling who had a heart attack last week.
- † Prayers of healing for David Galloway who is in the hospital with heart problems.
- † Prayers of comfort for Dave & Amanda English as they remove her father from life support and say goodbye.
- † Prayers of comfort for the family of Miles Wilson, who passed away last week in Minnesota.
- † Prayers of healing for Blake Donaldson who is experiencing neck and shoulder pain.
- † Prayers of healing for Tami Jacobs who is healing from surgery and has an infection.
- † Prayers of healing for Fred (knee injury) and Nora (diabetes) Harris.
- † Prayers of healing for Michael Frederick who had a stroke at age 45.
- † Prayers of healing and comfort for Tom Bulgarella who is starting treatment for Lymphatic cancer.
- † Prayers of healing for Kathy Reister's daughter Barb, who had surgery for cancer.
- † Prayers of peace and well-being for Wayne Libby.

Prayer Requests from September 27

- † Prayers of healing for Amy Emmert who recently had surgery.
- † Pray for Lee Burgard who is in the end times of cancer. Pray for comfort for his sister, Marilyn, too.
- † Pray for improved health for Charlotte Brown.
- † Prayers of comfort for Mary Beth Naas and her family as she mourns the loss of her husband Greg this past week.
- † Prayers for a safe and healthy delivery for Amy.
- † Prayers of blessing to Michael Shamblim and Rachel Bonzheim who will be married here this coming weekend.
- † Prayers of safe travels for those on the road, the seas or in the sky.
- † Pray for Fred Harris who is recovering from surgery, and Nora Harris who is hospitalized with diabetes complications.
- † Prayers of healing for Fred Howard who is fighting cancer.
- † Prayers of healing for Karen Dockweiler who is recovering from a knee replacement.
- † Pray for Dan Steele, Bill's brother, who is having tests in Ann Arbor to control his diabetes and had a mild heart attack last week.
- † Pray for Betty's son-in-law who is in the hospital.
- † Prayers of safety for Cheryl who is traveling.
- † Pray for a happy family life for Joey.
- † Pray for those who need a kidney transplant.
- † Prayers of strength and hope for Craig as seeks employment.
- † Pray for Felicia who is struggling to make financial ends meet.
- † Pray for continued healing for Dorene.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Andrew Groeneveld
- Jeff McCullough
- Cole Moore, nephew of Jim and Jane Ward
- 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
- Cmdr. Roger Bouma, friend of Larry and Mary Knappen
- Adam Lundquist
- Brandon Westbrook and Cody Westbrook, grandsons of David Barrenger

****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 bulletin. Of course, you can let Pastor or the church office know at any time that you wish prayers for someone.*



Altar Flowers are given at the 9:00 worship service today to the Glory of God by Pat Potter in honor of the wedding of Chris & Kayleigh Saucier on October 10.
Altar Flowers are given at the 11:15 worship service today to the Glory of God.



CLC Youth and Family Fund Raiser – Nuts and Candy Sale: The CLC youth, 7th through 12th grade, will be selling nuts and candies from the Terri Lynn Company to raise money to support their activities. The sale starts today and runs through Sunday, October 18, 2015. The youth will set up an information table in the Gathering Space on Sundays after and between the services. A brochure and order form will also be available in the office for sign-ups. Delivery is expected before Thanksgiving. If you have questions, contact Dave Byler.

Confirmation Mentors: We will be having a short Mentor Meeting on Sunday, October 25th at 5:30 p.m. We'll have more information on what being a mentor means and specific dates that we have set up events for you and your confirmand to share in! Then at 6:00, we invite you to take part in our youth meal so you get a chance to meet up with your confirmands and re-acquaint or get to know them from the get-go. If you are unable to attend, please Suzanne Snider know at your earliest convenience.

The Christian Education Committee's next meeting is on Sunday, October 25th at 12:15 p.m. in the Choir Room. We'd love to have your input and involvement if you have an interest in education opportunities for youth and adults as well!

Subs Needed: We are in need of Sunday School substitute teachers. If anyone is interested in having their name on a sub list, please let Suzanne Snider know ASAP. We have two teachers per class, so subs shouldn't be needed too often; but we'd like to have a few people available if need be.

Missing Tables: There are 10 tables missing from the garage. These are the tables members are able to borrow for various needs, and we need to have the returned to the as soon as possible. Other people need to use them.

Ushers Are Needed: We are in need of a few more ushers to fill a couple of our teams. If you are interested/willing to participate in worship in this way, please contact Harry Wendland at 1-616-822-6383 or h_wendland@yahoo.com.

Have Suggestions to Improve CLC Worship? If so, please contact one of the CLC staff members. The feasibility and implementation of your ideas will be reviewed in the CLC staff's weekly meeting. Thanks!

Personal Care Pantry: Items needed this week: combs, toothbrushes, and toothpaste. Cash donations are also a blessing, as they can be used to purchase products and food for the dinners.

If You Have Pictures of any church activity that you wish to share with the congregation, please email them with a brief description to the office at pictures@clcwoming.org. The pictures will be made available to the church website, Facebook page, Gathering Space slide shows, and Branch newsletter. Thank you.



Sunday School Youth in Pre-K – 6th Grade: Do you ever feel like an animal? If you do, you'll be perfect for this year's Christmas play, "Starry Night, Noisy Night," which gives the account of Jesus' birth from the stable animals' point of view. Check your Sunday School News email this week to find out all the important information. If you are interested in a speaking part this year, you will need to print out and sign the commitment form included in the email, or pick up a hard copy from the Gathering Space and turn it back in to your Sunday School teacher or Suzanne Snider by Sunday, October 25. Practices will begin on November 1 during second service with a read-through of the play.

All Youth Dinner: Our youth dinners kicked off last week with a great turnout! This week's meal is Tacos. If you haven't already RSVP'd to Suzanne Snider, please do so ASAP! Dinner starts at 6:00 p.m. We'd love to see you there.

Sunday School Registration: If you have not yet filled out a registration form for your Sunday School aged child, please see your child's teacher or Suzanne Snider and fill one out as soon as possible.

State Gathering Information Meeting: The Gathering is an opportunity for groups of high school aged people to experience four days of service, leadership and community. Students also experience meaningful worship, engage in small groups, serve others, grow in faith, and have a blast! This year's event will be held December 27-30, 2015, in Lansing, MI. Your cost is \$50. There will be an information meeting for parents and kids interested today, from 5:30-6:30 in the youth room. Cost is \$50 each, and CLC will be paying \$100 for each participant. More details will be available in the Branch next week and at the information meeting.

Attention Young Adults: Did you love your State Gathering experiences and wish you could keep going? Now you can! Young adults/high school graduates aged 18-25 are being offered the opportunity to participate in the Young Adult group at The Gathering. You will enjoy an event that integrates with The Gathering while also offering programming that is unique and separate. For more details go to www.elcalivingwater.com/aboutgathering/ and see the Branch next week. The cost is \$150, of which CLC will pay \$100.

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