

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NOVEMBER 13, 2016

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

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church November 13-20, 2016

Today – November 13

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 Practice
6:00 p.m. Mosaic
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

Monday – November 14

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

Tuesday – November 15

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

Wednesday – November 16

7:00 p.m. Worship Ensemble Rehearsal

Thursday – November 17

9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study
6:15 p.m. Body & Soul Sisters
7:00 p.m. Mission Support Committee Meeting

Saturday – November 19

6:00 p.m. SASS

Sunday – November 20

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 Practice
6:00 p.m. Mosaic Thanksgiving Dinner
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

Serving Our Congregation Next Sunday: November 20, 2016

Council:

9:00 a.m. Suzanne Johnson
11:15 a.m. Toni Steele

Altar Guild: Elizabeth Druckrey

Bread Baker: Lisa Barnes, Cherie Bronson

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Georgia Cutler
11:15 a.m. Nikki Diaz

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Rylee Huston
11:15 a.m. Niklas Jernberg

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Vicki Blubaugh
11:15 a.m. Aimee Paulson

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Tim & Sarah Laurent
11:15 a.m. Brian & Ann Modzeleski

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. Harry Wendland, Gerry Guttormson, Donna Garen,
Dianne Vissers
11:15 a.m. Ken Lundquist, Kristen Thornton, Ray Panches

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Sandy Healey, Nancy Heidrich, Mona Leeder
11:15 a.m. Toni Steele, Gerry Stockwell, Bev Tillman

Reader:

9:00 a.m. Erin O'Brien-Jenison
11:15 a.m. Ryan Diederling

Nursery:

9:00 a.m. Megan Steele, Erin O'Brien-Jenison
11:15 a.m. Megan Steele, Peggy McCourry

Greeters:

9:00 a.m. Pete & Jill VanGessel
11:15 a.m. Dan, Tamara, & Kaila Wright

Counters: Pete VanGessel, Jeff VandenBerg

Sprouts Teachers: Westers Family

Video Operator:

9:00 a.m. Donna Garen
11:15 a.m. Denise Sironen

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Alan Windsor
11:15 a.m. Matt June

Last Week's Response:

Attendance: 9:00 a.m. – 123 11:15 a.m. – 131
Offerings Needed YTD: \$334,231
Offerings Received YTD: \$316,245
Shortfall: \$17,986

(Please see page 3 for the Thanksgiving Eve schedule.)

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer Requests for the Week of November 6

- † Prayers of comfort for the Stockwell family, who have lost 8 friends and relatives in the past 6 weeks.
- † Prayers of healing for Richard Jaeschke who is having back surgery on November 9.
- † Prayers of healing for Kelly Langlan who needs a diagnosis for her headaches.
- † Prayers of comfort for the Brad & Carol Schulz Family on the passing of Brad's father this past week.
- † Pray that the T.J. White Family can emigrate from the Philippines.
- † Prayers of healing and strength for John Keller (Katelyn Conat's uncle) who suffered a stroke on Friday.
- † Prayers of thanks for all God's grace for our church.
- † Pray for Mary Herp who has an unknown illness.
- † Prayers of thanks for Ruth, who had successful surgery this week.
- † Prayers of healing for Adam & Teri's 2 ½ week old son who has meningitis and is currently in the hospital fighting to get better. Strength for this family to get through this scary situation.
- † Prayers of healing for Jeanne Matschina who has cancer.
- † Prayers of peace for sister-in-law Julie and her family after the passing of her father.
- † Prayers of healing and strength for Joy Johnson.
- † Prayers of healing for Scott Dietrich who is struggling with throat cancer and treatments.
- † Prayers of healing for Wendy Cunningham that her breast cancer is gone.
- † Prayers of strength for Eric Montgomery who is struggling with depression.

Prayer Requests for the Week of October 30

- † Prayers of healing for Pat Potter who recently had knee replacement surgery.
- † Prayers of thanksgiving for our new members!
- † Prayers of thanksgiving for healthy newborn children and their parents.
- † Prayers of healing for Sandra Moore, mother-in-law of Joni Novinski, who need to get in better health in order to have surgery to repair blocked arteries after having a stroke.
- † Pray for the Gordon Family (friends of Susan & Patrick Blanchard) – their mom is dying of Stage 4 lung cancer.
- † Prayers of healing for Scott Paxson and answers to his illness.
- † Prayers of health and healing for Joy Johnson and Viv Libby.
- † Prayers of healing and strength for Susie & Rolf Hughley

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Cmdr. Roger Bouma, friend of Larry and Mary Knappen
- Adam Lundquist
- Cody Westbrook, grandson of David Barrenger
- Seth Dewey, grandson of Bud and Cherie Bronson
- 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
- Hayden Gort, grandson of Larry and Joan Gort

About the Blue Prayer Cards:

CLC is blessed to have many worshippers using the blue prayer request cards. However, when using the cards, please remember that all requests are also printed in the weekly bulletin; so if your request is confidential, please share it personally with Pastor Dave rather than using a prayer card.



Altar Flowers are given today at the 9:00 service to the Glory of God
in honor of Hans Fetting's birthday.

Altar Flowers are given today at the 11:15 service to the Glory of God by the Wright Family
in memory of Tamara's mom Sandra.



UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Body & Soul Sisters: We will be spinning at Shape Your Life Studios (1290 – 36th St. SW, Wyoming) on Thursday, Nov. 17 at 6:15. If it is your first time at the studio, spinning is free; otherwise, it is \$10 for the class. Please RSVP to bodyandsoulsisters@gmail.com by Nov. 15, as spaces are limited.

SASS takes place on Saturday, Nov. 19 at 6:00 p.m. Our social event is hopefully going to see "I Am Not Ashamed." Watch your email this week for details. If you haven't signed up for what you are bringing to the potluck, you may do so at <http://signup.com/go/iCsFx5>. As of today, we have four people/couples signed up. Please make sure to do this before the week is out. For those of you who don't have access to email or the internet, feel free to talk to me this weekend at church or call me at 616-214-6633 and I'll get you signed up. Also, if you haven't gotten your journals yet, you may still get them this weekend or next weekend at SASS. They are \$15 each. I hope to see many of you there!!

Thanksgiving Eve Worship: Plan to join us in giving thanks to God at our special Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday, November 23, at 7:00 p.m. The following people are scheduled to serve that evening:

Council: Mark Baker

Altar Duty: Elizabeth Druckrey

Bread Maker: Georgia Cutler

Acolyte: Rebecca Snider

Worship Assistant: Diane Persky

Reader: Curtis Druckrey

Ushers: Dan Johnson, Bill Steele, Tim Zeitter, Stu & Sandy Healey

Nursery: Megan Steele

Communion Assistants: *Volunteers are needed*

Video: Denise Sironen

Counters: *Volunteers are needed*

Sound: Mike Siebelink

It's Time to Think About Holiday Food Baskets: We are collecting the following items to supply Thanksgiving dinner for 30 families. Delivery will be Sunday, November 20. Donations may be left on the table in the narthex. Items needed:

Cake mix

Olives (jar or can)

Crackers (box)

Pickles (jar)

Cranberry Sauce

Pie filling

Evaporated milk

Pudding

Frosting

Pumpkin (canned)

Fruit (canned)

Stuffing (boxed)

Gravy

Vegetables (canned)

Instant potatoes

Yams (canned)

Jell-O

Frozen pie crusts (place in freezer)

Dinner rolls (donated on the last week, placed in freezer)

Christmas Store: Be sure to return all unwrapped gifts with the tag attached and the value of the gift written on the tag no later than Sunday, November 29. All gifts will be wrapped for the parents at the Christmas Store held on Saturday, December 5, at Grace Reformed Church. Please keep in mind that because each gift tag represents a child whose parent will be shopping for them at the event, it is very important if a gift tag is taken, a gift be returned so we are not short our committed number of gifts. If for any reason you are unable to return your gift by the deadline, please contact Carol Peters (616-634-8067 or b_cpeters@att.net) to make arrangements to have your gift picked up. Thank you.

Advent By Candlelight: Ladies, mark your calendar for December 4 at 6:00 p.m. This evening is a fun way to being the Christmas holiday season with fellowship, music, and of course food! We being the evening with a very short program and Christmas music followed by appetizers, desserts, tea, punch and coffee. This is also when we find out who our secret sisters are and draw names for the following year, which is always fun. Being a secret sister is optional, but only involves drawing a name which is kept secret and sending cards or inexpensive gifts to your "sister" on special occasions. Sign-up sheets will be in the Gathering Space starting next Sunday. We hope to see you all there. This is a wonderful way to meet some of the ladies that you may not already know. If you have any questions, please contact Tammy Davison at 616-719-3229 or email at kendavison7502@comcast.net.

EVERYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

Congregational Meeting Update: Thank you to everyone for a wonderful turnout last Sunday! The results of the voting are: all Council nominees were voted in and the Constitutional and Bylaw changes were passed.

2017 Offering Envelopes: The offering envelopes for next year are available. You can find your box on the table in the Gathering Space. They are alphabetized so you can find them easily. If you don't find your name, please contact Jim Barritt.

Personal Care Pantry: Items PCP needs this week: bath soap, shampoo, conditioner, dish soap, laundry detergent, Kleenex, fabric softener, paper towels, toilet tissue. 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.

YOUTH NEWS AND EVENTS

Sunday School Christmas Program: Practice continues today! Anyone with a speaking part, please join us after the children's sermon during second service!

T.G.I.F.: Our next event is Friday, November 18. We will be having a quick dinner together at church, packing food at UCOM, and ending the evening at Peachwave. Please see the TGIF Shutterfly site for further details and to update your youth's availability. If you are not currently on the TGIF Shutterfly site, please contact Raechelle (Raechelle.3.20@gmail.com) or Becky (rebeccawesters@hotmail.com) to be added. Thanks!

Advent Pajama Party! All youth in 6th grade or below, join us on Friday, December 2 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. for a fun time of preparing for and celebrating the arrival of the baby Jesus. We'll do some crafts, drink some hot cocoa, play games, make and eat some treats, and watch "A Charlie Brown Christmas" while being cozy in our jammies! Look for the sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space!! CLC Adults, Middle School and High School youth, I would love to have your help in making this a fun event for our younger ones. If you are interested, please see Suzanne Snider.

Bowling Event for Christ Crew, TGIF, and Confirmation mentors will take place on Sunday, Dec. 11th from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at Fairlanes Bowling Alley in Grandville. Cost for **students** will be \$5, thanks to the generous donation from Youth and Family. **Adult** cost will be \$10 each and includes two hours of bowling, shoes, a pizza and pitcher of pop to share for your lane (5 people). The snack bar will be open for any additional purchases. We will meet at the bowling alley; please try to be there by 3:45 p.m. Sign up via the sheet in the Gathering Space. Payment can be made ahead of time and is appreciated (just not this week, as Suzane won't be at church on the 6th!) Hope to see you all there!

Winter Jam 2017: If you are interested in attending Winter Jam 2017 on January 8 with your Mosaic peers, let us know!

Contact Information for Christ Lutheran Church Office and Staff

2350 – 44th Street SW, Wyoming, MI 49519

Email: office@clcwyoming.org Office phone: 616-532-2774 Fax: 616-532-6488

Website: www.clcwyoming.org Wireless network: CLCWiFi Password: clc49519

Pastor: Dave Dockweiler

Cell: 269-290-4897 - Office ext. 202

Email: pastordave@clcwyoming.org

Family Ministries Coordinator: Suzanne Snider

Office ext. 203

Email: suzanne@clcwyoming.org

Bookkeeper: Jim Barritt

Home: 616-249-3070 Office ext. 222

Email: bookkeeping@clcwyoming.org

Outreach Ministries Coordinator: Patrick Blanchard

Cell: 616-460-7150 Office ext. 223

Email: patrick@clcwyoming.org

Administrative Secretary: Audrey Geers

Office ext. 201

Email: office@clcwyoming.org

Contact for Church Council

Email: council@clcwyoming.org

Jr. Choir Director: Kristin Boris

Email: borisk@mail.gvsu.edu

Minister of Music: Gary Sironen

Cell: 616-340-9458 Office ext. 221

Email: gary@clcwyoming.org

Organist and Handbell Choir Director: Marilyn Burgard

Home: 616-531-4703

Email: burgardm@sbcglobal.net

Nursery Attendant: Megan Steele

Email: MeganKSteele817@gmail.com

Custodians: Dan & Pat Johnson

Dan's cell: 616-644-5420 Office ext. 224

Email: dandpj@comcast.net

Youth Ministries Coordinator: *Open*

Email: youthministry@clcwyoming.org

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

Email: pictures@clcwyoming.org