



**This Week at Christ Lutheran Church
September 6-13, 2020**

Sunday – September 6

10:00 a.m. Christ on the Corner #parkinglotworship

Monday – September 7



Tuesday – September 8

6:30 p.m. Council Meeting


Wednesday – September 9

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting via Zoom

Sunday – September 13

God's Work. Our Hands. Sunday

10:00 a.m. Christ on the Corner #parkinglotworship

Attendance  on August 30:
approximately 73

Outdoor Sunday Worship with Communion! “Christ on the Corner #parkinglotworship” will meet this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. and will include Communion with both elements. Distribution will be the same, but you will be given a cup of juice with a wafer sealed on the top. The seal on the wafer is clear – be sure to pull only the clear tab first!

Today's Music: Our goal for the Christ on the Corner services has been to achieve a balance of traditional and modern worship music. If you'd like to become more familiar with some of the newer songs, please check out the following links. The key, style, and/or tempo could be altered for our use on Sunday mornings.

- [When I Think About the Lord](#)
- [We Are One in The Spirit](#)
- [Cornerstone](#)
- [Great Are You Lord](#)

Newsletter Update: The September/October edition of *the Branch* was emailed to everyone with Friday's Weekly Email. Due to the outdoor worship setting, extra paper copies were not printed. If you would like a copy mailed to you (via USPS) please let Audrey in the office know.

Shhh! We're having a card shower for our members who can't come to church. The Evangelism Committee would like for everyone who can to send a card to our homebound members the week of September 6-12. To maintain confidentiality, please

contact Patrick for names and addresses. Patrick can be reached at pblanchard13@live.com or 616-460-7150.

Handbell Rehearsal: Handbell choir rehearsals will begin on Monday, September 14, at 6:30 p.m. Masks are required and available. Thank you to Beverly Tillman for making matching masks for the choir. For this first week, we will have just one rehearsal. A portion of our time together will be spent sharing ideas about how the choir might be used, given the challenges of Covid-19. If you have never played the bells, but think it might be something you would like to try, please contact me at dianeldevries@yahoo.com. There is no obligation, just a chance to check it out.

Youth Fundraiser: We will be doing a Car Wash fundraiser with the youth on September 20 (if weather permits). If your car needs cleaning, we will be doing it after service and you can stay in your car and we will do the rest! **Youth:** If you can help with the car wash, please let Tara know by September 13!

Sunday School Teachers: We are doing Sunday School online this year! Right now, Tara is the only teacher! So if you are able to be a teacher (at least part-time), or are interested in helping in some way, please contact Tara as soon as possible! Sunday School starts September 20th!

Confirmation Parent Meeting: We have our confirmation parent meeting on September 20 at 6:30 p.m. This is for the students starting 7th grade and students coming back for their 8th grade year! If you cannot make this meeting, please let Tara know! Students who would have been confirmed this May: we will do this on October 25.

Community Zoom: We have three options of community zoom meeting to start this year off! We ask that you contact Tara Williams if you would like to participate in any of the zooms listed below so that we can know material wise, as the Bible studies will have a book for you to purchase. Thank you! We plan to start these the week of September 20.

Learn the Bible with Jim Ward - Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.
Bible study with Pastor Justin -Thursday 10:00 a.m.
Church Catch-up/Social Hour with Tara - Thursdays 7:00 p.m.

Fall Ministry Video: Although our Fall Ministry Kick off will not be happening as in years past, we would still like to do a video celebrating our church's ministries as well as ministries we may be doing in a different way due to COVID-19. If you are interested in helping make this happen, please contact Deb Park at dlpark71@hotmail.com. Individuals will be asked to make a short video and email it to me. All ages are welcome.

Prayer Requests for the Week of August 23:

- Prayers of safety for Jenny Swymeler while serving in the National Guard on duty in Kenosha WI.
- Prayers for Tracey and Kelly in their new jobs.
- Prayers for Lilly and Nolan Johnson. Lilly begins at a new school and in 5th grade and Nolan in 3rd grade.
- Prayers of gratitude for the blessing of Dave Park's Dad as he celebrated his 95th birthday on August 30th!
- Prayers of comfort and healing for Terry Richey who received a new diagnosis of cancer.
- Prayers of comfort and understanding for Deb and Doug Teuling as they face unknown medical issues.
- Prayers of healing for Bruce whose back is not healing properly.

Family Promise of Grand Rapids is a non-profit organization that we will be collecting items for our "God's Work. Our Hands." service project. This is taking the place of our 2nd Best Sale this year. Family Promise provides emergency shelter and basic needs to families in crisis and is currently providing hotel shelter to 80 families with children. Their immediate needs include Shelter Needs, Food Needs and School Supplies. This is their wish list.

1 quart pot	8 inch fry pan	small cookie sheet 9x7
aluminum foil	Magic Erasers	Upholstery cleaner
Non-stick cooking spray	Condiments	Canned chicken
Rice a Roni	Popcorn	Chicken broth
Sloppy Joe mix	Trail Mix	Canned Ravioli
Spaghetti-Os	Ground Beef	Bread
Ritz Crackers		
Spiral Notebooks	Pocket Folders	Pencils and Erasers
Crayons	Markers	Colored pencils
Highlighters	Index cards	Glue sticks
Small scissors	Small Pencil sharpeners	Tissues
Pencil boxes/bags	Hand sanitizer	Antibacterial wipes
1" three-ring binders	New or gently used back packs	
New or used tablet/phone with charger		

If you are able to bless them with any of these needs please bring your donations on Sunday mornings when you come to worship and place in the container labeled Family Promise, or you can drop them off on Wednesday (10:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.) or Friday (9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.) when Audrey is in the office. We will be collecting during the month of September. If you would prefer to have someone shop for you or you want to contribute toward perishable items, please contact Deb Park at 457-9792 or dlpark71@hotmail.com.

Recycle household batteries on the second Sunday of the month. Bring your batteries (AAA, AA, C, D, 6v, 9v) to church for recycling. Look for the recycling bin on the sidewalk as you exit following the service. Help keep our landfill free of toxic chemicals and our water tables clean! Thanks, The Earthkeeping Committee

Food Pantry Items for Family Network: Christ Lutheran Cares – you can be a part of filling some of the needs of our wider community. We are collecting items to donate to Family Network, a food pantry down the street at 1029 – 44th Street SW. We can do this until our Personal Care Pantry with UCOM begins again. Current needed items are:

Toilet Paper	Paper Towel	Canned Meat with pull tabs or easy open packages
Peanut Butter	Ready-to-Eat Cereal	Boxed Macaroni & Cheese
Snack Bars		

You may bring your donations to church when you come for Sunday parking lot church and drop them off in the plastic tub by the multi-use room door on the east side of church, or you can bring them on Wednesdays (10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.) or Fridays (9 a.m. to 1 p.m.) when Audrey is in the office. Thank you in advance for your caring support of our fellow citizens in need! Donated items will be delivered to Family Network by Jane Ward.

Volunteer Opportunities for Outdoor Worship: If you would be willing to help on Sunday mornings with one of the following needs please let the contact person listed know:

Parking Lot Attendants Contact: Harry Wendland at h_wendland@yahoo.com

Greeters Contact: Marcia Nichols at marcianichols4@gmail.com

Bathroom Attendant Contact: Vicki Blubaugh at vmusnd@gmail.com

Sound System Contact: Matt June at Matthewljune@gmail.com

Stay Connected: CLC has a **YouTube Channel**. There is a link on our website, www.clcwyoming.org that you can use to subscribe, however you don't need to subscribe to see the messages. We also have a private Facebook page called **CLC Friends**, where you can stay connected with others from CLC. Search CLC Friends and request to be a member; we will get you connected.

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Share Your CLC Event Pictures:

(please include a brief description – group, date, etc.)

Email: pictures@clcwyoming.org