

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JANUARY 13, 2019

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church January 13-20, 2019

Today – January 13

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study (*east side of Ed. Wing*)
10:20 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
10:30 a.m. Sudanese Action Team Meeting
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship
3:30 p.m. Youth/Mentor Bowling
4:30 p.m. Puppet Team Practice
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice

Monday – January 14

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

Tuesday – January 15

9:00 a.m. Deadline for Annual Meeting Reports
6:30 p.m. Fellowship Committee Meeting
7:30 p.m. Columbarium Information Meeting

Wednesday – January 16

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday – January 10

7:00 p.m. Mission Support Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Wyoming GA

Saturday – January 19

11:00 a.m. Private Event - Groeneveld

Sunday – January 20 – Youth Sunday

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Annual Budget/Finance Info Meeting
10:20 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship
4:30 p.m. Puppet Team Practice
6:00 p.m. Mosaic
6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice

Last Week's Response:

Attendance on Sunday, January 6:
9:00 a.m. – 114 11:15 a.m. – 117

YTD Offerings Needed: \$7,623
YTD Offerings Actual: \$10,013
Overage: \$2,390

Serving Our Congregation Next Sunday: January 20, 2019

Council:

9:00 a.m. Vicki Blubaugh
11:15 a.m. Michael Phillips

Altar Guild:

9:00 a.m. *schedule not available*
11:15 a.m. *schedule not available*

Bread Baker: Bev Tillman

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Amy Kool
11:15 a.m. Bev Tillman

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Dylan Ardy
11:15 a.m. Allyson Diaz

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Margie Evele
11:15 a.m. Margie Evele

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Dave & Lisa Harris
11:15 a.m. Peggy McCourry

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. John & Mary DeHerrera, Brian Crane
11:15 a.m. Ken Davison, Rich Neubecker, Karl Cuncannan,
Tom Owens

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Youth Group, Dylan Ardy
11:15 a.m. Youth Group, Allyson Diaz

Readers:

9:00 a.m. Youth Group
11:15 a.m. Youth Group

Nursery:

9:00 a.m. *schedule not available*
11:15 a.m. *schedule not available*

Greeters:

9:00 a.m. Jim & Trish Nemeth
11:15 a.m. Rob & Aimee Paulson & Family

Counters: Jeff Emrich, Dave Johnson

Sprouts Teachers: Snider Family, Marla Aymond

Video Operator:

9:00 a.m. Curtis Druckrey
11:15 a.m. Todd Sheldon

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Matt June
11:15 a.m. Jacob Koehler

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Prayer Requests for the Week of January 6

- Prayers of comfort for Barb Benson and her family as they mourn the loss of her husband, Vernon on January 2. Vern's obituary is available at this link: http://www.mi-cremation.com/memsol.cgi?user_id=2156930. Barb lives in a skilled nursing facility in Utah, near her son Greg. If you wish to send your condolences to Barb, please use this address:
640 N 325 W, Bountiful, UT 84010.
- Prayers of healing for Steve Chappell who has an infection in his leg. Pray the doctor can find out what type of infection it is.
- Prayers of healing and strength for Dona Nichols' sister Lori who is in alcohol detox at Pine Rest.
- Prayers of comfort for Pat Potter's friend whose daughter died unexpectedly.
- Prayers of healing and strength for Mark Barnes who is having heart surgery on Friday (1/11).
- Prayers of comfort and hope for Anula who has decided on a cancer treatment.
- Prayers of healing and strength for Lauren Breymeyer who had surgery scheduled on January 7.
- Prayers of praise and thanksgiving that Kaitlyn's tumor has shrunk with treatment at the Mayo Clinic. Also thanks to those helping the family with meals so she can focus on her children who are 1 and 3.
- Pray for Pat Marlowe and her family as she awaits cancer results and pray for healing from surgery.
- Prayers of healing for Bob Doonbos who had his bladder and prostate removed and is in a lot of pain.
- Pray for strength for Joan Nichols who is at Samaritas.

Prayer Requests for the Week of December 30

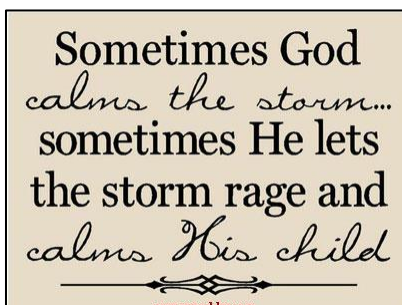
- Prayers of strength for Madison who struggles with addiction.
- Prayers of thanksgiving for our daughter Judith's birthday today.
- Prayers of healing for Pat Marlowe who is waiting for cancer results.
- Prayers of healing and recovery for Lance Girand as he begins radiation treatments this week for cancer of the larynx.
- Prayers of healing and strength for Gerry Stockwell's daughter and granddaughter (Tracey and Rae) who were involved in a serious car accident on Dec. 23. One has a broken ankle and the other has a back fracture.
- Prayers of strength and recovery for George Wohlheter while he is rehabbing at Medilodge after a hospitalization with the Rhinovirus.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- Chris Fite, nephew of Tammy Walsh
- Cole Moore, nephew of Jim and Jane Ward
- Hayden Gort, grandson of Larry and Joan Gort
- DJ Ardy, CLC member, son of Doug & Angie and grandson of Fred & Marcia Nichols, who is serving in the Marines
- Seth Dewey, grandson of Bud and Cherie Bronson, who is serving in the Marines
- Sergeant Kayla Champaco (granddaughter of Dale & Kay Siebelink, niece of Mike & Kim Siebelink) who is stationed in Ft. Campbell, Kentucky
- Sean & Ashley Toomey, friends of the June family (active duty)
- Jeff McCullough
- Cody Westbrook, grandson 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@clcwyoming.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 the Pastor or the church office know at any time that you would like prayers for someone.



UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Adult Bible Study Plans: Join us this morning to hear the Sabin's daughter talk about her 10 year study of Judaism. In mid-January we will discuss "Making Sense of Martin Luther," a DVD series with David Lose. Please note: the Adult Bible Study class will now be meeting on the east side of the Education Wing.

Women's Retreat Meeting: We will be trying our women's retreat meeting THIS Sunday (1/13) in between services in the library. If you are interested in joining, we'd love to have you!! For anyone that showed up Wednesday, I was 15 minutes late due to a kitchen emergency. My apologies to anyone that thought I had forgotten.

Bowling Happens Today. Please have money to me by the end of 2nd service. Be at Spectrum Lanes around 3:15 to get shoes and lanes. Looking forward to a fun afternoon! Reminder: there is NO Confirmation class tonight after bowling.

Columbarium Information Meeting Scheduled: Tuesday, January 15, 2019 at 7:30 p.m., is the time that has been set for a Columbarium informational meeting. [A Columbarium being a beautiful storage cabinet for the cremains (ashes) of a deceased person.] Every congregational member is invited to attend. The Church Council has already approved a Columbarium for CLC and 15 individuals have already filled out the necessary paperwork to be the initial subscribers and funding has already started. If you are thinking about cremation as an option for disposition of your body, after death, this is an option that your church can offer you: a final resting place within it's walls.

Mark Your Calendars, Card Sharks! Body & Soul Sisters is hosting the annual euchre tournament on Friday, January 18, 2019 at Jane Reardon's home (close to church).

- Socializing is from 6:30-7:30 p.m.; cards are from 7:30 (sharp)-9:30/10:00 p.m. (break at 8:30).
- All adults are welcome to join us for this event.
- Buy-in to play is \$5 per person with a Personal Care Pantry item or \$10 per person without one. All proceeds will go to the Personal Care Pantry.
- Please BYOB and bring an appetizer or dessert to share.

Whether you don't know how to play well, you're a card shark, or you don't have a partner, you are welcome to join us! Please RSVP by Jan. 13 on the sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space or via email at bodyandsoulsisters@gmail.com. Contact Suzanne Gut (616-560-0361), Ann Modzeleski (616-690-4619), or Jane Reardon (616-717-0429) or email with any questions. An email with Jane's address will go out prior to the event. If you can bring a card table and chairs, please indicate that on the sign-up sheet. Spread the word and spread the Word!

Budget Information and Annual Meeting: Please join us on Sunday, January 20, between the services for your chance to review the proposed budget and ask any questions. The budget will then be presented for approval at the Annual Congregational Meeting on Sunday, January 27. We will have one combined service at 10:00 AM with the meeting following. Lunch will be served after the meeting has adjourned. The main dish and beverages will be provided – please bring a salad or dessert to share and your own table service.

Blood Donors: Our next Blood Drive through Michigan Blood is February 10th from 8:00 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Sign up sheet is by the Welcome Center. Please see Whitney VanGessel or email her at whitney.vangessel@gmail.com if you have any questions.

EVERYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

Attention YMCA Members: Dave Johnson needs a ride to the Y three times a week for needed exercise for his leg. Dave lives in Hudsonville and maybe you can include the ride for Dave in your exercise routine. We know there are a number of church members who are members in Grandville and the Spartan Y, so if we get enough volunteers, it could mean just one ride every two weeks.... 1,2,3,4 YMCA for Dave and share the ride! If you can provide a ride to the Y for Dave, leave your name with Audrey in the office and we will put together a list. Thanks!

Please Take Me Home With You: Poinsettia plants are available to pickup today! They are particularly beautiful and large this year, and we have *Ludema's Floral and Garden* to thank for that. Plants are displayed on the tables on the north wall under the "The Ministers of the Church are its People" sign. Whether you donated funds toward the display or not, please feel free to take one. We would rather they find a home or we will need to recycle them.

First Communion: Do you have a child interested in First Communion? In general, we prepare our youth that are in 4th grade to take their First Communion. However, if you have a child that is a little younger, but has an understanding and a desire to learn about this sacrament or have a child a little older who hasn't yet had their communion instruction and would like to, we'd love to hear from you. Based on the group we have, we will determine when the classes will be held. So if you are interested, please contact Suzanne Snider and let her know as soon as possible.

Help Wanted: Are you looking for a way to utilize your special talents to serve our church? We could use your help serving Sunday coffee after the 11:15 a.m. worship service. Sign-up sheets are available at the Welcome Center; please provide your phone number or email address. For more information please contact Linda Montgomery at 706-344-8455.

Vehicle Needed: The Sudanese Action Team is looking for a used reliable car donation for a single mother of one. Her current vehicle died and is not repairable. She relies on it to get to and from work. Please share with anyone you know that may have one. Contact Kim Zeitter at 616-826-6616 if you have any questions or a lead on one. Thank you and bless you!

Personal Care Pantry: PCP is in need of the following items: bath soap, toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner. You can drop these items in the labeled box behind the Welcome Center.

Gladiola School: An ongoing project for Gladiola School is collecting box tops. There are two types of coupons we are collecting: "Box Tops for Education" from General Mills and more brands and "Family Rewards" from Kellogg's. You will find a container for these coupons on the countertops where you grab a cup of coffee and a snack on Sunday mornings.

Winter Cancellation Policy: Now that we are in the cold and wintery season, weather may dictate conditions which could require a closure, cancelling services or activities. If the weather seems fierce, check WXMI (Fox 17) or WOOD TV 8 for a notice of closing, since they are the stations we have authorized for such notices. Hopefully it something we won't have to do this winter, but if conditions warrant, this becomes the means to communicate when necessary.

Please remember: since conditions vary in different areas, each member should determine if changing conditions, icy roads or the prospect of worsening conditions require staying home rather than risking a trip to church. Your safety is of utmost importance! Jim Ward, Council President

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