

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 14, 2019

This Week at Christ Lutheran Church
July 14-21, 2019

Serving Our Congregation
Next Sunday: July 21, 2019 – 10:00 AM

Today – July 14

9:15 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Combined Worship Service
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship

Monday – July 15

5:00 p.m. Personal Care Pantry
7:00 p.m. Sisters Bible Study

Tuesday – July 16

6:30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting

Thursday – July 18

9:30 a.m. Summer Adult Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Mission Support Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Wyoming GA

Saturday – July 20

1:00 p.m. Private Event - Punches

Sunday – July 21

9:00 a.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal
9:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Combined Worship Service
11:15 a.m. Sudanese Action Team Meeting
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship

Council: Jim Ward

Altar Guild: Teresa Ortego

Bread Baker: Bonnie Guttormson

Welcome Center: Steve Kauffman

Acolyte: Jeneve Windsor

Worship Assistant: Brian Crane

Coffee Servers: Tim & Sarah Laurent

Ushers: Ken Lundquist, Rob and Nora Paulson, Ray Punches

Communion Assistants: Sue Scharf, Jeneve Windsor

Reader: Amy Corey

Nursery: Katelyn Conat, Emma Carlson

Greeters: Gerry Stockwell, Kristen Thornton

Counters: Brian Crane, Jennifer Breymeyer

Sprouts Teacher: *Volunteer Needed*

Video Operator: Whitney VanGessel

Sound Board: Alan Windsor



This morning we welcome Pastor Ken Babcock to our pulpit while Pastor Justin is on vacation. Before his retirement, Pastor Ken was the Senior Pastor at St. John's Lutheran church in Baroda, MI. Since his retirement in 2011 he has served as Pulpit supply and Interim Pastor at various churches in Muskegon and Holland.

Welcome, Pastor Ken! We are glad to have you worship with us today!



Altar Flowers are given today to the Glory of God
by Steve and Renee Green.

Last Week's Response:

Attendance on Sunday, July 7:
10:00 a.m. – 136

YTD Offerings Needed: \$208,544

YTD Offerings Actual: \$196,194

Shortage: \$12,350

WEEKLY PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Prayer Requests for the Week of July 7

- Prayers of comfort for the family of former member Sondra Breeding who passed away on July 8 in Ludington.
- Prayers of healing for Nancy V. who was admitted to the hospital.
- Pray for a safe and healthy pregnancy for Lauren.
- Prayers of strength and patience for Scott, and watch over Raelynn.
- Prayers of strength for Mary Ann Buchan.
- Prayers of thanks to God for a healthy great grandson for Gerry Stockwell.
- Pray for God to bless Mary with a loving husband.
- Prayers of healing and recovery for Brent Kapenga who had a heart attack.
- Prayers of strength through tribulations and end to anxiety.
- Pray for a peaceful, fair and safe resolution to a difficult family situation.
- Prayers of healing for Tammy Walsh’s Dad as he continues treatment for pancreatic cancer.

Prayer Requests for the Week of June 30

- Prayers for Tammy Walsh’s father, Don, who continues treatment for pancreatic cancer.
- Prayers of healing for Shauna as she begins chemo for a cancerous tumor.
- Prayers of comfort for the family & friends of Jan Smith who passed away of ALS.
- Pray for someone who needs God to intervene and “be my attorney.”
- Pray for good health and peace of mind for Dr. Ahmed as tries to find kidneys for patients.

Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- 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@clcwvoming.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: Our Summer Adult Bible Study Series meets on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. It is led by Pastor Justin and we are exploring Paul’s letter to the Galatians. Each class should last about an hour. Feel free to attend every week or as your schedule allows. All are welcome! There is plenty of room at the table for you! The full schedule is posted on the board by the coffee service window.

From Vern Benson’s Family: The family of Vernon Benson thanks you for your kind expressions of sympathy at the time of his passing in January 2020. Your support was very much appreciated and of great comfort to the family. In keeping with Vernon’s wishes, a brief committal service with military honors will be held on July 18, 2019 at 11:00 AM. It will be at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, St. Paul Mausoleum, 2894 Patterson Road SE, Grand Rapids, MI.

Are You Ready to Hit The Beach?? SonSurf VBS is coming soon! **Today (July 14) is the last day to order participant and volunteer (\$7.00 each).** Join us from 6:00-8:30 p.m. on July 28 – August 1. VBS will be a ton of fun in the sun and learning all about the love Jesus has for us and how we can share it with others. VBS is open to all kids age 4 (by the time VBS starts) to those entering 6th grade in the fall. Kids can register until Friday, July 26. Can’t wait to kick up the sand with you!!

Newsletter Deadline: If you would like to include something for the August Branch, please submit it to Audrey at office@clcwyo.org by Tuesday, July 30 at 10:00 AM.

Sanctuary Carpet Update: On Tuesday, July 9, our Council approved the new carpeting for our Sanctuary as well as altar and music area modifications which were presented by the Property Committee. I would like to thank everyone involved with the many meetings regarding this up-coming project. Now we can take a breath and prepare for the project, which we anticipate starting early August. The biggest volunteer need for the project will be removing the pews and reinstalling them after the carpet has been installed. The tentative pew removal date is Monday, August 12, and reinstallation will be Friday, August 16. If you will be available to help with the, please let me know. Please note that there will be floor crawling and lifting involved. Thomas Goetsch, Property Committee Chair

EVERYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

PCP Prayers: We were able to help 31 families at Personal Care Pantry on Monday. The following people have requested prayers:

Fermin, Velia, and Lucia:	for their health
Gail:	she has an appointment with a heart specialist
Hedwig:	that everything will be OK at her doctor's appointment
Geraldine and Nancy S.:	for their mom who is ill in Cuba
Julia:	for her family to be safe and health
Maria C.:	for her husband's memory problems
Mary Jane:	she fell and hurt her back
Olga:	she is having tests on her throat because she is having problems swallowing
Rosalie:	for her family to have safe travels going back to Chicago and Puerto Rico after their visit here
Margarita:	for her family and for the pain in her arm to go away

Immediate Needs For Personal Care Pantry: Please note that the PCP fund is running short right now, but the need is still great! Please consider a financial donation (in the collection plate, marked PCP) so that we can continue to meet the needs of those in our community. This is a list of the items that are provided (items with a * are most needed right now). There is a collection box behind the Welcome Center for item donations.

Shampoo* and Conditioner	Toothbrushes and Toothpaste*
Bar Soap	Dish Soap
Kleenex	Paper Towel
Toilet Paper (double roll)	Laundry Detergent*

A Personal Care Pantry Coordinator is needed: With much sadness Tammy Davison is stepping down as the Coordinator of the Personal Care Pantry. We wish her and Ken much love as they start the new phase of their life. We are now looking for a replacement for that position. If you feel it in your heart that is you, please let Tammy or the office know. But if you say what is PCP? Well, PCP is an amazing ministry that is held the 2nd and 3rd Monday of each month to supply thirty plus families with basic items and a meal.

Summer Sprouts Teachers Needed! Only **2 more teachers** are needed! July 21 and August 4 are still open. If you are interested in spending a little time with our small children, please sign up at the VBS table and take the folder assigned to that date. It should contain lesson plan ideas, craft ideas, and other fun things. Please contact Suzanne Snider with any questions or concerns.

Youth & Family Committee Is Looking For You! Yes, YOU! We are seeking interested persons to join the Youth & Family Committee. Criteria for this opportunity include meeting once a month . . . just once a month! If you are interested in learning more about the work of this committee, please contact Aimee Paulson (gwenorasmom@yahoo.com) or Raechelle Huston (Raechelle.3.20@gmail.com).

Youth and Family Ministries Coordinator: We are seeking to hire a Youth and Family Ministries Coordinator who desires to encourage, inspire, and nurture the faith formation of children, teens and adults in our church community which includes being the Senior High Youth leader. A complete job description can be located on our church website, clcwyo.org. Please send resumes and letters of recommendation to youth@clcwyo.org Subject: Youth and Family Ministries Coordinator. **Update:** We have had six phone interviews and one second in person interview. We are scheduling two second interviews, relisting the job again and still looking at resumes.

Council Members Needed! The Nominating Committee is seeking potential candidates to serve on Church Council beginning in 2020, which will be elected this November. Should you be contacted by one of the Committee members, prayerfully consider responding to the call to serve. If you have a desire to serve in a leadership role on Council, one of the many Committees, or willing to learn more about serving, please feel free to contact any one of the Committee or Council members: Sarah McKenney; Jim Barritt; Brian Crane; Jane Ward; Suzanne Johnson; Ray Panches; Darryl Larson, Curt Johnson, and Pastor Justin.



Online Membership Directory: The online directory has now been updated! While everyone's listing does not have a picture (I simply don't have them), all of the addresses and contact information (phones, emails) are up to date with the records we have in the office. This directory is a secure part of the website. Go to www.clcwyoming.org. At the bottom of the main page there is a link to click called On Line Church Directory. You will need to enter your Username and Password. If you do not yet have one, the next line shows: "To apply for an account, click here." You can get signed up at that link. If you log in and see that your information is not correct, please let Audrey know what corrections need to be made.

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. These coupons can be collected all summer, too!

Contact Information for Christ Lutheran Church Office and Staff

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Contact for Church Council: Jim Ward

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Family Ministries Coordinator: *Position Open*

Youth Ministries Coordinator: *Position Open*

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Share Your CLC Event Pictures:

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

Email: pictures@clcwyoming.org