



**This Week at Christ Lutheran Church
October 6-13, 2019**

Today – October 13

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:15 a.m. Welcome Class
10:15 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:20 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
6:00 p.m. Junior Choir Practice
6:00 p.m. Mosaic

Monday – October 14

4:00 p.m. Wyoming Food Truck Assistance
5:00 p.m. Personal Care Pantry
6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Practice
8:00 p.m. Bell Choir Practice

Tuesday – October 15

6:30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting

Wednesday – October 16

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
7:15 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday – October 17

6:30 p.m. Evangelism Committee Meeting
6:30 p.m. Youth & Family/Christian Ed. Meeting
7:00 p.m. Mission Support Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Wyoming GA

Sunday – October 20

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
10:00 a.m. Sudanese Action Team Meeting
10:15 a.m. Welcome Class
10:15 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:20 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
1:00 p.m. South Sudanese Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
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Last Week's Response:

Attendance on Sunday, October 6:
9:00 a.m. – 121 11:15 a.m. – 105

**Serving Our Congregation
Next Sunday: October 20, 2019**

Council:

9:00 a.m. Michael Phillips
11:15 a.m. Aimee Paulson

Altar Guild:

9:00 a.m. Teresa Ortego
11:15 a.m. Jean Wisinski

Bread Baker: Marie Smith

Welcome Center:

9:00 a.m. Jan King
11:15 a.m. Meredith Phillips

Acolyte:

9:00 a.m. Christopher Killgore
11:15 a.m. Aiden Ardy

Worship Assistant:

9:00 a.m. Lance Girand
11:15 a.m. Don Groeneveld

Coffee Servers:

9:00 a.m. Amy Kool, Kate Phillips
11:15 a.m. Lou & Julie Fischer

Ushers:

9:00 a.m. Stuart Johnson, Bob VanderMeer, Brad Schulz,
Ron Sabin
11:15 a.m. Rich Neubecker, Kathy Reister, Tom Owens,
Linda Montgomery

Communion Assistants:

9:00 a.m. Nancy Heidrich, Mona Leeder, Christopher Killgore
11:15 a.m. Matt & Cindy June, Aiden Ardy

Reader:

9:00 a.m. Jim Nemeth
11:15 a.m. Renee Green

Nursery:

9:00 a.m. Meredith Phillips
11:15 a.m. Rich Neubecker, Vicki Blubaugh

Greeters:

9:00 a.m. Pat Potter, Kate Phillips
11:15 a.m. Kathy Polise, Gerry Stockwell

Counters: Jeff VandenBerg, Deb Wayer

Sprouts Teachers: Jernberg Family

Video Operator:

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

Sound Board:

9:00 a.m. Bob Ortego
11:15 a.m. Gary Sironen

Weekly Prayer Requests

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

Prayer Requests for the Week of October 6

- Prayers of healing and comfort for Nikki Phillips.
- Pray for safe travel for Aunt Nannette and thanks to God for resolution to problems.
- Prayers of safety for hunters.
- Prayers of healing for Todd Gaunt who has throat cancer and heart problems.
- Prayers of thanksgiving for Stuart & Suzanne Johnson’s 50th Wedding Anniversary! *(from Seth, Isabella & Stephanie)*
- Prayers of comfort for the family of Don Druckrey, who died October 5.
- Prayers of healing for Wendy who has cancer (Muriel Andrew’s granddaughter).
- Pray for relief from pain & numbness in the left shoulder & arm of Laura Llewellyn’s brother Lyle.
- Pray for Gordon Palmer who is recovering from surgery.
- Prayers of healing for Marie Stavros who needs a heart ablation. Pray it is successful.

Prayer Requests for the Week of September 29

- Prayers for successful surgery & healing for Dorothy Fetting who is having a heart procedure on Oct. 1.
- Pray for good health for Marie Stavros, Ann Barrenger’s sister.
- Prayers of peace and comfort for Marty Schanz who is dying of lung cancer.
- Prayers for healing for Steven Guigelaar who is having surgery on a broken arm.
- Pray that Dona Nichol’s sister, Lori, has a positive outcome for her job situation.
- Prayers of comfort for the family of Roy Gaunt, who passed away and joined his wife in Heaven.

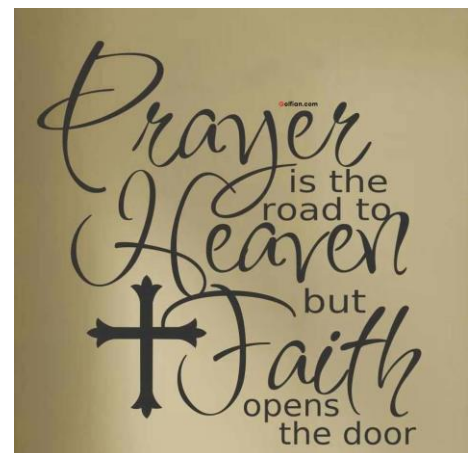
Pray for Those Serving in the Military

- 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@clcwyo.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.*



Altar Flowers are given today to the Glory of God
by Ann Modzeleski in memory of her parents,
Mike & Pat Viele.



Upcoming Events & Activities

Feeding America: The Feeding America food truck will be at West Elementary, 1840 – 38th Street SW, tomorrow, October 14. If you would like to volunteer, we begin placing perishable foods on the tables at 4:00 PM, so please be there at that time. We then help the people in selecting their food items. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Kathy Reister at 616-608-6744.

Rev. Emmy Kegler, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church (ELCA) in Northeast Minneapolis and a co-leader of the Queer Grace Community in Minneapolis, will be in Grand Rapids on October 18-20 for a series of events. She will read and shares stories from her book *One Coin Found at Books and Mortar*, 955 Wealthy St SE from 6:30-8:00pm on Friday, Oct 18; lead a seminar on affirming theology, assessing congregational gifts and resources, and making community connections at Trinity Lutheran Church, 2700 Fulton St. East from 8-11am on Saturday, Oct. 19; and she will preach at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 250 Commerce Ave SW at 10:30 am on Sunday, Oct. 20. All events are free but tickets are required for Saturday's workshop. For tickets and info go to www.tinyurl.com/ahava-fb. Sponsored by Ahava: A Ministry for Families with LGBTQIA+ children and ELCA congregations in Grand Rapids.

Halloween Is Nearly Here! Our annual Halloween party will take place on Sunday, October 27! Mosaic is hosting a party open to all the children of CLC. So bring your neighbors, bring your grandkids, bring your friends, and make sure to wear your costume as we enjoy a fun evening of spooky games, boo-tiful costumes, and of course, candy! The party will go from 7:00-8:00pm and we'd love to see all of you there! Please help give us an idea of how many are coming, by signing up on the sign-up sheet on the Youth Table in the Gathering Space!

Mosaic Teens: Your help is needed to make this Halloween party a great event for our kids! Please make sure to be a part of Mosaic these next two weeks as we plan all the fun activities. Mosaic meets at 6:00pm every Sunday night!!

We Are In Need: We need a Sunday School teacher for our next unit, "Solomon Builds the Temple." The dates we need help on are October 27 and November 3. If you are interested and able to help, please see Suzanne Snider.

Mark Your Calendars, And Start Your Stovetops! It's Football and Chili time!! Let's see if our Detroit Lions can hold on for a win against the Raiders on Sunday, November 3! Kickoff is at 4:05pm and you can come watch it on the BIG SCREEN in the Gathering Space of CLC! We will also be putting the coveted Chili Ladle trophy up for grabs again this year as we look for our congregation's best chili to take down Tim Snider's winning recipe from last year! This is a fun social time with our CLC family, but it is also an amazing fundraiser for our Youth and Family program! There are lots of events coming up for your youth to attend, including State Gathering in February in Kalamazoo, work camp taking place next summer in Chattanooga TN, and National Gathering next summer in Minnesota! On top of all these events are the many outings and plans that take place right here for youth of all ages. Your voting dollars for best chili will help raise money to fund these events and trips, and we very much appreciate your support. We will also be selling tin muffin pans for \$1.00 to make tasting easier for all of you!! Your help is needed in lots of ways!! Look for sign-up sheets on the Youth Table.

Ladies of CLC – The Date Is Set! Our spring Women's Retreat will take place on Saturday, March 14th to Sunday, March 15th, with an optional extra night to attend Friday, March 14th, for a few extra activities. We hope you will invite friends and family to join us as we head to the cozy mountain lodge and enjoy a weekend away as we dive into the story of Ruth and Naomi. Cost details will be forthcoming, but we wanted to make sure you marked your calendar! Make yourself and your faith life a priority and mark those days off to spend time with the women of CLC and with the Lord! You will be so glad you did! Planning meetings will start soon. If you would like to take part in helping to plan our retreat, please get your information to Suzanne Snider ASAP!

Everything Else You Need To Know

Thank You to Nancy Heffron, Letty Burgstahler, Forrest Bowling, Brian Burgstahler, and Vicki Blubaugh for spending and evening polishing our bells last week! You may need your sunglasses today!!

Gladiola School Clothing Drive is underway through the month of October. Gently used clothing is needed for children in Kindergarten through 4th grade. Sizes are generally 4 to about 10/12. Items include elastic waist pants, jeans, shirts/blouses, shoes, boots, winter coats, hats and mittens. If you do not have any children in your home and would still like to donate, consider stores like Goodwill and other thrift shops. **At the top of the list for this next week is new underwear for both boys and girls, sizes 4 to 12.** Clothing may be left on the table in the Gathering Space. If you have questions, please contact Kathy at 608-6744.

Personal Care Pantry: We are blessed to be able to help so many families each month but are struggling with getting enough donations, both products and money. Please prayerfully consider donating to this amazing ministry, which is run totally on donations!!! ALL of these items are needed and can be place in the collection box behind the Welcome Center:

shampoo & conditioner	bar soap	dish soap
Kleenex	paper towel	toothpaste
toilet paper (double roll)	laundry detergent	fabric softener

New Books For Our Library: We have been truly blessed with a wonderful donation of new books for our library! Book choices include children to adults and a variety of fiction and nonfiction. Books that will help you in your Christian walk, books that will share the experiences of others and books to challenge us, stretch us and help us grow. A giant thank you to Jen Miller for this gift! Books will be displayed in the Gathering Space for two Sundays. Feel free to take one home to read. Then they will be shelved in our library where books can be borrowed on the honor system-take to read and return when you are finished. Our library is located across from the choir room and is a great small group meeting room, too. Enjoy!

An Invitation: The interment of the cremains of Donna Garen will take place on Monday, October 21, at 1:30pm at Ridgeview Memorial Gardens Columbarium, located at 5151 8th Avenue SW, Grandville MI 49418. Any who knew Donna is most Welcome to attend.

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Share Your CLC Event Pictures:

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

Email: pictures@clcwyoing.org