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Join us for Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m. All are welcome!

Have a safe and happy summer!



**August** 

2019

# Christ Lutheran Church Parish Caller

Where CLC also stands for A Caring and Loving Community!

"Be still and know that I am God" ~Psalm 46:10~

Dear Friends in Christ,

So here I am unpacking from a quick vacation with my family in the U.P., repacking for a week of Confirmation Camp at Stony Lake, writing this newsletter article, and a dozen other things great and small. And here I thought these would be long lazy summer days – NOT!

"Those lazy, hazy days of summer..." a time for all of us to pause, take a breath (or two, or three, or ten), and take our pulse here at Christ Lutheran Church. It's easy to get caught up in the anxieties of life and change. Instead this summer I invite you to begin anew:

- o practice Sabbath rest
- begin and end each day in gratitude & prayer
- o put Christ at the center of your life at home, at work & on vacation
- let the Creator guide your recreation that it may truly be re-creation

The Worship & Music Committee has planned some new service styles for summer worship: 1st Sunday of each month 'traditional' and more casual worship on the other three Sundays. We invite you to come and gather in the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit with the rhythm of music, the celebration of sacraments, and reflection on the Word.

Pastor's message continued on next page.

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"Made new in Christ, we share the unconditional love of God with each other and the community. We go forward without fear, open to differences, serving a changing world."

#### Pastor's message continued from page 1.

Here is a prayer to still anxiety and bring harmony:

A Celtic Prayer for Stilling the Heart
Encircle me, O God...
...keep FAITH within, keep doubt without.
Encircle me, O God...
...keep HOPE within, keep despair without.
Encircle me, O God...
...keep LOVE within, keep fear without.

May God encircle you this summer in Faith, Hope & Love, Pastor Peggy



<u>Christ Lutheran Grief Support</u>: Finding Hope in Transition & Loss

Wednesday, August 21<sup>th</sup> 6:30 P.M.
"How Do I Go On: Redesigning Your Future After Crisis Has Changed Your Life"

#### In Our Prayers

Our love and concern for the following members: Family and Friends of Ted Kisse, Myrna Armstrong, Cindy Arnold, Bob & Judy Bates, Karen Bolley, Dennis Brown, Craig Butora, Barb Cooperrider, Steve Cooperrider, Karen DeRousse, Valna Dow, Evelyn Edwards, Krystal Edwards, Chris Eriksen, Riane Forbing, Fran Hackewicz, Lisa Head, Jake & Joanne Jakel, Fred Jones, John & Connie Keating, Thelma Kidd, Jamie Kinnison, Pat & Norm Kinnison, Mark Kush, Stan Larkin, Don & Helen Leece, Yvon Lowe, Pastor Wayne & Jean Peterson, Marilyn Smith, Madelyn Stobbe, Steve Szabo, Barb & Scott Thompson, Marjorie Wiley.

Our Armed Service and support personnel: Aaron Butora; Chris Kummeerl (Mandy Meucci); Bradley Weber (Marilyn Schulze); Justin Philpot (Carol Brown); Cole Nichols (Fred & Jill Jones)

Also in our prayers are: Bob Bates (Judy Bates); Tommy Earl (Beth Brown); Florence Anderson, Don & Georgia Maxwell (Annie Chachich); Mary Vollrath, Norah McKeachie, Sharynne Cleasby, Josh Woodward, Marshall Weimer (Virla Cleasby); Krystal Edwards-Wingett, Grace Rockey, Pastor Rose as she goes on vacation, Evelyn Edwards (Paula Corrin); Margot Nalley, Doris Hubbard (Barb DeRousse); Evelyn Edwards, Lorie King, Dave Klein, Michelle Sells, Jackie Emmendorfer, Krystal Edwards-Wingett, Ron Charter, Kathy McKenna, Lindsay Brownfield, Blake Hedges, David Wingett, Bud Leverenz, Steven Edwards, Family and Friends of Janet Jonom Brocks, Family and Friends of Dennis Stone, Family and Friends of Randy Ellis, Amy and Brian (Cindy Edwards); Howard & Kathryn Blythe, Don Robinson, Claire & her newborn & her family, Becky & children, Sadie and Travis (Krystal Edwards); Patty Newman (Elizabeth & Melanie Fante); John and Cyntia Forbing, Family and friends of Nicole McLauren (Hanne Forbing); Shari Evans, Maggie Todd, Debbie Preison (Robin Hansen); Beverly Krey (Jane Ives); Fred Jones, Cathy Labash, Bud Leverenz, Karen Haines (Jill Jones); Deby Stoglin (Pat Kinnison); Jack Klopf, Steve Beaumont, Carol Stephens Gerstin (Marsha Fante); Carol Lee Hehl (LaVerne Langdon); Fred Jones, Norm & Pat Kinnison, Safe travel for Pastor Peggy and enjoyable vacation, Good medical test result for all church family members, Emily, Doug and Arthur, Safe travels for family & pets and peaceful move to MI (Mike & Tina Mitchell); Joan Cody (Emmet & Sharon Morse); Steve Rockey (Grace Rockey); Luke Scott, Family & Friends of Ruth Jackson, Bernice Marshall, Gloria Skoog, Jackie Schiller (Pat Scott); Jim Reppke, Anna & Norm Doree (Mary Skirke); Evelyn Edwards, Cheryl and John Vanwasshnova, Krystal Edwards (Cheryl Troper); Dennis Brown (Paula Vidlund); Christine Ely (Dave Warner); Barb Schimp (Terry Young); Peace (Rita Zettel)

# Coming This Fall...

Community Impact Sunday Sunday, September 8th

"God's Work, Our Hands"

This is the Sunday we will all be sent out to the community to serve in various locations. Service activities for children and those for whom travel is difficult will be provided at the church.

Community Impact Sunday coming September 8th! Sending service and breakfast at 10a.m. Sign-up sheets for projects are posted in the fellowship area.

# Rally Day Picnic

Sunday, September 15th Watch for more details.

#### **Crop Walk**

Sunday, October 7th

Come walk with us to raise funds to fight hunger locally and all over the world.

A Crop Walk Team Leaders orientation for participating congregations will be held on Tuesday, August 28 at 7:00 pm here at church.

#### Meet Up and Eat Up Program Feeds Kids for Free

Breakfast and Lunch Available to Kids 18 & Younger

With summer right around the corner, it's time to think about keeping children healthy while school is out. The Waterford School District's Food and Nutrition Services Department provides free meals to children during the summer. There are no income requirements or registration necessary. Any child, 18 and younger, may eat free. This summer, meals will be served Monday through Friday, beginning June 18 through August 17, at the following campuses:

#### **Crary Campus**

501 N. Cass Lake Road, Waterford Breakfast served from 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Lunch served from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

#### **Grayson Elementary School**

3800 W. Walton Blvd., Waterford Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

#### Stepanski Early Childhood Center

6010 Hatchery Rd., Waterford Breakfast served from 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

#### **Riverside Elementary**

5280 Farm Rd., Waterford Breakfast served from 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

Each year, the U.S. Department of Agriculture partners with local organizations like the Waterford School District to provide free meals to children when school is out for the summer. For more information about the national Summer Food Service Program, visit: http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/summer

#### Project Backpack



Back to school – we are collecting school supplies for Waterford students. There is a bin in the entryway for

donations. The last day to bring donations is Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup>.

Backpacks	Pens/Pencils		
Pencil boxes	24 Ct crayons		
Highlighters	Post-it notes		
Notebooks	Rulers		
Calculators	Glue sticks		
Erasers	Markers		
Notebook paper	Pocket folders		

Waterford Refugee Welcome Alliance is sponsoring *Ask a Former Refugee* 3-5 pm, Sunday, September 29, 2019 at Central United Methodist Church 3882 Highland Rd, Waterford, MI 48328

You will get to meet and ask questions of refugees who have fled three different countries, come to America and resettled in Metro Detroit. It's a chance to meet real people and learn about their experiences coming to America.



#### Join us for VBS

Sunday August 4 - Thursday August 8 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM - for a light supper 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - VBS REGISTER NOW for a fun filled week. INVITE FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

To register please visit our website at <a href="https://www.christwaterford.org">www.christwaterford.org</a> and click on the link or pick up your registration form at the church in the fellowship area.

We look forward to a fun filled week of learning.

We need volunteers to help teach. If interested, please sign up on your info slip or contact Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach for more information.

The Waterford Refugee Welcome Alliance is collecting disposable diapers and feminine hygiene products. The collection has been extended through the month of August. The blue bin is in the fellowship area to receive donations.

#### **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

- 8/6 Dave Warner
- 8/12 Steve Fante
- 8/15 Carol Brown
- 8/16 Emma Anderson
- 8/18 Jerry Scrivo
- 8/22 Aaron Butora Kiira Mason
- 8/24 Phyllis Folsom
- 8/25 Jean O'Connor Mancy Patten
- 8/26 Karen DeRousse Kaye Harrison
- 8/28 Karli Koskinen
- 8/30 Paul Jonte-Crane

#### **AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES**

- 8/1 Erwin & Sue Klopfer
- 8/2 Dave & Wendy Kane Steve & Mayme Kavouras
- 8/3 Emmet & Sharon Morse
- 8/5 Ron & Margie Gobler
- 8/11 Steven & Vickie Hill Jim & Nadine Keway
- 8/16 Dave & Pam Wiley
- 8/21 Bob & Millicent Frick Mark & Trudi Koskinen
- 8/23 Ole & Anne Anderson Craig & Donna Butora
- 8/30 Harold & Mary Russell

#### **Tech Team**

- 8/4 Switcher: Bruce Jensen
  Projection: Chuck Charter
  Sound: Dave Warner
  - Cameras: Larry Cottrell, Emmet Morse
- **8/11** Switcher: Brent Gobler Projection: Chuck Charter
  - Sound: Sue Klopfer
  - Cameras: Bruce Jensen, Larry Cottrell
- **8/18** Switcher: Ole Anderson Projection: Max Thompson Sound: Chuck Charter
  - Cameras: Tracey Barney, Brent Gobler
- **8/25** Switcher: Ole Anderson Projection: Bruce Jensen Sound: Sue Klopfer
  - Cameras: Emmet Morse, Dave Warner
- **9/1** Switcher: Brent Gobler Projection: Chuck Charter
  - Sound: Sue Klopfer
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A gracious word may smooth the way;
A joyous word may light the day.
A timely word may lessen stress;
A loving word may heal and bless.
-Unknown Author

# **Worship Servants for August**

#### Lay Assistants

- 8/4 Barb Harris
- 8/11 Kerri Kinneberg
- 8/18 Norm Kinnison
- 8/25 Mike Mitchell
- 9/1 Joan Rathbun

#### **Ushers**

- 8/4 Carol Brown, Cindy Edwards
  Jeff Swanson, Jacen Schnitzer
- 8/11 Dale Folsom, Linda Jensen, Jerry & Carole Scrivo
- 8/18 Gerry Cleasby, Bill DeRousse Jackie Urbaniak, Jill Nancekivell
- 8/25 Pat Scott, Catherine Roller Jeff Swanson, Linda Jensen
- 9/1 Barb DeRousse, Jake Jakel Sharon Morse, Jacen Schnitzer

#### **Communion Assistants**

- 8/4 Debbie Barnowsky, Phyllis Folsom Kerri Kinneberg
- 8/11 Mary Bratun, Linda Greiser, Pat Scott
- 8/18 Carol Brown, Cindy Edwards, Joan Rathbun
- 8/25 Gil Bergsrud, Jane Ives, Mary Russell
- 9/1 Donna Butora, Debbie Barnowsky, Barb Harris

#### Greeters

- 8/4 LaVerne Langdon, Mary Skirke Cathy Roller, Jane Ives
- 8/11 Barb DeRousse, Linda Martin Sharon Morse, Julie Zaremba
- 8/18 Steve & Marsha Fante Terry Young, Char Charter
- 8/25 Jim & Nadine Keway Hanne & Riane Forbing
- 9/1 Norm & Pat Kinnison
  Mary Skirke, LaVerne Langdon

#### Coffee Hours

- 8/4 Choir / Beth Brown
- 8/11 Church Council Team 2
- 8/18 WELCA LaVerne Langdon
- 8/25 Men of the Church
- 9/1 Choir

#### **Diabetic Donations**

- 8/4 Sue Klopfer
- 8/11 Mancy Patten
- 8/18 Sharon Morse
- 8/25 Barb DeRousse
- 9/1 Karen Kush

<u>Counters:</u> \*Ron Goetze, Kris Goetze,

Gerry Cleasby, Julie Zaremba

Altar: Char Charter,
Jane Ives: Paula Corrin

#### **Finance**

After six months of operations in 2019, our expenses are greater than our income. As we move into the summer vacation months, remember that the church bills don't take a summer break, and we can use your continued financial support. See you at church, Gerry

Expense \$108,919 <u>Income</u> \$108,205 Total -\$714



The Council summer picnic will be on Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at Kris Goetze's home. Watch your email for directions. Thank you to Kris and Ron Goetze for hosting.

# Call Committee 2020

The transition team has competed their task and we now move on to the Call committee 2020. CC2020 is working on the Ministry Site Profile - MSP. The MSP is a comprehensive document that explains who we are and what we are looking for in a permanent pastor. With the completion of the MSP, we will then start the search for candidates. Watch for updates on what is happening.

### Parsonage Sale

We have a firm offer which we have accepted and are finishing up the documents to complete the sale. Hopefully by the time you read this, the deal will be completed. See you at church, Gerry

"That beautiful season the Summer! Filled was the air with a dreamy and magical light; and the landscape Lay as if new created in all the freshness of childhood."

- Henry Wadsworth Longfellow





## **Collecting Baby And Children's' Blankets**

St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Warren is collecting blankets for Children's Hospital of MI, DMC. They can be any fabric or yarn-knitted, crocheted, sewn, quilted, hand tied or purchased. The blankets may be any size or color but **must be new and washable**.

Let's give the children something to snuggle with and let them know we care and pray for them.

Please drop off at church by Sept 15<sup>TH</sup> in the Baby Bag in the fellowship area. Pat Scott will deliver to St. Peter's. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.



# August 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Waterford, MI 48329	www.christwaterford.org					
248-673-7331						
(Phone & Fax)				6:00 pm Jazzercise 6:00 pm TOPS	6:00 pm Karate	8:00 pm AA
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11:15pm Worship & Music mtg				Last day to donate to Project	Project Backpack donations	10:00 am – 1:00 pm Karate
	6:30 pm Council Picnic at Goetze's			Backpack	will be picked up today.	
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			6:30 pm Grief Support with Pastor Peggy			
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