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<b>June</b>	<b>Christ Lutheran Church</b> <b>Parish Caller</b>
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<i>Where CLC also stands for A Caring and Loving Community!</i>	

**FINDING HOPE IN TRANSITION & LOSS**

*I consider that the sufferings of this present time  
Are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us.  
~ Romans 8:18 ~*

I can remember running along the beach. It was one of those marvelous late summer days in August when summer graces the south shore of Lake Superior with sunshine, soaring temperatures, and an east wind that blows the surface water that has been warming all summer long toward the shore in waves that foam and break on the beaches. I was wearing an over-sized Packer Backer T-shirt over my swim suit as my friends and I chased each other down the beach, challenging each other to another round of body surfing in the mounting waves.

Then all of a sudden – whomp! I was face down in the sand and surf. Floundering around in a receding wave and the T-shirt which seemed to have grown three sizes in the water, sputtering water and sand out of my mouth and nose, and blinking them out of my eyes. “What happened?” shouted my friends through fits of hysterical laughter as they helped me up from my antics of rolling about on the beach.

“I tripped on a wave, or maybe the wave tripped over me,” I laughed back.

As my friends and I traced the waterline far up the beach from where I had been running, it seemed this was less of a wave to trip over than something out of *The Odessey* to send sailors reeling from its sheer power and mass. It was one of those amazing rogue waves that Superior serves up every so often – all out of proportion with what has come before – always leaving me in awe of God’s handiwork.

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**Join us!**  
**Sunday Worship**  
**10:00 a.m.**

**Have a safe and  
happy Summer!**



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This story reminds me of how grief, loss, and times of transition can at times overwhelm the best of us. Even when we think we're doing all of the "right things" to cope – WHOMP – down we go. Only these are no warm late summer waves; these are waves of sadness and abandonment and anger and weariness and depression. We can be left with a sense of everything being out of order, of *just going through the motions*, and of guilt at being short-tempered and generally out-of-sorts.

During these past six months, several friends and members of Christ Lutheran Church, and in our community have experienced significant losses in their lives. There are also those who experience times of transition from a place of fear and anxiety. For all of these reasons, and because our shared life of faith encourages us to "...weep with those who weep...live in harmony with one another" (Romans 12:15-16), there will be an opportunity to gather and share and learn more about grief, loss, and transition.

**Grief Support: *Finding Hope in Loss & Transition***  
**Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 A.M. &**  
**Wednesday, August 21– 6:30 P.M.**

Please join us for this opportunity for learning and support,  
Pastor Peggy



*In Our Prayers*

**Our love and concern for the following members:** Myrna Armstrong, Cindy Arnold, Bob & Judy Bates, Karen Bolley, Craig Butora, Barb Cooperrider, Steve Cooperrider, Karen DeRousse, Valna Dow, Evelyn Edwards, Krystal Edwards-Wingett, 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); Florence Anderson, Don & Georgia Maxwell (Annie Chachich); Mary Vollrath, Norah McKeachie, Sharynne Cleasby, Josh Woodward, Michael Sweet (Virla Cleasby); Autumn Ridge Residents and Staff (Bill & Barb DeRousse); Nancy Carmen (Karen 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 (Cindy Edwards); The friends and family of Thomas Allen, Diane Allen, Tom Allen, The Family of Bob Jaglewski, Sadie, Don Robinson, Kerry Williams (Krystal Edwards-Wingett); Patty Newman (Elizabeth & Melanie Fante); Dave Tinlus, Alexandra Katnik, Our neighbor, Erwin Klopfer, Mike & Steve Beaumont, Joanne Jakel (Marsha Fante); Cynthia Forbing (Hanne Forbing); Lynn Norton (Joyce Hillert); Michael Herr (Jane Ives); Fred Jones, Pat Jones, Jim Fordyce Cathy Labash, ,Bud Leverenz, Kim Thorell, Bob Grubbe, The Gerbeck Family, Denise Skreuter (Jill Jones); Mark Koslow (Kerri Kinneberg); Deby Stoglin (Pat Kinnison); Carol Lee Hehl (LaVerne Langdon); Emily, Doug & Arthur, Sarah, Fred Jones, Norm & Pat Kinnison, Jamie Kinnison, Evelyn Edwards (Tina and Mike Mitchell); Our Govt to see "the light of our life" and Love (Nancy Pfauth); Steve Rockey (Grace Rockey); Luke Scott, Jackie Schiller, Dennis Aten, LaVerne Langdon's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday, For our church as we celebrate 75 years and many more! (Pat Scott); Anna & Norm Doree (Mary Skirke); Marilyn Smith (Rochelle Smith); Evelyn Edwards, Cheryl and John Vanwasshnova, Krystal Edwards-Wingett (Cheryl Troper); Christine Ely (Dave Warner); Barb Schimp (Terry Young); Peace (Rita Zettel)

### Finance

After five months of operations in 2019 we are in the “black” meaning that income is greater than expenses. Thanks to all our faithful Sunday morning contributors that have helped us stay in the “black”. 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

Income	\$91,098
<u>Expense</u>	<u>\$86,961</u>
Total	+ \$4,137

### Incoming Council Elections

Thanks to Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach for her re-election and continued service on council, and to Mary Russell joining council. There are still two vacant council positions available, property and youth. If you are interested in either of these positions, please see Gerry Cleasby.

### Recognition of Council Members Completing terms

Thanks to our council members who completed their terms in office at the end of June. They are Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach, Kerri Kinneberg, Norm Kinnison, Teresa Walsh, Deanna Mitchell & Cindy Edwards.

### Transition 2020

The transition team is about done with its tasks and we will be moving on to the call team. One step closer to finding us a permanent Pastor. Watch for updates on what is happening.

## **Coming This Summer**

**Christ Lutheran Grief Support:**  
***Finding Hope in Transition & Loss***

**Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup> 11:30 A.M.**  
***“Listen to Your Sadness: Finding Hope  
Again After Despair Invades Your Life”***

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

Pastor Peggy Rose will lead both sessions which include opportunities for sharing, a video guided meditation featuring Dr. James Miller, and prayer. Please join us for this opportunity to gather, share, and learn more about loss, grief, and transitions.



### Vacation Bible School

Sunday August 12 - Thursday August 16  
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.

Registration forms are available at the church.

## **ROAD RALLY!!!**



Saturday, July 20  
1:30 pm

Our 4th annual Road Rally is planned for July 20. This is a fundraiser to support the Waterford Coalition for Youth. Participants will meet at the church, in the basement, at 1:30 pm for instructions and the 1st clue. Race will begin at 2:00 pm. See Deanna Mitchell or Cindy Edwards with questions.

The Waterford Refugee Welcome Alliance is collecting disposable diapers and feminine hygiene products for the months of June and July. The blue bin is in the fellowship area.



If you have not yet signed up to have your picture taken, please contact the church office as soon as possible. Our last date for taking photos is on **Wednesday, July 17. Evening appointments are still available.**

## **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 17 through August 16, at the following campuses:

### Crary Campus

501 N. Cass Lk. Rd., Waterford, MI 48328  
Breakfast Time: 8:00a.m.-9:00a.m.  
Lunch Time: 11:00a.m.-1:00p.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 Time: 8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m.  
Lunch Time: 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>

**JULY BIRTHDAYS**

7/1 Florence Nicholls  
7/2 Caleb Cummings  
7/3 Cindy Edwards  
7/5 Robert Greiser  
Jackie Urbaniak  
7/7 Dale Folsom  
7/9 Jodi Mason  
7/11 Eric Bergsrud  
Madonna Putch  
7/15 Joan Cole  
7/16 Gil Bergsrud  
Marjorie Wiley  
7/17 Alexis Miles  
Jamie Swanson  
7/18 Craig Butora  
Clara Cummings  
Jacob Turcsak  
7/21 Sarah O'Connor  
7/22 Jacque Garrison  
7/23 Dave Kane  
Ruth Korhonen  
Trudi Koskinen  
Lynn Robertson  
7/24 Lorraine Craft  
Cheryl Troper  
Arabella Wichtman  
7/25 Chuck Charter  
David Crow  
7/26 Ole Anderson  
7/28 Gary Manley  
Jamie Schutt  
7/29 Scott Thompson  
7/31 Chuck Roller

**JULY ANNIVERSARIES**

7/9 Lance & Donna Clauson  
7/10 Bob & Jacque Garrison  
7/11 Tom & Nancy Pfauth  
Chuck & Cathy Roller  
7/13 Mike & Anna Findley  
7/16 John & Jodi Mason

**Tech Team**

7/7 Switcher: Ole Anderson  
Projection: Bruce Jensen  
Sound: Dave Warner  
Cameras: Larry Cottrell, Emmet Morse  
7/14 Switcher: Ole Anderson  
Projection: Chuck Charter  
Sound: Sue Klopfer  
Cameras: Larry Cottrell, Dave Warner  
7/21 Switcher: Max Thompson  
Projection: Bruce Jensen  
Sound: Chuck Charter  
Cameras: Tracey Barney, Brent Gobler  
7/28 Switcher: Ole Anderson  
Projection: Sue Klopfer  
Sound: Sean Martin  
Cameras: Tracey Barney, Emmet Morse  
8/4 Switcher: Bruce Jensen  
Projection: Chuck Charter  
Sound: Dave Warner  
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Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under trees on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time.

John Lubbock

**Worship Servants for July**

Lay Assistants

7/7 Char Charter  
7/14 Brent Gobler  
7/21 Margie Gobler  
7/28 Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach  
8/4 Barbara Harris

Ushers

7/7 Pat Scott, Sharon Morse,  
Carol Brown, Linda Jensen  
7/14 Jackie Urbaniak, Dale Folsom,  
Gerry Cleasby, Cathy Roller  
7/21 Steve & Marsha Fante  
Hanne and Riane Forbing  
7/28 Ron & Kris Goetze  
Joan Rathbun, Bill DeRousse  
8/4 Carol Brown, Cindy Edwards  
Jeff Swanson, Jacen Schnitzer

Communion Assistants

7/7 Debbie Barnowsky, Marsha Fante,  
Jane Ives  
7/14 Carol Brown, Linda Greiser,  
Cindy Edwards  
7/21 Mary Russell, Julie Zaremba,  
Jill Nancekivell  
7/28 Carol Brown, Donna Butora  
Gil Bergsrud  
8/4 Debbie Barnowsky, Phyllis Folsom  
Kerri Kinneberg

Greeters

7/7 Jerry & Carole Scrivo  
Linda Martin, Terry Young  
7/14 Jim & Nadine Keway  
Barb DeRousse, Cheryl Troper  
7/21 Norm and Pat Kinnison  
Pat Scott, Jacen Schnitzer  
7/28 Grace Rockey, Rita Zettel  
Jake and JoAnne Jakel  
8/4 LaVerne Langdon, Mary Skirke  
Cathy Roller, Jane Ives

Coffee Hours

7/7 Choir  
7/14 Church Council - Team 1  
7/21 WELCA – Kris Goetze, chair  
7/28 Men of the Church  
8/4 Choir

Diabetic Donations

7/7 Cindy Edwards  
7/14 Phyllis Folsom  
7/21 Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach  
7/28 Kerri Kinneberg  
8/4 Sue Klopfer

Counters:

Tina Catenacci,  
Maureen Stislicki, Sharon Morse

Altar:

Evelyn Edwards, Karen Hillestad,  
Carol Brown



## Coming This Fall...

### Community Impact Sunday

Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>

*"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.

Watch for more information about service opportunities.

### Rally Day Picnic

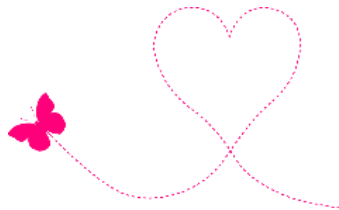
Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

Watch for more details.

### Crop Walk

Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>

Watch for more details.



*Please remember to be patient and kind with one another. Everyone you meet is fighting a battle you know nothing about, so choose to be kind, always!*



### Special Music for Summer

Are you musical? Do you like to sing or play an instrument? We would love to hear you. We have openings all summer for special music during our worship service. Please see George if you are interested.

*Thank You*

Many thanks to Pat Scott for filling in for me while I was on vacation. I truly appreciate!

Kerri Kinneberg



### ROYAL OAK RECYCLING

We are receiving some finances each month from the paper dumpsters. Please remember to drop off your papers, magazines, etc.

Now we not only help with the environment but receive a small income. Many thanks!

### STYROFOAM RECYCLING




There is a drop off site in Troy for Styrofoam recycling. We are collecting the Styrofoam in the storage area to the left of the basement stairs. (Next to the kitchen)

## PENTECOST SUNDAY / CELEBRATE OUR HISTORY IN THE CHURCH



*Many thanks to Paula Corrin and her son for creating our timeline. It will be displayed in the fellowship area throughout the summer. Supplies to add yourself to the timeline are in a basket on the counter in the fellowship area.*

July 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise 9:30 am Senior Men's Golf  6:00 pm Jazzercise	<b>2</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>3</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  8:00 pm AA	<b>Happy 4<sup>th</sup>!</b> <b>4</b> Church office is closed today. 	<b>5</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>6</b> 8:15am Jazzercise  8:00 pm AA
<b>7</b> 10:00 am Communion Worship	<b>8</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise 9:30 am Senior Men's Golf  6:00 pm Jazzercise	<b>9</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>10</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  8:00 pm AA	<b>11</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm TOPS 6:00 pm Jazzercise	<b>12</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>13</b> 8:15 am Jazzercise  8:00 pm AA
<b>14</b> 10:00 am Communion Worship Noisy Offering	<b>15</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise 9:30 am Senior Men's Golf  6:00 pm Jazzercise	<b>16</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>Picture Day</b> <b>17</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  2:00 pm – 9:00pm Picture Day!  8:00 pm AA	<b>18</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm TOPS 6:00 pm Jazzercise	<b>19</b> 8:15am & 9:20am Jazzercise  6:00 pm Karate	<b>20</b> 8:15 am Jazzercise 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Karate  1:30 pm Road Rally  8:00 pm AA
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