



# This Week at Christ Lutheran

## October 4, 2020

### **IMPORTANT SAFETY GUIDELINES FOR CHURCH**

*These guidelines have been temporarily implemented to make our church environment safer.*

1. Only every other pew will be used. You will be ushered to a pew when you enter the sanctuary. Pews will be filled from the front of the church to the back, so you might not be ushered to your favorite pew. We ask your patience as we adjust to this new situation. Pews will have 3 people per pew - one on each end and one in the middle, or two on one end (husband/ wife, etc.) and one on the other end. If there is a family group, they will all be seated in the same pew. PLEASE WORK WITH US ON THIS.
2. Bulletins will already be placed on your pew.
3. The seating capacity of the sanctuary will be limited to approximately 40 people. In case it becomes filled, there will be 5 or 6 seats available in the balcony and chairs will be available in the fellowship hall.
4. Communion will be offered using the "continuous" method. Approach the front using the main aisle. First take a wafer with its liner off the tray. Eat the wafer. Then take an individual communion cup from the tray and drink it. Place the wafer liner and used individual cup in the receptacle at the end of the front pew. Return to your pew using the side aisle, if possible. Please observe the 6 foot spacing between communicants. You need not have your mask on when you come up for communion. If anyone will benefit from having communion brought to the pew, Pastor will do that for them. Please let him know before the service starts.
5. We will not take the offering during the service. Place your envelope in the offering plate located in the narthex and in the fellowship hall.

**Leaving the Building** 1. You will be ushered out of the sanctuary when the service is over. Ushering will start at the back. Please remain in your pew until it's your turn to exit. You will not be ushered out if you are in the balcony or the fellowship hall. If you are seated in either of those locations, please observe social distancing when you talk with others and exit the building.

2. If you are seated in the sanctuary or upstairs, please use either the main church doors to exit, or use the wide entrance into the fellowship hall. If you are seated in the fellowship hall, please exit using the glass doors by the library. Please do not use the narrow hallway with the coat rack.

**VOTERS' MEETING:** Next Sunday October 11, will be our quarterly Voters' Meeting after the church service. Please try to attend.

**WELCOME VISITORS!** Please fill out a Welcome Card (located in the card holders in pews) and give to Pastor after the service and receive a special welcome gift. Children's bulletins and activity bags are available at the church entrance. A mother's room and restroom are located at the left rear of the church. If you do not have a church home, you are warmly invited to join with us.

**FLOWERS:** Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Barb Peterson in memory of her husband, Bill.

**AS WE GATHER:** The vineyard is frequently used in Scripture to denote a special place in God's creation. To have a vineyard and enjoy its fruit is a blessing. When the prophet Isaiah speaks of the goodness of the Lord, he says that God's favored people "shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit" (Isaiah 65:21). Vineyards were planted with a fruitful harvest in mind. We are the Lord's planting, and we eagerly await our harvest home.

**WOMEN'S SERVICE GUILD:** October Prayer Petition

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight. (Proverbs 3:5-6)

**ALTAR FLOWERS** – The following dates are available to place flowers on the Altar: October 18 and November 22. The cost is \$30. An additional vase is \$20.00. Contact Kathy Sourbeer for more information. Please make checks out to Women's Service Guild and put in the Women's Service Guild's mailbox in front of the church office or give to Kathy Sourbeer.

**MITES FOR MISSIONS** – The Lutheran Women Missionary League is able to make funds available for the various mission projects that were voted on and approved at their last convention. There is a big MITE box and smaller ones on the shelf in the Narthex. Check out the back issues of the Lutheran Woman's Quarterly on in the table in the library for grant descriptions.

**BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION** – We are still collecting box tops for education or grocery receipts that have those purchases on them in the bin in the library. Receipts can be scanned. Funds raised from these items enable Redeemer Lutheran School to get educational equipment.

**STAMPS FOR MISSIONS** are being collected. Please open the envelope from the bottom, then cut the envelope in half to save the stamp. Put the stamps in the box in the library.

**VIRTUAL WORSHIP SERVICE:** You are invited to the first ever All Eastern District Virtual Worship Service on October 8, led by pastors and musicians of congregations of the Eastern District. It will premier at 7pm on both YouTube and Facebook. It is entitled, "Making All Things New."

# WORSHIP, FELLOW- SHIP, & SERVICE at CHRIST LUTHERAN

**October 4-October 11, 2020**

**SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION**

8:45 Sunday School  
8:45 Bible Classes  
10:00 AM Divine Service

**TUESDAY**

3:30 PM Confirmation Class

**WEDNESDAY**

10:30 AM Women's Bible Study

**THURSDAY**

7:00 PM Virtual Worship Service

**SATURDAY**

7:45 AM Men's Bible Study

**SUNDAY**

8:45 Sunday School  
8:45 Bible Classes  
10:00 AM Divine Service  
11:30 AM Voters' Meeting

Date	Attend	Offerings	YTD	Budget
9/27	44	\$5,006	\$45,961	\$53,300

**This Week in Prayer**

Larry Garris	
Devera Hoblak	Margie Itzel
Chris Terry	Zachary
John Hoblak	Norm Johnson
Carol Logsdon	Howard Lehman
Joyce Purucker	
Mike and Barb Lis	

**Shut Ins**

Paul Bruner	
Lorraine Giebel	Fran Giesey
Chuck Koenig	Marty Hornak
Jim and Ann Tubbs	Flo Kost
Gerry Hildenbrand	Pam Viher

**Serving Our Country**

Sonny Breeger	Kyle Schoenthal
Miguel Breight	Tristen Slaczka
David Lisovich	

**Family and Friends**

Family of Jean Evans (Barb Mitchell's sister)  
 Craig Macnamara (Ryan's dad)  
 Walt Livingston (Coworker of Devera Hoblak)  
 Wilma Schambura (Lee Caton's aunt)  
 Pat Lenke (Nancy Johnson's mother) and Nancy and her sisters, Barb and Sandy.  
 Brad White (great grandson of Barb Urban)  
 John Burchell (friend of Rick Kearn & Pastor Breight)  
 Ellen Linhart (former principal of CLS)  
 Dee Mitchell (friend of Barb Mitchell)  
 Bee Drodge (sister of Carol Sapanara)  
 Peter Fisher (former member)  
 Gina Rudolph (friend of Tammy Donaldson)  
 George Shellenberger (brother of Ann Tubbs)  
 Chris and Tim (friends of Judy Chick)  
 David Kaclik (Kathy's husband)  
 Arlene & Ken Popko (sister and brother-in-law of Joyce Purucker)  
 Steve Weber (friend of Norm Johnson)  
 Bob Serechin (friend of Flo Kost)  
 Bim Hanley (Georgia's husband)  
 Kathy Wallace & Bill Carr (friends of the Tubbs')  
 Shawn (friend of Lee Caton)  
 Dan Johnson (Norm's brother)  
 Shelly Winfrey (Tammy Donaldson's sister)  
 Pat Weiss (sister-in-law of Georgia Hanley)  
 Roberta Mower (cousin of Lee Caton)  
 Larry Lamp (friend of Nancy Johnson)  
 Linda Augustine (friend of Georgia Hanley)  
 Barb Peterson