



This Week at Christ Lutheran

Celebrating 92 Years in Forest Hills

July 6, 2025

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BULLETINS, SERMONS AND LIVE WORSHIP: Bulletins and sermons are available for download on our website. A live stream of worship services is available on our Facebook page. See the top of this page for our website and Facebook locations.

FLOWERS: Flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God by Glenn & Rosalie Filler to celebrate their 67 th anniversary and John and Kathy Sourbeer to celebrate their 40th anniversary.

FLOWERS: There are many Sundays open for August and some in September if you would like to sign up. The flower chart is located in the Narthex.

THANK YOU: to the officers who served the church last year. We welcome a new group of officers to this year's service. Installation of officers and committees will be July 13.

LAMPLIGHTER DEADLINE: The date for the deadline has been moved up this month to July 10.

LWML MISSION WALK: Many thanks to those who donated last Sunday to the Mission Walk that Susan and Lois did over the Missouri River from Nebraska to Iowa. It's the first time the walk has covered two states. Donations can still be made when they are here next Sunday. Checks are to be made payable to LWML. July 11 is the end date for donations.

144th Summer Festival at Concordia will be held on Sunday, July 27, from 12:30 – 5:30 p.m. in the Lund Care Center back yard on the Concordia at Cabot campus, located at 134 Marwood Rd., Cabot, PA 16023. Free admission.

It will feature a picnic lunch starting at 12:30 pm., live music from Chuck Blasko and The Vogues beginning at 1:30 pm. and a traditional worship service at 4 pm, featuring LCMS Eastern District President Rev. John Pingel. A car cruise will also be onsite from 12:30 – 3 pm.

The chef has crafted a delicious summer picnic-inspired menu for the festival, available at on-site food tents. Please note: all food purchases are cash only.

A Fishing Derby for kids 12 and under will highlight the children's activities from 12:30 – 3 pm. At the pavilion, a caricature artist, crafts and games will also keep the kids busy from 12:30 – 5:30 pm. Each child is entitled to one free drink and one free food item.

Open House will be held from 1 – 3 pm. at Haven I (112 Marwood Rd) to tour our retirement living community.

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. A mother's room and restroom are located at the left rear of the church. May you find this a place of spiritual rest and renewal.

AS WE GATHER: The Epistle is full of marching orders for daily living and the warning, "let us not grow weary of doing good" (Galatians 6:9). When the Seventy-Two (not just the Twelve) went out in the Gospel, we do not know how fearful they may have been, but they returned triumphant and were congratulated by our Lord. Because He has won the final battle for us, our worship today may certainly focus on the peace that awaits us. It is an opportunity to "shout for joy to God, all the earth" (Psalm 66:1).

ISSUES, ETC.: YOU CAN TEACH LAYPEOPLE THEOLOGY... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen to recent in-depth interviews about: A Lutheran View of Natural Law, The Problem of Male Friendship, Christian Endurance, Did Martin Luther Remove Books from the Bible? and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](https://www.issuesetc.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

LUTHERAN CENTER FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY: On July 6, 1776, the *Pennsylvania Evening Gazette* published the Declaration of Independence on its front page, spreading the news to the public. Today, you can receive updates from the Lutheran Center for Religious Liberty by subscribing to our email list at <https://www.lcrlfreedom.org/#subscribe>

MOVING ONWARD AND UPWARD:

BOLIVIA: We are now in fellowship with the Evangelical Christian Lutheran Church of Bolivia. It became official on May 24. The LCMS currently has 43 official church partners around the world.

ROME: 2 new pastors will be caring for Christus Victor Lutheran Church. They found out about the LCMS through social Media channels of LCMS pastors in the US!

HISTORICAL NOTES: The reading of the Augsburg Confession before Charles V, the emperor of Europe in 1530 and The publication of the Book of Concord in 1580.

WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, & SERVICE at CHRIST LUTHERAN

July 6-July13, 2025

SUNDAY—Holy Communion
10:00 AM Divine Service

MONDAY
7:00 PM AA Meeting

TUESDAY
6:30 PM Girl Scouts

WEDNESDAY
11:00 AM Crafting
4:30 PM Education Meeting

THURSDAY
Lamplighter Deadline

SUNDAY
10:00 AM Divine Service
11:30 AM New Member Class

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Date	Attendees	Offering	To date	Budget
6-29-25	51	\$2,555	\$182,755	\$203,850

This Week in Prayer

Bob Karpinsky	Frank Elaschat
Lynn Fisher	Sandy Uram
Bill Hite	Karen Dadey
Barb Mitchell	Linda Kuenzi
Mike and Barb Lis	Kathy Hanley
Lee Caton	Glenn Filler
Doug Skalka	Paul Simpson

Shut Ins

Jim & Evelyn Wise	Ann Tubbs
Bob and Bette Hamill	Russell Long
Pat Lehnhardt	June Kolb
Carol Logsdon	Cathy Ertman
Audrey Karpinsky	Bob Lindke
Audrey Marvenko	Katherine
Mastrocola	

Serving Our Country

Kyle Schoenthal	Miguel Bright
David Lisovich	Carson Starke

Family and Friends

Nathan Glasser (son of Randy and Cathy Glasser)
 Alex Russo (friend of Lee Caton & Stephanie Lydon)
 Richard George (Mike's dad)
 Rev. Mark Mozeik
 Greg Filotei (friend of Norm & Nancy Johnson)
 Rich Little (friend of Janice Polidora)
 Mark & Deb Albaugh (Tatia O'Connor's friend)
 Megan (friend of Lee Caton and Stephanie Lydon)
 Justin and Christian Riddle (nephews of Mike Lis)
 Ruth Johnson (Norm's sister-in-law)
 Trina Ayers (friend of Stephanie Lydon)
 Donna Madia (friend of Kathy Ertman)
 The Rev. Ernest Knoche
 Ken Stern (brother-in-law of Gloria)
 Jake Benedum (friend of Tammy Donaldson)
 David Kaclik (Kathy's husband)
 Dan Johnson (Norm's brother)
 Shelly Winfrey (Tammy Donaldson's sister)
 Larry Lamp (friend of Nancy Johnson)
 Linda Augustine (friend of Georgia Hanley)



The purpose of this congregation shall be to seek the honor and glory of God. The congregation exists to this end as a community of baptized Christians wherein the following is provided for: Worship, Nurture, Fellowship, Outreach and Service.