



This Week at Christ Lutheran

Celebrating 92 Years in Forest Hills

September 14, 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: The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God in memory of Richard and Diana Lydon

FLOWER CHART: has openings on September 21 and 28. Please sign up.

INSTALLATION OF SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS: will be held today during the worship service.

LUTHERAN CENTER FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY: When Benjamin Franklin was asked what type of government was created, he responded, "A Republic, if you can keep it." As the nation pauses to commemorate Constitution Day this year, we have an opportunity to "keep it." For a free copy of Supreme Court cases based on Constitutional Religious freedoms, see the Resource tab at www.LCRLFreedom.org.

PLAN AHEAD: Pennsylvania March for Life in Harrisburg on September 22. More information is on the fellowship hall bulletin board.

GOLF SCRAMBLE: The 84th Pittsburgh Area Lutheran Golf Scramble will take place on September 27. It benefits Lutheran Schools in the area. Forms are in your newsletter. You may also donate if you aren't a golfer.

OCTOBERFEST at Concordia Haven I at Cabot: This year's Oktoberfest is featuring the Mikey Dee Polka Band, a German-themed menu, and a bouncy castle, balloon artist, and more for your kids! There will be an open house of Haven 1 as well. Don't miss the fireworks at 7:45 PM!

OCTOBERFEST: Traditional Sauerkraut Supper and Acapella Concert at Zion, Lawrenceville on Saturday, October 19 starting at 5:00 PM and consists of roast pork loin, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, gravy, baked beans, apple sauce, dessert, and a beverage. North Hills Harmony Line Chorus will perform starting at 6:30 PM. There will be a free-will offering and all the proceeds will benefit Oakland Campus Ministry. RSVP at 412-621-2720.

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 charge against Jesus was always the same—He keeps the wrong company. But Jesus has come for sinners, and if you are not a sinner, He does not have anything for you. To emphasize why He has come, our Lord tells the stories of ninety-nine sheep left behind to find one who is lost and a woman who rejoices over finding one lost coin. You are that lost sheep and lost coin for whom Christ has come and in whom heaven rejoices. Jesus has come for you and for you He has offered Himself upon the cross and been laid in the tomb. This is the heavenly joy of the angels above, and it is our earthly joy as well. Christ came for us!

ISSUES, ETC.: BOOK OF PROVERBS BIBLE STUDY... The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon recently started a study on the Book of Proverbs. You can listen at your convenience at thewordendures.org, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, Tune In, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

PALM SPORTS CLUB INTEREST SURVEY: PALM is considering organizing a group for people in our Lutheran community to play sports together and we want to hear from you. To help us gauge interest and begin planning, please fill out this survey: <https://forms.gle/96gSuiwN2nA7DLoi9>



Eastern District
The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, & SERVICE

at

CHRIST LUTHERAN

September 14-September 21, 2025

SUNDAY—

8:45 AM Adult Bible Classes
10:00 AM Divine Service
11:30 AM Sunday School
11:30 AM Confirmation Class

MONDAY

Lamplighter Deadline
7:00 PM AA Meeting
7:00 PM Vocal Choir

TUESDAY

6:30 PM Girl Scouts
7:00 PM Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY

11:00 AM Crafting

SUNDAY—Holy Communion

8:45 AM Adult Bible Classes
10:00 AM Divine Service
11:30 AM Sunday School
11:30 AM Confirmation Class

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This Week in Prayer

Frank Elaschat	Lynn Fisher
Sandy Uram	Bill Hite
Karen Dadey	Paul Simpson
Margie Itzel	Linda Kuenzi
Mike and Barb Lis	Carol Sapanara
Lee Caton	Glenn Filler

Shut Ins

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

Serving Our Country

Kyle Schoenthal	Miguel Bright
David Lisovich	Carson Starke

Family and Friends

John Gresh (son-in-law of Fillers)
Sally Powell (former office assistant)
Rev. Dr. Ed Grimenstein
People of California, North Carolina, Texas, and New Jersey for disasters
Nathan Glasser (son of Randy and Cathy Glasser)
Alex Russo (friend of Lee & Stephanie Caton)
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 and Stephanie Caton)
Justin, Christian, Joshua & Matthew Riddle (nephews of Mike Lis)
Ruth Johnson (Norm's sister-in-law)
Trina Ayers (friend of Stephanie Caton)
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.