

**News Bulletin for Pentecost 5 (Proper 8) Worship
The Weekend of June 26 and 27, 2010**

This weekend we welcome Pastor Gerald Kovac at all services. Pastor Kovac was ordained for the SELC District of the LCMS in 1965. He has served as a Chaplain for the Wisconsin Department of Correction and as Executive Secretary of the Mission Board of the SELC District. Before preaching on behalf of Food for the Poor, he also served as a pastor in St. Louis for 31 years.

SPECIAL GIFTS With glory given to God, we acknowledge the following gifts presented in support of our church's ministry:

\$100 from Karen Bartak in memory of her husband, † John Bartak. Home Welfare.

CHRISTIAN COMFORT In the assurance of eternal life, we offer Christian comfort to the family and friends of:

† John "Jack" Trojan. Jack, husband of Eileen, died on Tuesday, June 22. Pastor Rohlf and Pastor Ledogar conducted the funeral service at Christ Lutheran Church on Saturday, June 26.

† Edward K. Fujita, Ph.D. Edward died on Sunday, June 20. Pastor Ledogar conducted the Christian funeral service on Friday, June 25, at Robert J. Sheehy & Sons Funeral Home in Orland Park. A committal service will be held at a later time in New York City.

† Marie Florence Laurent. Marie, sister of Haitian Lay Minister Lophan Laurent, died in Haiti.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER REQUESTS We remember the following in our altar and personal prayers this week. **Long-term prayer needs are found in the weekly *Prayer Power* publication.** Altar/Prayer Power request slips are available on the table in the narthex.

For those who grieve: the family and friends of † **John "Jack" Trojan**, † **Edward Fujita**, and † **Marie Florence Laurent**.

For healing and strength: **Leslie Bacon**, friend of Joanne Bronzell – good test results; **John Benedetti** – waiting on kidney transplant; **Chris Benson**, brother of Tom – cancer treatment; **Veronica Burden** – continued recovery at home; **Emilie Certik**, mother of Ellen Weber – Mother Theresa Home, Lemont; **Jim Chaney**, brother-in-law of Bobbie Kusek – cancer care; **Wanda Deel**, mother-in-law of Laura Gaines Walk – recovering; Janet Evans, sister of Gerry Bronzell – surgery on July 1; **Macy Ganz** – young child with cancer; **Wright Jarman** – recovering at home; **Josephine Kloess** – home; **Nancy Marquardt** – Alden; **Carole Neu** – chemo; **Patt Pearl** – cancer treatment; **Bill Peterson** – recovering at home; **Noreen Peterson** – physical therapy; **Janice Piotrowski** – cancer treatment;

Rose Rakow, mother of Monica Stampanato – recovering from surgery; **Bob Stamp** – RML, Hinsdale; **Doloris Stamp** – The Grove of LaGrange; **Karen Swanson**, daughter of Bob and Karen Mininni – recovering; **Judy Vahldick** – cancer treatment; **Pearl Webster**, friend of Joanne Bronzell – surgery on June 30; **Travis Zintak** – recovering.

For safety in travel: Vicar Mark and Kara Koschmann, who will be traveling to Kake, Alaska for a Mission Trip with members of Woodbury Lutheran Church (Minnesota). Vicar Mark is the seminarian we support through our First Fruits fund this year.

For those who celebrate: Tom and Caryle Roegner, who celebrate their 40th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, June 27.

BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST With praise to God, we rejoice in the following baptisms:



Madeline Grace Kordell, daughter of Jerome and Paula Kordell (Rushing). Pastor Rohlf's will conduct the private baptism on Sunday, June 27. Daniel and Catherine Kordell are serving as Madeline's godparents.



Niamh Marie Bowen, daughter of Gerry and Jennifer Bowen (Brown). Pastor Rohlf's will conduct the private baptism on Sunday, June 27. Courtney Regan and Ken Sidlowski are serving as Niamh's godparents.

OUTDOOR/PAVILION WORSHIP Our next outdoor worship will be the **10:00 service on Sunday, July 18**. Worship will be held outdoors in the pavilion. Comfortable seating will be provided; restrooms will be available in the church. *All other services will meet as usual in the church building.*



Stay around for fun and fellowship! The congregation is invited to attend a Potluck Luncheon in the pavilion following the outdoor service on Sunday, July 18. Hot dogs will be provided, along with soft drinks. (If your family does not like hot dogs, feel free to bring something from home and we will grill it for you.) Please bring a dish or dessert to share. Luncheon sponsored by the Church Council; no tickets are needed.

BULLETIN NOTICE Due to the Fourth of July holiday, the bulletin will be run on Thursday, July 1. All announcements must be submitted to the Church Office by Tuesday, June 29. The Church Office will be closed on Monday, July 5, in celebration of the holiday.

NOAH'S NURSERY Adult and student volunteers are needed for God's cute little ones!



Noah's Nursery is held during the 10:00 summer worship service and during the 9:30 school-year worship service. If you are interested in helping, please contact Jill Warszalek at 708-420-1740. All pre-Sunday School kids welcome! Come and meet some church friends and have some fun!

“HIGH SEAS EXPEDITION” VBS 2010 - - - THANK YOU!



A HUGE THANK YOU to EVERYONE who was involved in High Seas Expedition VBS 2010!! From the “behind the scenes” work, buying food, making copies, separating supplies, teaching, aiding, tour guiding, the Coordinators, the entire office staff... donations of your goods and certificates for others...your PRAYERS...you NAME it. If you were ANY kind of Summer Servant this VBS...thank you! Thanks for the prayers and to ALL OF YOU that make Christ Lutheran a GREAT place to share Jesus with others! God is so GOOD! ~ Linda Curry



A special “thank you” goes to Linda Curry, VBS Director, for her dedicated service to the ministry of Vacation Bible School. Her outstanding commitment preparing for, during and after VBS is a shining example of God’s love among us. Over 150 children a day heard God’s word during this week of VBS. Thank you Linda for making our “High-Seas Expedition” a joy-filled week. Job well done!



On Wednesday, the VBS children, families and staff let their light shine for the residents of Sunrise Assisted Living Center. The children sang, visited and gave gifts they made earlier in the week. The joy on the faces of the residents was uplifting to all.



THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts! Donations of clothing and household items were brought in throughout the week for our mission project, Haitian Lutheran Mission Project. We also thank you for the generous Love/Door Offering collected at last week’s worship services! We collected \$727.00! God bless you for your love, prayers and support.

Mark your calendars! VBS dates for 2011 ~ June 20 - June 24

TUESDAY NIGHT SUMMER SOFTBALL *Anyone* 14 years and older interested in playing 12” softball this summer is invited to join us play pickup games with Immanuel Lutheran Church in Mokena. Games will be on Tuesday nights at 6:30 p.m. (weather permitting) at Immanuel’s field in Mokena and at Schussler Park (Poplar Road and Golfview Drive) in Orland Park. This Tuesday’s game will be in Mokena (10731 W. LaPorte Road). For more information contact Pam Wagner 708-821-6100 or Pastor Nettleton 708-349-0431.

Remember to bring your glove!

BOOK CLUB Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, September 28, at 7:30. Our book for September is “*Lutheran Questions, Lutheran Answers*” by Martin Marty, 2007 (paperback). For more information on the Book Club, please contact Pastor Rohlf.

SNIPPETS FROM THE OWLS *Opportunity may knock once, but temptation bangs on the front door forever.*

GIVE A GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING If you're thinking about donating to your church, consider giving shares of stock or other appreciated assets in lieu of cash. Informational sheets (Charitable Donations and Gifts to Qualified Organizations) are available on the table in the narthex.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS offers emotional health through a twelve-step program. My name is Ron. *Because of the love and warmth I received when I first came to Emotions Anonymous*, I would like to share with you some of the help I have received from this program. My telephone number is 708-207-4629. Please feel free to call me.

DIEFENTHALER FOUNDATION GRANTS *The Diefenthaler Foundation for Professional Church Workers* was established in August 1983 as a testimonial to † Mark Diefenthaler and his ministry as Director of Christian Education at Christ Lutheran. Scholarships from the fund are available to students preparing for full-time church work. Applications are due by June 30.

DEVRY 2010 CAR SHOW You are invited to DeVry University's Student Activities Association 2010 Car Show on Thursday, July 22, from 9:00 to 3:00. This event is open to all, and there will be trophies and a prize awarded to the winners of first place in four categories: Best Stock, Best Modified, Best Technical, and Best in Show. This event will be held at DeVry University, 18624 West Creek Drive, Tinley Park. For more information, contact Kristin Mattingly at 708-342-3223 or at kmattingly@devry.edu.

MUSIC IN MILLENIUM PARK Join Trinity Christian College alumni, faculty, and staff for some summer evenings of spectacular music at the 76th Grant Park Music Festival held in Millennium Park. Trinity friends will be in attendance on June 30, July 10 and 21, and August 4, 11, and 18. Call the Development Office of Trinity at 708-239-4806 for more information.



PADS GOLF OUTING South Suburban PADS is hosting its 12th Annual Golf Outing on Saturday, July 24, at Gleneagles Country Club (Lemont). This major fundraising event will help South Suburban PADS provide emergency overnight shelter to men, women, and accompanied children as well as a wide variety of supportive services. For more information please call Larry Kane at 708-799-2170. Register on-line at www.sspads.org.

HELPING OUR NEIGHBORS Have you wanted to be part of a mission team helping people recover from a disaster but couldn't travel to the Gulf Coast? There are 800 families in NW Indiana who still need help because of the flooding from the remnants of Hurricane Ike in 2008. Project LARRI (Lakeshore Area Regional Recovery of Indiana) is seeking volunteers to help with the rebuilding efforts. Plan now to join the team the week of September 12-18. Guys and gals are needed! For more information contact Jan Gerzevske at 630-294-5014 or jgerz@netzero.com.

MEASURE OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

Saturday, June 19 5:00 p.m. = 63 with 57 for Holy Communion
Sunday, June 20 8:00 a.m. = 135 with 130 for Holy Communion
10:00 a.m. = 192
Weekly worship total = 390 with 187 for Holy Communion
Average weekly worship for June, 2009 = 363
Wednesday, June 23 Sunrise Assisted Living (VBS) = 92
Tinley Court = 10
Special Circumstance Communion = 4



FINANCIAL RESPONSE Through the end of May, 2010, we are operating at a deficit of (\$5,469.05).

*Please remember the work of the Lord through Christ Lutheran congregation while your family enjoys vacation time.
Offer your weekly gifts before or after your vacation.*

WEEKLY CALENDAR

(June 27 – July 4, 2010)

Today	12:00 p.m.	CLUSTERS Picnic (pavilion rental)
Monday	4:15 p.m.	Emotions Anonymous
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Worship Planning Meeting
	1:00 p.m.	Concert Band Camp
	3:00 p.m.	Jazz Band Camp
	6:30 p.m.	Softball Game (Immanuel, Mokena)
Wednesday	3:30 p.m.	Tinley Court (PN)
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	9:30 a.m.	Crafters
	1:00 p.m.	Concert Band Camp
	3:00 p.m.	Jazz Band Camp
	7:00 p.m.	A. A. Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Helpmates
Friday	7:00 p.m.	AI-Anon Meeting
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Worship – H.C.
Sunday		PENTECOST 6/Independence Day
	8:00 a.m.	Worship – H.C.
	10:00 a.m.	Worship

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK

Preacher	Pastor Gerald Kovac, Food for the Poor
Liturgists	Pastor Raymond Rohlf, Senior Administrative Pastor Pastor Shawn Nettleton, Associate Pastor
Director of Music	Sandra Carioto
Soundtech	Mike Fisher (8)
Lectors	Ray Delcourt (8), Clarence Chleboun (10)
Elders	Carole Hoger, Alan Morris, Dennis Smith
Ushers (Sat.)	Bob Hubbard, Henry Kosche, Allen Morris
Ushers (Sun.)	Mark Oehmen, Rick Peterson, Chloe Reinbolt, Lee Reinbolt, Jordan Stockton, Nick West (8), Jim Buchman, Ryan Lee, Roger Liberatore, Chris Liberatore, Dave McGuire, Pete Schrank (10)
Greeters	Bev Christensen (8), Lois Eichmann (10)
Noah's Nursery	Diana Voith, Jennifer Gerry
Acolytes	Michaela Dwyer (8), Lauren Seggebruch, Samantha Gerry (10)
Coffee "and"	Ladies Aid

SERVING NEXT WEEK – SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2010

Director of Music	Sandra Carioto
Substitute Organist	Millie Watland (Sat.)
Soundtechs	Mike Fisher (8), Ray Delcourt (10)
Lectors	Tricia Despres (8), Tracy Conroy (10)
Elders	Bob Hubbard, Linda Koehne, Rick Peterson, Jim Schultheiss
Ushers (Sat.)	Bob Hubbard, Henry Kosche, Allen Morris
Ushers (Sun.)	John Hagenow, Vince Oliva, Joan Rosignal, Eric West (8), Randy Barthel, Clarise Herrmann, Kristopher Herrmann, Stefanie Herrmann (10)
Greeters	Jim & Nancy Baillie (8), Jan Haffner (10)
Acolytes	Matt Frostman, Katie Frostman (8), Jonathan Schaffer (10)
Coffee "and"	OWLS

**Summer Worship Schedule
(through Sunday, September 5)**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.

**Sunday School
July 11 and August 1**

Children will be dismissed after the Children's
Message at the 10:00 worship service.

**Church Office Hours
(through Friday, September 3)**

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 to 5:00
Friday: 8:30 to 3:00



NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE . . . Isaiah 66:10-14, Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18, Luke 10:1-20

AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX . . . Portals of Prayer, "Happy Times" Devotional, Market Day, Prayer Power, Church Brochure, New Tract: "The Bible and You"

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING with us here at Christ Lutheran Church.

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