

**News Bulletin for Pentecost 10 (Proper 13) Worship  
The Weekend of July 31 and August 1, 2010**

In today's reading from Colossians, St. Paul stresses that the Christian life is one of embracing Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit and leaving behind so many sinful attitudes and actions. Our focus is in the last part of the reading where Paul encourages the faithful to embrace Christ-like communication.

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

- \$450 from Dennis and Gae Smith in honor of Pastor Walt and Carol Ledogar, who are celebrating their 45<sup>th</sup> year at Christ Lutheran Church this month, and for Pastor Ledogar's service and concerns to our extended family over the years. Home Welfare Ministry.
- \$100 from Gerry and Sandy Olmsted in loving memory of the birth of their daughter, † Erin Elizabeth Olmsted, on August 6, 1979. *"We miss her so very much."* General Fund.

A generous gift has been designated for our Home Welfare Ministry by Dan and Karen Artmann in honor of the wedding of their daughter, Heather, and Michael Green on Friday, July 23, and in thanksgiving for the ministry of Pastor Walt and Carol Ledogar.

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

† Frank Hanak. Frank, uncle of Sandy (Rocco) Carioto, died on Thursday, July 22. The funeral service was held on Tuesday, July 27, at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Highland, Indiana.

† Becky Coleman. Becky, friend of Linda (Tim) Curry, died on Sunday, July 25. The funeral service was held on Thursday, July 29, at Modell Funeral Home in Homer Glen.

**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 † **Frank Hanak** and † **Becky Coleman**.

*For healing and strength:* **John Benedetti** – home, anticipating surgery; **Chris Benson** – cancer treatment; **Ryland Buckert** (newborn son of Aimee and Nathan Buckert) – Hinsdale Hospital; **Emilie Certik** (mother of Ellen Weber) – Mother Theresa Home, Lemont; **Jack Chaffin** – recovering at home; **Jim Chaney** (brother-in-law of Bobbie Kusek) – cancer care; **Wanda Deel** – recovering; **Macy Ganz** – young child with cancer; **Opal Grab** (mother of Dave Grab) – recovering; **Marie Hines** (mother of Michael Bronersky, Sherry Fries and Barb Mazarakos) – medical care; **Wright Jarman** – Manor Care, SW Hwy; **Stanley Kozacek** – cancer treatment; **Hope Kuntzman** – recovering; **Grayce Lehnhardt** – hospice care;

**John Meister** – recovering; **Barbara Musel** – complications following surgery; **Carole Neu** – chemo; **Patt Pearl** – cancer treatment; **Betty Peter** – recovering from surgery at Metro South; **Noreen Peterson** – recovering from surgery; **Janice Piotrowski** – cancer treatment; **Joani Schaffer** – high-risk pregnancy complications; **Marilyn Schmaedeke** – medical care; **Warren Schoenheider** – medical treatments; **Bob Stamp** – RML, Hinsdale; **Doloris Stamp** – The Grove, LaGrange Park; **Eileen Trojan** – cancer treatment; **Lucille Uthe** – Rosewood Care Center, Joliet; **Judy Vahldick** – great test results; **Pearl Webster** (friend of Joanne Bronzell) – recovering with good test results.

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets this Sunday, August 1. Children will be dismissed to the gym after the Children’s Message in the 10:00 worship service. Sunday School will resume at 9:30 each week beginning Sunday, September 12.

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



**Terrance Brian Clark**, husband of Jenna (Schultheiss). Pastor Ledogar conducted the private baptism on Saturday, July 31, at Christ Lutheran Church.



**Sarah Jean Goodrich**, daughter of Terrence and Jessica Goodrich (Lipford). Pastor Ledogar will conduct the private baptism on Sunday, August 1, at Christ Lutheran Church. Bridget Galfano and Paul Goodrich are serving as Sarah’s godparents.

**GIFT OF LIFE** We rejoice and give thanks for the gift of life and health with **Edward and Lisa Freimuth** on the birth of their son, **Oliver Steven Freimuth**. Oliver joins big brother Karl.



**THANK YOU** *We would like to thank the OWLS for their gift of a new duplicator for the Church Office. With over two million copies (that’s a lot of liturgies and bulletins!), our old machine was ready to be retired. Thank you so much for your generosity!*  
~ The Office Staff

**CONFIRMATION CLASS PICTURES** The 2010 confirmand class picture is now available in the Church Office. Pictures are labeled and are located in the basket on the front desk. They may be picked up at any time.



**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!

**GOT PRESCHOOLERS?** Have you remembered to register for CLEWS? If not, there is still time. Openings are available in the 3’s and the 4’s programs. Call Patti Bareither, 708-448-2614, for details.

**LOAVES AND FISHES**, our monthly food collection, received 729 pounds of food during the month of July. Pick up your loaves and fishes today, and remember this important ministry when you shop this week!

**VOYAGERS EVENT BBQ and Pool Party** next Sunday, August 8, from 12:00 to 4:00. Join us at the Bulthuis' for an afternoon of swimming, bean bags, food and fellowship as we share our experiences from the National Youth Gathering. All high school youth are welcome. Meet us at the Bulthuis' home, 9219 Birch St., Orland Park.

**TUESDAY NIGHT SUMMER SOFTBALL** This Tuesday's game will be at Immanuel in Mokena (10731 W. LaPorte Road). Anyone 14 years and older interested in playing 12" softball is invited to join us. For more information contact Pam Wagner 708-821-6100 or Pastor Nettleton 708-349-0431. ***Meet at the field, and remember to bring your glove!***

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS** The next blood drive at Christ Lutheran, sponsored by Heartland Blood Centers, will be held on Tuesday, August 24, from 3:00 to 7:00. Donor sign-up sheets are located on the tables in the narthex. A photo I.D. must be presented in order to donate blood. All donors will receive a free quart of Oberweis ice cream.



**RUMMAGE SALE** Rummage treasures are being collected for the rummage sale. At this time, ***donations can be brought to the southeast corner of the gym.*** The rummage sale will be held Friday and Saturday, September 24 and 25. **PLEASE NOTE: we cannot accept old TVs or computers.** Contact the Village of Orland Park for their electronics recycling date.

- If you would be willing to help pick up rummage treasures from homes in the area, please contact Bev Christensen. Any time you could give would be helpful!

### **OWLS NOTES**

- Our next regular meeting will be on Thursday, August 12, at 10:00. We will have a guest demonstrate "chair yoga".
- We will be sorting on the following dates: September 1, September 8, September 9 (after the OWLS meeting), and September 15. We will start each morning at 9:00.
- Beginning Monday, September 20 through Thursday, September 23, we will sort and set-up for the rummage sale each day beginning at 9:00. The sale will be held from 9:00 to 3:00 on September 24 and 25.

**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** *And we urge you, brothers...help the weak...always try to be kind to each other... 1 Thessalonians 5:14-15*

**MARKET DAY** Summer is a great time to place an order. Pick up a brochure in the narthex and place an order today. All orders are appreciated!

**FOR SHARON'S ANGELS AT UPTOWN MINISTRIES** Honoring her cousin Sharon's



memory, CLC member Sandie Falco is collecting desperately needed school supplies for the children of the Chicago Uptown area. Items such as backpacks (many needed, however ***no characters*** like Dora, Batman, etc.), pens, pencil boxes, scissors, 3-prong folders w/pockets, loose leaf notebook paper, glue sticks, etc. can be deposited in the designated box in the narthex through Sunday, August 15. Donor families are asked to include an encouraging note with their donation for the receiving child. Contact Sandie at 708-403-5999 if you have any questions.

**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.*

**THE DRAMA GROUP PRESENTS...** ***Arsenic and Old Lace***, the story of Mortimer Brewster, his family...and insanity. Christ Lutheran member Mike Fisher plays Officer O'Hara. This live theater experience can be seen August 6-8 and 12-15 at The Drama Group Studio Theater in Chicago Heights. Show times are 7:30 on Thursday and Friday, 2:00 and 7:30 on Saturday, and at 2:00 on Sunday. To order tickets call 708-755-3444 or go to [www.dramagroup.org](http://www.dramagroup.org). ***To ensure proper credit for him, please mention Mike Fisher's name when ordering.*** Tickets are \$18/adults and \$17/students and seniors.

**ERIN'S AAIM FOR CHANGE 5K RUN/WALK** On Sunday, September 5, the Olmsted family will host the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Erin's AAIM For Change 5K Run/Walk. The event will begin at 8:30 at Centennial Park in Orland Park. Along with fellowship, music, and social awareness, monies raised will support the Erin E. Olmsted Memorial Scholarship, as well as the Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists. For more information or to register, visit [www.erinsaaimforchange.org](http://www.erinsaaimforchange.org).

**FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL** Come and join the fun at The Lutheran Home's 113<sup>th</sup> Annual Family Fall Festival on Sunday, September 12, on The Lutheran Home Campus in Arlington Heights. The day begins with worship in the Chapel of St. John the Beloved at 10:00. The festivities follow from 11:30 to 5:00, and admission is free. Enjoy a variety of food, live music, craft booths, vintage car show, and much more! Free parking is available at St. Peter Lutheran Church with free shuttle. Call 847-368-7400 for more information.

**SPEND AN EVENING WITH MISS AMERICA 2009** On Thursday, September 30, Katie Stam, Miss America 2009, will be at Concordia University (River Forest), along with Rev. John Nunes (President/CEO Lutheran World Relief) and Rev. Jeff Johnson (Executive Director: Building Hope in the City). Join Miss America as she sings and talks about beauty, grace, and godliness in the spotlight. A discussion on urban church decline will follow. To purchase tickets are for more information, contact Rev. Gee at [kvgee@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kvgee@sbcglobal.net) or by calling 773-723-3661.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

(August 1 – August 8, 2010)

Today	12:00 p.m.	CLUSTERS Picnic (pavilion rental)
Monday	4:15 p.m.	<b><i>Rummage Gathering Begins (in gym)</i></b> Emotions Anonymous
Tuesday	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Softball Game (Immanuel, Mokena) Board of Trustees Meeting
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Stephen Ministry Meeting
Thursday	9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting Crafters A. A. Meeting Helpmates
Friday	7:00 p.m.	AI-Anon Meeting
Saturday	7:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	<b><i>Confirmation Registration Begins</i></b> Men's Bible Study Worship
Sunday	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<b>PENTECOST 11</b> Worship Worship – H. C. VOYAGERS BBQ/Pool Party



**FINANCIAL RESPONSE** Through the end of June, 2010, we are operating at a deficit of (\$15,653.51).

July will start our 2010 – 2011 fiscal budget year.

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.

### **MEASURE OF OUR FAITHFULNESS**

Saturday, July 24

Men's Bible Study = 27

5:00 p.m. = 85

Sunday, July 25

8:00 a.m. = 115

10:00 a.m. = 209 with 153 for Holy Communion

Weekly worship total = 409 with 153 for Holy Communion

*Average weekly worship for July, 2009 = 353*

Special Circumstance Communion = 20

### **SERVING YOU THIS WEEK**

Preacher

Pastor Raymond Rohlf, Senior Administrative Pastor

Liturgist

Pastor Shawn Nettleton, Associate Pastor

Director of Music

Sandra Carioto

Soundtech

Mike Fisher (8)

Lectors

Gretchen Kinka (8), Pete Schrank (10)

Elders

Richard Brott, Jim Dougherty, Sue West, Terry Watland

Ushers (Sat.)

Bob Hubbard, Henry Kosche, Allen Morris

Ushers (Sun.)

Ron Burman, Bev Christensen, Jim Ehrhardt, Henry Jagow,  
Ray Koehne, Jim Schultheiss (8), Jim Buchman, Ryan Lee,  
Roger Liberatore, Chris Liberatore, Dave McGuire, Pete Schrank (10)

Greeters

Antonia Mayer (8), Jan Haffner (10)

Noah's Nursery

Vicki Kocian, Jennifer Gerry

Acolytes

Lauren Seggebruch, Jonathan Schaffer (8), Kristyn Krueger (10)

Coffee "and"

Cemetery Board and Crafters

### **SERVING NEXT WEEK – SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 2010**

Director of Music

Sandra Carioto

Substitute Organist

Brian Tucker (Sat/Sun)

Soundtech

Brian Knopp (8)

Lectors

VOYAGERS

Elders

Richard Brott, Jim Dougherty, Sue West, Terry Watland

Ushers (Sat.)

Bob Hubbard, Henry Kosche, Allen Morris

Ushers (Sun.)

VOYAGERS

Greeters

Karen Mitcheff (8), Carol Curtis (10) and VOYAGERS

Noah's Nursery

Nancy Smith, Jasmine Knopp

Acolytes

Ashley Kallberg (8), Katie Frostman, Matt Frostman (10)

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**Summer Worship Schedule  
(through Sunday, September 5)**  
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.

**Church Office Hours  
(through Friday, September 3)**  
Monday – Thursday: 8:30 to 5:00  
**Friday: 8:30 to 3:00**

**NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE** . . . Genesis 15:1-6, Hebrews 11:1-16, Luke 12:22-34

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

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

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