

**News Bulletin for Pentecost 11 (Proper 14) Worship
The Weekend of August 7 and 8, 2010**



“We Believe,” the theme of the 2010 National LCMS Youth Gathering, was based on John 20:31. There John invites his listeners to look and listen to the Lamb of God, the Christ, and to live in the new life that He gives. The writer to the Hebrews encourages believers in Christ to emulate the faith of ancient men and women who took God at His word even when the future promise was not fully visible. Because our God in Christ was and is faithful and trustworthy, “*Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith*” as we live in and for Him.

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

- \$720 from the family and friends of † Jack Trojan. General Fund.
- \$150 from Terry and Jessica Goodrich in thanksgiving for the baptism of their daughter, Sarah Jean, on Sunday, August 1. General Fund.
- \$100 from Frank and Shirley Kremsner in memory of Shirley’s parents, † Otto and † Martha Staschke. General Fund.

CHRISTIAN COMFORT In the assurance of eternal life, we offer Christian comfort to the family and friends of † **Grayce Lehnhardt**, who died on Monday, August 2. The funeral service was held on Friday, August 6, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Tinley Park.

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 † Grayce Lehnhardt.

For healing and strength: **John Benedetti** – home, anticipating surgery; **Ryland Buckert** (newborn son of Aimee and Nathan Buckert) – home; **Isabelle Burden** – tonsillectomy on August 16; **Emilie Certik** (mother of Ellen Weber) – Mother Theresa Home, Lemont; **Jack Chaffin** – recovering from heart procedure; **Jim Chaney** (brother-in-law of Bobbie Kusek) – cancer care; **Wanda Deel** – recovering; **Macy Ganz** – young child with cancer; **Opal Grab** – recovering; **Jack Gross** (friend of George & June Zoellick) – cancer treatments; **Marie Hines** (mother of Michael Bronersky, Sherry Fries and Barb Mazarakos) – medical care; **Stanley Kozacek** – cancer treatment; **Chad Maykuth** (grandson of Jack and Lyvonne Chaffin) – recovering from surgery; **Barbara Musel** – complications following surgery; **Carole Neu** – chemo; **Bert Parisella** – recovering at home; **Patt Pearl** – cancer treatment; **Betty Peter** – Metro South; **Noreen Peterson** – home; **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; **Pearl Webster** (friend of Joanne Bronzell) – recovering with good test results.

BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST With praise to God, we rejoice in the baptism of **Patrick James Signore**, son of Pat and Gretta Signore (Dye). Pastor Ledogar will conduct the private baptism on Sunday, August 8. Jon and Cathleen Kunes are serving as Patrick's godparents.



GIFT OF LIFE We rejoice and give thanks for the gift of life and health with **David and Angela Yudt** on the birth of their son, **Shawn Daniel**. Shawn joins big brother John.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE In anticipation of their wedding next weekend, we publish the banns of marriage for **Jenny Gallagher and Matthew Bain**, who will be united in marriage on Saturday, August 14, at 3:00. Pastor Rohlf's will join Matthew's uncles, Pastor Tom Wink and Pastor Dan Fulner, in conducting the wedding worship at Christ Lutheran Church.



SUNDAY SCHOOL Sunday School is in need of a part-time teacher for the 5th and 6th grade combined class. If you are interested in serving in this position, please contact Judy Oliva at 708-403-2249 or Pastor Nettleton at 708-349-0431.

- ❖ A brief Sunday School staff meeting will be held on Sunday, August 22, at 11:15. We will meet in the gym.



VOYAGERS BBQ and Pool Party is this **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.

VOYAGERS SERVANT EVENT All high school youth are invited to join us as we serve lunch for the needy and homeless at **The Peoples Church of Chicago on Sunday, August 22**. The Peoples Church free lunch program, **2 Li'l Fishes**, serves lunch several times a week for 120-180 people who stay in nearby shelters or live in the local community. Sign up in the narthex and take a parental consent form. We will leave church at 10:00 and return by 3:30.

LYTES BBQ/SOFTBALL All Jr. High youth (7th – 8th grade) are welcome to kick off an exciting year of LYTES events with a BBQ, a game of 16" Softball, and other fun games on **Sunday, August 22** from 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. Meet us at the church pavilion!

COME OUT AND JOIN US!

CONFIRMATION CLASSES Registration forms for the 2010-2011 confirmation classes can be found on the table in the narthex or downloaded from the website. Classes will begin on Wednesday, September 8, at 4:45, with a parent/student orientation beginning at 5:30 in the sanctuary.

- **Attention 2010 Confirmands** Please pick up your copy of the 2010 confirmation class picture. Pictures are labeled and located in the basket on the table in the narthex. These pictures have already been paid for with your confirmation fees.

MUSIC MINISTRY *Make your life a song to God...* join the music ministry at Christ Lutheran Church. Use the Music Ministry sheet inserted in this bulletin to sign up and join the following choirs:

♪ Joy & Praise Ensemble ♪ Jr. Chimers ♪ Men's Chorus
 ♪ Cherub Choir ♪ Youth Choir ♪ Christ Choir

We are also looking for vocalists and instrumentalists to sing and play during church services. For more information, contact Sandra Carioto in the Church Office.

BANNER COMMITTEE The Banner Committee will meet this Tuesday, August 10, at 10:00.

TUESDAY NIGHT SUMMER SOFTBALL This Tuesday's game will be at Immanuel in Mokena (10731 W. LaPorte Road). ***Meet at the field, and remember to bring your glove!*** For more information contact Pam Wagner or Pastor Nettleton.

BLOOD DONOR DRIVE 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 Oberweis gift card.



RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE A rummage and bake sale will be held in the gym of Ledogar Hall on Friday and Saturday, September 24 and 25, from 9:00 to 3:00. The rummage sale is sponsored by the OWLS, and the bake sale by the Ladies Aid.

- 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!
- Rummage donations can be put in the southeast corner of the gym.
- **PLEASE NOTE:** ***We cannot accept old TVs or computers.*** Contact the Village of Orland Park for their electronics recycling date.
- The congregation is welcome to provide bakery goods for the sale. Bakery goods can be dropped off in the kitchen on Thursday, September 23.

OWLS NOTES

- Our next regular meeting will be this Thursday, August 12, at 10:00. We will have a guest demonstrate “chair yoga”.
- We will be sorting on the following dates: August 25, 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.

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.

MARKET DAY Anyone interested in helping out for a couple of hours each month? Market Day needs volunteers! Call Rochelle at 708-361-5297 for more details.

FOR SHARON’S ANGELS AT UPTOWN MINISTRIES Next Sunday, August 15, is the last



day to donate desperately needed school supplies for the children of the Chicago Uptown area. Donations can be deposited in the designated box in the narthex. Donor families are asked to include an encouraging note with their donation for the receiving child. Contact Sandie Falco at 708-403-5999 if you have any questions.

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 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. **To ensure proper credit for him, please mention Mike Fisher’s name when ordering.** Tickets are \$18/adults and \$17/students and seniors.

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.*

ERIN'S AAIM FOR CHANGE 5K RUN/WALK On Sunday, September 5, the Olmsted family will host the 4th 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.

FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL Come and join the fun at The Lutheran Home's 113th 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 or by calling 773-723-3661.

MEASURE OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

Saturday, July 31
Sunday, August 1

5:00 p.m. = 72 with 69 for Holy Communion
8:00 a.m. = 102 with 99 for Holy Communion
10:00 a.m. = 167

Weekly worship total = 341 with 168 for Holy Communion

Average weekly worship for August, 2009 = 373

Sunday School = 12 students, 5 staff

Special Circumstance Communions = 15



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

July started our 2010 – 2011 fiscal budget year.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

(August 8 – August 15, 2010)

Today	12:00 p.m.	VOYAGERS BBQ/Pool Party
Monday	2:30 p.m. 4:15 p.m.	Chicago Ridge Service (PL) Emotions Anonymous
Tuesday	10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Banner Committee Meeting Softball Game (Immanuel, Mokena)
Wednesday	3:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Tinley Court (PN) CLUSTERS
Thursday	9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Crafters OWLS Meeting A. A. Meeting Helpmates
Friday	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Wedding Rehearsal Al-Anon Meeting Joy & Praise Rehearsal
Saturday	11:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Sons of Italy Picnic (pavilion rental until 5:00) Gallagher-Bain Wedding Worship – H.C.
Sunday		PENTECOST 12/Joy & Praise/Music Appreciation 8:00 a.m. Worship – H.C. 10:00 a.m. Worship

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK

Preacher	Pastor Shawn Nettleton, Associate Pastor
Liturgist	Pastor Shawn Nettleton, Associate Pastor
Director of Music	Sandra Carioto
Substitute Organist	Brian Tucker (Sat/Sun)
Soundtechs	Ray Delcourt (Sat.), Brian Knopp (8), Mike Fisher (10)
Lectors	Taylor Fisher (Sat.), Jordan Stockton (8), Haley Delcourt (10)
Elders	Richard Brott, Jim Dougherty, Sue West, Terry Watland
Ushers (Sat.)	Henry Kosche and VOYAGERS
Ushers (Sun.)	Jim Ehrhardt, Sam Burman, Chloe Reinbolt, Jordan Stockton, Michelle Sternquist (8), Dave McGuire, Delaney McGuire, Mitchell Winkelmann, Chris Frostman, Jordan Stockton (10)
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)
Coffee "and"	Cemetery Board and Crafters

SERVING NEXT WEEK – SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 2010

Director of Music	Sandra Carioto
Soundtech	Brian Knopp
Lectors	Diane Wills (Sat.), Natalie Dudek (8), Diane Martino (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	Mark Oehmen/Heather Stockton (8), Roger & Chris Liberatore (10)
Noah's Nursery	Cindy Glecier, Amber Glecier
Acolytes	Samantha Gerry, Josh Neuman (8), Eric Wenzel (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

**Regular Worship Schedule
(beginning Sunday, September 12)**
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.
Christian Education Hour: 9:30 a.m.

NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE . . . Jeremiah 23:23-29, Luke 12:49-53, Isaiah 66:18-23

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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