

Christ Lutheran Church- Announcements for August 6, 2017 - August 13, 2017

Please remember in your prayers: Ruth Jacobs, Matthew White, Katherine Lind, Brenda Bosch, Kiye Jenkins (Jon Dunham's grandson), Bev Jacobs, August Hardgrove, Billie Moeller, Kathy Halverson, Marge Murphy, Carol Rosenquist, Marie Perez, Dhana Nelson, Earl Messick, Family and friends of Joni Vial, Family and friends of Helen Mueller, and all those in hospital and nursing homes and those serving in the armed services and all of their families.

Forgive us if we've missed anyone. To add someone to our prayers, please call the church office (293-3705).

PLEASE NOTE: Names will normally be kept on the prayer list four weeks unless otherwise requested.

This Week's Schedule:

Today	9:30 a.m.	Worship/Pastor Marv Abrahamson Commission/Sending for Jasmine Allen
	10:45 a.m.	Fellowship
	4:00 p.m.	Care Center Worship
Mon.	Pastor Sabbath	
	10:00 a.m.	Christ Kitchen Meeting
	11:30 a.m.	1st Monday Lunch
Tues.	1:30 p.m.	Rebekah/Ruth Circle (FH)
Wed.	10:00 a.m.	Care Center Communion
	12:00 p.m.	12 Step Group (FR)
	6:30 p.m.	Worship
Thur.	6:00 p.m.	Council Meeting
Fri.		
Sat.		CLC CAMPOUT AT TIMBERLANE
Sun.		CLC CAMPOUT AT TIMBERLANE
	9:30 a.m.	Worship at Timberlane
	9:30 a.m.	Worship at CLC
	10:45 a.m.	Fellowship
	12:00 p.m.	Church picnic at Timberlane
	4:00-8:00 p.m.	Wedding reception for Sheri Schweitzer and husband Cole at Lower Yaak Campground

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CLC CONGREGATION FINANCIAL REPORT:

	YTD		YTD		YTD
	Income	Expenses	Income	Expenses	Surplus/Deficit
July	\$9,443	\$8,732	\$76,726	\$87,260	-10,534

STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE UPDATE—



God is **never** on vacation and **neither** are Christ Lutheran's Bills!

As summer continues, hopefully everyone will get out and enjoy the warmer weather and the opportunity to spend time relaxing with family

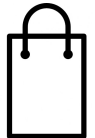
and friends.

Before heading out, we ask that you please continue your contribution to the Church. Our need is **critical!** For the 2017 year, we are currently \$10,534 in the red! The long, snowy, cold winter was not kind to our utility and snowplowing line items. Please mail your check to us, sign up for Simply Giving (forms are in the narthex), or use your online banking program if you are away on any Sundays this summer (or even other times during the year).

Thank you for answering our call to serve the Lord with our time, our talents, and our offerings.

FOOD ON THE FIRST

Today is our "Food on the First" Sunday, focusing on collecting any food that you may have for the Food Pantry. If you didn't bring food today and want to contribute, you can bring it in any time. Since we started this program, we have donated over 1300 pounds of food, so a big thanks to all who have participated!



JASMINE ALLEN COMMISSIONING TODAY

Today we commission Jasmine as a member of the ELCA's Young Adults in Global Mission. Jasmine will be leaving in a little over a week for training in Chicago, and then off to Manchester England for a year.

FOOD FOR THE POOR SPEAKER

Today we have as our guest preacher and fellowship-time speaker, Rev. Marv Abrahamson. Rev. Abrahamson represents Food for the Poor, which is a Christian relief agency specializing in providing donated goods to the needy in Latin America and the Caribbean. There is a pamphlet and giving form in your bulletin with more information and an opportunity to support this work.



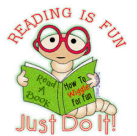
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LOOKING AHEAD . . .

August 6 -August 13 events on front page, "This Weeks Schedule"
 Aug 14 - Book discussion, 3:30 pm (FR)
 Aug 14, 21, 28 - Noon Bible Study
 Aug 15 - Pastor at Cluster Meeting in Kalispell
 Aug 16-25 - Pastor on vacation
 Aug 25-Sept 4 - Jan on vacation
 Aug 26 - All church Ice Cream Social
 Aug 27 - Reformation class after worship
 Aug 30&31 - Christ Kitchen, 5:00 pm
 Aug 31-Sept 5 - Pastor on Vacation
 Sept 4 - Office Closed for Labor Day
 Sept 7 - Executive Committee, 5:10 pm
 Sept 11 - Christ Kitchen Meeting, 10:00 am
 Sept 11, 18, 25 - Noon Bible Study
 Sept 12 - Rebekah/Ruth Circle, 1:30 pm
 Sept 13 - Care Center Communion, 10:00 am
 Sept 14 - Council Meeting, 6:00 pm
 Sept 17 - Red Wagon Sunday
 Sept 17 - Congregational Meeting after worship
 Sept 19 - Pastor Cluster, Kalispell
 Sept 22-24 - Montana Synod Women's 2017 Gathering

The July Book is The Jungle by Upton Sinclair.

Sinclair wrote the novel to portray the lives of immigrants in the United States in Chicago and similar industrialized cities. There are books on the front pew by the piano. They are \$3.00 each. Place payment in the manila envelope and mark your name on the list there. Our discussion will be Monday, August 14, at 3:30 pm.



CHURCH CAMPOUT, WORSHIP AND PICNIC, AUGUST 12TH & 13TH.



This coming Saturday is our church camp-out at Timberlane Campground. RVs, Campers, and Tents are all welcome. You can come as early as 11:00am on Saturday (and as late as you can make it). Then on Sunday morning, August 13th, we will have worship (including communion) at 9:30 at the camp-ground.



Even if you choose not to camp Saturday night, please come join us for worship in the great outdoors. (There will also be worship here at the church that morning.) At noon on Sunday, we will have our annual picnic. The church is providing the burgers, buns & condiments, as well as plates, cups, silverware & napkins. We invite you to bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share.

Christ's Kitchen

CHRIST'S KITCHEN meeting, tomorrow at 10:00 am

I just wanted to thank everyone here at Christ Lutheran Church for supporting my upcoming year in Manchester, England through Young Adults in Global Mission. I am so grateful for your generosity. I look forward to telling all of you my stories when I return, which will be sometime in the later part of next summer. So again, thank you so much, I appreciate and care about all of you.

Thank you!



Sincerely, Jasmine Allen

SCHOOL KITS Lutheran World Relief is always in need of school kits. So, as you see school supplies on sale this summer, would you please consider picking up a few things from the list below? Please note that we cannot send items with religious symbols/messages, flags, or other patriotic/military symbols. Below are the items that go into the kits. We are particularly in need of the pens and pencils, as each kit requires 5 of those items. Thanks!
(We do not need any more notebooks).

scissors (blunt scissors--safety scissors with embedded steel blades work well)
 rulers (a 30-centimeter ruler, or with centimeters on one side and inches on the other)
 crayons (boxes of 16 or 24 crayons)
 pencils (unsharpened #2, with eraser)
 pens (black or blue ballpoint pens – no gel ink)



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