
FIFTH WEEK AFTER PENTECOST

Welcome, Guests!

We have a gift mug for you available at all three of our entrances.

Please pick one up after the service.

We are glad to have you in worship today.

May God bless you with his love and grace.

—Board of Evangelism

Special Prayers

Continuing Prayer Concerns

Leslie Duvall	Elijah Rabacchi	George Salger
Debra Guebert	Gloria Moore	Ali Gerlach
Marilyn Dailey	Linda Ethridge	Mary Lou Millsap
Julie Heil	Tiffany Troue Denyer	Jim Mevert
Karen Williams	Daniel Smith	Paul Wicker
Sondra Mahnken	Michael Vallett	Don Ritter
Elizabeth Ebersol	Judy Wedemeyer	Alan Uchtman
Rick Mathis (Bruce Mathis' brother)		Janet Davis (Tracy Vallett's mother)
Andy Schorr (Carol Mayer's brother)		David Jensen (Karen Chamness' brother)
Roy Thornton (Vicky Potter's father)		Ronald Ohlau (Linda Mulholland's stepfather)
Daniel Bell (Lisa Greatting's brother)		Robert Holley (Norlyn & Jane Kingsten's grandson)
Michelle Thies, daughter-in-law of Gerald & Ruth Ann Thies		
Reconciliation with District & Synod		

Care Center Residents

Delores Doss	Avonell Salger	Norma Wolters
Irma Wente	Eileen Clements	Shelly Fedderke
Norma Rodewald	Judy Clasen	Betty Middendorf
Mildred Eggemeyer	Donna Jungewaelter	Wayne Mueller
Lavera Biermann	Doris Salger	Anita Rohlfing
Caroline Fiene		Millie Kahre

Military Personnel & Their Families

Justin Asbury	Casey Vallett	Andrew Grab	Cory Jeffers
Richard Thompson	Tim Eichenseer	Justin Parker	Denny Ernsting
Kevin Kahre	Ethan Pierce	John Magelitz	Zach Mogavero
Rodney Anderson	Bill Ingles	Matt Kraus	

We respect the privacy of our members and friends and will not pray for you publicly unless it is requested and we know we have your permission.

Mission Prayer

- Remember God’s work through missionaries on home service as you pray:
- *for the Lord to guide missionaries as they prepare their presentations. Ask Him to help them discern how best to share their stories and news with those who have so faithfully supported their ministry.*
 - *that congregations and other groups would experience a revitalized interest in praying for missionaries and supporting their work after visiting with them face-to-face and hearing about what God is accomplishing through them.*

Bible Study Opportunities

- Monday @ 6:30 p.m. @ Hook, Line & Sinker Restaurant (*Table Talk*)
- Wednesday @ 10:00 a.m. in Meeting Room (*Ladies*)
- Sunday @ 10:15 in Meeting Room (*Christianity 101*)

Bible Readings

From *Lutheran Service Book* Daily Lectionary, pp299-304

Sunday, July 9.	Judges 4:1-24; Acts 14:1-18
Monday, July 10.	Judges 6:1-24; Acts 14:19–15:5
Tuesday, July 11.	Judges 6:25-40; Acts 15:6-21
Wednesday, July 12.	Judges 7:1-23; Galatians 1:1-24
Thursday, July 13.	Judges 13:1-25; Galatians 2:1-21
Friday, July 14.	Judges 14:1-20; Galatians 3:1-22
Saturday, July 15.	Judges 15:1–16:3; Galatians 3:23–4:11

Our Stewardship of Time & Talents

July 8-9

- Organist:* Carol Lowe, John Baginski
Altar Guild:
 Janet Bollman, Linda Barnes
Acolytes:
 Summer Hassebrock, Brenden Lindenberg
 Jackson Knop, Caris Ruby
Greeters:
 Chris & Shay Valleroy
 Eldean Troue
Elders:
 Steve Smith, Verlin Lorenz
 Rick Ebers

July 15-16

- Organist:* Janet Wicker
Altar Guild:
 Linda Barnes, Brenda Miesner
Acolytes:
 Gillian Valleroy, Andrew Welten
 Claire & Carter Wasson
Greeters:
 Nita Alms
 Jim & Lorene Word
Elders:

Attendance

Worship: 6/24-25. Saturday: 58; Sunday: 85; Total: 143
 Avg. Worship YTD 2017:. Saturday: 78; Sunday: 139; Total: 217
 Bible Study:. Sunday: 10; Monday: N/A; Wednesday: 7
 Contemporary 6/29: 15

Remember there are Activity Bags for the children to use during the services.

Quilt Raffle

We need help selling our Quilt Raffle tickets for this year. We have tickets and pictures of the quilt available in the church office.

Recycle "Portals of Prayer"

Help Pastor Rivett (The Motorcycle Pastor) in his prison ministry by recycling your Portals of Prayer. Recently he was our speaker two Sundays in succession. He took along the recycled devotion materials which had been collected in the box in the fellowship hall. The following Sunday he reported that he had already distributed all the materials during the week. So recycling does help him in his ministry and you can play a part in it! Any other devotional materials are also welcome, regardless of the date.

Christ Our Savior Lutheran High School

See you at the fair! Christ Our Savior Dance Committee will have a food stand at the Randolph County Fair in Sparta on Saturday, July 15. Stop by to say “hi” and to grab a pork burger and curly fries!

Annual Rummage Sale: Our annual rummage sale will be July 21 & 22 from 7:30-noon. Donations of clean, saleable items can be brought to school during business hours. If you need assistance getting donations to school, please call and we will make arrangements to help you. Volunteers are needed to help organize and work at the rummage sale.

It’s not too late! Registrations are still being accepted for all classes for 2017-2018. Financial assistance is available. For more information, contact Michele Christman, mchristman@coslhs.org.

Summer Hours: Someone will usually be in the office from 9:00 - 3:00, Monday through Thursday and on Fridays from 9:00 to noon. The office will be closed July 3 & 4.

This Week @ St. Mark's

Sat., July 8	6:00 PM	Worship Service with Communion
Sun., July 9	9:00 AM	Worship Service
	10:15 AM	Christianity 101 in Fellowship Room
Mon., July 10	6:30 PM	Table Talk @ Hook, Line & Sinker
Tues., July 11	7:00 PM	Board of Stewardship
		Board of Evangelism
Wed., July 12	10:00 AM	Bible Class
Thurs., July 13	10:00 AM	Accessible Worship w/Communion
	7:00 PM	Parish Council
Fri., July 14		
Sat., July 15		<i>Food Pantry Donations</i>
	6:00 PM	Worship Service
Sun., July 16		<i>Food Pantry Donations</i>
	9:00 AM	Worship Service with Communion

Change for Change

This is a simple fundraiser to help with everyday expenses at the church and school. Thank you for your donations. It is easy to donate, simply place your spare change in the jars located at each entrance.

Recycling



We take your unwanted metal items and turn them into cash for the church budget. Thank you for donating these items and thank you to the people who help with loading and unloading. Continue to save that your metal items, instead of pitching it, and call Mike at 618-317-1058 to have it picked up for recycling.