Weekly Announcements

Preschool Prayer Program

There are only 11 more Families to sponsor! Sign up Today! The preschool's mission is to share the love of Jesus with the children and their families. We are launching a new program to help merge preschool families with our congregation. Click on the link for more information and to sign up to participate in The Preschool Prayer Program! <u>https://forms.gle/egF9GL6BFB88ufKu7</u>

Adult Ed Schedule

Global Missions Perspective: Sam Held

On Sunday, October 20, Sam Held, church member and pre-seminary student at Concordia, is going to spent some time sharing the things that he learned about the global mission field during his around the world semester last fall, as well as during his time in Hungary this past summer. In addition, this is Sam's way of thanking LoC for supporting him prayerfully and financially during these experiences. Come and learn something new about what God is doing abroad.

Oktoberfest - No Class (Oct. 27)

Faith and Politics - Nov. 3

With another presidential election looming large in front of us, and with so much division, fear, and uncertainty surrounding who will become our next president, it is important for us to spend some time discussing how our Christian faith informs and interacts with our politics. Leading this session will be the Rev. Dr. David Loy, who serves as Dean of Christ College (the school of theology, philosophy, and church vocations) at Concordia University (he and his family are also members of LoC). His PhD is in philosophy with a particular focus on political philosophy. Come and learn how our calling as Christians informs our calling as citizens.

OKTOBERFEST Is Next Week!!!

Oktoberfest is Sunday, October 27. It is also Reformation Sunday. We will have one service this day- 10am and it will be in the sanctuary. We look forward to having the preschool kids sing during the service. The Oktoberfest celebration will be from 11am-1pm. It is crucial that we have people who are willing to come and help set up on Saturday, help during the event and clean up following the event. We need volunteers for Saturday decorating, Potato Peeling, help during the event (setting out and replenishing food) and Cleanup on Sunday!! Many hands make for light work! Please sign up online at our website or on the clipboards.

Save the Date! Church Trivia Night

Sunday, November 10th from 5-8 pm. 8 trivia game with great prizes. \$15 per person includes, pizza, salad, cookies and 2 drinks. All monies raised will benefit the 2025 LCMS Youth Gathering.

Save the Date: Advent by Candlelight - December 8th

Join the women of Light of Christ Church for an Advent by Candlelight Afternoon Tea on Sunday, December th8, from 2-4:00 p.m. More info to come.

Adult Ed. Survey

We'd like to have your feedback regarding studies of interest for Sunday morning adult education. Therefore, we developed the below online survey for you to take. The survey is not very long and should not take up more than five minutes of your time. Thank you in advance for your participation. https://s.surveyplanet.com/o2y5zi3c

October Reading Plan

LIGHT OF CHRIST					
Lutheran Church Growth Groups	October 2024				
Tuesday	October 1	Ephesians 6	Thursday	October 17	2 Samuel 12
Wednesday	October 2	Ephesians 6	Friday	October 18	2 Samuel 13
Thursday	October 3	Ephesians 6	Saturday	October 19	2 Samuel 14
Friday	October 4	Ephesians 6	Sunday	October 20	2 Samuel 15
Saturday	October 5	Ephesians 6	Monday	October 21	2 Samuel 16
Sunday	October 6	2 Samuel 1	Tuesday	October 22	2 Samuel 17
Monday	October 7	2 Samuel 2	Wednesday	October 23	2 Samuel 18
Tuesday	October 8	2 Samuel 3	Thursday	October 24	2 Samuel 19
Wednesday	October 9	2 Samuel 4	Friday	October 25	2 Samuel 20
Thursday	October 10	2 Samuel 5	Saturday	October 26	2 Samuel 21
Friday	October 11	2 Samuel 6	Sunday	October 27	2 Samuel 22
Saturday	October 12	2 Samuel 7	Monday	October 28	2 Samuel 23
Sunday	October 13	2 Samuel 8	Tuesday	October 29	2 Samuel 24
Monday	October 14	2 Samuel 9	Wednesday	October 30	Psalm 41
Tuesday	October 15	2 Samuel 10	Thursday	October 31	Psalm 42
Wednesday	October 16	2 Samuel 11			

Reading the Bible in a year.

Do you want to read the bible in less than a year? If you read four chapters a day, you will finish the bible in about 10 months. The readings will take between 25-30 minutes. You can read two chapters in the morning and two at night or two in the morning, one in the afternoon and one at night? Add your five minutes of prayer and you will be good to go. THIS CHALLENGE IS NOT FOR EVERYONE! Maybe now is not the time. You can build up to it. Try reading at least two chapters a day and you will be developing the discipline to get to this project. There is a reading guide to help you with this reading project. I recommend a Psalm a day and three chapters starting with Genesis 1. When you complete the book of Psalms, read one chapter from Proverbs and three chapters of where you are at the time. Don't be afraid to try this one. It is hard but it is doable. Look for the yellow card stock sheet on the counter as you enter the sanctuary.

Building Campaign Announcement:

Thanks to all who came to the **Thy Will Be Done** Lunch Launch of the \$6.5 million building campaign! You are invited to sign up for a home visit with members of the building committee. Why do a home visit? I'm glad you asked. We can discuss giving options, gift designations, ways to gift assets, legacy giving, and answer general building questions. Sign up by emailing Eric at the church office: (<u>churchoffice.loc@gmail.com</u>) Then you will be contacted by Mark Siekmann to schedule your visit. We look forward to the opportunity to visit with you! As always, please keep this project in your prayers. *Matt 6:10 Thy Will be Done*