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VISION STATEMENT: Christ Lutheran Church will continue its Christ-centered, life directed focus, responding to the needs of its members, emphasizing local and worldwide witness, and acting as a catalyst for the improvement of the neighborhood.

HOSPITALIZED:

CONTINUED PRAYERS: Mike Schwindenhammer, Chuck Whitehead, Joel Ommen, Jennifer Pingle (Karen Ferguson's cousin), Rick Schultz, Todd Brunton (Linda Elward's brother), Bonnie Gallas (Deb Wolfmeyer's sister), Susan VanMoorlem (Reith), Sarah Ly Hang, Kevin Sommer (Barb O'Dell's step-son), Charlotte Sparks, Matt Zentko, Donna Gogele, Louie Heuermann, Helen Gotfrey (Laura's Granddaughter), Byron Webb, Joni Bradshaw, Martin Behnke, Linda Samp, Darlene Marvel, Jayme Knapp, Mike Clayton, Roberta Muzzarelli (Jim Grebe's mother-in-law), Ann Schwindenhammer (sister-in-law of Mike Schwindenhammer), Connie Trunk, Rudy Bozec (brother of Linda Von Behren), Neil Johnson (brother of Debbie Lawrence), for those in the military, for our Church Boards and their members, CLS staff and students, for Christians being persecuted worldwide. THE BOARD OF ELDERS REMINDS YOU that if you have someone you would like to be remembered in The Prayer of the Church worship send during on Sundays, an to angie.evans@christlutheranpeo.org or call the church office (637-5309). We will renew prayers when requested.

ELDER PRAYING WITH PASTOR: Tommie Washington

ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: Tommie Washington, Reg Lee, Alan White

GREETING YOU BEFORE SERVICE TODAY: Barb O'Dell

ACOLYTES FOR TODAY: Abe McIntosh, Maddie Markovich

ACOLYTES FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Andrew Simmons, Aubrey Chitwood **AS YOU LOOK FORWARD** to your worship next Sunday, you should read the appointed lessons for The Holy Trinity <u>The First Lesson</u>: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31, The Second Lesson: Acts 2:14a, 22-36, The Holy Gospel: John 8:48-

- THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR TODAY: is "Abigail". The packets for Bible Sidekicks, contain fun activities and games to help your kids learn all about the books of the Bible, so be sure to check out the digital version in your church email. See Laura, Darla, or Sue about getting a hard copy.
- **2-3 YEAR OLD SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS:** There is now a Sunday School Class for 2-3 year olds. We want to invite all of our 2 and 3 year olds to join us. The class begins in the Music Room, with our other children, then to the Nursery for a lesson, craft and more singing.

LAST WEEK: Tithes and offerings: \$6,177.00; MTD: \$6,177.00, Improvement Fund: \$0.00; MTD: \$0.00. Church Attendance: 124, N-K: 4,1st-5th: 5, 6th-HS: 3, Adults: 40, Visitors: 4, Total: 56.

FLOWERS ARE PLACED ON THE ALTAR: to the glory of God and in celebration of O'Dell family birthdays.

THIS IS THE 28th SUNDAY OF OUR PLEDGE YEAR

STEWARDSHIP CORNER: Acts 2:1 – "When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place." Notice that Pentecost was actually an Old Testament festival. It happened around the time when the wheat and oats were ready to be brought in. In the New Testament, Pentecost foreshadowed the great harvest of humankind that God will bring in through the preaching of His Word. God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest through the work of His church.

NOTE OF THANKS: I would like to thank you all for your thoughts, prayers, cards and texts as I had successful back surgery. Mike & Kathy Lelm **ALTAR GUILD:** is in need of one or two people to cover every third month for communion and weekly altar flowers.

LWML REMINDER: The next regular LWML meeting will be held THIS SATURDAY, June 14th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Room.

"Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it." — Proverbs 22:6

This year, we joyfully celebrate 20 years of faithful service by Mrs. Jennifer Lamberti, a beloved teacher, mentor, and servant of Christ. For two decades, Jennifer has been a guiding light in our Lutheran school, faithfully nurturing young minds and hearts in the love and knowledge of our Lord.

Jennifer's teaching has gone far beyond academics—she has instilled in her students a deep sense of faith, compassion, and purpose. Her classroom has been a place of joy, discovery, and prayer, where students not only learn but also feel seen, valued, and loved.

As we give thanks for her 20 years of service, we also pray for continued blessings on her ministry. May the Lord continue to guide her steps as she shapes lives for His glory. Thank you, Mrs. Lamberti, for 20 years of loving, faithful service. You are a gift to our community!

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING (JUNE 9th-JUNE 15th)

MON 06/09: TUES 06/10:	Church Council	6:00PM
WED 06/11:		
THU 06/12:		
FRI 06/13:		
	LWML	
SUN 06/15:	Holy Communion	9:00AM
	LWML Bake Sale	
	Sunday School	10:15AM
	Bible Classes	10:30AM



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