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Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

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: Rolland Reinhart

CONTINUED PRAYERS: Kathy Smith, Mike Schwindenhammer, Chuck Whitehead, Joel Ommen, Jennifer Pingle (Karen Ferguson's cousin), Rick Schultz, Bonnie Gallas (Deb Wolfmeyer's sister), Susan VanMoorlem (Reith), Sarah Ly Hang, Kevin Sommer (Barb O'Dell's step-son), Charlotte Sparks, Donna Gogele, Louie Heuermann, 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 during worship on Sundays, send an email to angie.evans@christlutheranpeo.org or call the church office (637-5309). We will renew prayers when requested.

ELDER PRAYING WITH PASTOR : Kirk Wessler

ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: Kirk Wessler, Tommie Washington, Alan White

GREETING YOU BEFORE SERVICE TODAY: Nancy Knoll

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 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost- The First Lesson: Leviticus 19:9-18, The Second Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14, The Holy Gospel: Luke 10:25-37.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR TODAY: is "The Mighty Men". 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: \$6,345.00; MTD: \$38,036.00, Improvement Fund: \$123.00; MTD: \$218.00. Church Attendance: 103, N-K: , 1st-5th: , 6th-HS: , Adults: , Visitors: , Total: .

FLOWERS ARE PLACED ON THE ALTAR: by Larry and Karen Ferguson, to the glory of God and in celebration of Diane Lebensorger's birthday on July 9th.

THIS IS THE 32nd SUNDAY OF OUR PLEDGE YEAR

STEWARDSHIP CORNER: Luke 10:20b – “But rejoice that your names are written in heaven.” No one can snatch us out of the nail-marked hands of Jesus. He has redeemed us and claimed us as His own. As those whose names are written in heaven, we seek to live heavenly lives here on earth. This is the foundation of all our good works, including the good work of faithfully supporting the work of the church. It's our joy in having been redeemed by the Lord through the activity of the church that motivates us to support it.

ALTAR GUILD: is in need of one or two people to cover every third month for communion and weekly altar flowers.

One-Hit Youth Speakers: Volunteers wanted for the high school room! Come once and share your experiences and life lessons with our youth, and get to know them too. Don't be a stranger - Christ gave us the church to be a family. Sign up for one Sunday, with the agenda provided, or do your own thing! The goal is to have our adults and youth get to know one another. No matter who you are, you have valuable wisdom to share with kids looking to their future. Text or email Jana at 309-339-8937

janacgrebe@gmail.com to learn more or sign up. (P.S. Taking stairs is not required!)

“Did You Know?” by Peoria Area Lutherans for Life: Equipping Lutherans to be Gospel motivated voices for life.

Did you know that fetal cells migrate throughout a pregnant woman's body? Research has shown that if a mother's heart is injured, fetal cells will rush to the site of the injury

and help mend the heart. It's incredible how the mother's body protects the baby at all costs, and the baby protects and helps rebuild the mother - so that the baby can develop safely and survive. God's perfect creative design at work.

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING (JULY 7th-JULY 13th)

MON 07/07:

TUES 07/08:

WED 07/09:

THU 07/10:

FRI 07/11:

SAT 07/12:

SUN 07/13:

Ladies Bible Study 9:30AM

Holy Communion..... 9:00AM

CLYF Bake Sale

Sunday School..... 10:15AM

Bible Classes 10:30AM

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