

## CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### WORSHIP NOTES

Today is the fifth Sunday after the Epiphany. We hear Matthew 5:21-37: *The teaching of Christ: forgiveness.*

The Children's Choir sings at the 10:45 am service. Their anthem, "Come Follow Me," is especially appropriate throughout the season of Epiphany, and focuses on readings from the Gospel of Matthew: 4:12-23 and 5:13-20.

### YOUTH ACTIVITIES

The next activity for Junior Youth (Pre-K - 4th grade) and Senior Youth (7th - 12th grade) is *today*, making prayer pillows.

A complete list of activities can be found on the bulletin board in the hallway leading to the Education Wing.

Please contact Terry for more information, [christianed@christlutheranyork.com](mailto:christianed@christlutheranyork.com).

### SANCTUARY SERIES

The next concert in the *Sanctuary Series* takes place in the nave on Sunday, February 19th following the 10:45 am worship service. The program, "Variations," features arrangements for piano of favorite hymns. Also included in the program are works of Bach and Chopin.

### LENTEN WORSHIP

March 1st is Ash Wednesday. There will be services at 12:15 pm in the chapel and 7:00 pm in the Nave. For the Wednesday evenings following Ash Wednesday, as listed below, some changes have been made for this year's Midweek Lenten Schedule. They are the following:

*simple suppers of soup and salad;  
a return to a time of adult education;  
and worship with Holy Communion in the Chapel.*

In recognition of the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the posting of the Ninety-Five Theses by Martin Luther, we will briefly examine and discuss his *Small Catechism*, copies of which will be available.

For those of you who had catechetical studies as youth, this will be a great opportunity to refresh your knowledge of the basics of our faith. If you grew up in another Christian tradition or none at all, then you will benefit from encountering the catechism for the very first time. Either way, as adults we always learn differently than we did as children or youth.

### ORGAN COMMITTEE

Many pipes have been removed to demonstrate the number of non-speaking pipes located in the case-work. These pipes are one element in the motivation to redesign the case-work and organ chambers (that which houses the organ pipes). All are welcome in the balcony to get a closer look at the pipe work inside the organ chambers. To see pipes that have been removed, please visit the choir room.

Please visit the Organ Committee table in the Lower Narthex for updates and additional information on the project. Brochures with additional information can be found in brochure holders around the church.

### MUTUAL MINISTRY

Results of the Congregational Survey are now available in a notebook on the conference table in the Parlor. Since they are of some length, this location provides an environment that allows one to take his/her time in reading them. The results are contained in two documents: a series of graphs measuring the responses to the survey questions; and a printed version of handwritten comments in regard to the same questions. These documents provide an overall view of how we think we are “doing” as a congregation. Thanks to everyone who participated, and please do not hesitate to speak to the Mutual Ministry Committee about the results (Judy Leece, Chair; Abbey Anderson; Kelly Krout; Jen Gerz; Barbara Nixon; and Pr. Watt).

### COMMUNITY MEALS

There is a Signup Genius site for volunteers to sign up to help with the Community Meals. Visit the church's website, [www.christlutheranyork.com](http://www.christlutheranyork.com), and click on "Community Meals" to sign up to help! A sign-up sheet is also available in the lower narthex. Contact Tom Keller or Cindy Cooley. Please consider contributions to the community meals. Contributions can be made by using the small manila envelopes in the pews, by writing your name, envelope number, checking the 'Special Offering', and writing Community Meal in the lines below. Your contributions will be added to your annual giving record.

### GROCERY GIFT CARDS

Continue to support our youth by buying Grocery Gift cards to Giant and/or Weis. With each gift card purchase, the youth ministry receives 5% from the purchase. Call or stop by the church office.

### IN-GATHERING OF FOOD

The ingathering of non-perishable food items for the pantry at St. Paul's is collected each Sunday. Place your items for donation in the box located in the upper or lower narthex hallway.

### ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my brother, Walt Mitzel, Jr., and my husband, William E. Bowers, by Beverly Bowers.

## GUYS NIGHT OUT



*When:* March, 2017

*Where:* TBD

*Contact:* Church office

## DOMINOES



*When:* March 4, 2017

*Where:* TBD

*What to bring:* Appetizer/  
Dessert

*Contact:* Vance and Jen Eppley,  
843-6557

## LADIES NIGHT OUT



*When:* March 7, 2017

6:00 pm

*Where:* Olive Garden,  
York

*Contact:* Church office

## CAROL'S PRAYER SHAWL

### MINISTRY



*When:* 3rd Wednesday of each  
month, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

*Where:* Church parlor

*Contact:*

Wanda Stibitz

741-2473

(If you know of someone  
that you wish a prayer  
shawl be given to, please let  
Wanda or one of the prayer  
shawl members know.)

## COMMUNITY MEAL

*When:* February 26, 12:00 pm

*Where:* Parish Hall

*Contact:* Cindy Cooley,  
Tom Keller,  
Church Office

## FEBRUARY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 6:30 pm - Handbell Rehearsal	3	4 6:59 pm - Dominoes
5 The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany  Noodles pickup  12:00 pm – Multiple Committees meeting  3:00 pm – York Youth Symphony Auditions	6 6:30 pm - Tutoring	7 6:30 pm - Tutoring	8	9 6:30 pm - Handbell Rehearsal	10	11
12 The Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany  Hamburger and noodles due  12:00 pm – Youth Activity	13 6:30 pm – Tutoring  7:00 pm – Finance Committee meeting	14	15 6:30 pm – Tutoring  7:00 pm – Finance Committee meeting	16 6:30 pm - Handbell Rehearsal	17	18
19 The Seventh Sun- day after the Epiph- any  Baked goods due  12:15 pm – <i>Sanctuary Series</i> concert, Nave	20 Soup Kitchen Delivery  7:00 pm – Congregation Council meeting	21 10:00 am – Staff meeting  6:30 pm – Mutual Ministry Committee meeting	22	23 6:30 pm - Handbell Rehearsal	24	25 9:00 am – Community Meal Preparation
26 The Transfiguration of Our Lord  12:00 pm – Community Meal	27 6:30 pm - Tutoring	28 10:00 am – Staff meeting				

## **PRAYER LIST**

*We strive to keep the prayer list current. Please notify us on an ongoing basis about those in need of prayer and our support.*

### **Members**

Janet Boyd, Dale Brenneman, Patsy Cochran, Jack Conner, Cindy Cooley, June Dusman, Vance Eppley, Richard Fair, Rodney Flinchbaugh, Barbara Geesey, Kathleen Heilman, Ron Heilman, Daniel Helwig, Jeanette Hershey, Daniel Hertig, Ruth Holland, Al Kauffman, Pat Kronk, John Long, Jr., Barbara Lyons, Pearl McKee, Jean and Ron Mease, Charles Murr, Caroline Olson, Christopher Olson, Adrian Patches, Craig Patches, John and Ginny Patterson, Sonja Paules, Catherine Peters, Joan Richards, Dave Rinehold, Doris Ritter, Linda Robbins, Lee Schlenker, Catherine Smith, Joel Springer, Ruth Springer, Ruth Stibitz, Linda Weaver, Kathryn Weikert, Robert Weikert, Pauline Wise, Leona Zeigler

### **Others**

Brooks Argento, The Basley family, Maurice Crews, Ayden Zeigler-Kohler, Richard Carlson, Stephen Greiss, Adam Habecker, Phyllis Hoople, The The Keith family, Paul Olson family, Kaki Olson, Rick Roberts, Henry Stoner, Tara, Julie Winters

*We pray for those from our congregation serving and who have served in the military. Please notify us of family and friends currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces.*

Adam Holland, Giovanni McBride, Christopher Knorr