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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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WORSHIP NOTES

Today is the eighth Sunday after Pentecost. We hear Matthew 13: 31-33, 44-52: *Parables of the reign of heaven*. Pastor Mel Dick preaches and presides while Pastor Watt is on vacation this week and Sunday, August 6. Also, pianist Ella Lauer offers special music at the 10:00 am worship service.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Please call the church office if you need a ride to and or test after which you can't drive. Likewise, if you or another member you know could use help in the form of meals. Several days notice would help to have time to make arrangements. As they say on WITF fund-raisers, our volunteers are standing by.

PARISH RETREAT

Now is the time to sign up for the Parish Retreat, August 25–27. If you are coming as a single, we will help pair you up with a compatible roommate. Bishop Carol Hendrix is our adult leader, and there will be activities and learning for children, too. We will swim, canoe, hike, worship, eat, talk, or just sit. Dress code: casual!

RECITAL SERIES

The York County History Center presents its Tannenberg Organ Recital Series on Fridays at 12:15 pm in July and August. Members of the York Chapter of The American Guild of Organists will perform on the Tannenberg Organ built in 1804 by David Tannenberg for Christ Lutheran Church. The concert series began on July 7 and runs until August 25. For more information, visit www.yorkhistorycenter.org.

SANCTUARY SERIES

The next concert in the *Sanctuary Series* is Sunday, August 20, in the nave! The concert program continues the *Sunday Sonata* series with Piano Sonata #14, Op. 27, No. 2, in C Sharp Minor by Ludwig Van Beethoven. This sonata is famously referred to as the "Moonlight Sonata."

Also included in the program are arias from Handel's *Messiah* to celebrate the 275th anniversary after the oratorio's premiere. Guest baritone Spencer Adamson sings "The People That Walked in Darkness" and "The Trumpet Shall Sound." The concert begins at 11:30 am in the nave. As always, a reception follows!

LUTHERAN CAMPING CORPORATION

On Sept. 16th, 50% of ticket proceeds will be donated by the Rev's organization to our camping program. \$8/game ticket + \$5/meal ticket = \$13 or \$6.50 for our camps! Rev's vs. Barnstormers. 5:30 p.m. Sign-up available on the desk in the Lower Narthex. Place checks in pew envelopes made out to Christ Lutheran Church with notation, "Rev's Camping Benefit". Deadline: August 20 to get our order to Rev's by September 1.

ORGAN COMMITTEE

As the current organ continues to fail due to dead notes, tuning instability, failing pipes, your financial support of the *Christ Lutheran Church Organ Fund* will help maintain and restore the organ for generations to come. To date, the current balance in the fund is \$59,797. Please visit the Organ Restoration Table in the Lower Narthex with additional information and to see the status of fundraising marked on the organ pipe! Additional brochures and large renderings of the instrument can be found around the church.

ANNIVERSARY DISPLAY

As part of our two hundred eighty-fourth anniversary celebration on September 17, the Communications Committee is planning a display of Christ Church memorabilia and artifacts in the parlor on Sundays, September 10 and 17. If you have items pertaining to the history and life of our congregation, will you consider loaning them for display on these dates? These could be books, photos, bulletins, awards, certificates--anything you think might be of interest for members to see.

MARTIN LUTHER/REFORMATION BOOKS

These books about Martin Luther and/or the Reformation have been placed on the back table in the parlor:

The Age of Reformation by E. Harris Harbison, 1955, Cornell University Press. Part of The Development of Western Civilization series.

Luther the Reformer, The Story of the Man and His Career by James M. Kittelson, 1986, Augsburg Publishing House.

Katherine Wife of Luther by Clara Seuel Schreiber, 1954, Muhlenberg Press.

Here I Stand, A Life of Martin Luther by Roland H. Bainton, 1950, Abingdon Press.

COMMUNITY MEALS

There is a Signup Genius site at which volunteers may sign up to help with the Community Meals. Visit the church's website, 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 memory of my parents, Ruth and Leonard Hoover, by their daughter, Ann Hoover.

GUYS NIGHT OUT



When: August 22, 6:00 pm
Where: The Stone Grill, York
Contact: Church office

LADIES NIGHT OUT



When: September 19, 6:00 pm
Where: The Paddock, York
Contact: Church office

DOMINOES



When: August 19, 6:59 pm
Where: Odd Fellows Hall,
525 Greenwood Road, York
What to bring: Appetizer/Dessert
Contact: Vance and Jen Eppley,
843-6557

COMMUNITY MEAL

When: August 20, 12:00 pm
Where: Parish Hall
Contact: Cindy Cooley,
Tom Keller, 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 other Prayer Shawl members know.)

NOODLES PICKUP

Next pickup: July 30
Due date: August 13

SOUP KITCHEN BAKERS

Next due date: August 20

PARISH RETREAT

When: August 25-27,
More information can be found on
the bulletin board in the Lower
Narthex.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost Noodles Pickup	3	4 Office and Child Care Center closed	5	6	7	8 8:00 am - Ehrlich
9 The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost Hamburger and Noodles due 11:30 am - <i>Sanctuary Series</i> concert, Nave	10	11	12	13	14	15 5:59 pm - Dominoes, at the home of Cathe & Todd Davis
16 The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost Baked goods due 11:30 am - All-Committee meeting	17 Soup Kitchen delivery 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Vacation Bible School 7:00 pm - Council meeting	18 10:00 am - Staff meeting 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Vacation Bible School 6:00 pm - Guys Night Out 6:00 pm - Ladies Night Out	19 10:00 am - Prayer Shawl Ministry 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Vacation Bible School	20 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Vacation Bible School	21	22 9:00 am - Community Meal preparation
23 The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost 12:00 pm - Community Meal	24	25 10:00 am - Staff meeting	26	27	28	29
30 The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost Noodles pickup	31					

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, Cindy Cooley, June Dusman, Vance Eppley, Richard Fair, Barbara Geesey, Kathleen Heilman, Ron Heilman, Daniel Helwig, Jeanette Hershey, Daniel Hertig, Ruth Holland, Al Kauffman, John Long, Jr., Pearl McKee, Jean and Ron Mease, Charles Murr, Caroline Olson, Christopher Olson, Adrian Patches, Craig Patches, Roger Patches, John and Ginny Patterson, Sonja Paules, Catherine Peters, Al Raimer, Joan Richards, Jen Risser, Linda Robbins, Catherine Smith, Ruth Springer, Doris Weaver, Kathryn Weikert, Robert Weikert, Tina Young, Leona Zeigler

Others

Brooks Argento, The Basley family, Maurice Crews, Richard Carlson, Annie DePriest, Adam Habecker, Ruthanna Himes, The Keith family, Eva Kelly, Paul Olson family, Kaki Olson, The Rago family, Rick Roberts, The Sharon family, Tara, The Towley family, 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