

## CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### WORSHIP NOTES

Today is the thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost. We hear Matthew 16:21-28: *The passion prediction and rebuke to Peter.*

### WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE

The Summer service schedule ends today! Beginning next week, September 10, the worship schedule times are 8:00 am and 10:45 am. On Sunday, September 17, we will celebrate the 284th anniversary of Christ Lutheran Church. Oktoberfest follows the Anniversary service! Please sign up on the back of your attendance card.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School for youth and adults begins next week, September 10! Grades Pre-K to 6<sup>th</sup> will meet in the Gathering Room at 9:40 am and Post-Confirmation youth will meet in the Youth Lounge at 9:30 am. The Adult Class meets in Room 21. Children's Church will resume in the fall. Please contact Terry Hoover, [christianed@christlutheranyork.com](mailto:christianed@christlutheranyork.com), or Pastor Watt for more information!

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

This month, we will begin celebrating the 500th anniversary of the Reformation.

September 10<sup>th</sup>

Rick Steves' film "Luther and the Reformation" (Parlor)

September 17<sup>th</sup>

Presentation by Guest Speaker Pr. Newell Embley, III (Parlor)

September 24<sup>th</sup>

Guided Tours of Historic Christ Church

by Pr. Mel Dick and Jay Stevens

(begins at 9:15 a.m.)

In addition, from September 14-25, an exhibit of the '95 Theses' will be on display at Christ Church.

## COFFEE TABLE

Volunteers to help with the coffee table are needed! Many hands make work light; therefore, we're asking for volunteers to sign-up to help replace members of the Coffee Table Crew who are no longer able to help. Additional details and are in the September newsletter. Contact Mary Shepp, 717-424-6873.

## YOUTH EVENT

The first Youth event of the school year will be held next Sunday, September 10 after the late service! We will deliver treats to the local fire house and police department to thank them for their service to us and our community. Please let Terry Hoover know if you plan to attend. This event is for all of our youth, including the catechetics youth.

### 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 \$63,088. 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, please consider loaning them for display on these dates.

### BOOK FAIR

There will be a Reformation 500 book fair sponsored by Augsburg Fortress, the publishing ministry of the ELCA, starting September 17 through September 30 in the Lower Narthex. There will be 20 different titles on the Reformation for all ages and interests on display. These titles will be offered at 50% of their regular price with free shipping. More information will be posted as they arrive. This is not a fundraiser, but a great opportunity to get fascinating books on the Reformation.

### THANK YOU

The family of Kathryn Weikert would like to thank everyone at Christ Church for their kindness, support and sympathy at the loss of of our wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

### 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](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 Mr. and Mrs. John L. Schiding and Paul and Gladys Schiding by David and Margaret Kauffman.

### GUYS NIGHT OUT



*When:* September 26, 6:00 pm  
*Where:* White Rose Bar & Grill, York  
*Contact:* Church office

### LADIES NIGHT OUT



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

### DOMINOES



*When:* September 23, 5:59 pm  
*Where:* The home of  
Cathe and Todd Davis  
*What to bring:* Appetizer/Dessert  
*Contact:* Vance and Jen Eppley,  
843-6557

### COMMUNITY MEAL

*When:* September 24, 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:* Today  
*Due date:* September 10

### SOUP KITCHEN BAKERS

*Next due date:* September 17

## SEPTEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3 The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost  Adult Choir begins  Noodles pickup	4 <i>Office and Child Care Center closed</i>	5 10:00 am - Staff meeting	6	7 6:30 pm - Handbell Choir rehearsal	8	9 Ehrlich  Bell Socialization Services Graduation services, Parish Hall
10 The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost  Sunday School begins, Church memorabilia display,  Youth activity, after late service  Hamburger and Noodles due	11 7:00 pm - Finance Committee meeting	12	13 11:00 am - Christian Alliance Church tour	14 6:30 pm - Handbell Choir rehearsal	15	16 Oktoberfest preparation  York Revolution game to benefit Lutheran Camping Corporation
17 The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Anniversary Sunday  Book Fair, Church memorabilia display  12:00 pm - Oktoberfest  Baked goods due	18 Soup Kitchen Delivery  7:00 pm - Council meeting	19 10:00 am - Staff meeting  6:00 pm - Ladies Night Out	20 10:00 am - Prayer Shawl Ministry  6:30 pm - Child Care Advisory Board meeting	21 6:30 pm - Handbell Choir rehearsal	22	23 Community Meal preparation  5:59 - Dominoes, at the home of Cathe and Todd Davis
24 The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Community Meal, Book Fair, Church tour for members	25	26 10:00 am - Staff meeting  6:00 pm - Guys Night Out	27 4:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Leadership York, Community Center	28 6:30 pm - Handbell Choir rehearsal	29	30 Youth activity, Flinchbaugh's Orchard

## **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, Joan Patches, John and Ginny Patterson, Sonja Paules, Catherine Peters, Al Raimer, Joan Richards, Jen Risser, Linda Robbins, Catherine Smith, Ruth Springer, Doris Weaver, Robert Weikert, Tina Young, Leona Zeigler

### **Others**

Maurice Crews, Richard Carlson, Annie DePriest, Adam Habecker, Ruthanna Himes, The Keith family, Eva Kelly, The Rago family, Rick Roberts, The Sharon family, The Stibitz family

*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