



The King's Herald

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Universal City, Texas

SEPTEMBER 2019

In all we do...
growing disciples for Christ

EVERY MEMBER SUNDAY!



Jesus intended for church to be a home, a place where we gather with Christian family and enjoy all the blessings of home. On Sunday, September 8th, we are celebrating Every Member Sunday. Come experience the support, love and fellowship of our Christian community. We're having **ONE WORSHIP SERVICE at 9:15 a.m.** with one of the major goals for this Sunday to have 100% of our members in attendance. Let's pack the house! Let's see what that looks like when every member comes together. Please do everything possible to set that date aside so you can join your brothers and sisters in Christ. After worship, join the festivities and enjoy potluck breakfast at the ALL CHURCH RALLY. Please bring a dish or a breakfast item to share for the breakfast! The Fellowship Committee will provide coffee and juice.

Ministry Fair

During the Every Member Sunday, we are also having a Ministry Fair. The different ministries at Christ the King will have information about things going on in their ministries for the year. They will also have opportunities for you to sign up and get involved. How can you be an usher? Where do you go to learn about being in WELCA? What is there to in the Fellowship Committee? What all Bible Study opportunities are there at Christ the King? How can you volunteer with Youth Ministry? What is available in Family Ministries? Also, sign up for Sunday School programming for the 2019-2020 year. All this and more! Come find out how to get involved. ALSO, Women of the ELCA will be having a cards and crafts sale in the multi-purpose room to support their ministries.

CHOIR REHEARSALS TO BEGIN

Choir rehearsals will begin on September 11th. Our choir will rehearse from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday in the Sanctuary. We will sing during 3 or 4 worship services per month. Please come join us in song, prayer, and fellowship.

Contact Sally Walters for more information.
Soli Deo Gloria



PASTOR'S PAGE



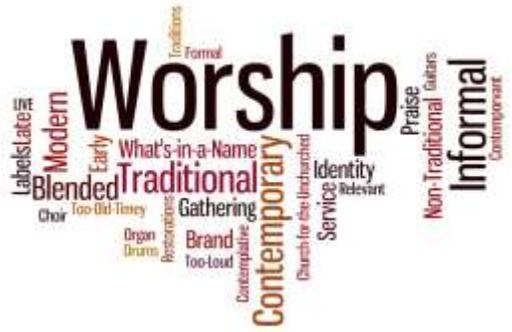
Soren Kierkegaard was a Danish philosopher and theologian. He once said, "People have an idea that the preacher is an actor on a stage and they are the critics, blaming or praising him. What they don't know is that they are the actors on the stage; the preacher is merely the prompter standing in the wings, reminding them of their lost lines." I like this quote because it reminds us how worship is something that EACH of us does as an individual.

But, worship is also one of the most important activities we do together and yet it can so often feel like we are coming to worship with a consumer's mentality. How will worship feed **ME**? Will we sing **MY** favorite songs? What can **I** get out of this? At a recent conference, a presenter mentioned that worship is about creating

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spaces for God to move and/or work within us. Worship involves our WHOLE body and it is our “practice” in which we continually engage. The presenter also asked “Is worship about what God does or about what we are doing for God?”

We have been trying a few different things in worship lately and will continue with some more changes to come. At a different conference I attended, another presenter mentioned that if we don't take chances and try making changes, then we aren't growing. Please know that we are NOT going to change things just for the sake of change. Everything we try has purpose and meaning behind it. One thing that we have tried is no longer holding hands during the Lord's Prayer and also using multiple versions/languages of the prayer. I have heard some people dislike the multiple versions because it sounds like babble and chaos and it doesn't feel like a prayer. I have also heard how some people like it because it sounds like the Holy Spirit moving among us and feels even more holy. One church member shared with me that “when the congregation started praying, the many voices in many tongues seemed like a multitude from all the earth and she felt she was truly part of the church universal”.



One reason we have made this change is because it is important for ALL people to offer prayer in their own heart language or their own native language. I know this is difficult, especially for anyone with hearing issues and I realize it is different than what we have been used to. I also understand that there may be some grief in the loss of a meaningful part of the worship service that you may have dearly loved.

For the time being, we are going to continue to use multiple versions. For those of you that are struggling with the din of the sound, try focusing on your own voice and the words you are praying to see if that may help. That is what I tried and this is when I sensed the Spirit moving in the mixture of sound. You can also try praying in one of the other languages printed. Even if you don't mentally know what you're saying (or how to pronounce it), as long as you approach it with a prayerful attitude it will serve as a prayer and God will know what you are saying.

“Every Member” Sunday on September 8th will be good for us to come together in one worship service to see people that you may not usually see if they attend the other worship time. It will be a chance for us to reconnect with friends, to feel the strength of our CTK family worshipping together, singing songs boldly and making a joyful noise together.



Shalom y'all!
Pastor Mike

STEWARDSHIP ON THE ROAD TO DAMASCUS

When you “hear” or “read” Stewardship – what is the first picture in your mind: pledge card, offering plate, offering envelope? Good pictures, but if those are the full scope of your response, you may be underestimating and underutilizing your God given talents.

Stewardship is abundantly growing your talents so that you can share that abundance with others – through church, non-profit organizations, and your own individual efforts. It means opening our eyes, ears, and hearts to **see opportunity where others only see coincidence**. You do not have to go looking. **God brings those opportunities to you every day** in the persons you meet: the carpenter, plumber, and electrician, wait staff, mechanic, and countless others. The people you do business with and those you casually meet.

Every day we are surrounded by individuals (like Paul) on their “Road to Damascus.” You are empowered through God to help them achieve a turning point in their life.

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The opportunity for human Stewardship begins when you are willing to take the time to engage in more than the superficial Hello, Hope you are having a Good Day, see you later. When you engage at a deeper level of discussion and concern, the fortifications that hold back anxiety, pain, uncertainties, and dreams begin to release.

Stewardship is using your God given talents to help someone else get a better grip on life so they can move forward with greater confidence. Stewardship is providing encouragement when a situation is grim. Stewardship is helping transform a dream to reality. **Stewardship is serving as a catalyst to ignite positive change.**

Human Stewardship will cost time and effort. It can have financial cost when you see someone with a strong work ethic who needs help to cross an obstacle. Some will not succeed. Some will sorely disappoint. All are a test of faith and courage. **Sharing your talents has no age minimum or limit.** If you are “retired” the opportunities are even more abundant.

The beauty of human Stewardship is being an instrument of God’s blessing to help others lighten their load, see positive direction for their future, and together share the joy of their new success.

Glen Anderson, for CTK Stewardship Committee

COUNCIL, SYNOD ASSEMBLY & ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS UPDATE

In Church council meetings, at synod assembly and in the adult Sunday school class, we have been have some very interesting discussions and presentations on adaptive leadership. One of the ideas shared in all of those places is the concept of moving from a judger mindset to a learner mindset.

This is a good thing for all of us to do in each of our own personal lives as well as our corporate life as a congregation. Some of it involves reframing our questions and our attitude - to move from judging situations and conversations to an attitude of trying to understand the other person and learn from the situation. That being said, we wanted to share some of the tools to help all of us along this journey.

If you are interested in watching the presentations by Deacon Peggy Hahn that were given at our synod assembly, you can see them online. Go to the synod website at

https://swtsynod.org/assembly_program, then scroll down and the three presentations by Peggy Hahn are listed under her name and bio.

<u>Judger Mindset</u>	<u>Learner Mindset</u>
Reactive & automatic	Responsive & thoughtful
Critical	Appreciative
More close-minded	More open-minded
Having the answers	Values not knowing
Own point of view only	Takes multiple perspectives
Blame oriented	Responsibility oriented
Problem focused	Solution focused
Defends assumptions	Questions assumptions
Primary mood: protective/fearful	Primary mood: curious

Here are the direct links if you prefer that option.

Keynote 1 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1qvNgws6Vo&feature=youtu.be>

Keynote 2 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s_K9TgSd4IY&feature=youtu.be

Keynote 3 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c-rRuYWPweE&feature=youtu.be>

Youth and Family Ministry



Receiving a new book is EXCITING!!! The pages are crisp and new. Each page is waiting to be read and discovered. On September 8, youth entering 1st grade or new to our Sunday School program as well as those entering 6th grade and new to 6th through 12th will be presented with a Bible during worship to use during worship and in Sunday school.

September 15, after we have acolyte training we will have games outdoors. Hopefully, it will not be over 100 degrees anymore. We will have water balloons. We will have gaga ball. Anyone 4th through high school can come and have fun until 3pm. We will have pizza so bring \$5.



It's that time again to begin Open Art Studio once a month. The first one will be September 28 from 5—7 pm. Cost will \$5 a person. Please bring along a snack to share with the group if you would like there will be drinks and pizza as well. This is open to all. There will be opportunities to paint and draw. There will be opportunities to just hang out and visit as well.

Attention 7th and 8th Grade parents and youth: on Sunday September 22 at noon, following the 10:30 worship we will meet together with Pastor and Mariesa to discuss Confirmation for 2019-2020. We will talk about requirements, expectations and make a covenant with each other on all things. Please make every attempt to attend, but if you can't attend, talk to Mariesa or Pastor Mike about what will be discussed.



Do ya like to play with fire? Ok, so not really... really please don't!!! It's Acolyte training time!!! This is a time when youth get to be leaders in church and be a part of worship. Join us on September 15 at noon for training or if you have acolyted for years, you can help out the newbies. This is an important part of worship. See you on the 15th. Acolytes are usually 4th—8th graders.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF (LWR)

August will have lots of sale on school supplies. Here's what is needed for LWR school kits:

- Crayons—box of 16 or 24 regular size
- New unsharpened #2 pencils with erasers (need 5 per kit)
- Pencil sharpeners
- 2 1/2 inch pencil erasers
- 30 centimeter ruler (may have 12 inches on the other side)
- **Blunt** scissors
- 70-page spiral **notebooks** (need 4 per kit)
- Ball point pens (need 5 per kit) - blue or black ink

If you have a questions, contact LWR coordinators Erika Robeson at 210-646-5444 or Marion Weishaar at 210-658-5223. Please put donations in the LWR basket in the corner of the narthex. We will receive items until September 1. **Thank You.**

AND SPEAKING OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES ...

We need some journals for New Life for Christmas. We also need glue sticks so we can decorate them with scrapbook paper, cards, etc. Thank you for your support.



RACAP Holiday Meal Baskets!!

The weather outside still says “summer”, but the calendar says it is time for RACAP to begin planning their annual Thanksgiving and Christmas Meal Basket program. Each year RACAP reaches out to those in need to provide food baskets so families can enjoy a traditional holiday meal. Last year, RACAP provided meals to 218 households at Thanksgiving and 292 households at Christmas. Once again, the Outreach Committee will be handing out information for food donations starting the last Sunday in September. We will begin collecting the donations starting the first Sunday in October through Harvest Sunday, November 3rd. To help facilitate the program with Christ the King's donations, members of the Outreach Committee will take them to RACAP weekly in order to meet the cutoff date of November 14th for Thanksgiving and December 5th for Christmas. If anyone is interested in sponsoring a family by providing a holiday meal (Thanksgiving or Christmas), please let the Outreach Committee know, and they will provide an application for you.

RACAP PANTRY NEEDS



Spaghetti Sauce and Spaghetti noodles, peanut butter, jelly, canned to-
matoes, soups, boxed meat helpers, rice, canned fruits, dish soap, laundry
detergent, Jell-o



NEWSLETTER AND BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Articles for the October 2019 newsletter are due **NO LATER THAN** the **20th of SEPTEMBER** and may be sent to Margaret Vogt at ctkadm@sbcglobal.net or brought to the church office. Announcements for the Sunday bulletin are due in the church office no later than 11 a.m. on Wednesday.

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING:

Thank you to everyone who helped the Outreach Committee with the infant/toddler diaper and clothing drive for Boysville. With your help, we were able to “Cover the Bottoms” of infants and toddlers!

Thank you to everyone who helped the Outreach Committee with the Nursery Toy Drive. Your kindness is greatly appreciated by the committee and Melanie Vogt, our nursery supervisor!

Thank you to the Boos family – Al IV, Sheri, Avre, and AJ, and Ryan Agrella, Maggie Boos and Rosalind for distributing door hangers around the neighborhood to publicize the Pancakes and School Supplies event!

Thank you to everyone who provided food for the recent funerals and to those who helped in the kitchen.



PANCAKES AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES...

“Thank you. This is for me?” Those are words heard on Saturday, August 10, in the Parish Hall. When you witness a child’s face light up after receiving a pink backpack with a water bottle, you know you have made a difference in a child’s life. That is exactly what **you** did—**you** made a difference through this service opportunity at Christ the King Lutheran Church. Fifty-five children received school supplies. Rose Garden Elementary received a delivery as well. In addition, families were relieved of at least one financial burden that occurs during the “Back to School” season. As an added bonus, the pancakes and sausage were enjoyed by all.

Thank you to everyone who donated supplies, money, and time. We do want to give a special pat on the back to the following folks who came on Saturday to assist: Dale Meyers, Patsy Meyers, Leona Hietala, Joanne Swansiger, Kent Schultz, DJ Schultz, Kathy Hanley, BJ Henk, Rich Patterson, Cindy Patterson, Delilah Meiring, Cathie Theis, Kathy Staley, Barbara Kovacich, Ray Lopez, Lisa Lopez, Rene Kraus, Cade Robbins, Mariesa Robbins, Jody Robbins, Michael Kraus, Thomas Kraus, Kathleen Kraus, Ryan Agrella, Maggie Boos, Susan Abbey, Vicar Ricardo, Carmen Hawkins, Jared Rode, Mary Petermeier, Dinah Ryson, AJ Boos, Avre Boos, Sheri Boos, and Al Boos.

We also want to recognize Don Vogt and Margaret Vogt for assisting with the purchase of food, and Jenny Johnson for the donation of the sausage. Thrivent provided funds to help with our food needs. We are grateful.

Stay tuned as this event will probably occur again in our ministry together.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Change? Who likes change? Kids will love the changes we have in store this year for Sunday School. Kids ages 2—fifth grade have a lot to look forward to. We will have art, drama, music, photography, cooking, and science, as well as other areas too. The best part of all—it will ALL relate to the Bible. **Join us on September 15 at 9:15 am** for session one of this year’s program.

We are also trying to pair up EACH and EVERY Sunday School youth with an adult “**Church Buddy**”. This experience will be about building relationships and helping each other grow. If you want to participate in this exciting opportunity, please contact Sheri Boos, Cindy Patterson, Vicar Ricardo, Mariesa Robbins or Pr Mike.

DO YOU LIKE ART, DRAMA, MUSIC, PHOTOGRAPHY, COOKING or SCIENCE?

As mentioned in the article above, we are changing Sunday School and need volunteers to lead 2 week blocks in one of these categories for different Bible stories throughout the year. If your interest is piqued and you would like to share your passion for art, drama, music, photography, cooking, science or some other hobby or skill, please contact Sheri Boos, Cindy Patterson, Vicar Ricardo, Mariesa Robbins or Pr Mike.



Adult Faith Formation Opportunities

Adult faith formation is just as important as when we were children. Therefore, we have a number of opportunities here at Christ the King for you to get involved. **These are open to everyone. So come join the discussion and bring a friend!**

ADULT BIBLE STUDY - "You're Not the Boss of Me"

With Andy Stanley

Sunday at 9:15am – meets in the Choir Room

Have you ever thought? - I can't believe I said that. Why did I do that? Where did that come from? Emotions can get the best of us. If we're not careful, things like anger, lust, greed, fear, and envy can shape our actions much more than we want them to. Monitoring our behavior is not enough. We need to monitor our hearts. We are currently in a series examining what the Bible has to say about this and how we handle ourselves in a Christian way.

Wednesday at 10:30am – meets in the Choir Room

We continue with our study on the miracles of Jesus. However, we will not meet on September 11th since Pr. Mike will be at the Intern/Supervisor retreat. Everyone is welcome to join us and enjoy our interesting discussions. Following the Bible study, all are welcome to join us for lunch (Dutch treat) at La Fiesta Patio Mexican Café on Pat Booker.

Wednesday Night at 5:15 pm – meets in Pr. Mike's office

Note the change of time and location!



We are also studying the miracles of Jesus, discussing how God's glory is shown through each one. As stated above, we will not meet on September 11th. Join us for some really interesting and enlightening conversations. **EVERYONE is WELCOME!**

Soulful Conversations

When fall arrives, many of us experience beginnings -- some new, some resuming, etc. Certainly, one begins to watch his/her speed in those school zones! During summer our conversations were varied and interesting thanks to those stepping in for Joyce Lucas. Since her return date is still unknown at this time, one thing is for certain. The conversations will continue without a specific theme giving attendees an opportunity to continue to learn how to live Christ-like lives.

Stop by, be surprised, and join the conversation. We gather in the Library and anyone can pop in anytime. The door may be closed during our conversations but our hearts are always open.

Where Mom's Connect - Are you a mom? Are you parenting children or have parent-ed children? If so, this class is for you! During one hour together, moms connect with each other, connect with the topic, connect with God, and connect to daily living. The class meets in the Learning Building. The coffee is always ready and there is always enough space. Please join us on **Sunday, September 15, at 9:15 AM** for the very first class of the 2019-20 school year. There is a nursery available for young children who are too young for Sunday school. Our very first topic is Handling Stress.



August, 2019

Dear Friends in Christ,

Christ the King is an extremely blessed congregation. Within the family of our church there are many “unsung heroes” who keep the church welcoming to all who enter. These are the individuals who shine the love of Christ to all. They often do this quietly with few if any realizing the gift they give to the church, to the community, and most of all to our God.

On a recent day when we had a funeral service for one of our members, I noted one of these individuals quietly going about God’s work. I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to Dale Meyers for the quiet blessings he brings. Most of us realize that Dale is the long-time treasurer of the congregation. As such he prepares financial statements and supports the council by being present at each council meeting to provide accurate financial information to support positive decisions. He does this in a very short time frame so information is always current and available. However, what I observed as I walked into church that day was Dale standing in the narthex holding what appeared to be a lap top. I later learned that it was the board to adjust the sound system in the sanctuary as needed during the service. I am sure this took time to learn as well devoting his time to serve during the service. Later, as communion was being celebrated, we had many who were not familiar with our church and were uncertain about when to join Pastor Mike to receive the bread and wine, Dale appeared to provide direction to all who wished to commune. After the service, we joined the bereaved family for a meal in the parish hall. In the kitchen there, once again, was Dale. This time he was washing all the dishes. I understand he washes the dishes for most of the congregation’s parties and events that are held in the parish hall.

As I indicated earlier there are many members who are providing quiet support every day. For this I thank God. This is the blessing that makes Christ the King the growing congregation that is truly welcoming all, leading to faith, shepherding for life, serving members near and far and in all we do – growing disciples for Christ

Thank you to Dale and all the myriad of individuals who in their own quiet way serve God and bless our congregation.

With gratitude and thanks to all who serve our Lord,
Barbara Maddox

TAKING FAITH HOME

Each week in the worship bulletin, we include a resource called “Taking Faith Home”. This offers some scriptures for daily reading, prayers and blessings as well as some ideas for Caring Conversations with family or friends, Devotions you can read, Service ideas you can go out and do and Rituals and Traditions to enhance your faith moments throughout the week. All four of these categories are proven to help grow faith for people. We have been offering this resource for a couple years now and would like some feedback on its use. So if you have been using this resource, please let us know that mere fact and also any other information that you feel might be helpful (any stories of something you’ve learned or a new practice your family is doing as a result of having this resource, etc.). Thanks!



Finance Committee Report

Financial Update—Dale has completed the financial statements as of June 30, 2019, and shown below is a summary of results for the 6 months ended June 30, 2019, and a comparison to budget and last year.

	Actual to date June, 2019 (6 Months)	Budget to date June, 2019 (6 Months)	Actual to date June, 2018 (Last Year) (6 Months)
Income:			
Current	\$141,836	\$154,053	\$138,195
All Other	<u>\$ 16,899</u>	<u>\$ 17,882</u>	<u>\$ 18,074</u>
Total Income	\$158,735	\$171,936	\$156,899
Expenses	<u>\$159,941</u>	<u>\$172,881</u>	<u>\$159,434</u>
Inc. Less Exp.	\$(1,206)	\$(945)	\$(2,535)

You will note that “current” income is approximately \$12,200 less than budget, but about \$3,600 more than what we received for the same 6 month period last year. Our bottom line is about \$260 worse than budget, but about \$1,300 better than last year.

Available Cash—Our available cash (total cash less dedicated funds) as of June 30, 2019 and June 30, 2018 was:

<u>June 30, 2019</u>	<u>June 30, 2018</u>
\$96,734	\$118,786

This is a decrease of approximately \$22,000 over the same time last year.

Dedicated Funds—At June 30, 2019 the balance in the dedicated funds account was \$184,593, which is an increase of \$60,883 from the \$123,710 amount on hand at this time last year. The significant increase in dedicated funds is primarily attributed to the balance in the recently established Mission Endowment Account.

Dedicated Fund Accounts with balances in excess of \$8,000 at June 30, 2019 include:

Memorial Fund	\$ 26,755
Special Projects Fund	\$ 49,061
CTK Mission Endowment Fund	\$ 75,271

As we look ahead to the remainder of the year, we are cautiously and prayerfully optimistic that we will achieve our budgeted financial results. We are blessed and thankful for the support of our members and pray that we continue to support our various ministries.

Finally, let us remember, as Dave Ramsey would say, **WE ARE DEBT FREE!**

Your Finance Committee

SOUND SYSTEM

Just as a reminder, we are actively at work trying to fix issues with the sound system. The speakers are old and some are malfunctioning. Please give us some grace in this time. If you find that you are having difficulty hearing whatever is being said, you may want to move to the inside aisle. This is the best location for hearing, given the location and angles of our current speakers.

WELCA Purpose Statement

“As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society, and the world.”



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Bids, Bites and Beverages September 14th from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.
 Thank Offering Service October 20th at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Please contact Carmen Hawkins for more information about our events:

Cell (talk & text): 210-438-7139

Email: carmen.hawkins67@gmail.com



I know it is still in the process of happening, but the thank you's need to be happening for years to come. My parents moved here back in 2012 and this congregation embraced them and embraced my family's caregiving responsibilities. At times it took me away. At times it stressed me beyond all imagination and you loved me and my family and nurtured us through it. Through my father's passing in 2017, you were there for my mother and I and lifting us up. Now, you again, have loved us beyond all measure. These last few months have been hard. This summer took me away from my job and responsibilities. I worried about that and y'all made everything awesome knowing I needed to be with my mom.

Thank you. Thank you. Thank you. Thank you for the prayers, thank you for the calls, the flowers, the Facebook posts, the visits to my mom, for the food...I don't know what else ... for the hugs. For everything. Thank you especially to everyone who helped make VBS such an amazing success and who helped me through Art Camp 2 to make it an amazing success when my mother was still in the hospital.

Blessings and peace beyond all measure always
 Mariesa and Family

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

John & April Poe	1
Harold & BJ Henk	2
Rus & Darlene Christiansen	4
Steve & Barbara Lerum	11
Thomas & Carmen Hawkins	12
Marc & Carol McClelland	15
Rich & Cindy Patterson	15
Dave & Toni Hollinbeck	19
Dick & Sandy Dunsmore	30



We remember in prayer:

THOSE WITH HEALTH CONCERNS:

David Bartley	Gene Bielke
Sherry Bielke	Aina Blake
Darlene Christiansen	Alma Geyer
Annette Gohlke	Stacy Heston
Bill Laxton	Joyce Lucas
Avery Luebbers	Carol Underdahl
Marion Weishaar	



THOSE IN CARE FACILITIES:

Vi Chandler	Anna Harman
Fred Hermann	

FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF CTK:

Ava Anderson, *granddaughter of Glen & Alfrieda Anderson*
 Mary Alice Bailey, *Mary Nordin's niece*
 Howard Carlson, *cousin of Gene Carlson*
 Veronica Carlson, *wife of Gene Carlson*
 Jacque Donaldson, *friend of Cindy Patterson*
 Joe Dougherty, *friend of Dinah Ryson*
 Vicki Evans, *friend of DJ Schultz*
 Lupe Godoy, *friend of Kathy Hanley*
 Chris Gohlke, *grandson of Annette Gohlke*
 Jo Ann Henk, *family member of BJ & Harold Henk*
 Ronald Jensen, *Joanne Swansiger's friend*
 Betty Ann Jones, *cousin of Kathy Staley & Barbara Kovacich*
 Lendell Jones, *friend of Joanne Swansiger*
 Bill Kermavner, *nephew of Joanne Swansiger*
 Marty LeMarr, *Sally Zimmerman's brother-in-law*
 Darren McArdle, *nephew of Ginny & Al Boos*
 Diedre Morin, *Steve Lerum's sister*
 Steve Nordin, *Glenn Nordin's nephew*
 Donna Pichelmann, *Kathy Hanley's mother*
 Elizabeth Poe, *John Poe's mother*
 Nancy Rajanen, *friend of Don & Joyce Nellermoe*
 Donna Scheel, *Susan Abbey's cousin*
 Julie Schmidt, *friend of Joanne Swansiger*
 Ray Schmidt, *friend of Don Nellermoe*
 Randy Smith II, *friend of Richard & Marilyn Groomes*
 James Thompson, *Pastor Mike's cousin*
 David Vogt, *Don Vogt's brother*
 Kurt Weinelt, *Louise Cruz's brother-in-law*
 James Weishaar, *son of Marion Weishaar*
 Keith Whitaker, *brother-in-law of Edward & Pearl Sauseda*
 Travis Wilchar, *grandson of Annette Gohlke*
 Shannon Wright, *friend of Joanne Swansiger*
 Easton Zane Zunker, *grandson of Larry & Marsha Zunker*

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Ralph Judkins	1
Johan Rakotoniaina	1
Marge Stout	1
Jerry Beach	3
Dick Dunsmore	3
Sabrina Roehrig	3
Zoe Judkins	4
Madison Alvarado	6
Doreen Bowers	6
Mamie Elliott	7
Alyssa Faulkner	7
Fred Hermann	7
Sally Zimmerman	7
Rich Patterson	8
Megan Cabacungan	9
Ethan Standtke	9
Toni Hollinbeck	11
Richard Lopez	11
Joyce Lamprecht	12
Jennifer Parrish	12
Camille Lopez	13
Helga Rust	13
Kali Herrera	14
Kim Serry	14
Ray Trent	14
Julie Trent	15
Barbara Ward	15
Gene Carlson	17
Alex Compton	18
Susan Abbey	24
Joyce Lucas	24
Brandon Berisha	26
Shy Healey	28
Lou Hametner	29
Kristin Herrera	29
Diane Maines	29
Alyssa Teteris	29
Logan Lane	30
Nic Walters	30



SEPTEMBER 2019

Sun	Mo	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
USHER TEAMS IN SEPTEMBER	TEAM 4 Joy Brown Billie Gruenewald Richard Bunch Lee Bennett	TEAM 8 Don Vogt Leona Hietala Julie Trent Ray Trent	TEAM 5 Gene Carlson Kathy Hanley Edward & Pearl Sauseda	TEAM 9 Dinah Ryson Pete Ryson Jay Shuler Leona Hietala	TEAM 1 Brian Donlea Ray Lopez Barbara Ward Linda Dowda	Team 10 Tyler Wilburn Bridget Wilburn Mike Meurin Barbara Meurin
Sunday Morning Worship and Education Hour Schedule For each Sunday (unless otherwise noted) 8:00 & 10:30 am Worship & Holy Communion 9:15 am Faith Formation for All						
1 <i>Green</i> 8:30 Phoenix NA TEAM 4 TEAM 8	2 LABOR DAY—CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	3 8:00 Star Academy 6:00 Boy Scouts 6:30 Cub Scouts 8:30 Phoenix NA	4 10:30 Bible Study 5:15 Bible Study 8:30 Phoenix NA	5 8:30 LEAP 6:00 Via de Cristo, La Cabana 7:00 Hermann Sons, Parish Hall	6 8:30 Phoenix NA	7 8:00—11:00 Property and Grounds Work Day
8 <i>Green</i> ONE SERVICE AT 9:15 A.M. FOLLOWED by BREAKFAST & ALL CHURCH RALLY Bible Presentation 1:00 Worship Band 8:30 Phoenix /NA TEAM 4	9 <i>Pastor's/ Mariesa's/ Vicar's Day Off</i>	10 8:00 Star Acad 1:00 Dominoes 5:00 Girl Scout s 6:00 Boy Scouts 6:30 Cub Scouts 7:00 Worship Comm. 8:30 Phoenix NA	11 1:00 LWR Quilting 6:30 Choir 8:30 Phoenix NA	12 8:30 LEAP 5:30 SHINE, Parish Hall 6:00 Via de Cristo 7:00 DAV/DAVA,	13 8:30 Phoenix NA	14 5:30-7:00 Bids, Bites, & Beverages, Parish Hall
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> INTERN/SUPERVISOR RETREAT </div>						
15 <i>Green</i> Noon—Acolyte Training Noon—Youth Games 8:30 Phoenix NA TEAM 5 TEAM 9	16 <i>Pastor's/ Mariesa's Day Off</i>	17 8:00 Star Academy 1:00 Sewing 6:00 Boy Scouts 7:00 Cub Scouts 8:30 Phoenix NA	18 7:30 Men's Group, Los Arcos 10:30 Bible Study 1:30 Naomi Circle 5:15 Bible Study 6:30 Choir 8:30 Phoenix NA	19 8:30 LEAP 1:30 Cibolo Crk Conf, Choir Rm 6:00 Via de Cristo 5:30 SHINE, Hall 8:00 Phoenix, Learning Bldg	20 8:30 Phoenix NA	21 9:00 Lutheran Fall Festival, Fredericksburg
22 <i>Green</i> Noon—Confirmation Meeting 3:00 Worship Band 8:30 Phoenix NA TEAM 5 TEAM 9	23 <i>Pastor's/ Mariesa's / Vicar's Day off</i>	24 8:00 Star Academy 1:00 Dominoes, 5:00 Girl Scouts 6:00 Boy Scouts 6:30 Cub Scouts 6:30 Council	25 10:30 Bible Study 5:15 Bible Study 6:30 Choir 8:30 Phoenix NA	26 8:30 LEAP 6:00 Via de Cristo	27 6:30 Friday Night Fellowship, La Cabana 8:30 Phoenix NA	28 Open Art Night 5—7pm
29 <i>Green</i> 3:00 Worship Band 8:30 Phoenix NA TEAM 1 TEAM 10	30 <i>Pastor's/ Mariesa's/ Vicar's Day Off</i>				Vicar Ricardo will be at Luther Seminary in Minnesota from Sept 14th—22nd for in person classes.	

Worship Assistants SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAYS	LITURGIST	READER	COMMUNION ASSISTANTS	ACOLYTES	GREETERS	USHERS	OFFERING COUNTERS
SEPT 1 8:00 AM	Rich Patterson	Glenn Nordin	Susan Abbey Lisa Lopez	Raven Taylor		Team 4	Glen Anderson Jill Schulz
10:30 AM	Lana Marthijohni	Glen Anderson	Al Boos III Barbara Kovacich	Kaidon Mattison	Leona Hietala	Team 8	
SEPT 8 9:15 AM ONLY	Lisa Lopez	Cindy Patterson	Robert Robeson Mary Petermeier	William Hale	Don & Margaret Vogt	Team 4	Leonard Geyer Cindy Hatzel
SEPT 15 8:00 AM	Kathy Staley	Ana Ofsdahl	Jill Theis-Cooper Cathie Theis	Raven Taylor	Ray & Lisa Lopez	Team 5	Susan Abbey Lisa Lopez
10:30 AM	Al Boos IV	Al Boos III	Lana Marthijohni	Brendan Healey	Kent & DJ Schultz	Team 9	
SEPT 22 8:00 AM	Rich Patterson	Erika Robeson	Kathy Staley Barbara Kovacich	Cade Robbins	Kathy Hanley	Team 5	Thomas Hawkins Jay Shuler
10:30 AM		Sheri Boos		Avre Boos AJ Boos	Jan Lindorfer	Team 9	
SEPT 29 8:00 AM	Joyce Lucas	Joyce Lamprecht	Lisa Lopez Joy Brown	Megan Cabacungan	Linda Dowda	Team 1	Joy Brown Dinah Ryson
10:30 AM	Katharine Barden	Pete Ryson	Joyce Lucas Leona Hietala	Chloe Barden	Joanne Swansiger	Team 10	

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Vicar	Ricardo Jimenez Reyes
Director of Youth Ministries / Parish Administrator	Mariesa Robbins
Administrative Assistant	Margaret Vogt
Organists	Carol Bearce & Louise Cruz
Choir Director	Sally Walters
Accompanist	John Hankins
Nursery	Melanie Vogt
Custodians	Reinaldo & Irene Diaz
Bookkeeper	Suzanne Schroeder
Financial Secretary	Leona Hietala
Treasurer	Dale Meyers

Church Council

President	Stacy Heston
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Fellowship/Secretary	Susan Abbey
Education	Sheri Boos
Evangelism	Carol McClelland
Finance	Tyler Wilburn
Mutual Ministry	Ryan Agrella
Outreach/Vice-President	Kathy Staley
Worship	Rich Patterson/Joyce Lucas

Internship Committee

Edward Sauseda & Kathy Staley - Co-chairs	
Katharine Barden	Carroll Gloor
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Ministry Team Leaders

Dominoes	Leona Hietala	Women of the ELCA	Carmen Hawkins
Men's Group	Don Vogt	Via de Cristo Reunion Group	Mary Petermeier/ Dinah Ryson
Soulful Conversations	Joyce Lucas		