



The King's Herald

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Universal City, Texas

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growing disciples for Christ

OCTOBER 2020

CONGREGATIONAL (BUDGET) MEETING - OCTOBER 18TH, 9:45AM

As with most things happening right now, we will have to change how we hold our congregational meeting to approve the budget for 2021. To try and accommodate as many people as we can, we will offer **two ways to participate in the meeting**. The meeting will follow our Drive-In worship service on October 18th at approximately 9:45am in the parking lot. The **first** way to "attend" is for those who have been at worship and wish to stay. They can remain parked in their spot for the meeting and we will give further instructions that day for voting, asking questions and giving comments. The **second** way to "attend" is from the comfort of your home via the internet. We will end our live-stream feed and start a Zoom meeting. When we are closer to the meeting date, we will email the Zoom link. Here again, we will give instructions that day for those on Zoom on how to vote, ask questions and give comments.

We realize this isn't ideal and we apologize for anyone who is unable to attend via one of these two methods. However, due to Coronavirus precautions, this is our attempt at reaching the most people in the safest way.

The proposed budget for 2021 will be sent out via email.

You can pick up a paper copy at the church during office hours, if you wish. But, if you would like to have a paper copy mailed to you via USPS, please call the church office before October 14th (to guarantee delivery before the 18th).

Questions about the budget - because of Coronavirus restrictions, we can't hand a microphone to everyone who has a question or comment about the budget. Therefore, after you have reviewed the budget, we are asking people to submit questions beforehand (which we will answer during the meeting for everyone to hear). You can send them to the church office via email, postal mail or by calling them in. **WE WILL STILL RECEIVE QUESTIONS ON THE DAY OF THE MEETING**, but the process is a little tricky and more involved; that is why we are asking people to submit them early.

See page 5 for a summary (with explanations) on what has changed in the budget.

SANCTUARY CAMERA / VIDEO EQUIPMENT

As mentioned last month, the council has approved the installation of cameras and video equipment in the sanctuary for live-streaming and/or recording our worship services to expand the possibilities of those who are able to worship with us. We will use some memorial funds to help pay for this, but we also want to give the congregation an opportunity to contribute to this vital ministry.

If you would like to make a donation to help pay for the equipment and installation, simply designate on your envelope / check / online form that the donation is for the **"video equipment" fund**.

LADIES RETREAT

There is still time to register for the retreat at Camp Chrysalis in Kerrville beginning on Friday, November 6, at 5:00 p.m. and ending on Sunday, November 8, at 10:30 a.m. We are asking that you submit \$75.00 with your registration form **before registration closes on October 4**. The balance of \$50.00 will be due by October 25. Please make checks payable to Christ the King Lutheran Church and mail your registration to Sheri Boos,



Worship Updates

Because of present uncertainties in regards to Covid-19, the Worship & Music Committee has decided to continue our **one Drive-In worship** service at 9:00 am through the months of October and November. In the case of inclement weather, watch for updates on Facebook, the church website, and through Flocknotes.

We will continue to live-stream the worship services (and record for later viewing). This means you are able to participate in worship in real time (if you join the live stream) or watch the recording later at a time that fits your schedule. These can be found on our YouTube channel (also with a link on the church's Facebook page) and on our website.

We will also continue singing a few verses of different songs during the service. Therefore, we invite everyone to keep a copy of the hymnal (the old green Lutheran Book of Worship) in your car. If you don't have a copy of the hymnal, we have some available at church, which you can pick up during office hours or at worship.

SOMETHING NEW & DIFFERENT!! Well, not so new, since we are returning to an old practice, but it is different than what we have been doing. For various reasons, we will be producing a specialized bulletin every week (like we did prior to the pandemic). To minimize exposure (rather than handing them out as you arrive), we will be emailing these out to everyone by Friday of each week and we encourage you to either print your own copy or use a digital version (on your smart phone or tablet) when you come to worship. However, if you would like a bulletin mailed to you beforehand (or a large print version), please call the church office and let Margaret know, so she can add your name to the list.

Because Pastor Mike will be gone on two different Sundays this month, we will worship using the Service of the Word liturgy as we did in September.

October 4 – Service of the Word (no communion) / WELCA Thankoffering service

October 11 & 18 – regular communion liturgy*

October 25 - Service of the Word (no communion) / Reformation Sunday

* - Bring your own communion elements or pick up some of the pre-packaged sets as you drive in the parking lot.

Live Chat during worship on Sunday Mornings. In an attempt to become more interactive during worships we have started actively watching Live Chat which is available to us on our YouTube channel. Please interact with each other during worship. Beep your "horns." Share your AMENS. Respond to the different parts of the worship however you need to.

Mariesa will be watching this Live Chat each Sunday and will get any messages to Pastor Mike or Vicar Ricardo that need to be shared.



HUGE thank you's continue to everyone who has helped prepare and implement our worship services during September: Glen and Alfrieda Anderson, Susan Abbey, Sheri Boos, Linda Dowda, Kathy Hanley, Carmen Hawkins, Will Jackson, Ray Lopez, Joyce Lucas, Dale & Patsy Meyers, Rich Patterson, Mariesa Robbins, Tim Walters, and Tyler and Bridget Wilburn. Also, a TREMENDOUS thank you to Sally Walters, Ryan Agrella, Dan Healey and Dale Meyers for sound, Sally Walters and Vanessa Jackson for music, and Ryan Agrella for live streaming the services.



The drive-in worship services would not be possible without your expertise and care for our congregation and its members!

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Margaret has returned to working in the church office Monday-Friday from 8am to 2 pm while the rest of the staff are still primarily working from home. But if you need something, contact any one of the staff. (Phone numbers may be found in the church directory.) **For pastoral emergencies, please call Pastor Mike or Vicar Ricardo on their cell phones.**



Can you believe that we have passed the six month mark of dealing with the pandemic? In many ways, this still feels so surreal and different. Yet, our “pre-pandemic” lifestyle also seems like it was ages ago. Dr. Aisha Ahmad, professor at University of Toronto, said, “The 6 month mark in any sustained crisis is always difficult. We have all adjusted to this ‘new normal’, but might now feel like we’re running out of steam.” I can identify with this. I have adjusted to a new way of working and living, but I also feel spread thin at times and just need to rest. Dr. Ahmad says “it is a very normal time to struggle or slump (hit a wall) around the six month mark of a difficult new experience.”

In response to this, I want to lift up a few points. First of all, give yourself some grace!!! This is a completely new experience for all of us and we are all figuring out new ways of dealing with the many stresses we are facing. Therefore, give yourself permission to make mistakes, to not have everything perfect (or even together at all) and to have some difficult days.



Secondly, I know many people are self-isolating, which is one of the safest things you can do right now. But, this creates a void of interaction or sense of connecting with people. If you are feeling lonely or isolated, please call someone. DO NOT worry that you are bothering the person you may reach out to. You may even help them overcome their own sense of loneliness or isolation. Call a family member or contact someone from church. You can always call me, Vicar Ricardo, Mariesa, Sally, or Margaret.

Finally, a friend of mine was dealing with some depression and anxiety. Her therapist suggested that every day she spend some time thinking about something positive that had happened THAT day. So I invite you to daily answer the question – “What brought you joy today?” This can be a topic of conversation with others in your house or a reflection you do by yourself. (You may even want to write it down and look back at your responses when you are having a particularly difficult day.) For example, my joy for today was that I was able to surprise a friend for her birthday without her knowing it was from me.

**So do not fear,
for I am with you;
do not be dismayed,
for I am your God.
I will *strengthen* you
and *help* you;
I will *uphold* you with
my righteous right hand.**

-Isaiah 41:10

I hope these ideas help you deal with our present state of being or simply give you a lift of encouragement. Another idea is that you can look in the Bible for helpful verses to post around your house or simply just to read. Here again, you may want to keep a list handy of some favorites. If you find some you like, send them to me so we can populate a list to share with everyone. As St. Paul writes in Romans 15:13, “May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”

Shalom y'all! Pr Mike



NEXT OF KIN / EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

We are still collecting contact information for your next of kin or an emergency contact person, especially if you live alone. If we are trying to get ahold of you and can't, we want to have information that we can use to call a family member or close friend to make sure you are okay. Please send it into the church office by mail, email or calling during office hours (M-F, 8am-noon).

YARD SIGNS

The Fellowship Committee has purchased yard signs for everyone at Christ the King (member and friends) to help us deal with the pandemic and our isolation. The signs are two-sided and say “Serving Christ by loving others” on one side and “I was prayed for today” on the other (with the church name on both sides). If you would like a sign, please call the church office and we will get one to you.



STEPPING STONES OF OUR FAITH—All Saint's Sunday

I remember trying to cross a creek at camp when I was young. It was a little scary because I feared I might slip on a rock and fall into the water. But I always felt more confident when I stepped on a stone that wasn't wobbly and felt it would really support me as I crossed the water.

Life is kind of like that. We have people in our lives that are stepping stones that help us get through life. They help us move from one place to the other. They help us move along our faith journey. They are our saints. That is what All Saints' Sunday is about.

day is about.

This year, we are asking you to bring a fist sized rock with your loved ones' name written upon it (or several) to represent those saints in your life who have passed away. If you need some rocks, we will have rocks available in the church office along with paint pens to write their name upon the rocks throughout the month of October.

On All Saint's Sunday, we will create our own stepping stones of faith display as a part of worship to help remember those people who have helped us through life.

RACAP THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS BASKETS

The Outreach Committee and the Women of the ELCA will again be sponsoring Baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas for RACAP families. If you would like to contribute toward this project, the following items are needed: chicken broth, flour, granulated sugar (4 lb. bag), brown sugar (1 lb. box), canned green beans, canned corn, evaporated milk, stuffing mix, canned pumpkin, canned yams (small and large cans), fruit cocktail, cranberry sauce. Deadline for Thanksgiving basket items to be brought to the church is November 20 and for Christmas basket items is December 20. If you would be interested in purchasing a turkey for one of the baskets, please contact Leona Hietala or Carmen Hawkins. All donations will be greatly appreciated.



Happy Fall Y'all! Well, we've made it through summer and I for one am looking forward to crisp, low humidity days! This year has been such a tough one, but the Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America are still working on goals and initiatives set for this year.

Although we aren't able to function in the same way we historically have, we are doing what we can. On September 15th, WELCA put together a virtual preview of the Just Love Gathering which was moved to August 2021. If you were not able to attend, you can view a recording of the preview on their YouTube channel.

Our WELCA unit here at CTK is no exception. Coordinators have been working on their ministries in whatever way possible. In addition, we plan to have our first ever virtual business meeting later this month and are planning a Christmas event with the parameters and guidelines of COVID-19 in mind. I hope you will all join us!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October 4th—Thankoffering Service (bulletins and WELCA offering envelopes will be handed out as you arrive)
 October 26th—Zoom Business Meeting at 6:45 pm (coordinators, please plan to attend or send me your reports)
 December—Christmas Event (details to be announced soon!)

Blessings,
 Carmen Hawkins, President

NOTES FOR 2021 BUDGET

For the proposed 2021 budget, the council gave 1% raises to all the staff.

All income lines were moved directly from the 2020 budget to the 2021 budget without changes except for the following:

1. Leap (homeschool class day) was eliminated because they will no longer be with us in 2021.
2. Current income was adjusted so that income minus expenses equaled 0.
3. Intern income was reduced because Vicar Ricardo will only be with us thru June 30, 2021.

All expense line items were moved directly from the 2020 budget to the 2021 budget without changes except for the following:

1. All staff were given a 1% raise.
2. A line item was added under Fellowship to fund items Fellowship is responsible for purchasing throughout the year. This was funded with \$750 in new money and a transfer of \$250 from the Fellowship Committee expense line item.
3. Under Worship, the Praise Band Director position (which was created in 2020) was renamed Band Director and extended from 10 months to 12 months. This change was made because Sally was actually working two months without pay. The contract was rewritten to accurately reflect that the position is a 12-month paid position.
4. Under Worship, a new Media Specialist position was created. The justification for this position is as follows:

The mission of our church has grown. God has shown us that even with the pandemic God's message *still* persists. That has become evident via electronic media. CTK has embraced this added ministry within the context of our mission statement and vision. In order to properly support this new ministry venue of virtual worship and electronic evangelism, it is imperative we properly and professionally accomplish the tasks required to fulfil it. The addition of Media Specialist to CTK will enable this to happen. It is not a volunteer position (nor should it be) as the level of skill required exceeds the abilities of volunteerism.

5. Intern expenses were reduced because Vicar Ricardo will only be with us thru June 30, 2021.

If you have any questions or comments about the budget (once you receive it), please submit them to the church office (so we can share the answers with everyone).

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY - November 1st

As part of our All Saints Sunday worship service, we will recognize those who have died within the past year (since last All Saints Sunday). If you have a loved one who has died since November 3, 2019, is not a member of Christ the King, and you would like to include them in our worship service, please send their name to the church office by October 26th.

OFFERINGS & PERSONAL FINANCIAL MATTERS

Please continue to contribute offerings as you are able. You can mail them to 1129 Pat Booker Rd., Universal City, Texas 78148 or sign up on the church website for online giving options. As mentioned elsewhere, we also have new giving options. **THANK YOU** for your continued financial support!

Remember, if you need financial assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Pr. Mike, Vicar Ricardo or Randolph Area Christian Assistance Program (RACAP)! RACAP's phone number is 210-658-1613.

4 Ways To Give

			
IN PERSON as you exit or bring by the office during the week.	BY MAIL	ONLINE www.ctk-uc.org	TEXT Text any amount to: 844-973-2993



Due to the CDC recommendations on Halloween and Trick or Treating, we are unfortunately cancelling Trunk or Treat this year.



Thank you!!! Because of your donations, Lenten Offerings, Crosstrails Budget Line Item and Youth Ministry Budget Line item, we are able to send 1800 dollars to Cross-trails Ministry at the beginning of October. Can you still donate? Of Course!! There is always opportunities to help out at camp.



We will have our first Workshop lesson on October 4 in the Fellowship Hall from 10:00—1:30. Be sure to bring your mask and Bible and be ready to learn!

Kiddos and Parents JOIN US from 11:00—11:45 as we will continue to **Family Children’s Church. We will do a** small activity based around a Bible Story. We will sing a song and teach a family prayer. This will all be over Zoom. Watch for your invite to Zoom.



Find out more info later in this Newsletter and for the Zoom information, text Mariesa.



Sunday Zooms will re ZOOM from 1:30—3:00. We will be trying some new activities during those times. Watch your mailboxes for which weeks will be for geared specifically for younger kid scavenger hunts and others that will be for Bible studies with older youth.

STEWARDSHIP OF SELF: UNDECIDED

By Don Nellermoe

Deciding what to do during hard times and/or when confronted with uncomfortable situations can be mentally challenging. A quote from Emerson tells us that “This time like all times, is a very good one if we but know what to do with it.” Rule out panic and despair, try not to focus on the negative aspects of the difficulty that we are confronted with. Not so easy is it! Sometimes people that we know, friends perhaps, or total strangers are in situations like this. What to do! Do what Jesus did when Peter called from the boat to save him and the other with him from a turbulent sea (The Sea of Galilee). Jesus lent him a helping hand. Such an easy thing to do. It is easier if we focus on the positive rather than the negative.

That brings us to Matthew 14:28-32 when the gale tossed the fishing boat about, then Peter called for help. Jesus came walking on water providing reassurance that all was okay. That was when Peter decided that he wanted to go to Jesus. Peter saw his safety measure coming to him, his security. He was totally reliant on another person and didn't take the time to think through his predicament. He was told to come ahead and immediately walked on water toward Jesus. When he doubted the laws of physics and gravity, his doubting caused him to lose his focus on what he was doing and immediately started to sink. Often, we too, sink because we start doubting what course of action we should take and turn to others to direct our thinking instead of being self-reliant. There is no easy way out, except through BELIEF and HOPE; believe in yourself, do it and Hope for a good outcome. If you believe, Jesus is with you all the way.

We are often in that same situation where we lose our focus and start to lose control (sink) and are deterred from our intended goal. After another shout from Peter to save him, Jesus reached out and provided a helping hand which led him safely back to the boat. We can do that if we remember that we need to keep a clear mind in tough times. Like Jesus, we have a helping hand at the end of our arms to reach out and help ourselves and others. Look to him when troubled. Reach out to him to HELP solve your problems. He will guide us to a satisfactory end. Amen.

VIRTUAL GATHERINGS

We continue to offer virtual gatherings—Bible studies, fellowship times on Zoom* and through Google Meets. Check Facebook for the most up to date information on meeting ID's and links or call one of the hosting leaders. We will also continue to post video devotions and children's sermons on Facebook, the church YouTube channel (see below) and our web page.

* - If you have difficulty with Zoom, call Pr. Mike.

Sundays 11am - Family Children's Church - Mariesa

Sundays 1:30 pm - Youth Group Zoom - Mariesa

Sundays, 4pm - Soulful Conversations - Joyce Lucas

Tuesdays, 9am - Coffee (Tea) Hour - Pr Mike & Mariesa

Wednesdays, 10:30am - Bible Study - Pr Mike

Wednesday, 5:15pm (1x / mo, see article elsewhere) - Spiritual Prayer Practices - Vicar Ricardo

Thursdays, 6pm - Happy Hour (with discussion questions) - Pr Mike & Mariesa

Thursdays, 7:15pm - Music Makers - Sally Walters

Saturdays, 9am - Adult Bible Study - Thomas Hawkins

Saturdays, 10am - Where Moms Connect - Sheri Boos & Maggie Boos

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Articles for the October 2020 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.

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 of your choice and bring a friend!**

Saturdays at 9am – via Zoom

Join us as we explore the book “Humble Roots: How Humility Grounds and Nourishes Your Soul” by Hannah Anderson. Contact Thomas Hawkins for details if you are interested.

Wednesday at 10:30am

Join us on Zoom as we look at the texts for the upcoming Sunday. No preparation is necessary. Just bring your Bible. Contact Pr. Mike for the Zoom meeting links.

Soulful Conversations - Sundays, 4-5pm via Zoom

One of the author’s desires was to help people learn and better understand systemic racism. Five things we have learned thus far:



We need to acknowledge white privilege. Social systems were built to prioritize people with white skin at the expense of others.

We’ve been trained to see racism as a problem for people of color. Instead we need to focus on how racism elevates white people; not how race hurts people of color.

Segregation and assimilation are racists; one is based on nature (biologically inferior); the other, on nurture (environmentally unable to nurture).

Our opinions are uninformed. We need to seriously study racism. What do you know about Dred Scott, Redlining, the Tulsa Massacre, Emmett Till, Lutheran Pastor Jehu Jones, why no people of color are associated with the Kentucky Derby, intersectionality, and school to prison pipeline to name a few?

“Color blindness” pretends racism doesn’t exist, fails to address systemic practices, and denies the lived reality of people of color.

We continue to meet virtually every Sunday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:00 pm. Read the book and “Zoom in” to join the conversation – Meeting ID: 848 5961 2107; by phone: 346-248-7799

Where Mom’s Connect

The Mom’s Connect Class meets every Saturday at 10:00 a.m. We are reading the book The 5 Love Languages of Children, by Gary Chapman and Ross Campbell. The class will meet on-line to discuss a chapter each Saturday. ALL moms are welcome to attend. If you would like to join us, please e-mail Carmen Hawkins at Carmen.hawkins67@gmail.com for the zoom code.



We would love to have you join us!

RACAP CURRENT PANTRY NEEDS

Items Needed: Jelly, Corn Muffin Mix, Jello, Canned Fruits, Canned Pinto Beans, Canned Black Beans, Canned Refried Beans, Canned Ranch Style Beans, Canned Black-eyed Peas, Canned Kidney Beans, All Canned Beans





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The “Jesus Prayer” Practice

For this month we are going to explore the Jesus Prayer practice. The Jesus Prayer is also known as the Prayer of the Heart. Rather than praying with just the head, the prayer of the heart seeks to engage the whole human person in prayer. By repeating a phrase from scripture over and over, the practitioner bypasses the distracting activity of mental prayer to commune with God in the quiet inner places hidden deep inside their beings.

The Practice

Before you begin, choose which version of the Jesus Prayer feels right for you. The traditional form of the Jesus Prayer appropriates the petition of the beggar on the road to Jericho, “Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Living God (or Son of David), have mercy on me, a sinner.” However, shorter phrases that focus on the name of Jesus and the desire for God’s mercy are more appropriate. “Lord Jesus Christ, have mercy on me;” or “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me;” or “Jesus, have mercy on me” capture the essence of the prayer and are easily adapted to the rhythm of one’s breathing. Simply invoking the name “Jesus” or the single word “mercy” (as in Centering Prayer) are also recommended alternatives.

Find a comfortable prayer–meditation position. Let your breathing become relaxed and easy. Without forcing it, allow the rhythm of your breath to gradually slow and deepen. By paying attention to your breath, you promote a quiet, interior awareness. With practice, you can become quiet enough to sense your heart beating without even taking your pulse!

Let the words “Lord Jesus Christ, have mercy on me” (or an alternative phrase, see above) take form in your mind. You might imagine yourself looking into your heart and carrying your thoughts from your head down into your heart.

Gradually fit the words of the prayer to the natural rhythm of your breath. For example, internally say the words “Lord Jesus Christ” as you inhale and “Have mercy on me” as you exhale. Alternatively, you might breathe in with silence and then mentally utter the prayer phrase with each breath out. You can also try softly vocalizing the words.

Once the Jesus Prayer establishes itself in your heart you may find, as other practitioners of the prayer have reported, that the prayer will begin to “pray itself” inside you. The words invoking the name of Jesus and God’s compassionate presence may spontaneously surface as you go about daily tasks. You may find yourself repeating them as you do your shopping or while you wait at a stoplight. They may even come to inhabit your dreams. Then you will be praying “without ceasing.” Stay tuned for our Facebook and YouTube videos on the practice and join us on the prayer practice on October the 21st at 5:15 via Zoom.

This information is adapted from <https://www.cofchrist.org/spiritual-practice-jesus-prayer>

Paz,
Vicar Ricardo

SPECIAL THANKS

- Continued THANKS to Leona Hietala and Kathy Staley for counting the offering and updating the financial records **EACH week** during the pandemic.
- Thank you to Larry and Marcia Zunker for the use of their trailer for drive-in worship from June through August.
- Thank you to John and April Poe for the use of their trailer for drive-in worship beginning in September.
- Thank you to Roby Robeson and Tim Walters for making arrangements and getting the contractor to repair the windows in the Learning Ministry Building.
- Thank you to Bruce Lemire for installing the hand sanitizers and soap dispensers in all buildings.



We remember in prayer:

THOSE WITH HEALTH CONCERNS:

David Bartley	Merrickay Compton	Bill Laxton
Gene Bielke	Vince Cruz	Evelyn Lewis
Sherry Bielke	Carol DeNoble	DJ Schultz
Fran Bitney	Shirley DuBois	Kent Schultz
Aina Blake	Mamie Elliott	Philip Seaman
Darlene Christiansen	Hazel Knipp	Carol Underdahl

THOSE IN CARE FACILITIES:

Anna Harman Fred Hermann

FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF CTK:

Roy Alvarado, <i>Joanne Swansiger's neighbor's brother</i>	Claudia Molina, <i>Katharine Barden's friend</i>
Ava Anderson, <i>granddaughter of Glen & Alfrieda Anderson</i>	Diedre Morin, <i>Steve Lerum's sister</i>
Jenny Barnes, <i>friend of Doreen Bowers</i>	Steve Nordin, <i>Glenn Nordin's nephew</i>
Fran Bezold, <i>cousin of Kathy Staley & Barbara Kovacich</i>	Donna Pichelmann, <i>Kathy Hanley's mother</i>
Jerry Blakely, <i>Wilma Kirchman's friend</i>	Elizabeth Poe, <i>John Poe's mother</i>
Mel Borgfeld, <i>father of Sheryl McCawley</i>	Nancy Rajanen, <i>friend of Don & Joyce Nellermoe</i>
Veronica Carlson, <i>wife of Gene Carlson</i>	Barbara Real, <i>Dawn Young's friend</i>
Jacque Donaldson, <i>friend of Cindy Patterson</i>	Donna Scheel, <i>Susan Abbey's cousin</i>
Joe Dougherty, <i>friend of Dinah Ryson</i>	Julie Schmidt, <i>friend of Joanne Swansiger</i>
Larry Dunn, <i>Leonard Geyer's step-son</i>	Ray Schmidt, <i>friend of Don Nellermoe</i>
Armie & Chris Gruenewald, <i>Billie Gruenewald's relatives</i>	Mark Schroeder, <i>Suzanne Schroeder's husband</i>
Mary Henderson, <i>friend of Cathie Theis</i>	Randy Smith II, <i>friend of Richard & Marilyn Groomes</i>
Terry Hepworth, <i>Kathy Staley's friend</i>	Don Stout, <i>Marge Stout's son</i>
Ted Herrera, <i>uncle of Chris Herrera</i>	Noemy Torres, <i>Ramon Torres' mother</i>
Ronald Jensen, <i>Joanne Swansiger's friend</i>	Glenn Uecker, <i>cousin of Barbara Kovacich & Kathy Staley</i>
Pedro Jimenez, <i>Vicar Ricardo's brother</i>	Kurt Weinelt, <i>Louise Cruz' brother-in-law</i>
Corinne Johnson, <i>Joanne Swansiger's friend</i>	James Wieshaar, <i>son of Marion Weishaar</i>
Betty Ann Jones, <i>Kathy Staley & Barbara Kovacich's cousin</i>	Keith Whitaker, <i>brother-in-law of Edward & Pearl Sauseda</i>
Lendell Jones, <i>friend of Joanne Swansiger</i>	Shannon Wright, <i>friend of Joanne Swansiger</i>
Carolyn Sue Kelly, <i>friend of Kathy Hanley</i>	The Family of Sandra Bartley
Judy Kerlick, <i>friend of Joyce Lucas</i>	The Family of Arnold Agrella
Bill Kermavner, <i>nephew of Joanne Swansiger</i>	The Family of Allen Hanus
Steve Kerns, <i>friend of Joanne Swansiger's niece</i>	The Family of LTC James Roger Johnston
Debbie Kittridge, <i>sister of Cindy Bonaccorsi</i>	The Family of Floyd Henk
Todd Kittridge, <i>brother of Cindy Bonaccorsi</i>	The Family of Gerald Haley
Diana Kotara, <i>Dawn Young's sister</i>	The Family of Dave Hollinbeck
Gene Kraemer, <i>Marion Weishaar's brother</i>	The Family of Donna Elliott
Pastor Marcia Kline, <i>friend of Joyce Lamprecht</i>	
Mildred Lee, <i>Don Vogt's sister</i>	
Ed Leigh, <i>friend of Sally Zimmerman</i>	
Ed Leszynski, <i>friend of Joanne Swansiger</i>	

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Raven Taylor	3	Russell Christiansen	9	Will Jackson	19
Sally Walters	3	Darlene Christiansen	12	Sissie Mirhashemi	19
Ann Faulkner	4	Gene Bielke	14	Trudy Seaman	19
Madilynn Sauseda	4	Lisa Carlson	14	Carol Underdahl	19
Laila Roehrig	5	Annette Gohlke	17	David Bartley	20
Lola Roehrig	5	Anna Harman	19	Mary Donlea	26

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

Richard & Becky Cabacungan	1	Terry & Andrea Hale	26
Dale & Patsy Meyers	15	Ralph & Kaitlyn Espinoza	29
Tim & Sally Walters	15		



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Church Council and Ministry Team Leaders

Church Council

President	Kathy Staley	Mutual Ministry	Ryan Agrella
Education/Faith Formation	Sheri Boos	Outreach	Leona Hietala
Evangelism	Carol McClelland	Property, Building, & Grounds	Tim Walters
Fellowship/Secretary	Susan Abbey	Worship/Vice-President	Joyce Lucas
Finance	Tyler Wilburn	Worship	Rich Patterson

Did you know ... that the Church Council prays for specific church members each month in our meetings and we work through the entire directory praying for the whole congregation this way? Please pray for them as they give of their time and talents to help lead our congregation.

Ministry Team Leaders

Fellowship Ministries

Bunco
Dominoes

Lisa Lopez
Leona Hietala

Education / Faith Formation Ministries

Sunday School Superintendent
Disciples Room Adult Bible Study
Soulful Conversations
Via de Cristo Reunion Group

Thomas Hawkins
Joyce Lucas
Mary Petermeier/
Dinah Ryson
Maggie Boos

All Other Ministries

Men's Group
Women of the ELCA
LWR Kits/Quilts
Prayer Shawls
Bereavement

Don Vogt
Carmen Hawkins
Erika Robeson
Marion Weishaar
Barbara Kovacich

Intern Committee Edward Sauseda / Kathy Staley
Stewardship Committee
Mission Endowment Fund Cmte Michelle Serry

Where Mom's Connect