

This Week:

<i>Today:</i>	9:00 AM	Worship
<i>Monday</i>	7:00 PM	Worship
<i>Tuesday:</i>	6:30 PM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
<i>Wednesday:</i>	12:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
<i>Sunday:</i>	9:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	1:00 PM	CLGO at Lynd
	4:00 PM	Supper Outing at El Rancho
<i>Monday</i>	7:00 PM	Worship and Holy Communion

TREE OF LIFE: Very soon the two trees on Third Street closest to Marshall Street will be removed due to disease. The plan is to plant a new tree to replace them. We hope to be able to plant one that has a little size to it already. We have established a fund for this called the Tree of Life. You can donate in memory of a loved one who has passed away or you can give in honor of someone or an event such as an anniversary, marriage, or baptism. We will run a list of those who donated and to who it was in memory or honor of in the October newsletter. Envelopes are available for this on the easel or on the rack by the basement steps. Please be sure to include all the names you want listed. Of course, you can also donate to the fund without it having to be recognized.

HELP: As has been previously announced we are renovating the lower level bathrooms at Samuel. Work has already begun but there is more to do. If you would like to know what you can do to help out please call Craig Heil at 829-3877. Thank you!

REGISTRATION: If you were not able to attend the Samuel registration you can still register by calling the office at 532-2162 and setting up a time to come in.

CHRIST LUTHERAN GOLF OUTING: I'm not a golfer you say! That's okay because again this year you still have a chance to attend this church outing. We hope you will join us starting at 4 PM next Sunday, August 28th at El Rancho for some food and fellowship. Any confirmed member of Christ can join the golfers after they have finished their round of golf. It is just a chance to get together with fellow friends of Christ. If you are a golfer and have not participated in the past why not make this year your first? We will tee it up at Savannah Oaks in Lynd starting at 1:00. This is a best ball four person scramble. Your ability really doesn't matter. Signup sheets for golf and supper are on the table in the narthex.

SMSU: Welcome to any new or returning college students. We are happy you are worshiping with us. We hope you will consider Christ your church home away from home. Please take a minute and sign the special SMSU sheet at the registration stand. Be sure to include your email address. Our first Campus Ministry get together will be Wednesday, August 31st at 8:00 PM out at Samuel Lutheran School (500 Village Drive). We will kick off the year with food, fellowship, and fun. Everything will be provided – just come and enjoy. Bring a friend!

CATCHING ON? While our summer worship schedule is winding down (it runs through Labor Day weekend), it is worth noting that attendance at the Monday services has been very good! So just a reminder if you can't make a Sunday be sure to give Monday a shot!

PARADE: Thanks to all those who helped with our floats in the Sounds of Summer parade. It might be a small thing but I think it shows our community that we are a part of the community and that we want to share the love and forgiveness of Christ at Christ with ALL people! Let's all keep our eyes and ears open to opportunities to share Christ with others.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: It is no secret that our church needs volunteers to effectively conduct our ministry. As your pastor I am so thankful for all of the hours that our members put in to their church family. There is always a lot of work that needs to be done so I ask that you continue to watch for chances that you have to be able to use your talents to serve the Lord through his visible church.

COLLEGE ADDRESSES: If you have a student attending college this year please call the church office and give us their information so we can send them newsletters, etc. Even if you don't have the information now please let us know when you get it.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK	
\$6,255 – Budgeted Offerings ~ <i>Weekly need</i> - \$6462	
\$45 – Mission Offerings ~ <i>Weekly need</i> - \$270	
\$10 – Media Offerings ~ <i>Weekly need</i> - \$90	
\$0 – Debt Reduction Fund	\$0 – Building Improvement Fund
\$10 – Other Receipts	
Budgeted offerings: YTD July 2016: \$180,370.51	
YTD July 2015: \$176,685.63	
Annual Budgeted – 2016: \$336,000.00	
Interested in e-giving, check our website.	

**Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, August 21, 2016
Monday, August 22, 2016**

Divine Service I

- Opening Hymn #750 CWS
- Liturgy page 15 (CWS)
- First Lesson – see insert
- Psalms 72 on page 93
- Second Lesson – see insert
- Gospel Lesson – see insert
- Apostles Creed page 20
- Hymn of the Day #351
- Sermon – Luke 13:22-30
- “Create in Me” page 21
- Offering
- Prayers and Lord’s Prayer
- Hymn #339
- Closing Prayer page 27
- Closing Hymn #332

