

**This Week:**

<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship
<i>Monday:</i>	2:00 PM	Women's Bible Study
<i>Wednesday:</i>	7:00 PM	Worship at Wood Lake
<i>Thursday:</i>	11:30 AM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
	4:00 PM	Registration at Samuel
<i>Friday:</i>	8:30 PM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship with Holy Communion

**Verse of the Day**

*The congregation sings this alleluia before and after the proper verse is sung by the minister or soloist.*

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**VERSE OF THE DAY:** The Mighty One has done great things for me.

**SERVICE NOTES:**

- “Our churches teach that the remembrance of the saints is to be commended in order that we may imitate their faith and good works according to our calling” (The Augsburg Confession, XXI).
- First Lesson: The prophet Isaiah rejoices in the salvation God has caused to spring up on the earth, just as Mary rejoices in what God has cause to be brought forth from her womb.
- Second Lesson: Our redemption and adoption as sons (heirs) is fulfilled in the son of a woman who is God’s own son.
- Gospel: Mary hears Elizabeth’s greeting and blessing, then sings her song (Magnificat) in praise to God for His salvation, the Christchild now growing in her womb.

**CALL:** At the call meeting last Sunday the voters extended a call to Rev. Benjamin Kratz. Pastor Kratz currently serves at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Birmingham, AL. We pray God blesses his deliberations.

**SAMUEL REGISTRATION:** Registration at Samuel will be held on Thursday from 4:00-7:00 PM. If by chance you can’t make this date please call the office.

**RECITAL:** On Saturday, August 28, at 1:00 pm, the children who have participated in summer music lessons will present a recital showcasing what they have learned over the summer. This will be a combined recital with the students from Wood Lake, and will be held at St. John’s in Wood Lake (130 3rd St S). There will be a variety of musical talent on display including beginners and advanced students of piano, band instruments, and voice. After the recital you are invited to an ice cream social downstairs in the church basement

**WORK BEE:** Samuel Lutheran School's Work Bee will take place on Monday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 PM. If you cannot make this date work there are plenty of jobs that can be done on a different day. Please contact Mr. Obry at (402)992-4419 to find out what needs to be done.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** We are happy to announce that we will be starting up Sunday School for children 3 years old (by September 1) through 8th grade. Sunday School classes will begin on Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup> and run through the end of the school year. Registration for Sunday School will be Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>.

**CLGO:** The Christ Lutheran Golf Outing – CLGO will be held on Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup> at Savannah Oaks in Lynd. First tee time is scheduled for 1:00 PM. For those who would like, we will grab a bite to eat at Brau Brothers after the round. Cost is \$30 for 9 holes and a cart. ***Please sign up on the table by the bulletin board.***

**PADDED CHAIRS:** We are looking to replace the orange and brown padded chairs at school as many are worn down on the edges with the wood poking out. If you would like some at your house/cabin/shop, please feel free to stop out at school before August 20 to take some free of charge.

**SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK**

\$2,640 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$7,646

\$95 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$366

\$35 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$90

\$0 – Building Improvement Fund

\$20 – Other Receipts

Budgeted offerings: YTD July 2021: \$186,101.81

YTD July 2020: \$202,339.25

Annual Budgeted – 2021: \$397,580.00

**Interested in e-giving, check our website.**

**St. Mary, Mother of our Lord  
Sunday, August 15, 2021**

**Divine Service I**

Opening Hymn #2

Liturgy page 15 (CWS)

First Lesson – see insert

Psalm 45 on page 83

Second Lesson – see insert

Gospel Lesson – see insert

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Hymn of the Day – insert

Sermon

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Offering

Prayers and Lord’s Prayer

Hymn #86

Closing Prayer page 27

Closing Hymn #552

