

This Week:

<i>Today:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Teen/Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	Annual Meeting
<i>Monday:</i>	12:30 PM	Women’s Prayer Group
	6:30 PM	PTF Meeting at Samuel
<i>Tuesday:</i>	4:15 PM	SLS Basketball at Redwood Falls
<i>Wednesday:</i>	6:30 PM	Confirmation Class
	7:30 PM	Choir
<i>Thursday:</i>	11:30 AM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
<i>Friday:</i>	5:00 PM	CLYF at Brookings Blizzard Hockey
	8:30 PM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
<i>Saturday:</i>	10:00 AM	SLS Basketball at St. James
<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	9:15 AM	Call Meeting
	10:30 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	12:00 PM	Potluck Dinner

PASTORAL ACT: *Adult Confirmation:* Having completed the course of study in Scripture and Lutheran teachings as found in Luther’s catechism and the Book of Concord, four people wish to join the Evangelical Lutheran faith and Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church. They are Derek and Melinda (and son Lucas) Grohs, Steven Larsen, and Kelsey Austin. We are excited to have them as members and welcome them to the family of Christ.

COFFEE HOUR: Please join us for coffee and fellowship between services today. We thank the families from serving committee six for hosting this morning.

ANNUAL MEETING: Everyone is invited to attend the annual meeting of the congregation today at 11:30 AM. It is a good way to stay informed about all that your church does. A written annual report will be handed out at the meeting. For those who can’t attend the meeting, copies of the report will be available next Sunday.

CALL: We will hold a call meeting on Sunday, January 28th to call a principal and a kindergarten teacher. Since we have our Mission potluck after service the meeting will take place between services starting at 9:15 SHARP in place of Bible class.

CLYF: We are heading to Brookings Friday, the 26th for the Blizzard Hockey game, leaving Marshall at 5 PM from church. If you have not reserved your spot please speak to Pastor.

MISSION OFFERING: You will note a special “mission” envelope in your offering packet for next Sunday. This special offering, given over and above your regular church offering, goes to our synod mission subscription which is \$16,000.

MISSION FESTIVAL: This year we are planning to have a two part mission festival celebration. The first will be next Sunday where we will once again hear about the Great Commission and our place in it. Then in July, Jon Gross and his wife Elsie, brother of our preschool director Kali Gross will be here to tell us about his work with the people living in Linares, Chile. I hope many of you plan on gathering together for our potluck following the late service next Sunday. Please bring a generous dish or two to pass. Table service and drinks will be provided.

STATEMENTS: The 2017 year end giving statements are available now on the table in the narthex. If you have any questions regarding your statement please speak to our financial secretaries Mark Patzer or Tom Werner.

VOLLEYBALL: We are looking for members who would be interested in being on a Christ Lutheran Volleyball team for the tournament at MLC. The men play on Saturday, March 17 and women on Saturday, March 24. If you are interested, practices will begin soon at Samuel.

OPEN HOUSE: Great Plains Lutheran High School will have an open house on Saturday, January 27th. It will feature free admission to the girls and boys basketball games vs. Aberdeen Christian beginning at 1 PM. Tours of the GPL facilities will be available as well.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK	
\$4,742 – Budgeted Offerings ~	<i>Weekly need - \$7,039</i>
\$535 – Mission Offerings ~	<i>Weekly need - \$308</i>
\$0 – Media Offerings ~	<i>Weekly need - \$90</i>
\$0 – Debt Reduction Fund	\$0 – Building Improvement Fund
\$201 – Other Receipts	
Budgeted offerings: YTD December 2017: \$368,619.05	
YTD December 2016: \$349,886.85	
Annual Budgeted – 2018: \$366,000.00	
Interested in e-giving, check our website.	

Third Sunday after the Epiphany Sunday, January 21, 2018

Divine Service I

- Opening Hymn #770
- Liturgy page 15 (CWS)
- First Lesson – see insert
- Psalm 1 on page 64
- Second Lesson – see insert
- Gospel Lesson – see insert
- Apostles Creed page 20
- Hymn of the Day #85
- Sermon – Mark 1:21-28
- “Create in Me” page 21
- Offering
- Prayers and Lord’s Prayer
- Hymn #93
- Closing Prayer page 27
- Closing Hymn #333

