

This Week:

Sunday:	8:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Teen and Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
Monday:	12:30 PM	Women's Prayer Group
Tuesday:	6:30 PM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
Wednesday:	12:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
	5:00 PM	Confirmation Class
	7:30 PM	Choir
Sunday:	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Teen and Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
	3:00 PM	Reformation Service at MLC

COMMUNION FELLOWSHIP: Biblically, Holy Communion is a promise of God’s peace with us and an outward sign of Christian’s peace with each other. The Bible teaches that the peace with each other involves a willingness to forgive as we have been forgiven and also a “peace”, or unity, of faith. So as not to judge hearts, that unity of faith can only be judged by our public confession, it is proper that those of the same denomination commune together. Those of our sister WELS/ELS congregations who may be visiting today are therefore welcome to join us at the Lord’s Supper. Those visitors of other denominations we welcome to our worship today. We hope you also realize that refraining from Communion today would be in keeping with God’s will.

INSTALLATION: Johann Caauwe will be installed as the Shepherd of God’s flock at St. John’s Wood Lake at 4:00 PM this afternoon. All are invited to the service as well as the lunch following.

LAST CHANCE: Today is the last day to order your Christmas greenery from our youth group. Check out what's available on the table in the narthex.

CONFIRMATION CLASS: A reminder that the public school confirmation class on Wednesday, October 25th will be held at Samuel from 5-6:15 PM.

CONTINUING EDUCATION: As part of his continuing education Pastor will be attending the Reformation lectures on the campus of Bethany Lutheran College October 26-28. If you need to contact him be sure to call his cell.

REFORMATION 500 AREA FESTIVAL SERVICE: A Festival Service on the occasion of the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation will be held at Martin Luther College, New Ulm, MN, in the Chapel of the Christ on Sunday, October 29th, at 3:00 PM. MN District President Charles Degner will be the preacher. Also included will be all MLC choirs, the MLC Hosanna Ringers, and the MLC Wind Symphony, and an MLC Brass Ensemble. Fellowship and refreshments will follow the service. Come and celebrate the blessings of the Reformation! For more information check out the poster on the easel.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Parents just a note of reminder that Sunday School does not start until 9:15. That means when worship ends early children will need to be supervised by you as teachers are trying to get ready for class and we can’t have children “running around” in the basement unsupervised. Thank you for your attention to this!

LUTHER MUSICAL AT SAMUEL: On November 1st, at 7:00 PM, the children in grades K-8 at Samuel will present the musical play “Martin Luther.” We are putting this musical on to commemorate the 500th anniversary of the work of Luther to preserve the truth of the Gospel. The performance will be in the school gym. Afterward we plan to offer refreshments/bars/cookies in the cafeteria. The congregation is invited to attend.

AIC: Pastor will be conducting a new set of Adult Information Classes for anyone who wants to learn more about what our church teaches and believes. These classes can lead to membership at Christ but are also a great refresher for all members. Classes will be held on Sunday evenings starting in November from 6:00-7:30 PM in the church basement.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

\$7,854 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$6,923

\$110 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$289

\$75 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$90

\$40 – Debt Reduction Fund \$0 – Building Improvement Fund

\$12 – Other Receipts

Budgeted offerings: YTD September 2017: \$243,404.99

YTD September 2016: \$230,760.95

Annual Budgeted – 2017: \$360,000.00

Interested in e-giving, check our website.

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, October 22, 2017

Divine Service II

- Opening Hymn #753
- Liturgy page 28 (CWS)
- First Lesson – see insert
- Psalms 118 on page 108
- Second Lesson – see insert
- Gospel Lesson – see insert
- Hymn of the Day #466
- Sermon–Philippians 3:12-21
- Nicene Creed page 32
- Offering
- Prayer of the Church
- The Sacrament page 33
- Distribution Hymn #419
- The Thanksgiving page 37
- Closing Hymn #316

