

## Sunday Volunteer Schedule

### September 30 8:30 a.m. Service

**Greeters:** Brian & Becky Falk Family  
**Altar Care:** Gary & Patti Ruhle  
**Multimedia:** Dawn O'Dell  
**Ushers:** Lisa & Jim Borowski  
**Reader:** Larry Bentle  
**Comm. Dist. 1:** Pastor, Tina & Eli Hanson  
**2:** Holly Wiesler, Jamie & Brice Richardson  
**Hospitality:** Tyriver/Bush Families  
**Powerpoint:** Cathy Mertz  
**Nursery:** Anna Shepro

### September 30 8:30 a.m. Service

**Greeters:** Aaron & Melissa Lehmkuhl  
**Altar Care:** Keven & Rachel Sprehe Family  
**Multimedia:** Patti Ruhle  
**Ushers:** Lynn & Brice Richardson  
**Reader:** John Conrad  
**Comm. Dist 1:** Pastor, Barb & Connor Krause  
**2:** Jan & Jenny Mallmann, Cole Krause  
**Hospitality:** Carl & Brenda Walby  
**Power Point:** Linda Mix  
**Nursery:** Lexie Wagner

### 10:35 a.m. Service

Adamovich Family  
 Kelli Celsor  
 Amy Wierschke  
 Warren Beske & Mindy McNab  
 Kari Juadis  
 Pastor, Sue DeSautel, Robbie Lopnow  
 Kelli Celsor, Christine & Emma Lopnow  
 Sue DeSautel  
 Cathy Mertz  
 Anna Shepro

### 10:35 a.m. Service

Laura Michels Family  
 Sue DeSautel  
 Kari Juadis  
 Mike Relien & Scott Kolbeck  
 Kay Ryder  
 Pastor, Kelly & Emerson Shattuck  
 Zach, Kari & Harley Juadis  
 Carl & Brenda Walby  
 Linda Mix  
 Lexie Wagner

## God's Green Acres

October 2: Gary & Patti Ruhle

Attendance Last Week: 8:30: 142; 10:35: 105



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# News About God's People



September 30, 2018

Time after Pentecost

### Today's Scripture Readings:

**Numbers 11: 4-6, 10-16, 24-29; James 5: 13-20  
 Mark 9: 38-50**

## Everyone Is Welcome!

### Christus Corner



### Special Prayers For:

**Mike Lopnow**, continued prayers as **Mike** continues radiation.

### Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque

for continued blessings for our partner in ministry as they train and prepare leaders of the church.

### Thought For The Week:

This summer, 29 youth and adults traveled to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania for a mission trip. They served the homeless and low income population of the city. They had the experience of meeting a man who had been homeless, Steve, who took them on a tour of the city and showed them first hand where he "lived" when he was homeless. This was a very eye opening experience for the kids to witness as they saw true homelessness through Steve. The youth also had the opportunity to hand out bags filled with hygiene items to people living on the streets. Other projects included serving meals at a men's homeless ministry program, working with children, and general maintenance at some ministry buildings. Mission trips are such a wonderful way for our youth to really understand what it means to live out Jesus' calling to serve our neighbors. Praise be to God for the youth and adults who ventured to Philadelphia!

### Announcements:

Fall Stewardship Campaign:

"Christus in Action: Sharing our Stories" begins next Sunday, October 7.

#### General Fund Activity:

	<u>2018 Actual</u>	<u>2017 Actual</u>	<u>2018 Budget</u>
Income - contribution	\$210,587	\$237,435	\$216,268
Income - designated	\$30,230	\$30,437	\$24,055
Income - Scrip	\$5,564	\$6,175	\$6,000
Income - other	\$6,797	\$1,638	\$1,000
Expense	\$281,114	\$301,447	\$265,223
Surplus (Shortfall)	(\$27,936)	(\$25,762)	(\$17,900)

Accounting procedures changed in 2018 so some comparisons to 2017 are not possible.



### Welcome To Our Guests



Good morning, and may God bless your worship with us today! Nursery care is available for infants through kindergarten, 8:15 a.m. until after the late service. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship following worship. **Before you leave today, please fill out a visitor information card, found in your pew, and drop it off in the offering basket. Also, stop by our Welcome Desk to pick up a welcome bag.**

**Holy Communion** will be celebrated today. If you are baptized and believe Christ is truly present in the bread and wine, you are encouraged to partake in the Lord's Supper. Christ has individually wrapped, gluten-free communion wafers available. If you need to receive communion from your seat, please let an usher know. Children need to have completed a course of instruction on the meaning of Communion. All children are invited to come forward and receive a blessing, indicated by crossing their arms across their chest.

Christus is equipped with hearing-assistance devices. If you would like a device, please see an usher.

Thank you, and please come and worship with us often!



### Weekly Events:

#### Sunday, September 30: Mission Sunday

**8:30 a.m.** Traditional Worship Service, with Communion

**9:45 a.m.** Sunday School/ Adult Education

**9:45 a.m.** PreK/K Family Sunday School

**10:35 a.m.** Contemporary Worship Service with Communion Murphy Baptism

#### Monday, October 1:

6:30 p.m. Pub Theology at The Stoneyard

#### Tuesday, October 2:

**4:30 p.m.** God's Green Acres

#### Wednesday, October 3:

**9:30 a.m.** Wed Morning Women's Bible Study

**6:00 p.m.** Confirmation

**6:00 p.m.** G2 Youth Group

#### Thursday, October 4:

**1:00 p.m.** Quilters

**4:30 p.m.** NAMI Meeting

**6:30 p.m.** Congregational Council Meeting

#### October 7:

**8:30 a.m.** Traditional Worship Service, with Communion

**9:45 a.m.** Sunday School/ Adult Education

**10:35 a.m.** Contemporary Worship Service with Communion

#### Wednesday, October 10:

**9:30 a.m.** Wed Morning Women's Bible Study

**6:00 p.m.** Confirmation

**6:00 p.m.** G2 Youth Group

### News and Notes:

**Online Bible Study:** Each week, Pastor Jen will post the following Sunday's Bible reading to the new, online Facebook Bible Study, along with a few questions. Join by going to the Christus Facebook page & click on 'Groups' to request to be added to the group.

**Pub Theology: Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon of the month @ 6:30 p.m. @ the StoneYard,** enjoy fellowship, conversation & drinks with other Christians. We meet about 5:30 p.m. for a meal with discussion starting about 6:30 p.m. We will continue to discuss the book by Adam Hamilton entitled, **"Christianity and World Religions"**.

**October 1<sup>st</sup>:** We will discuss Chapter 5—Judaism, with Suzanne Nuernberger

**October 15<sup>th</sup>:** We will discuss Chapter 6—Christianity, with Nile Beck

**November 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>:** we will start a new book or activity.

**Fox Valley Lutheran Homes:** Put this date on your fall calendar! **October 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.** Vacation – Sports – Quilt Auction for Fox Valley Lutheran Homes.

**Interested in Fellowship?:** Christus is looking for new members to join the Fellowship team, which plans social events in the church such as the chili cook-off and Trunk or Treat, among others. If you would like to contribute to the community here at Christus, please contact Olivia DeSautel, the Ministries Coordinator, for more information.

### News and Notes Continued:

**Sponsor a Sunday School or Confirmation Student:** Christus is asking for your help in gifting each PreK, 3rd grader, and 6th grader with an age-appropriate Bible to help instruct them in the Christian faith. Can you please sponsor a student this year by buying a Bible for them? Please look for the Bible tree in the gathering area. Thank you!

**Scrip News:** Christus will now earn an 8% rebate on the purchase of your Amazon.com Prime Membership or renewal. The membership price through the Great Lakes Scrip Center is currently \$126.14 resulting in a rebate back to Christus of \$10.09. When you purchase an Amazon.com Prime Membership or renewal through the Scrip program, you will receive a code to enter into your on-line Amazon account to order or to update your membership. Please consider renewing your membership through our Scrip program. If you've been thinking about starting an Amazon.com Prime Membership, this bonus for Christus might be just the reason to help you make your decision.

### Fast Facts:



#### Sunday Worship Services:

8:30 am - Traditional & 10:35 am - Contemporary

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