

Sunday Volunteer Schedule

Oct. 8

8:30 am Service

Greeters: John & Pam Conrad
Altar Care: Bob & Sandi Luedke
Multimedia: Brad Lotto
Ushers: Randy & Rochelle Heider
Reader: Sandy Bush
Comm Dist 1: Pastor, Tina & Eli Hanson
2: Holly Wiesler, Jamie & Brianna Prochnow
Hospitality: Borowski & Brattlund Families
Power Point: Ben Lucia
Nursery: Lauren Mertz (8:45–11:45 am)

10:35 am Service

Can You Help?
 Jackie Krieglstein
 Brad & Ashley Fischer
 Adamovich Family
 Kelli Celsor
 Pastor, Christine & Robbie Loppnow
 Kelli Celsor, Jackie Krieglstein & Emma Loppnow
 Kelly & Julie Shattuck

Oct. 15

8:30 am Service

Greeters: Steve & Shirley Carlson
Altar Care: Rod & Phyllis Paul
Multimedia: Patti Ruhle
Ushers: Randy & Vicki Brull
Reader: Vicki Brull
Comm Dist 1: Pastor, Ron & Karen Toshner
2: De & Dan Dalum, & Brianna Prochnow
Hospitality: Carl & Brenda Walby
Power Point: Jarrod Osborn
Nursery: Lexie Wagner (8:45–11:45 am)

10:35 am Service

Mindy Roever
 Lois Posselt
 Amy Wierschke
 Mark Mertz & Ralph Tellock
 Kathy Forst
 Pastor, Julia Martinson & Tyne Michels
 Lisa Ahles, Kathy Forst & Ayla Michels
 Lisa Ahles Family

God's Green Acres

Oct 10: Ruhle

Oct 17: **Can You Help?**



Attendance Last Week: 8:30am: 141 8:35am: 61



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News About God's People



CHRISTUS IS A GROWING BODY OF CHRISTIANS WHO SHARE THE GOOD NEWS OF GOD'S GRACE WITH ALL PEOPLE THROUGH COURAGEOUS LOVE WITH A PURPOSE.

October 8, 2017

Time After Pentecost

Today's Scripture Readings:

Exodus 16:1-18 and John 6:41-51

Everyone Is Welcome!

Christus Corner



Special Prayers For:

Fox Valley Lutheran Homes, for continued blessings for our partner in ministry as they share the Good News of Jesus Christ to all people.



The Season of
ORDINARY TIME

Announcements:

Notice of Special Congregational Meeting:

TODAY @ 9:40am, a special congregational meeting will be held to vote on whether to allow same-gender weddings of Christus members, or relatives of members, at Christus Lutheran Church.

The church office will be closed October 13.

Thought For The Week:

Sisters and brothers in Christ, today we gather for an important congregational meeting. We know we are not all of one mind regarding same-gender weddings. For that matter, we know we are not all of one mind on many different issues. Even so, we enter this decision trusting our unity is not based on agreement, it is based on the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. When we worship, we gather together in Christ's name, we are united through Christ's body and blood at Holy Communion, and we go our separate ways each week with the same Spirit of Christ guiding us to do God's work in the world. Regardless of the outcome of today's vote, may we continue to see one another as sisters and brothers in Christ, children of the same heavenly father, and workers together in the kingdom of God.

In Christ,

Pastor Jen

Pastor Jen



Welcome To Our Guests

Good morning, and may God bless your worship with us today! Nursery care is available for infants through kindergarten, 8:20am 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. Christus 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.

Also, 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, October 8:

- 8:30 am** Traditional Worship Service, with Communion
- 9:40 am** Special Congregational Meeting
- 9:45 am** Sunday School
- 10:35 am** Contemporary Worship Service, with Communion

Tuesday, October 10:

- 4:30 pm** God's Green Acres

Wednesday, October 11:

- 9:30 am** Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study
- 11:45 am** Daytimers' Pot-Luck Luncheon
- 6 pm** G2 Youth Group
- 6 pm** Confirmation

Saturday, October 14:

- 8:30 am** Adopt-A-Highway Clean Up

Sunday, October 15:

- Community Clothes Closet Clothing Drive Stewardship Campaign-Courage**
- 8:30 am** Traditional Worship Service, with Communion
- 9:40 am** Adult Ed
- 9:45 am** Sunday School
- 10:35 am** Contemporary Worship Service, with Communion

Tuesday, October 17:

- 4:30 pm** God's Green Acres

Wednesday, October 18:

- 9:30 am** Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study
- 6 pm** G2 Youth Group
- 6 pm** Confirmation-Service Project

Thursday, October 19:

- TBD** Christus Sowers

News and Notes:

Adult Education: Sunday mornings, **9:40 am** in The Center, no registration is needed.

Oct 8: Special Congregational Meeting, held in the Sanctuary. The meeting is for congregational voting members to vote on whether or not to allow same-gender weddings of Christus members, or relatives of members, at Christus. **Oct 15: "Courageous Love," Presented by Pastor Jen.** Pastor Jen leads discussion about these key words from Christus' mission statement. What does courageous love look like in today's world? How does that fit with our call to be good stewards of resources God provides us?

Oct 22: "Vision Workshop," Presented by Pastor Kristina Jensen. During this dynamic and fun event you will have an opportunity to define, design and experience your dream – and receive the blueprint for how to turn your possibility into your reality.

Pub Theology: Meets on the **1st & 3rd Mon of the month @ 6:30pm (5:30pm for food & drink) @ the StoneYard.** We are continuing to discuss the book, "The Story of Christianity, Volume II, The Reformation to the Present." We are taking a break in Oct & will resume **Nov 4** with Ch. 34 & 35. **Nov 20,** we will complete the book with Ch. 36, 37 & 38.

Adopt-A-Highway: Stop by Christus on **Sat. Oct 14 @ 8:30am,** to help clean up our stretch of Highway 15. Sign up on the Kiosk.

Clothing Drive: Oct 8-Nov 5, bring to Christus your old, quality child/teens clothing, aged 4+, men's casual clothing (NO women's at this time), to donate to the Community Clothes Closet clothing drive.

News and Notes Continued:

Communion & Altar Care Help: More communion & altar care help is needed for the 10:35am service. Please contact Melissa Prochnow if you are willing to help.

Scrip News: Today the Scrip table is open for sales immediately following the special congregational meeting held between services. You will be able to purchase or order Scrip as you normally would with the start-time being just a bit later than usual. We'll keep the table open into the start of the second service so you will have plenty of time to make your Scrip purchases.

Fox Valley Lutheran Homes (FVLH): Thank you for your support of the annual Pie and Ice Cream Social and Silent Auction! We couldn't do it without the support of our many friends and donors!

Fast Facts:



Sunday Worship Services:

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

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