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Christ Lutheran News

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Bulletin announcements are due every Wednesday by 8:30 a.m.

Please e-mail your entries to clcs@clc-s.org

Access our monthly calendar online at clc-s.org by clicking on **Get the Picture.**



Contact Kristie in the church office to reserve your meeting space.

Enjoy homemade breakfast burritos (provided by our mid & high school youth) in the Parish Hall, today between services!

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW, SHARE AND SERVE THIS WEEK: NOV. 19 - NOV. 25

Sunday:

8:15 a.m. Worship with Communion
9:45 a.m. Bible Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m. Worship

Monday:

7:00 p.m. Board of Church Properties Meeting

Tuesday:

6:00 a.m. Men's Bible study
9:00 a.m. Board of Human Care - Thanksgiving Boxes
6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts

Wednesday:

Bulletin Announcements Due
NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
4:00 p.m. Worship
7:00 p.m. Worship

Thursday:

Thanksgiving Day
NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
7:00 p.m. Gambler's Anonymous

Friday:

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7:00 p.m. Gambler's Anonymous

Saturday:

9:00 a.m. Cribbage Club
7:30 p.m. AA & Al-Anon



Join us

**Wednesday, November 22, 2017
for our Thanksgiving Worship Service
4:00 and 7:00 p.m.**



LUMINARIAS

Christ Lutheran's Youth Group is now taking orders for luminarias! Buy one dozen for \$8. The order sheet is in the narthex by the Scrip counter and will be there until Nov. 26th. For more information contact Barbara Bennett or Doug Rickers.

HEARERS OF THE WORD:

Worship:

8:15 a.m. - 110

11:00 a.m. - 52

Offering: \$8909.00

Attendance Last Sunday, Nov. 12

Sunday School:

Adults - 57 Youth - 5

Children - 9 Nursery - 1

Offering: \$60.00

Buy your Gift Cards from Christ Lutheran Church and School and Earn Money on Every Purchase!

Scrip / Gift Cards are available every Sunday before both services and after the 8:15 service, or during the week in the school office.

Choose from our in stock inventory of gift cards or you may special order and receive your scrip by Thursday, in plenty of time for weekend gift giving or shopping.

Last Week's Scrip Gift Card Statistics:

Total Sales: \$5,019.90

Total Rebate: \$223.96

Participants: 24

At least half of your scrip rebate will go toward our Technology Fund. You decide how to distribute the other half. For a breakdown of distributions refer to our monthly newsletter the *Christ Chronicle*.

Help increase our Scrip statistics and purchase your gift cards from our Scrip representatives!

There are many ways to obtain your Scrip Gift Cards:

You can order online at shopwithscrip.com. Have your scrip available on your phone or print out gift cards at home by signing up for **Presto Pay**, and/or visit the Scrip counter in the Narthex (on Sunday mornings) or our school office (weekdays)!

For more information regarding this program, contact Karen Kolke (505) 206-0906.

Low denomination cards are available for a limited time. Order \$5 cards from: Starbucks, Panera Bread, & Barnes & Noble. Order \$10 cards from Albertson's, Amazon, Olive Garden, The Home Depot, I-Hop, Regal, Target, and Walmart.

PRAYER CONCERNS



"Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God." Philippians 4:6

FOR OUR HOME-BOUND MEMBERS

Lee Ackermann, Alida Schnedler, Yvonne Damerow, June Powell, Emily Shroer, Ruth Slick

FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING

Especially Bob Willman, Tara Bond, Don & Charlene Mantay, Carole Mumford, Emery Postenrieder, Lee Ackermann

FOR THOSE SUFFERING FROM CANCER

Especially Donna Muenster, Bill Larsen, Kyle Schneider, Sally Goar

FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

- for Benjamin Helge in the Czech Republic
- for Tim Matzke in the Solomon Islands
- All those volunteering & serving in East Albuquerque with "God Cares About You"

FOR GOD'S CONTINUED PROTECTION

For all our men and women who serve our country faithfully in the Armed Forces, especially 2d Lt. Erin Oetting, Specialist Cameron Reilly, PFC Peter Kolke, Sr. Airman Aaron Saavedra

Please call, email or write to the church office to have a name added or removed from the prayer list in this bulletin. (884-3876, ext. 120)

If you'd like a request on the Prayer Chain (individuals who address requests during their private prayer time) contact Betty Swanger at 294-6752

We Are Looking For More Stephen Ministers

Do you have the Spiritual Gift (s) of Mercy, Helping, Servanthood, or Encouragement? Do you enjoy listening, and caring for others? Pray about becoming a Stephen Minister. Stephen Ministers walk beside those in our congregation or community who are dealing with a difficult situation in their life. They show the love of Jesus by being there for those who may be struggling. They help Pastor in a caring ministry. Being a Stephen Minister is a two-year commitment. You will be trained to be a care giver on one evening, every other week in the Spring, and some weekend retreats. Even after training, additional topics and supervision will continue one-night every other week during your tenure. Visit the Stephen Ministry table in the Narthex.

To sign up, or for more information contact any of our current Stephen Ministers:



Sue Dragan	505-615-4862
Cheryl Frazine	575-430-7166
Leslie Helge	505-280-4283
Jerry Shroff	505-463-2447
David Yocky	505-280-0455
Pastor Groeling	505-884-3876
	Ext. 121

Sunday School Program
We have started practicing for the annual Sunday School Christmas Program. If you would like your child to participate in this program please bring him/her to Sunday School opening at 9:45 a.m. in the second grade classroom. We look forward to practicing with all the Sunday School aged children in the congregation. More information will be coming home with your child soon.

Women's Guild Christmas Luncheon

It's time for the Christ Lutheran Women's Guild Christmas Luncheon. Please join us on December 2nd at Pelican's Restaurant at 11:45 am. We will have lunch, a short devotion and carol singing. Secret Sisters will exchange gifts. If you did not participate in Secret Sisters and would like to exchange gifts you may bring one. The cost is \$20. Please RSVP to Debbie Yocky.



Fellowship Meal

Thank you to everyone who has sponsored a Fellowship Meal.

THERE WILL NOT BE A FELLOWSHIP MEAL THIS WEEK.

We hope you all enjoy your Thanksgiving!

The Fellowship Meal on November 29 is still without a host. If you would like to sponsor this meal sign the board in the narthex or contact the church office.



If you would like to renew your subscription to *The Lutheran Witness* please highlight your name on the renewal sheet, and if necessary update your information. If you are not receiving *The Lutheran Witness* and would like a subscription please write your name and address on the additions form. Subscriptions are \$22.01 per year and you may remit payment to the church office. Forms are in the narthex by the Portals of Prayer.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Two volunteer positions have become available that need to be filled by January 1, 2018. If you would like to be the Head Usher and/or be in charge of organizing the usher schedule please contact the church office.

Thank you in advance for prayerfully considering these opportunities.

YOUTH CORNER

CLY – Christ Lutheran Youth (9th – 12th Graders)

Up-Coming Events:

TODAY: Serving breakfast: 9:30 a.m. **Fr. Dec. 1st:** Help with Middle School Event-Christmas Party: 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. **Sat. Dec. 2nd:** Help put up Christmas decorations and make luminarias: 10:00 a.m.

Teacher for High School Bible Class: Bill Vering

JOY - Jesus and You with nOthing in-between (6th–8th graders) Up-Coming

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For more information regarding Youth Events email the Youth Board: clcyyouthgroup@outlook.com

Doughnut Pickup: Barbara Gunderlach

GIVE Thanks to the L^{ORD}, FOR HE IS GOOD: His *Love* ENDURES FOREVER!

Psalm 107:2

Contact our staff at:

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