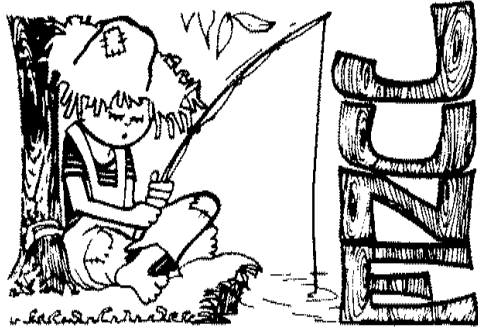


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SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:00 AM

SCS SCHOOL

Sunday Alive!
10:10 Am
September-May

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

TBA

CHURCH'S E-MAIL

info@christwaterford.org

WEB SITE

www.christwaterford.org

OUR CHURCH STAFF

Pastor Rev. John Negele
Secretary Kerri Kinneberg
Treasurer Karen Kush
Bookkeeper Chuck Charter
Custodians Dave & Wendy Kane
Minister of Music George Jonte-Crane

OFFICE HOURS – Summer Hours

MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00am - Noon

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revjohnneg@christwaterford.org

MONDAYS

Council 7:00 pm
(2nd Monday)
Men's Group 6:30 pm
(3rd Monday)

WELCA

WELCA Study
1st Thursday of the month
September-May

Quilting 9:00 am
(2nd & 4th Tuesdays)
September-May

CHOIR REHEARSALS

Each Thursday
September-May
Bell Choir 6:30 pm
Chancel Choir 7:30 pm

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Where CLC also stands for A Caring and Loving Community!

SPECIAL JUNE SUNDAYS

PENTECOST SUNDAY/CONFIRMATION – SUNDAY, JUNE 4TH

Pentecost Sunday celebrates the gift of God's Spirit giving birth to the church and empowering Jesus' followers to share the Good News in all the world. This is a 'wear something red' Sunday symbolizing the fire of God's Spirit. We will also celebrate the God's Spirit working in the lives of four of our young people as they affirm their baptismal vows and become confirmed members of the church.

They are: Arielle Head, Joe Jolet, Abie Pennington, Hailey Walsh.

SEMI-ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING/GRADUATE SUNDAY

SUNDAY, JUNE 11TH

We will be recognizing and praying for the graduates of the members of our church family. Those that are present will be asked to come forward for recognition. Our congratulations to them and we ask God's blessings to be with them in their future endeavors.

The **Semi-Congregational Meeting** will take place immediately following the service. It will take place in the sanctuary. The agenda includes the election of council members to our church council for two year terms, and approval of constitutional updates that have been available on the table in the fellow ship area. We ask all our confirmed members to be present for this important meeting.

FATHER'S DAY – SUNDAY, JUNE 18TH

Join us this Sunday as we acknowledge dad's special day and give thanks for all the fathers who will be with us this Sunday, as well as all men taking on fatherly roles in life. Our youth will offer a special tribute at the beginning of the service.

We Lifted Up In Prayer the Past Weeks:

Members in our prayers are:

The Family and Friends of Fred Brocious, Tom & Myrna Armstrong, Judy Bates, Rita Bergsrud, Karen Bolley, Bill Bright, Del Brown, Dennis Brown, Beth Brown, Craig Butora, Annie Chachich, Chuck Charter, Barb Cooperrider, Karen DeRousse, Valna Dow, Dorothy Drussel, Julie Erhmann, Fran Hackewicz, Pam Haab, Lisa Head, Riane Forbing, Janan Horne, Jake & Joanne Jakel, John & Connie Keating, Thelma Kidd, Jamie Kinnison, Mark Kush, Stan Larkin, Helen Leece, Shirley Jean Long, Yvonne Lowe, Emmet Morse, Pastor Wayne & Jean Peterson, Lynn Richter, Lou Seling, Jeannine Shearer, Tom Skirke, Don & Marilyn Smith, Inez Stieve, Madelyn Stobbe, Steve & Lois Szabo, Barb & Scott Thompson, Norm & Terry Tick, Jackie Urbaniak, Marjorie Wiley, Krystal Wingett, Owen Wismer, Virginia Woods, James Worthington.

We share our love and concern: Our Armed Service and support personnel: Aaron Butora; Chris Kummeerl (Mandy Meucci); Alex Weber, Bradley & Tom Weber, Jason Eaves (Marilyn Schulze); Justin Philpot; Christopher & Nicholas Vogler (Del & Carol Brown); Cole Nichols (Fred & Jill Jones).

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Also in our prayers are:

Mary Vollrath, Norah McKeachie, Chuck Cole, Sharynne Cleasby (Virla Cleasby); Ken Brown (Grace Rockey); Mary Schiller, Mary Crawford, Margaret Gilbert (Pat Scott); Taylor Fyhrlund (Joan Cole); Friends & Family of Paula Dalby, David Gibbs, Mike Fuller, Andy Homan (Marsha Fante); Family of James Pickle (Beth Brown); Gary Danczk, Cathy LaBush, Bev Rieves, Linda Reinhart, Cole Nichols (Fred & Jill Jones); Mary Forbing (Hanne Forbing); Leslie Parrish (Jackie Urbaniak); Bev Krey, Alaina Averado, Marilyn Zegler (Jane Ives); Lil Higuchi (Karen DeRousse); Carol and Stan Kalinski (Bill & Barb DeRousse); Don Tyler, Kathy McKenna, Christy & Bruce Keith, Krystal and David Wingett, Jennifer Vernan, Lindsay Brownfield, Carole & Verneil Schachinger (Cindy Edwards / Chuck Charter); Family of Patty Harrison Bonner, Brett Sharpe (Shirla Kugler); Susan Stafford (Linda Jensen); Sandra (Mike Mitchell); Geraldine Pacer (Beth Brown); Chris Malone, Don and Georgia Maxwell (Annie Chachich); Bonnie Weirick, Mason Carter (Barb Harris); Ray Profitt (Mayme Kavouras); Friends and Family of Erma Wyers (Evelyn Edwards); Kelli Brenner (Connie Keating); Mary Sohn (David Sohn), Vern (Cheryl Troper)

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Please remember to be patient and kind with one another. Everyone you meet is fighting a battle you know nothing about, so choose to be kind, always!

TECH TEAM

6/4 Switcher: Ole Anderson
Projection: Chuck Charter
Sound: Sue Klopfer
Cameras: Larry Cottrell
Emmet Morse

6/11 Switcher: Max Thompson
Projection: Bruce Jensen
Sound: Chuck Charter
Cameras: Dave Warner
Tracey Barney

6/18 Switcher: Ole Anderson
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Larry Cottrell

6/25 Switcher: Chuck Charter
Projection: Sue Klopfer
Sound: Sean Martin
Cameras: Tracey Barney
Larry Cottrell

7/2 Switcher: Max Thompson
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Dave Warner



Please let the church office know if you will be stopping your mail or if you have moved. The Parish Caller gets sent back to us and the Post Office charges up to \$1.22 each time. We can hold a caller for you in your mailbox or we can email it to you.

BOTTLE & CANS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Help build our Youth Scholarship Fund by dropping off your bottles & cans in the box located at the back entry way of the church. These funds are used to help our youth attend special events as well as supporting those seeking higher education.

KARATE CLASS - will meet each Tuesday and Friday from 6:00 - 7:30 pm and on the third Saturday of the month from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. It is open to families of all ages. The cost is \$40 a month with the price dropping for each family member. If interested call the church office. The first month is free for new members



There is a need for assistance in our community. Many people are having problems paying for basic needs such as rent, food and utilities. We are collecting food and toiletries for several area organizations. Your help in this mission is very much appreciated.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

We are looking for someone who would be interested in and willing to take on the coordination/leadership for Vacation Bible School.

If you are interested and willing to take on the coordinator/leader role for this important ministry - please contact Pastor or Pat Scott.

Thank you, Education Committee



Reformation 500 Books are in the Library in the Nursery and are available to borrow. Please be sure to sign the form before taking books home. Thank you.

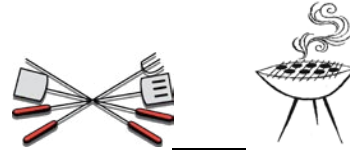
TRUNK SALE!

Save the Date! Saturday, July 24 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Save unneeded items to sell to help fund. Sell goods from your car trunk (or on a table) in our parking lot and donate some (or all) of the proceeds. Sign up on your information slip to reserve a table. Please contact Karen Kush if you have any questions.

SENIOR HIGH CHAT GROUP

The Chat Group will not meet in the summer. We will resume in September and meet the 2nd Saturday of every month from 12:30-2:00. We discuss issues of the day, have fun, eat and will plan for various outings. All H.S. students are welcome!



MEN'S FOOD & FELLOWSHIP!!!

ANNUAL STEAK FRY

Monday, June 19th 6:30 pm

at Baycourt Park on Andersonville Rd.

ALL MEN ARE INVITED!

Those with last names beginning with A-M please bring a Salad; N-Z a Dessert.

Be sure to sign up so enough steaks will be ordered. Money will be collected that evening to help cover the expenses.



WELCA is the Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. **ALL WOMEN** of the church are members!

WELCA will be meeting in June for breakfast at Pete's Coney. We will meet Thursday, June 1st at 10:00 am.



The Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting is Sunday, June 11th immediately after worship.

We will be electing council members and approving Constitutional updates enclosed in this newsletter.



PEACE GARDEN PLANTING

Ninth Annual CLC Peace Garden start up! June 3, 2017! 9:30 am -2:00 pm

All gardeners, former gardeners and might be gardeners, please gather to help plant our Christ Lutheran Church Peace Garden!

All assistance, from digging in the dirt to handing people water bottles is needed. All abilities and cheerful support greatly appreciated! It's wonderful to watch tiny plants grow, bursting with colorful vegetables for our congregation and people in need in our community at Open Door Food Pantry.

Questions? Jill Nancekivell 248-318-4733 or Jamie Schutt 248-408-3188.

If you would like to sponsor an herb plant for \$2.00 or a vegetable plant for \$3.00, there are envelopes in the fellowship area.

CONGRATULATIONS FIRST COMMUNICANTS

On Sunday, May 21st, five of our young people were welcomed to the Lord's Table for the first time. They were: Lily Miles, Emily Nestor, Morgan Koskinen, Karli Koskinen and Delilah Wichtman. These students completed First Communion instruction and promises of support and guidance for their continued nourishment in the faith were made by both family and congregation. We rejoice as they gather with us as full participants around the Lord's Table.

Community Impact Sunday!
September 10, 2017

Watch for coming announcements and ways to participate in this event where we will gather for worship and then be sent to serve in various ways throughout our community. "God's Work. Our Hands" is the motto that the ELCA uses to encourage this event throughout the church.



Graduate Recognition Sunday is June 11th. If you have a graduate you would like recognized, please include the name and the school they attended.



ROAD RALLY!!!

Saturday, July 22th at 2:00 pm.

Participants will meet at the church at 1:45 pm for instructions and the 1st Clue. Teams of up to 4 per vehicle. Register by July 7th on your Information Slip or with Deanna Mitchell or Cindy Edwards.

If you already have a team, let us know. If not that is OK - we'll match you with others! Final venue is a secret, but there will be food and lots of fun! Watch for more information to come!



The Adult Discussion Group will not be meeting during the summer! They will start up in the fall



The monthly **CRAFT GROUP** will not be meeting in the summer. We will start up again in the fall.

The Quilting Group, "God's Comforters" will not be meeting in June or July, but will start up again in August.



BOWLING - we will NOT be bowling through the summer! Watch for information to come this fall!

ROYAL OAK RECYCLING

We are receiving some finances each month from the paper dumpsters. Please remember to drop off your papers, magazines, etc.

Now we not only help with the environment but receive a small income. Many thanks!

STYROFOAM RECYCLING

There is a drop off site in Troy for Styrofoam recycling. If you can assist with drop-off, please contact the church office. We are collecting the Styrofoam in the storage area to the left of the basement stairs.

Never lose an opportunity for seeing anything that is beautiful;

For beauty is God's handwriting-a wayside sacrament.

Welcome it in every fair face, in every fair sky, in every fair flower,

And thank God for it as a cup of His blessing.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



In Loving Memory of **FRED BROCIOS** 1916 – 2017

Sadly our oldest member, Fred Brocius, has passed away at 100 years of age. Fred became a Member at Christ Lutheran Church in 1960. He was preceded in death by his wife Laura, in 2001. He is survived by his daughter Linda Avery, and step-children Ollen, Larry and Elaine. He is further survived by Two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Fred worked for General Motors and National Twist Drill in Rochester, retiring in 1977. He loved the outdoors, fast cars, and was an avid fan of the Tigers. He departed this life entering God's eternal care on May 10, 2017. We give thanks for his life with us, and may the Lord of the Resurrection comfort his family.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who participated in the blood drive. We had a good turn out and collected 21 donations which will help over 60 people. The need is great as they use the blood locally in less than seven days from the time of the donation. We are truly doing GOD's work!



Baby Grand Piano

Our Minister of Music, George Jonte-Crane has presented us with an opportunity to purchase a used baby grand piano that is in excellent condition at an extremely reasonable cost of \$2700 plus shipping. The proposal was presented to council last month and approved. The council decided on presenting a fundraiser to the congregation for the purchase of the piano. Members can help cover the cost at \$35 per piano key. You are welcome to purchase your own key or keys. We also have Memorial funds that can be applied toward this. Watch for announcements on how you can participate.



BORDINE'S GIFT CARDS FOR SALE!

Your spring gardening can help your neighbor when you use our Bordine's Nursery gift cards to purchase lawn and garden products. \$3.00 from each \$20 card goes to the CLC Community & Global Benevolence Fund to help our own neighborhood and in crisis areas of the world. Purchase gift cards from the church office or Karen Kush

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

6/2 Lance Clauson
Norm Kinnison

6/4 Arielle Head

6/6 Mark Kellenberger
Don Leece
Lynn Richter

6/7 Denise McLeod
Graeme Randall
Betty Stephens

6/8 Hanne Forbing

6/9 Laura Fredericksen
LaVerne Langdon
Stiina Mason
Lisa Nancekivell

6/10 Nancy Pfauth

6/11 Kim Stephens

6/12 Nancy Bright
Drake Folsom
Helen Leece
Lou Seling

6/13 MaryAnn Floyed
Leigh Ann Phillips

6/16 Barb DeRousse
Gracie Pearsall

6/18 Amy Jean Maynard

6/19 Jeannine Shearer
Virginia Woods

6/20 Nancy Hopkins
Roland Jakel

6/21 Chloe Anderson

6/22 Logan Head

6/23 Jenna Nicholls

6/24 Morgan Koskinen

6/26 Michael Barnowsky
Steve Percival

6/29 Ali Rathbun

6/30 Terri Burnett
Mary Russell

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

6/1 Tom & Myrna Armstrong

6/2 Ford & Maxine Andrews

6/8 John & Janet Barnfather

6/10 Norm & Pat Kinnison

6/15 Larry & Vivian Cottrell

6/16 Tom & Hanne Forbing

6/19 Ron & Kris Goetze

6/20 Jerry & Carole Scrivo

6/22 Roland & Joanne Jakel

6/26 Bill & Lisa Head

Prayer Card Ministry -

Mary Skirke is sending out cards on behalf of the congregation for those in need, whether sickness or distress. If there are loved ones you would like a card sent to, you may contact her at: 248-618-1300.

June 2017 10:00 am Worship Servants.
If you are unable to assist - please trade with someone and call the office with the changes. The first week of July is included.

LAY ASSISTANTS

6/4 Beth Brown

6/11 Ole Anderson

6/18 Donna Butora

6/25 Char Charter

7/2 Julia Hanneman-Schoenbach

USHERS

6/4 Catherine Roller, Jill Jones
Linda Jensen, Deanna Mitchell

6/11 Steve & Marsha Fante
Erwin & Sue Klopfer

6/18 Evelyn Edwards, Cindy Edwards
Hanne Forbing, Riane Forbing

6/25 Jeff Swanson, Dale Folsom
Roland Jakel, Jacen Schnitzer

7/2 Kris & Ron Goetze
Jerry & Carole Scrivo

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

6/4 Pat Scott, Norm Kinnison, Pam Haab

6/11 Mary Bratun, Phyllis Folsom,
Joan Rathbun

6/18 Linda Greiser, Barb Harris,
Jill Nancekivell

6/25 Gil Bergsrud, Donna Butora,
Debbie Barnowsky

7/2 Pam Haab, Pat Scott, Julie Zaremba

COUNTERS

Tina Catenacci, Maureen Stislicki,
Sharon Morse

ALTAR

Mary Bratun, Barb Harris,
Terry Young, Charlotte Leinonen

COFFEE HOURS

6/4 Youth / Confirmation

6/11 Church Council - Team 2

6/18 Women of the Church – Char Charter

6/25 Men of the Church

7/2 Youth / Confirmation

GREETERS

6/4 Evelyn Edwards, Cheryl Troper
Henry & Jenna Nicholls

6/11 Gerry & Virla Cleasby
Grace Rockey, Chris Eriksen

6/18 Mary Russell, Julie Zaremba
LaVerne Langdon, Carol Becker

6/25 Mark & Karen Kush
Tom & Mary Skirke

7/2 Jim & Nadine Keway
Beth Brown, Linda Martin

ACOLYTES

6/4 Gabe McGugan

NURSERY

6/4 Vickie Hill

6/11 TBA

6/18 TBA

6/25 TBA

7/2 TBA

DIABETIC DONATIONS

6/4 Karen Kush

6/11 Terry Young

6/18 Pat Scott

6/25 Linda Greiser

7/2 Tom Armstrong

June 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Christ Lutheran Church 5987 Williams Lake Road Waterford, MI 48329 248-673-7331 (Phone & Fax)	Email: info@christwaterford.org Website: www.christwaterford.org	1 6:00 pm TOPS 6:30 Worship & Music meeting 6:30 pm Jewelry Group 7:30 pm Chancel Choir	2 TeFap 6:00 pm Karate	3 TeFap 9:30 am Peace Garden Planting 8:00 pm AA
Confirmation Sunday 4 10:00 am Communion Worship	5	6 6:00 pm Karate	7 7:45 am Golf 7:00 pm Rock Club 8:00 pm AA	8 6:00 pm TOPS 6:30 pm Jewelry Group	9 6:00 pm Karate	10 1:00 pm - Outside Group 8:00 pm AA
Semi-Annual Meeting 11 Graduate Sunday 10:00 am Communion Worship 11:15 pm Semi-Annual Meeting	12 7:00 pm Church Council	13 6:00 pm Karate	14 7:45 am Golf 8:00 pm AA	15 6:00 pm TOPS 6:30 pm Jewelry Group	16 6:00 pm Karate	17 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Karate 8:00 pm AA
Father's Day 18 10:00 am Communion Worship	19 6:30 pm Men's Food & Fellowship – Steak Fry	20 6:00 pm Karate	21 7:45 am Golf 8:00 pm AA	22 6:00 pm TOPS 6:30 pm Jewelry Group	23 6:00 pm Karate	24 Good Samaritan Food Pantry 10:00am – 2:00pm Trunk Sale 8:00 pm AA
25 10:00 am Communion Worship	26	27 6:00 pm Karate	28 7:45 am Golf 8:00 pm AA	29 6:00 pm TOPS 6:30 pm Jewelry Group	30 6:00 pm Karate	