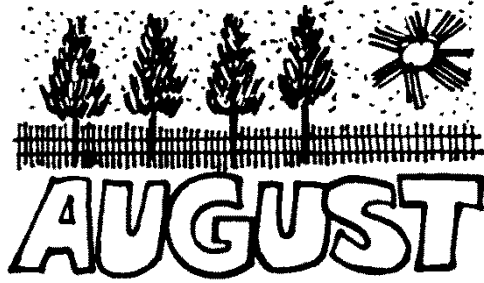


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SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:00 AM

SCS SCHOOL

Sunday Alive!

10:10 Am

September-May

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

August 6 – 10, 2017

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

PH: 248-673-7331

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PASTOR'S E-MAIL:

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

THE PARISH CALLER

Where CLC also stands for A Caring and Loving Community!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

“Digging for Treasure: Parables Revealed”

Beginning Sunday, August 6th thru Thursday, August 10th

Light Supper from 5:30pm-6:30pm

VBS program at 6:30pm-8:00pm

This year's VBS focuses on Jesus' parables and the treasure to be found in his words. We will be digging deep into God's Word to uncover the truth about God's love and care for us. Bible stories, crafts, snacks are all part of the fun. A light supper will be served each night before the program begins for all parents, students and staff members.

A Registration Form is included in this newsletter or register online through our website: www.christwaterford.org

COMMUNITY IMPACT SUNDAY

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, AT 10:00AM

“God's Work, Our Hands”

Commissioning Service, 10:00am Sent To Serve, 10:30am

Fellowship Meal/Communion, 12:15pm

Our purpose on this Sunday is to be a presence and witness in our community to God's work through various community projects. Sign-up posters have been out for members to enlist in one of the designated projects. Further descriptions are included in this newsletter. We would like to engage as many members and friends of our congregation as possible and impact our community through these service opportunities. We will also be ordering special T-shirts for all participants to further impact our witness.

Sign-Up on a Sunday you are in Church!

We Lifted Up In Prayer the Past Weeks:

Members in our prayers are:

The Family of Jean Johnson, Tom & Myrna Armstrong, Judy Bates, Rita Bergsrud, Karen Bolley, Bill Bright, Del Brown, Dennis Brown, Beth Brown, Craig Butora, Gabe Catenacci, Chuck Charter, Virla Cleasby, 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, Mark Kush, Stan Larkin, Helen Leece, Shirley Jean Long, Yvonne Lowe, 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, Marjorie Wiley, Krystal Wingett, Owen Wismer, Virginia Woods, James Worthington.

We share our love and concern for our Armed Service and support personnel:

Aaron Butora; Chris Kummeerl (Mandy Meucci); Bradley & Tom Weber (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); Steve Rockey, Vivian Miller (Grace Rockey); Bob Harris, Mason Carter, Bonnie Weirick (Barb Harris); Helen Englund, Bernice Malone, Pattie Woodward, Bill See (Jane Ives); Ester Germain Debbie Wert (Pam Haab); Family of Linda Reinhart, Family of Bev Rieves Family of Bonnie Britton, Cathy LaBash (Jill Jones); Don & Georgia Maxwell, Christopher Malone (Annie Chachich); Penny Hubbard, Dwight Keith, Krystal and David Wingett, Jennifer Vernon, Kathy McKenna, Christy & Bruce Keith, Lindsay Brownfield, Carole & Verneil Schachinger (Cindy Edwards); Ryan & Alaina Putch, Joseph Putch (Lynn Richter); Betty Kratt, Dawn Wyers Jagaliski (Edwards family); Barbara Moore, Gary Woods (Nadine Keway); Kaitlyn Pollack, Vivian Pollack (LaVerne Langdon); Larry Peoples (Beth Brown); Ruth Jackson, Kibby Bailey (Ruth Korhonen); Family of Matthew Kummer (Jill Nancekivell); Family and friends of Mary Schiller (Pat Scott); Penny Hubbard (Courtney Charter); Matt, Kathy, Cindy and all people looking for work, People facing medical tests (Mike & Tina Mitchell); Peace (Rita Zettel); Brett Hill (Vickie Hill)

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TECH TEAM

- 8/6 Switcher: Ole Anderson
Projection: Bruce Jensen
Sound: Chuck Charter
Cameras: Tracey Barney
Larry Cottrell
- 8/13 Switcher: Bruce Jensen
Projection: Sue Klopfer
Sound: Chuck Charter
Cameras: Tracey Barney
Emmet Morse
- 8/20 Switcher: Ole Anderson
Projection: Chuck Charter
Sound: Sean Martin
Cameras: Emmet Morse
Larry Cottrell
- 8/27 Switcher: Bruce Jensen
Projection: Max Thompson
Sound: Sue Klopfer
Cameras: Larry Cottrell
Dave Warner
- 9/3 Switcher: Ole Anderson
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Interested in joining the tech team? Speak to one of our team members for more information on how you can help. Training is provided.

Please let the church office know if you will be stopping your mail. 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 to pick up at church. Or, if you would like, we can email it to you.

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

Jazzercise

New classes begin at church on August 1.

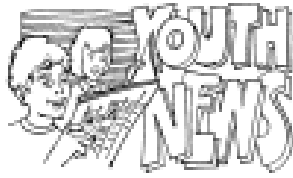
Class times

- Monday-Saturday 8:15 am
- Monday-Friday 9:20 am
- Monday 6:00 pm
- Thursday 6:00 pm

Childcare offered Monday-Friday 9:20 am and Saturday 8:15 am.

Bring a mat, light handheld weights, a bottle of water, good supportive aerobic dance shoes and a sweat towel.

Contact Carin Burrill, Owner, for more information: (248) 921-7117



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!

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.



The Adult Discussion

will start up again in September on Sunday, September 17, at 6:30 pm. We will continue the video series: "God In America".

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!



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.



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.

Community Impact Sunday Sunday, September 10, 10:00 am

"God's Work, Our Hands"

This is the Sunday we will all be sent out to the community to serve in various locations. Service activities for children and those for whom travel is difficult will be provided at the church. Sign-up for an activity on the posters on the counter in the fellowship hall. Once the service activity is completed, we will return to the church for a meal and Holy Communion.

Sign-up for one of the following service activities:

- 1) **Waterford Parks and Rec Projects:**
At the CAI – Construct Picnic Tables
At Fish Hatchery – Clean up
At Maceday Lake – Clean up of branches/wood chips
- 2) **Canterbury Care Facility – Visit Residents**
- 3) **Deliver Bake Goods – Police and Fire Departments**
- 4) **Bake Goods**
- 5) **Thank You Card Making – For Township Employees**
- 6) **Neighborhood Clean-Up – Subdivision around the church**



Community Impact Sunday **Baking party**

Sat. Sept. 9 at 3:30 pm

Come and join in the fun!! We will have a baking party on Saturday, September 9th to make baked goods to deliver on Impact Sunday! We will be delivering these goodies to the police department and area fire stations. Watch for more details to come.

Upcoming September Dates to Note:

WELCA
Thursday, Sept. 7th, 10:00 am.

Bell & Choir rehearsals
Thursday, Sept. 7
Bells – 6:30 pm
Chancel Choir – 7:30 pm

Rally Day and Church Picnic
Sunday, September 17th

Adult Discussion Group
Sunday, September 17th



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

Sunday, August 6th through
Thursday, August 10th.

We will begin with a meal beginning at 5:30 pm and the program from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm. The theme is “Digging for Treasure” focusing on the parables of Jesus.



Project Backpack

Back to school – we are collecting school supplies for Waterford students. There is a bin in the entryway for donations through August 18th.

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| Backpacks | Pens/Pencils |
| Pencil boxes | 24 Ct crayons |
| Highlighters | Post-it notes |
| Notebooks | Rulers |
| Calculators | Glue sticks |
| Erasers | Markers |
| Notebook paper | Pocket folders |

In Loving Memory

*Jean Joan Johnson
1929-2017*

Jean was a long-time participant in the life of our congregation, although in recent years, health issues kept her from attending. It was last year in July that we laid her husband Otto to rest, and earlier this year, in April, her son, Walter, also passed away. Jean was born on January 29, 1929, in Pontiac and graduated from Pontiac Central. She worked for a time in the Township Clerk’s office. She is survived by two children, Katrina and Scott; seven grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and, four great grandchildren. She loved being a homemaker and having the children of the family around. She departed this life, entering God’s eternal rest on July 13, 2017. May her family be comforted by God’s promise of new life.

*A gracious word may smooth the way;
A joyous word may light the day.
A timely word may lessen stress;
A loving word may heal and bless.
-Unknown Author*



**Choir will start up again in September.
All those who are interested are
welcome to join us!**

Children’s Choir – We are hoping to start a children’s choir. Rehearsals will be once or twice a month on Sunday after worship. If you are interested in having your child participate, please see George or contact the church office.

Bell Choir – Thursdays at 6:30 pm.
Our first rehearsal is on September 7th.

Chancel Choir –Thursdays at 7:30 pm.
Our first rehearsal is September 7th..

Park *it

Family Fun Nights

Movies Under The Stars

Thursday, August 24

At Hess-Hathaway Park

Events start at 6:00 pm.

Live Music

Kids Activities

Giveaways

Meet Up and Eat Up

Program Feeds Kids for Free

Breakfast and Lunch Available to Kids 18 & Younger

With summer right around the corner, it’s time to think about keeping children healthy while school is out. The Waterford School District’s Food and Nutrition Services Department provides free meals to children during the summer. There are no income requirements or registration necessary. Any child, 18 and younger, may eat free. This summer, meals will be served Monday through Friday, beginning June 19 through August 18, at the following campuses:

Crary Campus

501 N. Cass Lake Road, Waterford
Breakfast served from 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.
Lunch served from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Mason Middle School

3835 W. Walton Blvd., Waterford
Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

Stepanski Early Childhood Center

6010 Hatchery Rd., Waterford
Breakfast served from 8:30 – 9:00 a.m.
Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

Riverside Elementary

5280 Farm Rd., Waterford
Breakfast served from 8:30 – 9:00 a.m.
Lunch served from 11:00a.m. – 12:30p.m

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- 8/3 Carlee Cottrell
8/6 Maggie Negele
Dave Warner
8/8 Rita Bergsrud
8/9 Tad Niemi
8/11 Dorothy Drussel
8/12 Steve Fante
8/15 Carol Brown
8/16 Emma Anderson
Tracey Randall
8/18 Natalie Kane
Jerry Scrivo
8/22 Erik Barney
Aaron Butora
Kiira Mason
8/24 Phyllis Folsom
Jacob Swanson
8/25 Christopher Craft
Olin Kugler
Jean O'Connor
Mancy Patten
8/26 Karen DeRousse
Kaye Harrison
Ryan Robertson
Lois Szabo
8/28 Karli Koskinen

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

- 8/1 Erwin & Sue Klopfer
8/2 Dave & Wendy Kane
Steve & Mayme Kavouras
8/3 Emmet & Sharon Morse
8/5 Ron & Margie Gobler
8/11 Steven & Vickie Hill
Jim & Nadine Keway
8/15 Ed & Judi Windeler
8/16 Dave & Pam Wiley
8/18 Steve & Lois Szabo
8/20 Pastor & Maggie Negele
8/21 Bob & Millicent Frick
Mark & Trudi Koskinen
8/23 Ole & Anne Anderson
Craig & Donna Butora
8/24 James & Kelli Brenner
8/30 Harold & Mary Russell

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.

Below are the servants for the month of **August 2017** - 10:00 am Worship Service. If you are unable to assist - please trade with someone and call the office with the changes. The first Sunday of **September 2017** has been included to help you with scheduling.

LAY ASSISTANTS

- 8/6 Erwin Klopfer
8/13 Mike Mitchell
8/20 Joan Rathbun
8/27 Pat Scott
9/3 Dave Warner

USHERS

- 8/6 Jeff Swanson, Deanna Mitchell,
John Barnfather, Linda Jensen
8/13 Dale Folsom, Jill Nancekivell,
Pat Scott, Jacen Schnitzer
8/20 Ron & Kris Goetze
Sharon Morse, Catherine Roller
8/27 Cindy Edwards, Jackie Urbaniak,
Jerry & Carole Scrivo
9/3 Beth Brown, Jill Jones
Erwin Klopfer, Jake Jakel

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

- 8/6 Donna Butora, Norm Kinnison,
Phyllis Folsom
8/13 Marsha Fante, Gil Bergsrud
Jane Ives
8/20 Linda Greiser, Hanne Forbing
Riane Forbing
8/27 Barb Harris, Mary Bratun
Mary Russell
9/3 Pam Haab, Phyllis Folsom
Margie Gobler

ALTAR

Char Charter, Pam Haab, Jane Ives

COUNTERS

Bob Frick*, Millicent Frick,
Gerry Cleasby, Julie Zaremba

COFFEE HOURS

- 8/6 Youth / Confirmation
8/13 Church Council - Team 2
8/20 Women of the Church
- Terry Young, chair
8/27 Men of the Church
9/3 Youth / Confirmation

GREETERS

- 8/6 Cindy Edwards, Cheryl Troper
Mary Russell, Terry Young
8/13 Mark & Karen Kush
Jill Jones, Linda Martin
8/20 Gerry & Virla Cleasby
Bill & Barb DeRousse
8/27 Evelyn Edwards, Grace Rockey
Tom & Mary Skirke
9/3 Steve and Marsha Fante
Norm & Pat Kinnison


NURSERY

Needed for all dates in August.

DIABETIC DONATIONS

- 8/6 Kerri Kinneberg
8/13 Sue Klopfer
8/20 Mancy Patten
8/27 Sharon Morse
9/3 Barb DeRousse

August 2017

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