



June 22, 2018



Pastor Mark Degner

**Sunday  
Worship  
June 24  
8:30 AM**

**Sunday's Focus**

**DISCIPLINE  
OVER  
REGRET**

*Regret...it's painful. We have all tasted the bitterness of regret. We choose regret when we reject discipline and accountability. Hebrews 12 says that "the Lord disciplines the one He loves." He uses discipline to root out the things in us that destroy our joy and progress in our faith. I Choose Discipline Over Regret.*



**Readings for Sunday**

**6.24.18**

Hebrews 12:3-13;  
1 Corinthians 9:24-27;  
Mark 4:35-41

**6.24.18 Worship**

Greeter: Curt Hougen  
Reader: Tricia Barber  
Ushers: Paul P. & Duke C.

**6.24.18 Hostesses**

**6.24.18 Prayer Assistant**

**In Sanctuary**

Shelly Hall



**Series of Messages**

Your choices determine your life. How will you choose? We are sharing a series of messages entitled, "I Choose." These messages apply to our daily lives and the life of our church. As we move intentionally and prayerfully into God's best for our church, we will all have to make some big choices. How will you choose? Here are the themes: I Choose...

- Generosity > Greed +**
- Purpose > Popularity**
- Important > Urgent +**
- Surrender > Control**
- Love > Law +**
- Discipline > Regret**



**Our Future Ministry Center**

Our church is proceeding with negotiations to occupy the Trinity Chapel and Durham Classroom Building at the *Krejci Learning and Life Community*. Pray for God's wisdom to abound in us as we align ourselves with God's vision and seek His best for our mission and ministry.



**Do You Need Personal Prayer?**

If you would like someone to pray with you privately and confidentially, you may approach the front of the sanctuary after our worship.

**This Week at  
Christ Lutheran**

**Sunday, June 24**

- 8:30 am Sunday Worship (HCC)
- 10:15 am Fellowship/Ed. Hour

**Tuesday, June 26**

- 10:00 am Volunteer Joseph's Coat
- 6:00 pm House of Prayer (HCC)
- 7:00 pm Take it to the Streets

**Wednesday, June 27**

- 6:30 pm Cleansing Stream Discipleship (HCC)

**Thursday, June 28**

- 10:00 am Women's Bible Study (Johansen Manor)
- 6:30 pm Stephen Ministry (HCC)

**Sunday, July 1**

- 8:30 am Sunday Worship (HCC)
- 10:15 am Fellowship/Education Hour



**PRAYER WALK**

This Sunday at 10:15 am, during the Education Hour, we will have a Prayer Walk on the Dana property. Prayers from your vehicle are also welcomed.

**Father, bless each one present at worship on June 17 = 79**

# VILLAGE BLOCK PARTY

## Village Block Party

You are invited to join others from CLC at the Village Block Party, hosted by Mission Church, on Tuesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 -8:00 p.m., 3401 Patrick Avenue, Omaha. Enjoy free food, water games, and lot and lots of fun! There will be water slides, sprinklers, a kiddie area with small pools, a dunk tank and other fun. Some of our Tuesday night Bible study group will be attending this event. We will leave from HCC at 6:00 p.m. Bring a pocket full of crosses and a smile. Join us.



## Touched by Jesus at Bible Camp

Martina Becerra, Martha Picton, Kaela Barr, and Trinity Auciello attended Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp. Hear about their experience during the Ministry Moment at worship this Sunday.



## Bibles Available

If one of our guests needs a Bible, copies are available at our table in the foyer of the church. The Word has power! Share it with a guest to our church or a friend.



## Church Picnic

Thanks to all those who prepared for and attended the church picnic. It was fun!

# Church Meeting



## Church Potluck and Meeting - July 8

Mark your calendar and plan now to attend our congregational potluck and meeting on Sunday, July 8, starting at 11:30 a.m., at Hillside. Important!



## Sunday Bible Studies

You have choices for adult Bible study on Sunday morning. Commit to be in the Word at CLC!



## House of Prayer Postponed

House of Prayer for this Tuesday will be postponed. Instead, we are going to the Village Block Party hosted by Mission Church in Omaha. We will carpool, leaving Hillside about 6:00 p.m. See other eNews note for more information. Join us!



## Sharing is Caring!

**"Share"** with your friends and family our church's posts and invitations from the **CLC Facebook page** [www.facebook.com/CLCBlair/](http://www.facebook.com/CLCBlair/). Simply click on the **"Share"** arrow for each post and send an invitation to all your FB friends. **"Like"** our church's page.



## Christmas in July - July 20

This is exciting! The sixth annual Christmas in July will be held at the Blair Community Pool and Ralph Steyer Park. The YMCA has generously provided the pool for our use from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Please volunteer to help with Christmas in July. Contact Linda Degner at 402.670.8710. The next planning meeting is Saturday, June 30, 9:00 a.m., at HCC. CIJ is designed to lift up the name of Jesus and help feed the hungry. CIJ will benefit the Washington County Food Pantry.



## Food Pantry Volunteers

Please volunteer at Joseph's Coat and the Washington County Food Pantry. Our church serves two Tuesdays per month. The next CLC date is Tuesday, June 26, 10:00 a.m., but you can help anytime they are open. Thanks to those who have volunteered at this great mission. Get involved.



## Jesus Follower Quotes

*"The measure of a person's greatness is not how many servants he has but how many people he serves."*  
*"We must be global Christians with a global vision because our God is a global God." - John Stott*



**Church Safety & Security Team**  
A safety and security team is being formed. Contact Chris Anunson, Curt Barr, or Bob Ehmen if you are interested in serving. The team is open to men and women from our fellowship. This will be a ministry that focuses on the Word and prayer, as well as our safety and security.

# God Answers Prayers

## Answered Prayers

*Thank the Lord for the following:  
For God's favor on Christ Lutheran Church to be the spiritual core of the Krejci Learning and Life Community!  
For Jay Smith who had a successful medical procedure this week.*



## Prayer Requests

*For divine wisdom, total clarity, and godly unity in our church.  
For forgiveness, reconciliation, and the perfect unity of the Spirit among our members.  
For the Spirit to transform the hearts and lives of people and bring them salvation in Jesus.  
For God's wisdom, courage, and generosity to infiltrate our church as we look to our future.  
For our people to serve generously in the ministry of our church.  
For a powerful, breakout, abundant year in the mission of Christ Lutheran Church.  
For Helga Hansen, Keith Christiansen, Jay Smith, Rick Stinson, Laurie Berggren, Lindsey Rand, Tom Miller (Barb), Bill Hall (Shelly), Verlan Hanson, Penny Anderson, Markie Degner, Woody Woodring (Linda), Mary Davey, Tony Villotta, Lisa Madsen, Haisley Schilke (Mark & Cathy), Kate Christiansen, Eldon & LaDonna Bucy, Connor, and all who need healing.  
For Gail Wiles, Owen Deaver, and Gary Kline (cancer) and their families.  
For those at the Open Door Mission, and the Sienna Francis House.  
For marriages and families in crisis.  
For the all victims of abuse (sexual, emotional, verbal, physical, psychological, spiritual).  
For children and youth to be protected from suicidal ideation, bullying and substance abuse.  
For those with chemical addictions and eating disorders.  
For those who are in recovery and practicing sobriety.*



## Being Missional

We are called by God to be on mission every day. The Christian life is 24/7/365 and worldwide in its scope. Being missional is not a program. It's not an activity, it's an identity. It's living daily life with a Christ-like mind toward others, reflecting the love of Jesus toward them. It doesn't require that you go anywhere special. Just be God's woman, man, or child in the moment as the Lord gives you opportunity. Live like Jesus.



## Children sing at Autumn Pointe

Sunday, July 15th, the Sunday School children will visit Autumn Pointe in Ft. Calhoun to sing a few songs for the residents, including CLC member Ellen Behrens. We will leave around 10:30. We will need parents to drive their children, so please let your child's teacher or Cindy Picton know if your children will be participating. Thank you!



## Missional Ideas

**Attend the Village Block Party at Mission Church:** This will be a great opportunity to meet fellow believers in Jesus, share crosses and prayer, and just have a good time. Bring someone with you!



You are invited to  
**Brayden Davis'**  
**10th Birthday**

**celebration held June 24  
at Pizza Hut following the  
education hour.**



**Pocket Crosses!**  
Share Jesus and His saving love through our cross ministry. Pick up a few at the CLC table in the foyer. Give them to others.



**JUNE**  
**BIRTHDAYS**

- Jun. 15 Helga Hanson
- Jun. 18 Karen Camenzind
- Jun. 21 Megan Schmidt
- Jun. 25 Brayden Davis

If you know of anyone omitted or incorrect in this list, please email Jody at [ptacnik@christlutheranblair.org](mailto:ptacnik@christlutheranblair.org) to update the church records.



**JUNE**  
**ANNIVERSARIES**

- Jun. 18 Kareen & Duke Clifton
- Jun. 27 Ashley & Jethro Comstock
- Jun. 30 Shelly & Bill Hall

Email Jody at  
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with any updates or revisions!

**CHRIST LUTHERAN**  
**Benevolence DOLLARS**  
**April 2018**

**\$2,200.00 + \$150.00**

- Cru-Jake Loftis (monthly) . . . \$ 150.00
- Royal Kids Camp . . . . . \$ 500.00
- Capital Ministries. . . . . \$ 500.00
- RTF Heartland Region (God's Living Stones) . . . . . \$ 500.00
- Open Door Mission . . . . . \$ 500.00
- Table Grace Café . . . . . \$ 200.00

**TOTAL      \$ 2,350.00**