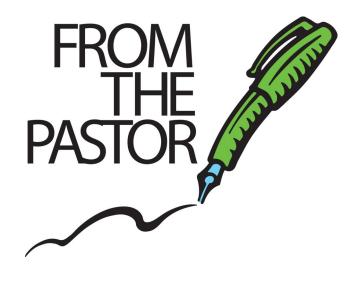


June, July, August 2021 Newsletter

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As we enter into the summer of 2021, I am heartened that we as a congregation have successfully made it through the pandemic and for the most part we in this church have been spared the illness, though some of us have dealt with the death of family and friends due to the virus. I along with your church brothers and sisters, feel for you in your loss. God is still working and walking with us in this church, our community and country, and in obedience we will continue to walk with our God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Enjoy yourselves as your plan and partake of trips once again, and due so safely. Watch as we go forward together as the church that is a family, walking together, praying as the family of faith, and caring for each other's faith and fellowship. Please be involved to the level you feel safe, not based on pressure or outside sources. The church that is a family is here for all of you. We worship together, yes, we do. I am heartened when speaking to our shut-ins and they are so appreciative of service broadcasts and we see and hear from people in other parts of the United States who worship with us on Sunday's. Let us concentrate on what keeps us together and that is the Lord Jesus Christ.

We are planning Sunday morning Bible class again to begin in September and to also have Sunday School as God has sent children again to CLC. May God bless your summer and your activities and may we persevere according to God's Will as we obediently walk in His way. I will have more messages in the constant contacts throughout the summer. See you in church in person or on line.

God bless us and bless our congregation.

Pastor Meseke

Pastor Meseke Christ Lutheran Church - Brooksville, FL <u>www.clcfla.org</u> (watch our live stream Sunday's at 10:00 am)



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Script Orders

Script orders will take place only on the $1^{\rm st}$ and $3{\rm rd}$ Sundays for the months of June, July and August.

At HIS Service for June

	Elder	Ushers	Sound Room	Altar Guild
June 6th 10 am	Rick Henry	David Benschneider Angela Benschneider	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Pam Gant
June 13th 10 am	Rick Henry	Janet Kinzer Deb Kuzmann	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Pam Gant
June 20th 10 am	Rick Henry	Alan Halladay Brigitte Lamberti	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Pam Gant
June 27th 10 am	Rick Henry	Charles Lamberti Josh Hady	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Pam Gant



2 Corinthians 3:17

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Our God & Country Service will be held on July 4th!

At HIS Service for July

	Elder	Ushers	Sound Room	Altar Guild
July 4th 10 am	Alan Halladay	Janet Kinzer Deb Kuzmann	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
July 11th 10 am	Alan Halladay	David Benschneider Angela Benschneider	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
July 18th 10 am	Alan Halladay	Skip Erickson Brigitte Lamberti	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
July 25th 10 am	Alan Halladay	Josh Hady Tim Coil	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady

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View our calendars on our website CLCFLA.ORG

Updates to scheduled activities will be posted.

Please email all events to office@clcfla.org so they can be placed on the calendars!

At HIS Service for August

	Elder	Ushers	Sound Room	Altar Guild
August 1st	David Benschneider	Janet Kinzer Deb Kuzmann	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
August 8th 10 am	David Benschneider	Angela Benschneider Kathy Colvin	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
August 15th 10 am	David Benschneider	Alan Halladay Brigitte Lamberti	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
August 22nd 10 am	David Benschneider	Charles Lamberti Sharon Lowe	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady
August 29th	David Benschneider	Josh Hady Tim Coil	Phil Huntwork John Eicher Lynn Postel	Josh & Brooke Hady

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Happy Anniversary to:

06/01 Joe & Jeanine Keating	53 years
06/02 Gary & Carol O'Dell	14 years
06/14 Josh & Brooke Hady	24 years
06/16 Skip & Lois Erickson	59 years
06/22 Gerry & Ken Fischer	47 years
06/22 Joe & Lorraine Heberlein	74 years
06/24 Jim & Geri Wilson	21 years

Happy Birthday to:

06/02 Debby Ellinghuysen

06/05 Lynn Postel

06/09 Lori Bosley

06/09 Arlene Denner

06/12 JoAnn Smoody

06/13 Rev. Gary Bomberger

06/13 Pearl Stippich

06/17 Leila Marshall

06/18 Arianna Cammarata

06/23 Maureen Cavallaro

06/24 Cheryl Humphrey

06/25 Jim Fyvie

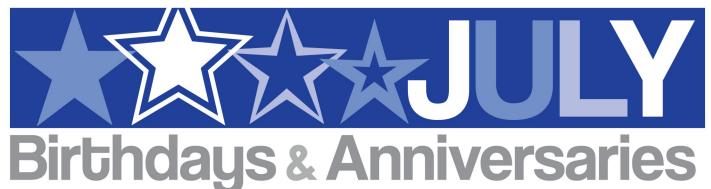
06/26 Duane Petersen

06/27 Jack Finnegan

06/29 Ann Mielke

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Happy Anniversary to:

07/05 John & Ann (Mielke) Eicher	18 years
07/14 Greg & Linda Brandt	26 years
07/15 Harold & Diane Gebhardt	60 years
07/17 Gerald & Phyllis Smith	22 years
07/20 Alan & Tammy Young	41 years

Happy Birthday to:

07//02	Richard Henry
07/03	Cody Gray

07/04 Mary Kamin

07/07 Angela Benschneider

07/10 Delaney Longoria

07/11 Harold Gebhardt

07/12 Carrie Heredia

07/15 Janice Beamer

07/17 Patricia Werner

07/24 Diane Gebhardt

07/26 Connie Dunn

07/26 Debra Shephard

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STAUGIST Birthdays & Anniversaries



Happy Anniversary to:

08/03	Gary & Marsha Vanlandingham	56 years
08/09	Duane & Ilene Petersen	51 years
08/10	Glenn & Sharon Lowe	31 years
08/13	Daryl & Marilyn Schaller	55 years
08/29	Garry & Shirley Welder	64 years

Happy Birthday to:

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08/01 Ava Scrivens

08/03 Darlen Mooth

08/04 Kathy Colvin

08/06 Alexandra Crist

08/06 Brad Landon

08/06 Jesse Workman

08/07 Elmer Freeland

08/08 Marsha Vanlandingham

08/09 Diane Bomberger

08/16 Henrietta Rice

08/17 Patrick Freeland

08/18 Janet Yungmann Barkalow

08/19 David Benschneider

08/19 Kemberly Edwards

08/20 Jeanie Bruner

08/21 Claudette Talvan

08/22 Josh Hady

08/23 Alexandra Young

08/25 Darlene Claypoole\

08/25 Ilene Petersen

08/25 Warren Watson

08/27 Jackie Sherman

08/28 Arthur Weyde

08/30 Lloyd Schmidt

ATTENTION LADIES OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

(all lady members welcome, you may also bring a guest)

THE LWML MARY MARTHA GROUP is planning to start up our meetings again this fall!

DATE:

Friday, September 10, 2021

TIME:

1:00 p.m.

PLACE:

Old Youth Room (with separate entrance)

AGENDA:

Discuss plans for coming year

Get updates on LWML activities from other churches

Fall Rally, October 9

Discuss elections for new officers?

Bible Study to commence on the book of Esther, based on

Donna Snow's book, Chosen: A Study of Esther

Masks may or may not be mandatory, depending on how things are going in the county. See church bulletins for any updates.

**** FL-GA District Retreat - JOIN US FOR "WATER WALK" IN SEPTEMBER!

Please join us September 24 – 26, 2021, at the Crown Plaza Oceanfront Hotel in Melbourne, FL.

Adding to the excitement is the opportunity to spend the weekend with Wendysue Fluegge, our amazing retreat leader AND song leader for our "Water Walk." Wendysue Fluegge is a songwriter, musician, speaker, and teacher who works "from the road."

Take advantage of the \$130 early registration rate through June 30! July 1 begins the regular registration rate of \$150, which does not include the overnight parking fee. Room is \$149.00 plus tax. If interested, contact Janice Beamer, 352-442-1501.

Mission News!

We have been busy! We continue to grow in active members and in projects. It is absolutely fantastic!

Every Wednesday God's Clothes Closet is open from 930am till noon. Lots of volunteers show up to ensure it runs smooth. Volunteers intake, sort, and fold clothes, meet with visitors, and maintain order of the closet. There is never a dull moment and there is a lot that is put into seeing this ministry thrives.

We have 2 beautiful God's Clothes Closet trailers. They are to help us meet the needs of our non-mobile community members. Both trailers are stocked with everything we need to set up and help our visitors find the clothes that will compliment their life. The trailers are pulled and worked by volunteers. This is a growing branch of the already well established Gods Clothes Closet. We are excited to see where it goes!

On the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month we serve a Community Breakfast from 9am till 10am. A typically meal includes eggs, bacon/sausage, croissants, coffee and whatever other wonderful things our morning cooks prepare! We offer a cellphone charging station for those without access to power. There is always a friendly face to enjoy breakfast with.

On the 3rd Wednesday of each month we host our Community Dinner from 430pm till 6pm. We prepare food for hundreds of people. A typically dinner will include several meat choices, all cooked on a big smoker, and many side dishes, all cooked from scratch. We include dessert and drinks. This is all served in to-go containers. God's Clothes Closet is open during this event too. If we have any extra food it sees its way to the Vineyard Community Center.

If you have not attended one of our FREE Community Meals, please come! We would love to have you! It is nice to invite members of the community to join us – growing is an amazing gift! We love each and every one of our Christ Lutheran Church family, we want you there too! All of our food is donated for these events, we are very grateful for that gift – as we get to extend it to the community! Many hours are worked by volunteers to see that these events are successful. Prepping, cooking, cleaning, serving, and advertising are some of the tasks volunteers continually do so we are able to keep moving forward!

On the 1st and 5th Saturday of each month we get together and prepare food, potluck style, for the Vineyard Community Center. Not only are their belly's filled – their minds are too - a Bible Study is prepared and presented to those in attendance.

We have lots of expansion coming in the near future. We are really lucky to have so many dedicated Mission Team Members here are Christ Lutheran. A thank you to each and every one of them! If you would like to join us... please let someone know! We can use all the inspiration and helping hands we can get!

Thank you.

LWML Mite Challenge Calendar June 2021										
Sun	Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat									
Women at Work for the Lord		1 How can you serve God this month? Make a list. Donate 50¢.	Read Colossians 1:9–14. Pray for others who do God's work. Donate 20¢.	3 Did you work in your yard or garden today? Donate 25¢ if yes; 50¢ if no.	4 Thank a woman who has helped you serve God. Donate 10¢.	Read Romans 8:26–28. Trust God in all things! Donate 20¢.				
In today's lessons, how is God showing His love?	7 Read 2 Timothy 3:14–17. The Holy Spirit equips us through Scripture! Donate 20¢.	8 Sing/pray "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" (LSB 770). Donate 10¢.	9 What ways can you serve God and His people today? Donate 25¢.	10 Our actions reflect God's love. Donate 20¢.	Remember to pray as you work. Donate 30¢.	Keep in God's Word! It is our energy drink. Donate 40¢.				
13 Read Psalm 100. Serve God gladly this week. Donate 20¢.	14 Flag Day. Thank God for our freedoms. Donate 10¢.	Read 1 Corinthians 3:5–9. We work together in God's service. Donate 30¢.	16 How is the Spirit "stirring you" to serve? Donate 20¢.	Stir up a treat to encourage someone who works for God. Donate 10¢.	National Picnic Day. Read Psalm 23. Praise God! Donate 20¢.	Philippians 2:12–16. Our work for God is important! Donate 40¢.				
First day of summer. Worship joyfully. Donate 10¢.	Read Hebrews 12:1–2. Thank God for salvation. Donate 20¢.	Pray for safe travel to and from convention. Donate 10¢.	Pray for LWML convention workers. Donate 20¢.	Pray for servant events and Gifts from the Heart.	Pray for convention speakers. Watch online. Donate 20¢.	Pray for newly chosen LWML grant recipients. Donate 25¢.				
27 Pray for LWML officers. Donate 30¢.	Plan ways to serve the Lord joyfully next week. Donate 10¢.	Click on "Fellowship" at <i>lwml.org</i> . Encourage each other! Donate 30¢.	Read 2 Thessalonians 2:16. God bless your work! Donate 20¢.	them to use their skill spun the goats' hair (Exodus 35:26).						

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Christ Lutheran Church — June 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
		Bible Study 7:00 Pt	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			Lunch & Mobile God's Clothes Closet at Vineyard 11:45 AM
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study 7:00 P	Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM			
			God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Flag Day	Bible Study 7:00 P	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
			Free to Go Dinner & Clothes Closet 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM			
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Fathers' Day		Bible Study 7:00 P	Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM			
First Day of Summer (June Solstice)			God's Clothes Closet			
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
27	28	29	30			
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study 7:00 P	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
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Christ Lutheran Church — July 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
						Lunch & Mobile God's Clothes Closet at Vineyard 11:45 AM
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Independence Day		Bible Study 7:00 PM				
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			9:30 ам - 12:00 рм			
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Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study 7:00 PM	Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM			
			God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study 7:00 PM	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
			Free to Go Dinner & Clothes Closet 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM			
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM			Lunch & Mobile God's Clothes Closet at
			God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			Vineyard 11:45 AM

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Christ Lutheran Church — August 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue		Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3		4	5	6	7
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study	7:00 РМ	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			Lunch & Mobile God's Clothes Closet at Vineyard 11:45 AM
8	9	10		11	12	13	14
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study	7:00 РМ	Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Elders' & Trustees' meetings 6:30 PM		
				God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Council Meeting 7:30 PM		
15	16	17		18	19	20	21
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study	7:00 РМ	God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			Senior Citizens Day
				Free to Go Dinner & Clothes Closet 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM			
22	23	24		25	26	27	28
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study	7:00 РМ	Community Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM			
Voters' Assembly 11:15 AM				God's Clothes Closet 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM			
29	30	31					
Divine Worship 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		Bible Study	7:00 PM				

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We Welcome all our online viewers!

From April 25th to May 25th here are the totals who viewed our Online Serve

Florida 227 Illinois 29 Wisconsin 18 Michigan 14 Alabama 11 Minnesota 8 Maine 4 Ohio 4 Colorado 3 Tennessee 2