

## THIS WEEK AT CHRIST LUTHERAN: Feb. 28 - March 7

SUN.	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School & First Communion Class
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	After worship	Cookies and Coffee Hour/Tour church library
	3:00 p.m.	Tobogganing— <i>meet at the chutes!</i>
	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	6:00 p.m.	Junior Choir
		Family Promise families arrive
TUES.	7:00 p.m.	Exec. Comm. Mtg. (conference room)
WED.	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study (conference room)
	12:00 p.m.	Lenten Service
	6:00 p.m.	Soup and Sandwich Supper (social hall)
	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Service
	8:00 p.m.	Senior Choir
THURS.	7:00 p.m.	Church Council Mtg. (lounge)
FRI.	10:00 a.m.	Playgroup
SAT.	6:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	5:00 p.m.	Holy Communion
SUN.	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School & First Communion Class
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	11:45 a.m.	Bell Choir
	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	6:00 p.m.	Junior Choir

### TIME AND TALENTS

#### TODAY

LECTOR:	Russ Roth
CANTOR:	Anne Paine
USHER:	Eric Mohney
ACOLYTES:	Alyson Musat Marisa Reynolds
ASSISTS:	Marilyn Culler, Chris Owens Roberta Ekleberry
GREETERS:	Teresa Reiner Tom Reiner
ALTAR:	Jan Wunderle
FELLOW:	Quella Columbaro
COUNTER:	Kathy Muir

#### NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 7

Cathy Mohney
Allen Kacenjjar
Rob Johnson
Alex Cseh
Riley Jantz
Loren Easterday
Harold & Karen Wagner
Karen Hallgren
Eric Hallgren
Genny Helmink
Joanne Polacok
Shirley Mitchell, Chris Gedeon
Marijo Nielsen

**Welcome!**

**Sunday, February 28, 2010  
10:30 a.m.**



*Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, "Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord."*

*Luke 13:34-35*



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- ✠ Thank you to the 5th and 6th graders for leading the prayers this morning.
- ✠ "Homes of Love", a campaign for Love In the Name of Christ, will be available in the Gathering Area today. Please feel free to take one home with you and put either loose change, currency, or a check and return them back to church/Doreen Hammon on Palm Sunday, March 28.
- ✠ New member class - a Study of the Gospel according to Mark - Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in the conference room. Interested-call Pastor Schlessman at 933-6263 ex. 22. Child care provided.
- ✠ Christ Lutheran Church will be hosting families for one week as part of the **Family Promise Program** starting today Sun., Feb. 28 through Sat., March 6. **Help needed**-contact Mike Muir 440-759-1933.
- ✠ The Evangelism Committee is hosting a Coffee and Cookie Hour after worship **TODAY**, Sun., Feb. 28. Martha Circle invites the congregation to visit the newly painted church library during the coffee hour and they will have a display of Lenten devotionals on a cart in the Gathering Area.
- ✠ Fellowship Committee announces: **It's time to go tobogganing! TODAY**, Sun., Feb. 28 from 3-5:00 p.m. The group will then go out for pizza. Fun for the entire family! **Meet at the chutes:** Chalet Toboggan Chutes Mill Stream Run Reservation, Valley Parkway, between Routes 42 and 82, Strongsville. Any ?'s call Bob Olds @ 522-2615.
- ✠ The Mission Trip group is teaming up with the Bay Methodist Drama Team to present a musical play called "Character Matters". The play features some of your favorite nursery rhyme and fairy tale creatures. The date of the play is Sun., March 21<sup>st</sup> at 1:00 pm. We will also be serving a delicious spaghetti luncheon (plus chicken strips for kids) prior to the play at 11:45. Tickets are \$10/adults and \$7/kids. Please plan on attending this fun event and also support the mission trip at the same time. Tickets will be sold before and after church. Contact Eric Mohney, Dawn Rockas, or Kathy Greene if you have any questions."
- ✠ There will be a special Congregation Meeting of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church on March 14, 2010 at 10 a.m. to discuss and adopt changes to the Constitution adopted by Christ Lutheran on Nov. 22, 2009. This meeting is called by the Church Council. The proposed changes to be adopted are required by the ELCA as a result of their adoption at the August 2009 Churchwide Assembly.
- ✠ Holy Week musical, *The Story of a Father and Son*, written by Marty Kral, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Sun., March 28 at 7:00 p.m. For more info. view poster on the church hallway bulletin board.
- ✠ O.W.L.S. - **Tuesday, March 16**-join the group to find out where "**IT**" goes. Meet at church 9:30 a.m. to carpool. Trip is limited to 25 people with walking involved. Noon lunch at the Sugar creek Restaurant at Cobblestone. **Tuesday, April 20**-trip to Channel 3 T.V. station. Meet at church 8:30 a.m. to carpool. Lunch at Sterle's Slovenian Restaurant. Limited to 25 people. **NOTE:** considerable walking. **Get your reservations in early! Saturday, June 19**-a bus trip to Sauder Village in Archbold, OH. Meet at church 7:30 a.m. Trip cost from \$54 to \$60 depending on numbers of people attending. **Deposit of \$30 is due by April 30.** Tour limited to 55 people—walking involved. Any ?'s Contact Harold or Karen Wagner at 949-7437.
- ✠ Your copy of the March "Messenger" is on the table in the Gathering Area.

## WORSHIP

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<i>Blessed Be The God Of Israel</i>	
	<b>ELW 552</b>
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Prayer of the Day	Insert
PSALM 27	Insert
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Sermon	
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*Sacrament of Holy Communion is celebrated today. All baptized Christians who believe that with the bread and wine we receive the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation are invited to come forward and commune. Families are invited to come forward together and children will be blessed.*