

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST LUTHERAN: August 23 - August 30

- SUN. 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion Service
TUES. 7:00 p.m. Worship Comm. (conference room)
THURS. 6:00 p.m. Meeting for Confirmation Students, Parents & Mentors
(social hall)
. 7:00 p.m. Evangelism Mtg. (conference room)
8:00 p.m. Preschool Board Mtg. (conference room)
FRI. 9:30 a.m. Newsletter Mailing (conference room)
SAT. 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Athena's
5:00 p.m. Holy Communion Service
SUN. 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion Service (Praise Band)
RALLY DAY!

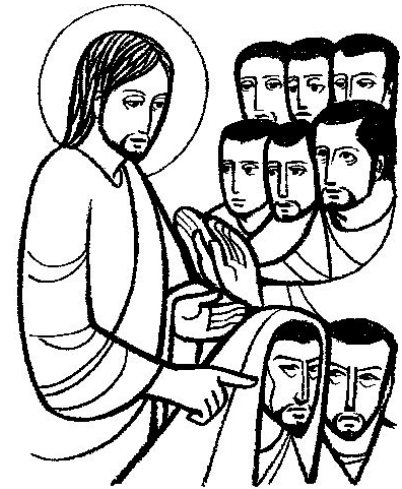
TIME AND TALENTS

TODAY		NEXT SUNDAY, AUG. 30
LECTOR:	Elsie Kral	Zach Johnson
CANTOR:	Allen Kacenjara	PRAISE BAND
USHER:	Karen Lecorchick	Ryan Smarsh
ACOLYTES:	Gina Rockas	Riley Jantz
	Logan DeLong	Evan Paine
ASSISTS:	Marilyn Culler, Chris Owens	Sharon Davidson, Anita Hlava
	Roberta Ekleberry	Gwen Hogrefe
GREETERS:	Norma Maurer	Tracey Simmons
	Jerry Maurer	Woody Simmons
ALTAR:	Doris Gaertner, Barb Dwyer	Doris Gaertner, Barb Dwyer
FELLOW :	Joanne Polacok	Joanne Polacok
COUNTER:	Rob Johnson	Kathy Muir

Pick up your copy of the 2009 Church Directory from the table in the Gathering Area.

Welcome!

**Sunday, August 23, 2009
9:00 a.m.**



⁶⁷So Jesus asked the twelve, “Do you also wish to go away?” ⁶⁸Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. ⁶⁹We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.”

John 6:67-69



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KEEPING CONNECTED

✠ Christ Lutheran extends sympathy to the family of Phyllis Rehker whose son, Tom Rehker, died on August 18 in Columbia, TN. Tom is the brother of Barb Rehker-Lee and Joan Reynolds. Christ Lutheran also extends sympathy to the family of Betty Teller (Steve's mother) who died Thursday.

✠ Flowers are given today in celebration of Bobbie Sue Guthman's birthday by Dale Guthman, Joe Guthman, and Fred Kirtner and in celebration of Beth Lecorchick's birthday by Grammy, Mom, Daniel and Jacob.

✠ Pick up a draft of the new Constitution on the counter in the Gathering Area today or in the office during the week.

✠ **Let Your Light Shine!** You are invited to Rally Day at Christ Lutheran on Sunday, Aug. 30. Worship at 9 a.m. will be led by the Christ Lutheran Praise Band. A Social Agency Fair will occur after worship in the Gathering Area and games, activities and food will follow. Relays for all ages will begin at 10:45.

✠ Mark your calendars for the upcoming church **Rummage Sale** on Sept. 10 & 11 (set-up Sept. 9). Help will be needed on all days. Donations may be brought in and dropped off in the Social Hall on Wed. Sept 9. Call Quella Columbaro (440) 933-2131 if you are able to help or have any questions. Donations of baked goods are also needed. Please call Elsie Kral (440)949-8418 if you can bring baked goods.

✠ Martha Circle is collecting layette items to benefit Lutheran World Relief. We are accepting brand new and gently used (clean and in good condition) items. We have received sufficient sleepers.

✠ Lydia/Naomi Circles will meet at noon, Sept. 14, in the Lounge for their regular meeting. Bring your own lunch and beverage. We will be planning our coming year. All ladies of the church are welcome.

✠ O.W.L.S. - Sept. 26 "Trip to the Wilds" balance of \$24.00 is due no later than Sept. 6. Please mail your check to Harold Wagner, 3823 Tennyson, Sheffield Lake, 44054.

✠ Please check the bulletin board for information about the upcoming SeniorFest 2009, Sept. 19, 8:30-3:00 p.m. at Royal Redeemer Lutheran Church in North Royalton. There are lots of relevant workshops to choose from—for only \$15, lunch included!

✠ Please note that the Pig Roast has been cancelled.

✠ Thank you to Johanna Markko, Joe Guthman, Dave Paine, Brenda Crout, and Randi Smarsh for providing special music this morning.

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.

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