



SUNDAY EXTRA

May 13, 2018
Seventh Sunday of Easter
Community Lutheran Church



“Welcoming Others, Growing in Grace, Sharing Christ’s Love”

Sunday

8:15am Worship
9:30am Christian Education
11:00am Worship

Today at Community Lutheran

Worship Servants meet the Pastors in the Narthex for prayer before the service.

Selected Readings

“The fundamentalists of every faith remain blind to the truth that the ‘sigh within the prayer is the same in the heart of the Christian, the Muslim, and the Jew.’ I have seen this unity with my eyes, heard it with my ears, felt it with all my being.”

David Duncan

“The church is people who have been gathered from the nations to remind the world that we are in fact one people. Gathering is the foretaste of the unity of the communion of the saints.”

Stanley Hauerwas

Luther Quote of the Day

“The proper preparation for the grace and goodness of Christ is the awareness that I need them. The devil will not put up with it. He is forever attracting people to pride and works to make sure they do not think they need Christ’s mercy and grace.”

Worship in the Easter Season

Easter is a season lasting seven weeks. The Paschal Candle, lit at the Great Vigil of Easter, burns throughout the season, a sign of Christ’s presence. Lillies and symbols of Christ’s resurrection surround us. We sing the “Alleluias” and enjoy this festive liturgy.

Adult Christian Ed: 9:30am

Bible Study: Minor Prophets led by Mike Tinman (Granger) *A great way to connect with others around Scripture.*- Ellen Ashurkoff

Adult Forum: Declaration of our Inter-Religious Commitment led by Pastor Annabelle (Sanct). *These conversations help me understand and live out my faith.* - Susan Devereaux

Noisy Offering benefits Youth Haven Camps.

2018 High School Graduates:

Samantha Finrock **Scott Lung**
Matthew Precht **Kyle Werntz**
Michaela Wharton

Congratulations and God be with you!

Upcoming Opportunities

Wednesday Meals & Ministries May 16th, 5:30 – 7pm. Enjoy pizza with your family and stay for our ministries. Adults \$6.00, kids under 12 free. Nursery provided. [RSVP musicdirector@communitylutheran.org.](mailto:musicdirector@communitylutheran.org)

“GriefShare Group” Thursday, May 17th 12:30pm Library. A gathering over lunch of friends who listen and care for each other as we recover from grief and loss. Contact the office or Diane Martin at [omaha.martin@gmail.com.](mailto:omaha.martin@gmail.com)

Council Meeting Highlights - May 2018

- * Celebrates our quilters and give thanks for 50 quilts going to Lutheran World Relief.
- * Gives thanks for 22 units of blood collected during the blood drive for Children's Hospital.
- * Rejoices in the Service Day activities that helped beautify the outside and help with giving garden going forward.

Weekly Offering/Attendance Report - May 6, 2018

Attendance:		Offering:	
87	8:15am Worship	\$ 12,993.73	Regular Offering
112	11:00am Worship	\$ 60.00	Benevolence
6	Wed noon Worship	\$ -	Building Use
205		\$ 13,053.73	Total Income Received
		Special Purpose:	
		\$ 63.08	Pastors' Discretionary
		\$ 115.00	Noisy Offering
		\$ 1,400.00	National Youth Gathering
		\$ 265.00	VBS
		\$ 246.54	Other
			\$ 2,089.62
Weekly "Simply Giving" (included above)			\$3,404.35

Simply Giving is an easy way to Bank-Draft your offering. Please contact our Treasurer Jeff Biber at treasurer@communitylutheran.org or the Church for more information.

Have you remembered CLC in your estate plan? Call the Church for more information.

Giving Options at CLC: Here is a Quick Response (QR) Code created for CLC. By scanning this image with a QR reader on your Smartphone, you will be taken to a secure giving website. Just scan the image and you're free to give our weekly offering! You may also donate using the "Donate Now" button on Community's website: communitylutheran.org.



**In Our Prayers
This Week
For Healing and Comfort**

+ Barbara Jean Franklin + Ruth Cook + Bob Hughes + Laura Steiger + Lynn Tinman

Homebound Members

+ Judy Prisley, Falcon's Ldg + Gloria Driessnack, Falcon's Ldg + Jane Johnson, Falcon's Ldg
Tho Bird, Fairfax + Maxine Stambaugh, Sunrise + Henry Nelson, Sunrise
+ Rosemary Richard, Tall Oaks + Nancy Wagner, Cascades Village
+ Dean Lawrence, Home

Those Serving Abroad

+ The Nation Family

*The Sunday Extra lists the names of CLC Members who wish to be prayed for publicly.
We are certainly aware of the needs of other Family and Friends beyond our parish, and
we encourage you to name others aloud or silently when you are invited to do so.*

**If you would like to send cards and well-wishes to those in our prayers,
please contact the church office.**

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK:

Sunday	(5/13)	8:15 AM	Worship
		9:30 AM	Christian Education for All Ages
		11:00 AM	Worship
Tuesday	(5/15)	6:00 PM	Icon Class (Rm 11)
Wednesday	(5/16)	9:30 AM	CLC Quilters (Rm 11)
		10:30 AM	Bible Study (Lib)
		12:00 PM	Noon Eucharist (Sanct)
		4:00 PM	Dovecotes Choir (Sanct)
		4:30 PM	Children's Choir (Sanct)
		5:30 PM	Wed. Meals and Ministries (FH)
		6:00 PM	Bell Choir (Sanct)
Thursday	(5/17)	7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanct)
		10:00 AM	Day Stitchers (Rm 11)