September at Christ Church Lutheran — Something Every Sunday!

September 9th — God’s Work Our Hands
God’s Work, Our Hands Sunday. In worship at 9:30 a.m., we will welcome the new green set of paraments, woven by our Weaving Guild, and we will be inspired to use our own hands in God’s service.

Following worship, come to the gym for coffee fellowship, and then be equipped for doing advocacy about hunger issues and engage in a service project with our partner in ministry, Community Emergency Services. This year we will be packing bags of pet food for distribution at Community Emergency Services. See the article on page 5 for more information.

September 16th — Welcome Sunday
Welcome Sunday. In worship at 9:30 a.m., we will welcome the restored Saarinen-designed baptismal font back to our sanctuary and to our worship. We will make a big splash!

Following worship, come to the Atrium for coffee fellowship and for the Activity Fair where you can find out about ministry opportunities at Christ Church. For the children, there will also be a bounce house on the front lawn. What a joy to be back together after the summer!

September 23rd — First Forum of the School Year Begins
Come to eucharist worship at 9:30 a.m. Coffee fellowship follows, and then Sunday School begins at 11:05 a.m. and the first Forum of the school year gathers in the Kretzmann Room at 11:15 a.m. We begin a new year of learning together about faith and life!

September 30th — Martin Jean
Come to eucharist worship at 9:30 a.m. Coffee fellowship follows, and then Sunday School at 11:05 a.m. and a Forum at 11:15 a.m. in the Kretzmann Room with the marvelous organist and teacher, Dr. Martin Jean.

At 7:00 p.m., come to a Dedicatory Organ Recital with internationally acclaimed organist Martin Jean! Bring friends, family, neighbors. It will be thrilling! A reception will follow. Be sure to come to every part of this important Sunday in our life together! See the article on page 5 for more information. Note the time change, now at 7 p.m., with reception.

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Office Hours
Tuesday–Thursday, 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
Sunday Worship
Eucharist 9:30 a.m., followed by fellowship
September 23 through May
Godly Play for children ages 3–6, 11:05am–12:00
Spark! for children ages 7 & up, 11:05am–12:00
Educational forum, 11:15am–12:15pm
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Pastor Kristine Carlson
Pastor Erik Haaland
Cantors
Pastor Robert Farlee
Pastor Martin Seltz
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Hilary Gebauer
Marc Katz
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Council Members
Hilary Gebauer
Max Herzberg
DeAne Lagerquist
Marcus Nooney
Rachel Slater
September Birthdays
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9/4 Scott Schoenike
9/5 Zachary Swanson
9/8 Ivy Young
9/11 Jeff Weispfenning
9/12 Tim Brandon
Barb Revsbeck
9/13 Betsy Byers
Siri Caltvedt
9/14 Prince Faulk
Giselle Schoenike
Will Painter
9/17 Dori Brandon
9/19 April McMillan
Vanessa Rempel
9/20 Brian Woestehoff
9/21 William Woestehoff
9/25 Marc Katz
9/26 Kevin Olsen

If you are not named above, and should be, or your birthday is inaccurate, please call the church office 612.721.6611

Helping Hands for September
Jeanne & Darrell Anderson
Mary Bode
Molly Boes Ganza
Stephanie & Gary Gustafson
Marilyn & Wynn Johnston
Donna Lindberg
Greg Madson
Denise Morelock & Jeff Adams
Sharon & Dan Mueller
Katie Swanson & Noah Niermann
Carmen O’Halloran & Jason Weber
Marilu Peters
Vanessa Rempel & Matt Courtney
Rachel Slater

All church members are part of Helping Hands. You may be asked to help with Sunday Coffee and hospitality related events as needed. Mary Bode is the coordinator. Call the church office to connect with her.

Singers Welcome!
With September comes the beginning of choir season! Each year we welcome new singers to our expanding fold, and we hope this year will be no different. The choir leads the song of the people, takes certain roles in the liturgy for itself, and also beautifies and deepens our worship with anthems new and old. And we have a great time doing it! You won’t find a more congenial and welcoming group of people anywhere—so come give us a try! We rehearse each Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the choir room. (If you’re a little late, ring the doorbell. Someone will come and let you in). You may speak with one of our cantors ahead of time, or just show up to practice. You are most welcome!
Lectionary Readings for September

September 2
First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9
Psalm: Psalm 15
Second Reading: James 1:17-27
Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

September 9
First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7a
Psalm: Psalm 146
Second Reading: James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17
Gospel: Mark 7:24-37

September 16
First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm: Psalm 54
Second Reading: James 3:1-12
Gospel: Mark 8:27-38

September 23
First Reading: Jeremiah 11:18-20
Psalm: Psalm 116:1-9
Second Reading: James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a
Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

September 30
Michael and All Angels
First Reading: Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3
Psalm: Psalm 103: 1-5, 20-22
Second Reading: Revelation 12:7-12

From the Church Council
Update for September

Melody provided a devotion from The Word in Season and a reading from Psalm 23. Though the Council took a summer break in July, Executive Committee worked diligently to advertise and recruit for the Parish Administrator and Children’s Ministry Director positions. Over 50 applications have been received for the Parish Administrator. We will be conducting interviews over the next couple weeks, and we hope to welcome a new Parish Administrator to the staff soon. We continue to recruit for the Children’s Ministry Director position, and we look forward to this exciting ministry among us. The congregation’s prayers and support to restructure the church’s staffing have made all this possible.

We heard a report from the Property Committee of needed repairs to two valves in the boiler heating system before the winter heating season arrives. The estimated cost is $5,700. Even during these dog days of summer, we are fortunate that this committee is busy preparing for the winter. There was an update about plans to host Church Council members of the Leipzig District of the Evangelical Church of Saxony, one of two Global Companions of the synod (The other Global Companion is the Lutheran Church in Nigeria). It is planned that these members from Leipzig will visit Minneapolis for 10 days, during Oct. 6-15. More information will be shared as their visit approaches.

We received regular reports and closed with the Lord’s Prayer.

Treasurer’s Report

Christ Church members, you are doing a great job of keeping up your offerings over the summer! This may be our best summer ever in that regard! With our member giving doing a little better than budgeted, and our expenses lower than budgeted, we are showing an adjusted surplus of over $12,000 at the end of July! There are still some big bills coming up, but we are in good shape to pay them.

Christ Church Lutheran Finances

(As of July 31, 2018)

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Sanctuary Roof Work Start in September

This year, once again, we were honored to receive a matching Legacy Grant from the State of Minnesota for re-roofing our sanctuary. Thanks to the Friends of Christ Church Lutheran for being our nonprofit partner to help make this happen (we receive the grant through them—as a church, we are not eligible otherwise). Bob Davis of the Preservation Committee has been working hard to organize this roofing effort—along with Darrell Anderson of the Property Committee, Rita Schoenike and the Project Management Task Force, our architect Angela Wolf Scott of MacDonald & Mack, and Pastor Carlson and Cantors Robert Farlee and Martin Seltz. Work on the sanctuary roof will be done by the same company that recently re-roofed our Education Building—Jackson & Associates. Work will begin in early September and take about a month, depending in part on the weather of course. This group is also working to ensure a good process for everyone, so that our congregation life can go on well during this time. Look in Sunday bulletins for updates.
**Courier Closeup – Molly Boes Ganza**

This month’s *Closeup* features Molly Boes Ganza, who has been a member of Christ Church Lutheran for three years.

**When did you start attending Christ Church Lutheran and what brought you here?**

The combination of great music and welcoming people is what first brought me to Christ Church Lutheran, and that same community is what keeps me coming back!

**Do you live in the neighborhood?**

I live in the Highland neighborhood of St. Paul just across the river with my husband Chris. While we enjoy spending a lot of time in Minneapolis, we are St. Paul people at heart.

**Do you have any stories to tell about your time here or about events or activities you have been involved in?**

It has been so great to connect with people throughout my time here, whether it be baking baptism cakes, serving as assistant minister and greeter, or at music series events. Some of my favorite memories have been playing my bassoon at an Epiphany party, decorating the sanctuary for Easter, and helping at Beer Club.

**How does Christ Church Lutheran help you live and share your faith?**

Being a part of Christ Church connects me more deeply to my faith because of the intentionality in the liturgy and the compassion of the people here.

**What do you do when you’re not in church?**

I am the Assistant Dean of Fine Arts Recruitment at St. Olaf College, and I teach early childhood Music Together classes in the neighborhood. I am also a board certified music therapist. Chris is the organist and choirmaster at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. We love traveling, exploring new restaurants, and enjoying everything Minnesota’s four seasons have to offer.

**What can you tell us about yourself that we may not have known?**

I love baking! Bundt cakes and cupcakes are my favorite, though using whatever is fresh or in season can provide a good challenge. When in doubt, I always choose or use sprinkles (we even had sprinkles on our wedding cake!)

“Closeup” is a Courier feature to help us get better acquainted with our fellow members. If you would like to share your story we will all have a chance to meet them. There may well be other opportunities to socialize with the Leipzigers—they are excited to learn more about Christ Church and other Lutheran churches and church people.

Watch for the schedule of their visit in the October Courier. Most of these people have never been to the United States. We hope many of us can find ways to make them feel our warm “Welkommen.”

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**Wilkommen Til Der Heimat**

*By Morrie Wee, co-chair, Minneapolis Area Synod/Leipzig District Partnership*

Years ago, when I first had the opportunity as a college student to spend several months in Germany, I arrived home to find a huge message written on our garage door in multi-colored duct tape: “Wilkommen til der Heimat.” My parents’ German wasn’t great, but the sentiment was.

It will be something like that when Christ Church welcomes church Council members from the Sophienkirchgemeinde of Leipzig in October. We might struggle with the challenges of different languages, but the welcome will be warm. Many of you know Pastor Helge Voigt and his family from their time here two years ago, when Pastor Voigt worked at Christ Church as part of a clergy exchange.

As of this writing, we are not certain that Pastor Voigt’s health will be good enough for him and his wife, Anke, to come. But 12 members of his congregation—mostly Council members—are planning to come.

They will arrive on Saturday, Oct. 6, and leave on Monday, Oct. 15. They will be staying with local hosts. We need a few more hosts! If you are interested, connect with Morrie Wee or Kate Haugen or call the church office. Some German language would be helpful, but is not required.

The group will worship at Christ Church on Sunday, Oct. 7, so
September Forums
September 23rd — Worship’s Silent Vocabulary with Pastor Robert Farlee

Lutheran worship is, unlike Quaker worship, full of words. Prayers, hymns, sermon, creed—many words communicate God’s law and gospel and our response. But in the midst of those words, communication with God and among ourselves also takes place through symbols and gesture, from the sign of the cross through the candles and flowers at the altar. This forum will explore some of those silent communications.

September 30th — A Conversation with Martin Jean

Not only is Dr. Martin Jean the world-renowned organist who will be leading the dedicatory recital on the new Christ Church Organ on Sunday, September 30—he also heads the Institute of Sacred Music at Yale University. Come to hear and engage in conversation about the ongoing renewal of worship and music in the 21st century.

Organ Concert with Martin Jean
Sunday, September 30, 7:00 p.m. (note time change!)

The dedicatory recital on the new Christ Church pipe organ will be performed by internationally acclaimed organist Martin Jean. Dr. Jean is Professor of Organ, Professor in the Practice of Sacred Music, and Director of the Institute of Sacred Music at Yale University. Prior to assuming his position at Yale, he served as Associate Professor of Music and University Organist at Valparaiso University in Indiana and as Associate Professor of Music at Concordia College in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The recital will take place at 7:00 pm on Sunday, September 30, in the church sanctuary. The recital is free and open to the public and will be followed by a reception. Bring friends, family, neighbors, music lovers!

Green Paraments Woven By Christ Church Weavers

For the last several years, a dedicated group of Christ Church weavers has been working on new altar cloths and stoles for the green season of the church year, a long season lasting from the Sunday after Holy Trinity—in late May or early June—until Christ the King Sunday at the end of November.

This new green set has been woven in shades of green that take us on a seasonal journey from the yellow-gold hues of spring through the deep forest greens of summer and into the olive greens of fall. The inspiration for this set comes from a poem that Pastor Carlson found, by Marge Piercy, who talks in her poem about “seventeen shades of green.”

This new, many-shades-of-green set will be used in worship for the first time on September 9, and will be welcomed in a special way in that worship service.

The altar cloths are woven on simple rigid heddle looms by beginning weavers. The stole, beautifully woven by Kate Haugen, was made with a twill pattern on a small floor loom of Pastor Carlson’s.

Interest in weaving at Christ Church Lutheran started five years ago, spurred by gifts of looms to the church. The group’s first project was a seven-panel blue tapestry that hangs in the chapel during the season of Advent.

More than 15 members of the congregation have participated in weaving and/or designing these projects.

The focus of the weaving group is to:

- Build community around a common interest in weaving.
- Create artistic pieces that will contribute to our worship and the beauty of our building.
- Encourage broad congregational participation, including children, in creating the piece.

The weaving group will continue to work on additional green paraments this fall and winter. If you are interested in learning to weave or want to increase your skills, look for the class starting this fall. If you have questions, contact Kevin Olsen at 612.554.5401 or klolsen2@gmail.com.

Book Discussion — Saturday, September 15th, 10:00 a.m.

The next book for the Christ Church book discussion group is A Gentleman in Moscow, by Amor Towles. Google Books offers this description: “In 1922, Count Alexander Rostov is deemed an unrepentant aristocrat by a Bolshevik tribunal, and is sentenced to house arrest in the Metropol, a grand hotel across the street from the Kremlin. Rostov, an indomitable man of erudition and wit, has never worked a day in his life, and must now live in an attic room while some of the most tumultuous decades in Russian history are unfolding outside the hotel’s doors. Unexpectedly, his reduced circumstances provide him entry into a much larger world of emotional discovery.” This novel has received rave reviews. All are welcome to come for good conversation together.
“New” font restored and installed! Welcome back the original Saarinen-designed baptismal font — Sunday, Sept 16, 9:30 a.m.

Over four years ago, we said good-bye to our baptismal font. It was designed by the architect who gave us our remarkable historic sanctuary space, Eliel Saarinen—and it, too, was remarkable. A stunningly beautiful bowl of shining silver that glowed with the holy and held up the waters of baptism to all who came to them. But over the years, it had begun to show wear from so much water and its minerals, and serious pitting had set in. The Altar Guild, the Preservation Committee, and the pastoral staff all felt it was time for the font to receive important Tender Loving Care. It was removed in June of 2014.

It and we began a long journey together as we tried to find ways for it to be restored. Bob Davis led this process, and we conferred with experts locally and around the world. In the end, it was decided that we needed to cast a new font bowl. We are excited to welcome our new restored font back to our worship life on Sunday, September 16, in our worship service. We will make a big splash together as we give thanks for our baptisms and for the honored and treasured vessels used in them.

During the years that this font was out of the sanctuary, we have been using a substitute bowl that we have come to love too, and the new stand that was made through an anonymous gift to hold it. Joanne Seltz and Mary Bode found it for us—the Luau Bowl from Crate & Barrel. We are discussing what to do with it. The stand that was made will be used now to hold the elements for communion at the back of the sanctuary—they will be processed forward from there by the ushers during the Offering Song.

This long journey has a happy ending! Come and get wet as we welcome back our baptismal font!

Christ Church Lutheran Goes To The Market

If you weren’t able to join us at the Farmers Market, here are a few photos from the Christ Church Lutheran Day at the Midtown Farmers Market – August 4, 2018. Thanks to Gerry Tyrrell for organizing our presence at the Market, and to Gordon Olschlager, president of the Friends of Christ Church Lutheran (FCCL), for his presence that day. Thanks also to Sarah Brunsvold and Jeff Weispfenning for their brilliant face-painting skills!
From the Racial Justice Task Force
— Sacred Stories
by Bob Victorin-Vangerud

About four miles as the crow flies from where we worship each Sunday is a place called Bdote. The word comes from the language of the Dakota people, who were the first inhabitants of this part of Minnesota. Bdote (Mendota is a loose rendering of the word) refers to a place where two rivers come together, in this case, the meeting of the Mississippi and the Minnesota Rivers. Most Minnesotans know Bdote as Fort Snelling State Park, but in the Dakota worldview Bdote is the place where humans were created and first walked the earth. Imagine if the Garden of Eden were just down the road.

But Bdote is also the site of what is probably the world’s first concentration camp. After the U.S. Dakota War, during the winter of 1862-3, 1700 Dakota women, children and elders were forcibly marched 150 miles and interned in a small compound below the fort high on the bluff. 400 died that winter. Many Dakota people consider these events to be part of a genocide carried out against their people.

Recently, DeAne Lagerquist, Pastor Haaland and Bob Victorin-Vangerud spent a Sunday afternoon at Bdote hearing these stories retold by Jim Bear Jacobs at an event sponsored by the Eco-Faith Network of the Minneapolis Area Synod (ELCA). It was astounding to realize that the place we live, the streets and trails that we walk, have a complex history. Learning that history—hearing Jim Bear tell these sacred stories—raised many questions for us.

Update From the Refugee Team

A team of four persons from Christ Church—Ron Johnson, Morrie Wee, Brad Hubert, Martin Thompson—is working with the most recent refugee family sponsored by Christ Church Lutheran. This work will continue until the Spring of 2019. Meetings with the family are generally once per week, though the frequency will decrease over time. Primarily the team is a resource for the family in dealing with whatever needs arise for them. In addition, the team attempts to introduce the family to some aspects of American life. Actions in this regard can be as simple as taking the children to a playground or the whole family to the St. Paul Farmers Market. Two of the next events will be participation in a Karen (Kah-REN) Health Festival and a trip to an apple orchard. The Health Festival may be particularly important since it will likely address health issues common among Karen people. It is an all day event that will include games and food vendors.

An inability to clearly communicate with the family members continues to be a substantial challenge. The family must, of course, experience the same frustration. There are, however, other dis-connects to confront. Karen people traditionally do not have family names, which can provide some confusion in this American society. Married couples do not share the same name, though this is increasingly not so uncommon in this society. Given names of persons often have specific meanings. A name might refer to an event, place or happening.

Karen people have the cultural values of not imposing upon people and being quiet rather than talkative. Demonstrating humility is important. It is said that these behaviors may inhibit persons from telling a doctor all that needs to be said, for example. The American tendency to be direct is not practiced or understood by Karen people. Invitations are often rejected before being accepted as a sign of modesty. A Karen Cultural Profile also indicates that when walking by someone, it is appropriate to lower one’s head. Direct eye contact is sometimes not considered polite. Normally it is important for Karen people to walk behind those who are elders or senior to them. Folding one’s arms in front of oneself when talking to someone is a sign of respect, in contrast to what usually prevails in this society. In Karen communities, decisions are normally made by consensus. Loud confrontations in reaching decisions are not acceptable. Karen people are more concerned with honoring people than with the clock. Thus appointments can be somewhat fluid. All of this reminds us that there is more than one way for the communities of the world to function.

Christ Church is growing! If you would like to become a member of this congregation, that would be a happy thing! Speak to Pastor Carlson or call the church office. The next New Member Class and Welcome will be this fall during a Sunday worship service. The date will be announced soon.
Save the Date — “God’s Work. Our Hands” — Sunday, September 9

Every year, our national church (the Evangelical Church in America—the ELCA) celebrates a day of service. This year Christ Church Lutheran will be partnering with and supporting three different organizations for “God’s Work. Our Hands.” Sunday.

First, we will be collecting donations to sponsor another year of The Sheridan Story at Howe Elementary School. This year-long “backpack” program provides bags of food for children who otherwise might not have enough food to eat at home over the weekend. We need to raise $1,200 to support the program for the year. There will be an opportunity to contribute on this Sunday. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Then, after worship on this Sunday, we will join together in the work of advocacy—specifically hunger-related advocacy through Bread for the World. We will be invited to use our hands (and hearts and minds!) to communicate with elected officials, advocating for policies that provide justice and dignity for those who do not have enough to eat. Everything you need to write a letter (or two, or three!) will be provided, for all ages.

That day there will also be a hands-on project for children and adults: packing bags of pet food through Ani-Meals, a project of our partner in ministry, Community Emergency Service (CES). Over the years CES has discovered that people using their food services would often give the food they received from CES to their pets, causing their pets to get sick and leaving the humans without enough to eat. The Ani-Meals program now provides pet food as well—for healthier, happier pets and humans!

Come for this day of generosity, learning, and service! God’s Work. Our Hands!

ARTS COMMITTEE SEEKS NEW ARTISTS

Over the past two years we have all enjoyed a variety of exhibits in the Atrium of the Education Building. As the Christ Church Arts Committee plans for the coming year, we are seeking members, or member connections, who may have some art to be considered for an exhibit in 2018-2019.

Perhaps you or an acquaintance have never thought of yourself as an artist, but have some creative outlet to share! We encourage you to contact a member of the committee with names or ideas for potential exhibits. Thank you.

Arts Committee Members are Mary Bode, Sarah Brunsvold, Ann Davis, Kate Haugen, Marc Katz and Jeff Weispfenning.

Money Matters

“Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night nor painting of the Christ Church office will stay these tellers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds.” Tellers Gene Bruss (left) and Marilyn Johnston (right), with assistance from Jan Radloff Bruss (center), copy checks from a Sunday service collection. The latter is giving careful supervision of this task while Gene holds the plastic sheet covering the copy machine during the painting of the office. Each week tellers from our congregation volunteer to count, record, and bank the collections from all our services. Other tellers doing this service are Dawn Dankers, Donna Gawreluk, Daniel Holmgren, Phyllis Mattill and Melody Pauling. Melody coordinates this function in addition to being our church treasurer. Jan is the recorder of contributions for each congregation member’s quarterly and annual giving statements. Our special thanks to these faithful volunteers!”

B.A.S.I.C.

Brothers and Sisters in Christ

Wednesday, September 26th, 11:00 a.m.

Come on Wednesday, September 26, 11:00 a.m., to the Concordia room for the September B.A.S.I.C.s meeting. Lunch will be potluck. Check the Sunday bulletins for further information. Everyone is welcome! Invite a friend.
The Quiet Space. A Space We Love!

Just over a year ago, we welcomed the Quiet Space into our Chapel at the back of the sanctuary—a space for children and the adults who come with them to go, for awhile, during worship, when a break from the pews is needed. A space to go to sit quietly together in a rocking chair. A space to go to sit at tables with friends and color. A space to go to hear the sermon and sing hymns along with everyone else, and a space to come from to holy communion.

Each Sunday, an adult volunteer oversees the Quiet Space. We are grateful to the adults who do this! If you would like to help in this way in the Quiet Space, please let the church office know.

Be sure to check the Sunday morning schedule on the front page of the Courier! Children and their families are welcome to all of these things.

Sunday, September 9
We will have God’s Work. Our Hands. Sunday. After worship, come to the gym for coffee and treats, and then a service project for all ages packing up pet bags of food for the food shelf. See the article on the opposite page.

Sunday, September 16
We will have Welcome Sunday! After worship, there will be treats and a Bounce House for children. Adults are welcome to stroll the tables in the hall of the Atrium for information about the many ministry opportunities of this congregation and a chance to sign up to get involved.

Sunday, September 23
Sunday School begins! Godly Play for the younger children will be in the Blue Room. Older children can come to the Red Room. Come and meet your teachers and get registered for a good year of growing and learning together.

Sunday, September 30
Sunday School at 11:05 a.m. At 7:00 p.m., come to a Dedicatory Organ Recital with internationally acclaimed organist Martin Jean! A reception follows.
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