**Christ Lutheran Church**

**Week at a Glance**

**November 17 – November 24**

**Today, November 17 Commitment Sunday**

**9:30am Worship-In Person & Live Stream**

**11:00am Stewardship Brunch (Social Hall)**

**12:00pm His Grace Service (Sanctuary)**

**5:00pm OA (Founder’s Room)**

**Monday, November 18**

**7:00pm His Grace (CR)**

**Tuesday, November 19**

**9:00am Cover G’s (Social Hall)**

**6:00pm His Grace Prayer Service (Sanctuary)**

**Wednesday,** **November 20**

**9:45am Bible Study (Zoom)**

**6:00pm Women’s Bible Study (Founder’s Room)**

**Thursday, November 21**

**6:00pm Preschool Board meeting (Zoom)**

**6:00pm OA (Founder’s Room)**

**7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)**

**7:15pm His Grace Worship Rehearsal (Founder’s Room)**

**7:30pm GLB Church (SH)**

**Friday, November 22**

**No Events Planned**

**Saturday, November 23**

**10:00am Islamic Unity (CR or SH)**

**Sunday,** **November 24**

**9:30am Worship -In Person & Live Streamed**

**10:00am Islamic Unity (SH)**

**11:00AM Sunday Ed – Peace #3 (CR)**

**11:00am MOMs Group (FR)**

**12:00pm His Grace Service (Sanctuary)**

**5:00pm OA (Founder’s Room)**

**Altar flowers this morning** are given to the glory of God by Cathy Westwood in memory of her children Rhonda and Bruce Short.

**At this time, we can’t email the church newsletter** to all members. You can go to our website and there will be a link to the newsletter. If you receive the Friday Eblast, there is a link there as well. We’re very sorry for this inconvenience and hope to have this remedied at some point; we’ll let you know if or when that happens.

**Planning has begun for our 4th Annual Christmas Market.** Please take a look at the sign up sheet going around this morning to see if there is something that you would like to help out with. This is an outreach ministry to the community, and we really need everyone to pitch in.

**Save the date for decorating the sanctuary for Christmas!** Saturday, November 30th at 10am. The more hands, the faster and lighter the work.

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**Our Stewardship program - "A Future with Hope" – is happening**. As we talk about Time, Talents, and Treasures, we urge you to consider your ***“WHY”***.

 ***Why*** has God led you to 6500 Stearns St. in Long Beach? ***Why*** are you a member of this community? ***Why*** do you support Christ Lutheran Church with your time, talents, and treasures?

When we contribute to CLC, we are supporting it all. We are compensating our awesome staff. We are stewarding our building and property to be used for the church and our surrounding community. We are supporting organizations that are caring for neighbors, near and far. We are funding God’s mission in this place. What’s your ***why?***

This week, we’ll welcome a CLC member to share their ***why***. Thank you,

Joyce Carter, for sharing your **why** with us this Sunday!

**The Healing Power of the Holy Spirit**

**We pray for:**

**Members at Home or in Care Centers:** Laurie Ennen, Ione Marchael, Sydney Nichols, Bary & Janice Schlieder, and Frances Willms.

**Those struggling with illness or other concerns:** Don Darnauer, Judy Haenn, Daniel Howard, Sheryl Hunter, Chris and Kathy Klute-Nelson,

Kristine Trost, Rich Williams, Gary & Linda Zimmerman.

**\*Family & Friends**: Noah, Lois Brown, Charlie and David Corm, Mary Croes, Denise Davis, Jessica, Clark Enebo, Tamra Fitzgerald, Brechin Flournoy, Cindy Gray, Jerry & Joan Green, Shar Higa, Kylie & Crystal Huber, Bryan Koenen, Aaron, Kim & Sienna Koepke, Barb Korsmo, Katrina Lahr, Carolyn Laitsch,

Luke McCann, Cameron, Kristina & Scott Randolph, Sharry Reed, Debbie Renner, Heather Robinson, David Sarvela, Marlene Shafer, Vicki Thompson, Kathy Vonbuskirk, Jessica West.

*\*Please use the blue prayer request form found in your pew pocket to add individuals or families to these lists. Names are included on the prayer list for 30 days unless specific requests are made through the office.*

**We also pray for the ongoing work of:**

 **+** Linda Gawthorne among the Kogi people of Colombia

 **+** First responders who provide safety, security, and care

 **+** Those serving in our nation's military, especially: Samuel Brown,

 Ryan Dorris, Morgan Llewellyn, Johnny Luna, Austin Marsh, Jim

 Reeder, Austin Rowell, Steven, Brina and Michael Navarro.

**+** Lutheran Social Services, Christian Outreach in Action, New Life Beginning.

 + We remember our unhoused neighbors, who find themselves without shelter

 and a place to call home. We pray for their safety, health, and wellness. We

 commit to treating them with compassion and working to combat systemic

 issues that leave our neighbors in need.

 **+Those Who Mourn: We pray for the family and friends of member**

 **and former office manager, Kathleen Davis. For those wishing to**

 **attend, Kathleen’s memorial service will be here at 3:00pm on**

 **Saturday, December 7, 2024.**

As of Sunday, November 3, we are live-streaming our worship services through YouTube. The link to our YouTube site is: [**https://www.youtube.com/@christlutheranlb**](https://www.youtube.com/%40christlutheranlb?fbclid=IwZXh0bgNhZW0CMTAAAR1g02-eCWOk1iZHCCHhQPY-OMyWccrEfMO0xEFdBfXQDhwac-iqZAMcl3w_aem_XIw5p88TuDsI9j-xUe7hIQ)

You can still go to our Facebook page on Sunday mornings.   We’ll post a link there so you can easily connect to YouTube on Sunday mornings.

**This morning’s worship assistants:**

**Assisting Minister:** Ron Nelson

**Communion Assistants:** Claudia Fitzpatrick, Shannon Timney,

 and Robin Black

**Lector:** Shannon Timney

**Greeters**: Claudia Fitzpatrick

**Altar Guild:** Heather Nielsen

**Coffee Cart:** Lily Feeman

**Ushers:** Shannon and Steve Howard, Jeff Rodrigues

 **Thank you all.**



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