

CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

ANNOUNCEMENTS



July 7, 2019



ALTAR FLOWERS THIS MORNING

are given by Anne, Tim, Bree and Stefan Sheridan in memory of Anne's father, LeRoy Nabben.



Thank you to all who donated, walked or in any way participated in the Relay for Life this last weekend. Our team (Vic's Vikings) raised \$11,000.00 and the

Stillwater Event raised \$186,00.00 so far--donations will be accepted until August 31. Although the Event was called at midnight on Saturday due to storm warnings, we were successful in making a difference in the battle to find a cure and bring hope to cancer patients and survivors. Thanks again!!



CLC offices will be closed Monday, July 15 through Friday, July 19!!

In an effort to spring clean and organize the church offices, they will be closed the week of July 15-19.

Phone messages will be checked periodically throughout the day. However, Pastor Andy, Catherine, Kristin, Diane and Sara will be unavailable during this week, except for emergencies.

We appreciate your patience and understanding during this time.

What does the Lord require of you, but to do justice, love kindness and walk humbly before your God.

Micah 6:8

Summer office hours



Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. - noon



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Kendra Tatro

Prayer Chain requests: If you would like to put yourself or someone else on the CLC Prayer Chain, please contact Diane or Sara in the office and your request will be forwarded to the Prayer Chain.

YOUTH DROP-IN CENTER support needed. This mission project of the St. Croix Valley is reaching many youth in need. See the flyer and shopping lists on the narthex bulletin board for the items especially needed. Financial donations would also be very welcome. Make checks to CLC with memo: YOUTH DROP-IN CENTER. Thank you for your generosity and concern.



Women's Book Club will meet on Thursday, July 25 at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Meg Corrigan to discuss *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens.

THANK YOU to all of our CLC members for GOING BEYOND and volunteering to help with VBS! It was a great week!

Thanks to:

- Naomi and Diana for helping with registration
- Anne, Lori, Kathryn and the "pizza ladies" (Sandi, Pat, and Bonnie) for helping with dinner
- Bree, Charlotte, Esther, Kahlan, Raif, Rhyse,
 Peightan, Addie, Moses, Lydia, Candy, Paula,
 Elizabeth and Vivian for leading groups
- Stacey, Pastor Andy and Gracie for leading our stations.
- Deanna and Jenna for coordinating the service project

You are all amazing!



By Cleone Pritchard, Secretary

In spite of weather conditions that were a bit ominous, a large group of CLC women gathered on June 4th for our annual Salad Supper. We heard briefly from Lowell Gillette about the vision for the new CLC mission ministry team and how they hope to work in partnership with our unit.

Sharing her writing and research skills, **Gloria VanDemmeltraadt** presented a wonderful study on Jesus' "I Am the BREAD of life" statement. **Sigrid LePage** shared her baking talents and helped everyone experience kneading bread and preparing it for the oven. Each participant took home a small loaf to bake so the entire valley area should have smelled like fresh baked bread the next morning. Huge thanks to these women for sharing their gifts with us.

Additional thanks go out to hostesses **Toni Ziton, Diane Morgan, and Pat Urtel**, who helped the atrium bloom with fresh flowers as beautiful tables welcomed everyone and who prepared delicious desserts to complete our meal. The wide variety of salads had everyone coming back for second helpings. It was a beautiful way to end our study year and to begin summer's special treats.

Although our Bible study sessions are not meeting this month, our mission efforts continue. During July and August, we are joining in support of Alida Peltier and her work to encourage donations for the **Youth Drop In Center** at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Please see coming announcements that explain the specific items that are needed. In addition, we will again strive to gather **school supplies** to help students at Lake Elmo Elementary. Beginning the school year prepared with needed supplies gives a great encouragement to every student.

Work on our 2019-2020 unit yearbook will be in full swing this month. There are still a few openings for study hostesses and for sunshine visitors. If you are willing to help with these tasks, please contact Cleone Pritchard immediately.

In the kiosk at the atrium entrance, there are several copies of the June GATHER magazine. If you are not already subscribing to this great read, borrow a copy and discover for yourself the variety and excellence of this publication. Information for subscribing is also available there.

Please be reminded that as a woman member of CLC you are also a member of our Women of the ELCA unit. Consider becoming an eager participant when our 2019-2020 program year begins in September.

