



# The Buzz ...

The newsletter for Christ Lutheran Church



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## Today Is Child Care Sunday

We welcome the parents of our preschool today. The children have been practicing songs, and we look forward to hearing their spirited voices.

After the service everyone is invited to the Fireside Room for a luncheon reception honoring the director and teachers who are retiring in June. Please stay for this important recognition of many years of service to our church.

## Something Missing?

Have you noticed that the rolling bulletin board is no longer being used? It gave up the ghost several weeks ago. We are now using the bulletin board in the entrance to the right as you enter the church. Check it out for items of current activities or information.

## Put on your Calendar

June 1: Picnic with Puerta de Paz

**June 3: VOTE**

June 6: First Friday Fellowship

June 8: Day of Pentecost (Wear Red)

June 9: Council meeting

June 23-27: LRCC Day Camp

September 7: ELCA Day of Service

## NEWS IN BRIEF

- ✚ Puerta De Paz Picnic June 1: Meat, beans, and rice will be provided. Bring a dish to share.
- ✚ Fair Trade coffee, tea, and chocolate are available. See Cindy Noorani for special orders. These make great gifts.
- ✚ Son and Surf Conference will again participate in the ELCA Day of Service September 7 with a food drive at local markets: a chance to wear those gorgeous yellow T-shirts.
- ✚ While you're enjoying the summer, don't forget the needs of your church continue even when you're out having fun or just relaxing.
- ✚ First Friday Fellowship will continue in June with pizza, salad, songs. You never know what else might happen. Be there.
- ✚ Confirmation students are planning the Pentecost service with Pastor Carole.

## News from the May Council Meeting

Council met in the air-conditioned church office, elbow to elbow, but cool.

Pastor is looking for volunteers to bake unleavened bread for communion. Any volunteers?

A laptop computer has been purchased for CLC's bookkeeper, Linda Percifield, who will take over the pre-school finances in July. It will be used only for bookkeeping.

The council acknowledged Puerta de Paz's offer to replace damaged rafters and other wood on the Fireside Room. Cost to be deducted from their monthly donation.

Discussed the need to have someone in charge of the Google calendar.

New pre-school director will start on June 1. Much of this meeting was spent discussing details of that changeover. A committee is working to make the transition as smooth as possible.

June Council meeting was changed to Monday, June 9 to accommodate schedule and other considerations.

## Day Camp Needs Help

The 4<sup>th</sup> annual LRCC Day Camp is scheduled for June 23-27. Registrations are available now for discounted fees thanks to a grant from Thrivent. Deadline for registering for discounted fees is May 16. Registration forms are available on the web site.

We will be welcoming about 4 LRCC councilors on Sunday, June 22, for the week-long camp. The pressing need right now is for housing for these young people, usually 2 female and 2 male. If you can provide a place for sleeping and feeding 2 or more, please contact Pastor.

Grace McDonald will again be in charge of providing daily snacks for the campers. She will be accepting donations to cover the cost of the food.

**The Buzz** is your newsletter. If you have something you would like to share with the community, please either call or email Cista or write it out and put it in the **Buzz** mailbox. We want to hear from you.

Every Wednesday join Pastor Carole in Mary House for Prayer and Meditation 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. She will be starting a study of the Enneagram Personality Types—a way to get to know yourself and others better, and a way to deepen your spiritual life.

Dear God, help me to be aware of those floundering about me. Help me to find the right words of praise and encouragement—to uplift the spirits of the lives I touch today. In Jesus' name, Amen

Contact Alan Leonard to make changes to the Prayer List

## CLC Church Council

Please share ministry ideas, property needs, suggestions for fundraisers, and any other concerns with our leaders.

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## Every Sunday Schedule

9:15 Confirmation Class with Pastor Carole

9:15 Sunday school for ages 3-12 with Tom

9:30 Adult Bible Study

10:30: Worship Service with Holy Communion

11:30: Fellowship after church: coffee and goodies

## Prayer List

**Compassionate God, we pray for all those who are struggling in body, mind or spirit. Grant them a sense of your peace. In Jesus name. Amen**

Ken Anderson (*Cancer*)

Pastor Mark Cansino, (*Healing*)

Mikayla Cecola, (*leukemia*)

Harriet Dohrmann

Mark Dokter, Jean Poencet's friend, (*cancer*)

The Family of Andrew Dyer, Pastor's brother (*on his death*)

Kristi Dysart, Dixid Dohrman's friend (*breast cancer*)

Mary Godlewski, Helen Murphy's daughter, (*on the death of John*)

Kay Grimes, Cindy Noorani's Aunt

Joyce Groth, Jean Fernow's sister (*Healing*)

Marianne Hamilton

**Frank Loulan & Richard Pearce-Moss, (*on the death of Frank's mother, Betty*)**

Olen Lowry

Mike Muier, Jean Fernow's neighbor (*Health issues*)

Karen Norton (*Health challenges*)

The Parmeter Dyer Family (*Good health*)

Laura Patrick (*Peace and discernment*)

Linda Percifield (*Cancer treatment*)

Linda Peterson (*Heart murmur*)

Robert Pettis (*Courage*)

Rosie Russo (*Medical concerns*)

Ida Savage, Lea Walker's sister (*Cancer*)

The Stallman family on Art's death

Don Vincent (*Hospitalized*)

Jordan Walker

Nick Walker

Our Bishops and synod staff,

Preschool Staff & Families

Puerta de Paz

Our Nation's Leaders

US Armed Forces and First-Responders

Child S.H.A.R.E. (foster care)

People impacted by natural disasters

## MAY BIRTHDAYS

7 Tom Parmeter Dyer

19 Bejan Noorani

## JUNE

### BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

2 Noah Matsumoto

10 Tom and Carole Parmeter Dyer

22 Jean Fernow

**Church office hours:** Tues/Wed. 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.  
(Subject to change; please call first.)

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