

A NEWS BULLETIN OF

Christ Alone Evangelical Lutheran Church

“To know Christ and to make his love known in our homes, communities, nation and world.”

JANUARY 19, 2020

EPIPHANY 2

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 8:19-9:2, 1 John 2:3-11; Matthew 4:12-23

CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

Let us encourage one another -- and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Church Mailboxes – The mailboxes have been re-alphabetized, your mailbox may now be in a new location so please check that you are using the correct mailbox. Thank you.

Call Meeting – Our voters' meeting on Monday, February 3, 6:30 pm will include the work of calling a fulltime principal for our school, as well as calling a teacher for the 7 & 8th grade classroom for the coming year. All voting members are encouraged to come to take part in this important decision.

CPR Hands On Training – Congregational members are invited to attend a hands-on review of CPR and to learn a little bit about how to use the AEDs located in our school and both campus churches. Class will be held at the Mequon Public Safety Building on Buntrock on Wednesday, February 5 beginning at 6:30 pm. The class will last about 2 hours. There is no charge for the class; however, you do need to let the church office 262-242-4710 know you will be attending. (This class is not for certification.)

School Winter Carnival - We are excited to host our first ever school winter carnival on Saturday, January 25th from 2:00-5:00 pm! This event is being run for the purpose of promoting our school and preschool to our friends, neighbors, and community as well as a fellowship opportunity for our own school families. We are looking for church members who would be interested in helping make this event a success. We need volunteers to help decorate, run carnival games, serve snacks, greet people as they arrive, etc. If you are able to help, please sign up online at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0448afa828a3ff2-school>. We are also looking for those who might be skilled in face painting or balloon animal making. Please contact the school

office if you can help or have questions.

There are postcards promoting this event in the back of church or outside the school office. Help us get the word out! Feel free to take some and share with neighbors, family, or friends who might be interested in attending.

KMLHS Choir Here – On Sunday, Jan 26, the KMLHS Traveling Choir will join us in a special service of musical worship at the 8:00 and 10:30 services. Rev. Phil Malchow will present God's Word at the Thursday and Saturday services, encouraging us and helping us appreciate our ministry that includes ministering to our high school youth.

Book of the Month - *When God Doesn't Fix It: Lessons You Never Wanted To Learn Truths You Can't Live Without* by Laura Story. The book is available at: Frank L. Weyenberg Library- in audiobook format. If you call the reference desk, they will help you download it. Can also be ordered from christianbook.com.

Book discussion led by Pastor Ebert, January 20, 2020, at 5:30 pm

Ladies Aid – Our next Ladies Aid meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 5 at 12:00 noon at the Trinity campus. Please bring your own sandwich. All ladies are welcome to attend.

Mission Festival – On Sunday, Feb 9, we will focus on a mission festival. Rev. Larry Schlomer, who administers WELS World Missions, will join us in worship and Bible Study for a special look at the amazing work we together support in world missions together with the rest of our synod.

Camp Phillip - Summer camping is just around the corner. The WELS Camp Phillip has sent out their early registration forms for next summer. Children in grades K-8 can be camping guests. High school-age children can apply to work as Junior Staff. Christ Alone is a member congregation so you get a 10% discount with any registration. Also in the spring time they will offer a fund raising opportunity to earn money to reduce the cost of camp. There are already a few children signed up for some summer camps. There is also a Family Fest weekend which is like their kick off to the summer. It is a great time for all ages. If you have any questions you may call the church office or visit the camp website or their Facebook site.

www.campphillip.com

Camp Bird - Each Summer Camp Bird for Lutherans, Inc. holds three one-week sessions for WELS youth. It's an amazing opportunity for young people to unplug and spend time in God's creation while reconnecting with old friends and meeting new ones. For more information about Camp Bird, please go to: <http://campbird.org/programs/registration/> A registration form is available just outside the school office or on the counter in the coat room of church.

Financial Giving Statements – Giving statements for 2019 have been emailed to everyone who uses email. A printed copy will be in church mailboxes to those who do not use email.

New Member Dinner Sunday, January 26, beginning at 4:30 p.m. We will need volunteers to make this evening go smoothly. A sign-up sheet is available. If you plan to attend, please bring a hot dish to share and a salad or dessert.

The “Underground” for teens – Our “Underground” meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm at our South campus.

School news – The 5th-8th Graders of Christ Alone Lutheran School participated in the National Geographic Society’s Geography Bee. All students took a preliminary exam. Ten students earned their way to the final round that took place on the stage in the Fellowship Hall on Friday January 10.

OTHER EVENTS IN THE WELS

Martin Luther College is now accepting applications for **one temporary limited-term Men's Cross Country Head Coach**. A comprehensive description of this position can be found at mlc-wels.edu/hr. Interested individuals should apply online. Applications will be accepted through 12:00 pm (noon) on Tuesday, January 28, 2020. Additional information and details can be obtained by contacting the Martin Luther College Human Resources Office at 507-354-8221.

Free Estate Planning Seminar - Join KML's very own Estate Planning Counselor, Mr. Paul Snamiska, and Estate Planning Attorney and KML alumnus, Mr. David Streese ('05), at KML on **Thursday, February 6, at 5:45 PM** for an informational evening which will not only save you money and time but entrust you with the tools to make smarter decisions for your future. KML's estate planning professionals share real-world advice and important thoughts on easy and effective life transitions for you and your loved ones. All attendees will receive a voucher for a free meal at the concession stand and a ticket to the evening's basketball game. Register to attend at foundation.kmlhs.org/events.

25 Years of Service - On Monday, February 17, Prof. Stephen Geiger and Prof. Joel Otto, both members of the faculty of Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, will observe and celebrate 25 years of service in the Lord’s kingdom. A festival service will begin at 9:20 a.m. in the seminary chapel. Pastor Larry Schlomer is the preacher. A reception will follow in the library foyer. Greetings may be sent directly to Prof. Geiger or Prof. Otto.

Luther Prep School-Watertown Auction Gala - Donations of new items are currently being accepted for the Luther Prep Auction Gala to be held on Saturday, April 18. If you have something to share it can be brought to the Mission Advancement office anytime during the LPS school day. Ideas would include - gift cards for national chains (gas/dining), pair of tickets to an event, and specialty type gift. Another idea is to get some members together and

sponsor a ""*Congregational Basket*."" If you cannot attend the Gala in person this would be a great way to show support! Monetary donations can be made online:

<https://events.readysetauction.com/lutherpreparatoryschool/galaxy>

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.

Prayers of Intercession – Janet Miller at Lasata, Judi Guse recovering at home, Betty Rennicke at McKinley Place. For safe travels for those traveling home from Israel.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR (CC- CALVARY CAMPUS TC- TRINITY CAMPUS)

Sun 1/19 **Communion Service(CC) 8:00 am**

Bible Class (CC) 9:15 am

Sunday School (CC) 9:15 am

Catechism Class (CC) 9:15 am

Communion Service St. John's 9:15 am

Communion Service (CC) 10:30 am

Girls' Bible Study 6:15 pm

Mon 1/20 No School Teacher Inservice

Women's Bible Class (TC) - 1 Corinthians - 1:30 pm

Book Club (Grossman Home) 5:30 pm

Dartball (Away) 7:30 pm

Tues 1/21 Bible Class (CC) - library - Prepared to Answer - 6:45 am

Bible Class (CC) – library - Reading the Bible – Ezekiel & Psalms - 9:30 am

Quilting Ministry (TC) 1:00 pm

Wed 1/22 Bible Class (TC) - II Peter - 9:30 am

The Underground (TC) 6:00 pm

Choir (CC) 6:30 pm

Thur 1/23 **Worship Service (TC) 6:30 pm**

Discovery Class – 6:30 pm – school library

Bible Class (TC) 7:45 pm

Fri 1/24 CALS Chapel (CC) 8:00 am

Sat 1/25 Men's Bible Study (CC) 7:30 am

CALS Winter Carnival (CC) 2:00-5:00 pm

Worship Service (TC) 5:30 pm

Sun 1/26 **Worship Service(CC) 8:00 am**
Bible Class (CC) 9:15 am
Sunday School (CC) 9:15 am
Catechism Class (CC) 9:15 am
Worship Service St. John's 9:15 am
Worship Service (CC) 10:30 am
New Member Dinner (CC) 4:30 pm

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