

## A NEWS BULLETIN OF

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### Christ Alone Evangelical Lutheran Church

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

JANUARY 26, 2020

EPIPHANY 3

#### Next Week's Readings

Daniel 3:13-27, 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 5:1-12

#### CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

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

**School Winter Carnival** - We are excited to host our first ever school winter carnival this 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.

**New Member Dinner** This Sunday, January 26, beginning at 4:30 p.m. If you plan to attend, please bring a hot dish to share and a salad or dessert.

**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 & 8<sup>th</sup> grade classroom for the coming year. All voting members are encouraged to come to take part in this important decision.

**College Care Packages** - In a few weeks Christ Alone will be sending “special Valentines” to our 38 college students. Please place monetary donations in the care package collection boxes located in the back of church at both campuses or drop off in the school/church office through Sunday, February 2.

**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.)

**Lenten Meals** - We will once again be hosting Lenten meals on Wednesdays after the 3:15 pm service at the north campus from 4:00-5:30 pm. If your group wants to host a Lenten Meal, please call the church office at 262-242-4710. We are looking for volunteers to set up, serve, clean up and bring salads and desserts. Please look for the sign-up sheets in the back of either church or <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A044DADAA29A1F58-lenten>

**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 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.

**The "Underground" for teens** – Our "Underground" meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm at our South campus. Seventh graders through high school are invited!

**School news** – Christ Alone Lutheran School invites the congregation to join us for chapel on Fridays at 8am. The pastors and male teachers lead the half-hour devotions that include hymns, scripture readings, a chapel talk, and prayers. The children would appreciate the encouragement of others as they sing praises and hear and read God's Word. The second week of February, we will move chapel to THURSDAY, February 13, to welcome Pastor Adam Lambrecht, Laramie, WY, to speak to us about his mission congregation.

**Save the Date** – Save the date! Our spring pizza event will be on Saturday, March 21. Watch for pizza order forms to come soon.

**Fun and Fellowship** - On Thursday, December 3, 2020, we will be going to **The Fireside Theatre** to see **HOLIDAY INN**. Based on the classic film starring Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire, Irving Berlin's HOLIDAY INN comes to The Fireside in celebration of all the holidays of the year. Jim, a song and dance man and his new love Linda turn a Connecticut farmhouse into a fabulous inn that's only open on holidays. All is well until Jim's best friend Ted comes along

with his own ideas about Linda and the inn. This joyous musical features thrilling dance numbers, laugh-out-loud comedy and a parade of hit Irving Berlin songs including “Blue Skies,” “Easter Parade,” “Cheek to Cheek,” “White Christmas,” and many more. It’s a year-round classic to make any holiday sparkle! We will leave Christ Alone’s (south campus) parking lot at 9 am and return by 5:30 pm. The cost per person is \$85.00 per person, which includes transportation, meal, and the show.

## **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](http://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](http://foundation.kmlhs.org/events).

**NEW DATE! 4th Annual Percussion Concert** - The 4th Annual Percussion Invitational Concert has been rescheduled for Saturday, February 8, at 6:30 PM in the KML PAC Auditorium. Come hear this amazing concert featuring the ensembles of KML, KML elementary schools, and Wisconsin Lutheran High School. It is a free concert. (Free will offering will be taken.) It’s sure to be a fun night of music! For more information, contact Mr. Wes Schmandt ([wes.schmandt@kmlhs.org](mailto:wes.schmandt@kmlhs.org)).

**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.

**Women’s Retreat, New Beginnings** – The women of St Lucas, Kewaskum invite you to join them for the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Women’s Retreat. This retreat will be held at St Lucas Lutheran School, 1410 Parkview Dr., Kewaskum, in Hoenecke Hall on Saturday, February 22 with registration and refreshments at 8:30am and the retreat concluding at 2:30pm. A non-

refundable registration fee of \$17.00 includes lunch and presentations. This is a one-day retreat filled with speakers, worship and fun. Speakers for this retreat will include: Pastor James Buske, Kessia Boche and Pastor Jonathan Kuske. A printable brochure/registration form is available at [www.stlucaswels.org](http://www.stlucaswels.org). Please call Lynn Garvey at 262-626-4749 with questions. Registrations are due by February 15. Please bring a friend.

**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>

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

- 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
- Mon 1/27 Women's Bible Class (TC) - 1 Corinthians - 1:30 pm  
Council Meeting (CC) 6:30 pm  
Dartball (Home) 7:30 pm
- Tues 1/28 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 1/29 Bible Class (TC) - II Peter - 9:30 am  
The Underground (TC) 6:00 pm  
Choir (CC fellowship hall) 6:30 pm  
Examination of Youth Confirmands (CC) 6:30 pm
- Thur 1/30 **Communion Service (TC) 6:30 pm**  
Discovery Class – 6:30 pm – school library  
Bible Class (TC) 7:45 pm
- Fri 1/31 CALS Chapel (CC) 8:00 am
- Sat 2/1 **Communion Service (TC) 5:30 pm**

Sun 2/2    **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**

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