

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.”

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EPIPHANY 6

Next Week's Readings

Exodus 24:12, 15-18, 2 Peter 1:16-212; Matthew 17:1-9

CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

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

Lent Begins – Wednesday, February 26th, is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of the season of Lent. During this time, we have extra opportunities to worship and contemplate the love and sacrifice of our Savior. Services will be held at noon at our South Campus, 3:15 pm at our North Campus and 7:00 pm at St. John's, East Mequon. During Lent, with the addition of our Wednesday services we will not be conducting services on Thursday evenings and our Thursday Bible Class will be moved to 6:30 pm.

State of the School Address – Save the Date: On Wednesday, February 19, at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall, Christ Alone members and school parents (at least one from each school family) are encouraged to attend this informational meeting about our school and future plans. Babysitting will be provided.

Box Tops for Education – The submission date for the General Mills Box Tops for Education is the end of this month. Please bring all of your box tops labels to church or school by February 26th. Thank you to everyone who both saves the physical box labels as well as those who scan their purchases and get our school credit directly.

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. A meal will also be provided at St John's from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Christ Alone is 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>

High School/College Girls' Bible Study – Our 2020 winter/spring Bible study will begin in February as we make use of the lessons created by Dr. John Brug in *The Gospel in the Psalms*. The girls' Bible study will be held from 6:30 – 7:30 PM on the following dates: **February 16; March 1, 8, 15, 22; April 5, 19 & 26; and conclude May 3**. Lesson materials will be provided. Questions? If you've never attended in the past, you're encouraged to participate in this Bible study! *You will enjoy reading God's Word with friends on these Sunday nights – before you begin your busy school week!*

Preschool Update for 2020 - 2021 school year - We have exciting changes happening at Christ Alone in preschool for the upcoming school year. Much planning by an early childhood committee, our school board, and input from our parents has prompted us to again be offering 3K & 4K. These two classes will be taught as a mixed age class in our current preschool classroom with extended after school care in the afternoons as an option. Parents will have the option of 3, 4, or 5 mornings a week for 3K or 4K. We are planning to have two teachers jointly plan lessons for both age groups and then divide them into smaller groups for individualized learning. According to state square footage and teacher to children ratio guidelines we can have up to 22 children with 2 teachers in our current classroom. We are now accepting 3K & 4K registrations for next school year. Please contact the school office schooloffice@christalnewels.org with inquiries.

Adult Handbells Spring Season - Additional Ringers Welcome! The adult handbell choir have resumed rehearsals on Mondays at 6:30 PM at the north campus. New ringers are always welcome. No previous musical experience is necessary. If interested and want to learn more prior to rehearsal, you can arrive as early as 6:00 PM to learn the basics. email laura_wendorff@christalnewels.org for more information. The choir will be playing for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday services.

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 - The students of Christ Alone Lutheran School have been very busy. Last weekend, our boys and girls A-teams had their tournament at KMLHS where the boys took 1st place in Division II with wins over Salem and Our Savior. Thursday, we had a guest speaker at chapel, Pastor Adam Lambrecht, who spoke about his mission congregation in Laramie, WY, CALS' mission project for this year. Chess, forensics, the spring musical, and preparation for the first ever Academic Bowl are on the horizon.

Fundraiser for Underground - Come support the Underground and enjoy an afternoon of fellowship and fun. The Underground is a group of teenagers that meet weekly to learn about Jesus and enjoy fellowship with each other. Date: Saturday Feb 29th Place: Christ Alone/North Campus Fellowship Hall Time: 3:00pm to 5:00pm • RSVP NEEDED BY Feb 24th. Cost: \$22 per

person. \$2 off each for 2 or more in a group. Light snacks and cocoa bar included. Deliver back to the north campus church for pickup by March 6th. • Checks should be made out to Christ Alone Lutheran Church or exact cash payment please. Can't make it but still want a mug? No problem. Your name will be painted on the mug courtesy of glaze.

Pizza Making Event –Saturday, March 21st: Reminder to Sell, Sell, Sell! Our Spring event proceeds went toward 25 new Chromebook computers, wiring and configuring the school office and landscaping improvements. The upcoming event proceeds may go toward the development of a STEM lab at Christ Alone! **Please** sign up for various volunteer opportunities at: [SignUpGenius](#). Mark your calendars to volunteer to help 8am – 12:00 noon! Your help makes this even so successful! We are offering childcare. Please go to the signup page to indicate if you will be taking advantage of this on the 21st! *Thank-you! The Pizza Event Team*

OTHER EVENTS IN THE WELS

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 will be the preacher. A reception will follow in the library foyer. Greetings may be sent directly to Prof. Geiger or Prof. Otto.

Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Presents - *Little Women* on Friday, Feb 21 @7pm, Sat, Feb 22 @ 7pm and Sun, Feb 23 @ 2pm. Tickets can be purchased online at kmlhs.org or at the box office the day of the event.

Women's Retreat, New Beginnings – The women of St Lucas, Kewaskum invite you to join them for the 16th 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. Please call Lynn Garvey at 262-626-4749 with questions. Registrations are due by February 15. Please bring a friend.

Resin Table Classes at KML - Grab your friends and come gain some knowledge about resin! In just one class, you will make a resin table to take home, learn some techniques of resin, and be able to do resin on your own at home!

Choose from the following dates/time on which classes will be held: Saturday, February 29, 6:00-8:00 PM, Tuesday, March 10, 6:00-8:00 PM, Sunday, March 15, 1:00-3:00 PM

Classes are held at KML and are open to 9th graders through adult. Limited space available. Register for a class at www.kmlhs.org/resin. \$60/person. Questions? Contact Mrs. Rachael Kreis (262-573-5345; rachael.kreis@kmlhs.org).

38th and Final Christian Woman Today Retreat – Sponsored by Christ the Lord Lutheran Church, Brookfield on March 20-22,2020 at the Sheraton Milwaukee Brookfield Hotel. 375 S. Moorland Rd. Join us for a Christ-filled weekend as we celebrate God’s goodness and our final Christian Woman Today Retreat. It has been a blessing to serve and grow in God’s grace with you these many years. Registration due by Friday, March 6. Contact ChristianWomanToday.org or call Linda at 414-507-5341.

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

- Sun 2/16 Third Sunday Singers (CC) 7:20 am
Communion Service (CC) 8:00 am
Bible Class (CC) 9:15 am
Catechism Class (CC) 9:15 am
Sunday School (CC) 9:15 am
Communion Service St. John’s 9:15 am
Communion Service (CC) 10:30 am
Girls’ Bible Study 6:30 pm
- Mon 2/17 Women’s Bible Class (TC) – Biblical Prophecy - 1:30 pm
Elders Meeting (CC) 6:30 pm
Handbells (CC) 6:30 pm
Dartball (bye)
- Tues 2/18 Bible Class (CC) - library - Prepared to Answer - 6:45 am
Bible Class (CC) – library - Reading through the Bible – Ezekiel & Psalms - 9:30 am
Quilting Ministry (TC) 1:00 pm
- Wed 2/19 Bible Class (TC) - II Peter - 9:30 am
The Underground (TC) 6:00 pm
Choir (CC) 6:30 pm
State of the School Address (CC) 6:30 pm
- Thur 2/20 **Worship Service (TC) 6:30 pm**
Discovery Class – 6:30 pm – school library
CALs Forensics 6:30 pm
Bible Class (TC) - I John - 7:45 pm
- Fri 2/21 CALs Chapel 8:00 am
- Sat 2/22 Strategic Planning for Leaders (Seminary) 8:00 am
Worship Service (TC) 5:30 pm

Sun 2/23 **Worship Service (CC) 8:00 am**
Bible Class (CC) 9:15 am
Catechism Class (CC) 9:15 am
Sunday School (CC) 9:15 am
Worship Service St. John's 9:15 am
Worship Service (CC) 10:30 am

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