

Christ Alone Evangelical Lutheran Church

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

SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

PENTECOST 17

Next Week's Readings

Jonah 4:5-11, Romans 9:6b-16; Matthew 20:1-16

Bible Classes

- **Sunday Bible Study** (in the church sanctuary) 9:15 am “Great Parables of Jesus”
- **Sunday Teen Bible Study** (CC) (upstairs meeting room) 9:15 am “Seven ‘Christian’ Rules that Every Christian Ought to Break as Often as Possible” by Jonathan Fisk.
- **Monday Women's Bible Class** (TC) (in person and online) 1:30 pm, “What's so Amazing About Grace?”

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/512932885> You can also dial in using your phone. (408) 650-3123 Access Code: 512-932-885

- **Tuesday Bible Study** (TC) 6:45 am (in person only) "Prepared to Answer"
- **Wednesday Moms' Bible Study** (TC) 8:00 am (in person only) “God Loves Moms”
- **Wednesday Bible Study** (TC) 9:30 am (in person and online) on the book of Hosea

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/940299605> You can also dial in using your phone. (646) 749-3122 Access Code: 940-299-605

- **Thursday Bible Study** (online only) 6:30 pm "Politics is Driving Me Crazy!"

<https://www.gotomeet.me/KurtEbert> You can also dial in using your phone. (312) 757-3121 Access Code: 222-110-965

CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

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

Safely Distanced Communion Opportunity - Beginning next week (Thursday, Oct. 1), Christ Alone will offer a special "safely distanced" communion service each month for those who are especially at risk because of health concerns with the COVID-19 virus.

It will take place the first Thursday of each month at 10:30 at our north campus. Participants will be physically distanced from each other. A brief liturgy service of Confession and God's Word will be included and the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

Because attendance will be limited for safety's sake, we ask that those who plan to come contact our church office in advance to announce their intentions. Call Nancy at (262) 242-4710.

We pray this service will allow many more people to enjoy the blessing of Holy Communion in the company of fellow believers!

(By the way, this was one of several good ideas that came out of our online town hall meetings!)

Sunday School - If your child/ren would like to do online Sunday School offered K-6th grade through Northwestern Publishing House and hasn't received their information in the mail, please call the church office. This service will especially impact the K-6th grade families who are attending home or public schools.

Free Wood – Help yourself to wood (all trunk pieces) in the south campus church parking lot.

Disinfecting Wipes – Our supply of disinfected wipes is being depleted. If you can spare a few canisters of wipes that **can be used on wooden surfaces** it would be appreciated. You can drop them off at church or call the church office and someone will meet you outside of the office.

Ladies Aid –Ladies Aid meetings will start again on Wednesday, October 7 at 12:00·noon at the Trinity campus fellowship hall. Please bring your own sandwich. All ladies are welcome to attend.

"The Underground" - Midweek teen ministry meets Thursdays at 6:30 pm. Work has begun on renovating the church basement for the weekly event. Games, snacks, and Bible studies will be regular features of these gatherings--and a great reason for inviting friends!

Prayer Net - A new church group at Christ Alone, called *Prayer Net*, has been quietly preparing to devote itself to praying for our church, its people and its concerns. Prayer requests can be made by sending an email to prayer@ChristAloneWELS.org or by filling out a prayer card. Prayer cards and the collection box will be on the information center in the narthex. All requests are confidential, and will be reviewed by the coordinator (and a pastor if necessary) to be sure privacy concerns are met. Requests may be changed to meet the privacy criteria.

A list of requests will be made weekly and sent to the people who have agreed to pray. Most requests will remain on the list for three weeks. There will be a separate list for requests concerning long term issues. Emergency requests will be sent to the chain as soon as possible after it is received.

If you would like to pray for the requests made please send an email to the prayer chain email address mentioned above, or contact a pastor.

Save the Date Tree Removal Volunteers – We will be removing trees at the south campus house on Elmdale on Saturday, October 3 beginning at 8:00 am until completed. If you are interested, please bring your chain saws, clean up tools, tarps and trailers for removal of tree limbs. We will need all sorts of volunteers. Some to cut down trees and some to drag tree limbs. Hope to see you there.

Israel 2022 – If you have ever wanted to visit the Holy Land and see the places where Jesus walked and carried out his earthly ministry the opportunity is coming very soon. Pastor Scheuerlein will be hosting another trip to Israel - January 11 – 20, 2022. Brochures and details of the trip are available at church or you can email or call Pastor Scheuerlein for details.

OTHER EVENTS IN THE WELS

Jr. Chargers - Sign ups to try out for the Jr. Chargers Boys & Girls Basketball programs are now open. Boys tryouts will take place on Sunday, September 27, and Sunday, October 4. Girls tryouts will take place on Saturday, October 17; Friday, October 23; and Sunday, October 25. Students in grades 4-8 are eligible to try out. For more information and to sign up, please visit: <https://tinyurl.com/jcballreg>.

Do you have construction skills and a heart for mentoring youth? - Become a Project Manager for the Kingdom Workers BUILD UP program and change the future for young people by teaching them valuable trade skills. By providing construction skills training you can give them a way to better their lives, increase their self-esteem, and create a path for them to have a productive job – all while sharing the gospel. Location: Milwaukee Time commitment: Based on volunteer availability. Interested? Learn more: www.kingdomworkers.com/volunteer or contact Jeff Ulman, Director of Builders For Christ/KW Construction: julman@kingdomworkers.com | 920-841-2655.

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

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR ANY CHANGES OR ADDITIONS AS INFORMATION AND SCHEDULES CAN CHANGE DAILY

Sat 9/26 Community Shredding Event (TC) 10:00 am to noon

Worship Service (CC) 5:30 pm

Sun 9/27 Worship Service (CC) 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Bible Study (CC sanctuary) 9:15 am

Public Catechism (CC music room) 9:15 am

Teen Bible Study (CC counter's room) 9:15 am

Town Hall Meeting (online) 4:00 pm, 5:00 pm and 6:00 pm

<https://www.gotomeet.me/DavidMaitland> You can also dial in using your phone. (872) 240-3212

Access Code: 183-828-237

Mon 9/28 Women's Bible Study (TC) (online) 1:30 pm "What's so Amazing About Grace?"

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Council Meeting (TC) 6:30 pm

Tues 9/29 Bible Study (TC) 6:45 am "Prepared to Answer"

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Fri 10/2
Sat 10/3 Tree Cutting (TC on Elmdale Rd) 8:00am
Communion Service (CC) 5:30 pm
Sun 10/4 Communion Service (CC) 8:00 am & 10:30 am
Bible Study (CC sanctuary) 9:15 am
Public Catechism (CC music room) 9:15 am
Teen Bible Study (CC counter's room) 9:15 am

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