

**Welcome to Worship
with
Holy Communion**



**Bringing Christ To All People
Today And Every Day**

GATHERING TOGETHER

WELCOME - Make a special effort to welcome our visitors!! Christ Lutheran Church is a weapon, smoke, vape and tobacco free church and campus. We share Joys, News, and Concerns.

PRELUDE

We take a quiet moment to prepare our hearts and minds to worship God.

GATHERING HYMN/CHOIR ANTHEM - Stand As You Are Able

APOSTOLIC GREETING

[P] The grace of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, the love of GOD our Father, and the communion of The Holy Spirit be with you all!

[C] And also with you!

CONFESSION

[P] Blessed be The Holy Trinity, ✠ One God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever!

[C] Amen!

[P] Let us confess our sin and come to God our Father for mercy!

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

[P] Gracious God our Father,

[C] have mercy on us. We confess that we honor you with our lips, but at times we harm our neighbors with our actions, words, and deeds. At times the sinful desires at war within us cause harm, conflicts, and disputes. At times in our desire to be first we forsake you and your people. At times we place the needs of your poor and suffering last. In your great mercy, forgive us our sins. Draw near to us with your Son Jesus' grace, and by The Holy Spirit's power continue to turn us to follow only in the way of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen!

[P] God our Father forgives our iniquity and remembers our sin no more. By His Son Jesus' grace we are saved. In the Holy Name of ✠ Jesus Christ, the source of eternal life, our sins are forgiven!

[C] Amen!

SHARING THE WORD

PRAYER OF THE DAY

[P] Let us pray!

[C] Sovereign God our Father, you create us to live in loving community with one another. Through the power of The Holy Spirit, continue to form us for life that is faithful and steadfast, and teach us to trust like little children, that we reflect the Holy Image of your Son, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen!

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

P Let us pray!

C Let us pray for all victims of any forms of violence, terror, human trafficking, and all displaced peoples; all victims of ethnic, racial, gender, sexual, political, and religious discrimination and violence; all victims of natural disasters or human made disasters; all victims of war or warlike activity, conflict, oppression and strife including in Gaza, Israel and Ukraine. Gracious GOD our Father of healing and wholeness, through the power of The Holy Spirit, bring relief in every way you see fit for those impacted by natural disasters, human made disasters, conflicts, persecutions and wars. Empower all peoples to reach out to those impacted through the healing power of Jesus Christ.

GOD our Father, ✠ Son and Holy Spirit, we admit our human frailties and recognize we live in a fallen creation. Restore us each and every way as you see fit so that your will is done. In Jesus' Holy Name we pray. Amen!

SCRIPTURE HYMN/CHOIR ANTHEM

GOSPEL - Stand As You Are Able

SERMON

APOSTLES' CREED - Stand As You Are Able

P Living together in faith, trust, and hope, let us confess our faith together!

C I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by The Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again; He ascended into heaven, He is seated at the right hand of the Father, and He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in The Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen!

THE BANQUET

COMMUNION LITURGY

P Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened His arms to all.

- In the night in which He was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is My body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of Me.

- Again, after supper, He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in My blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of Me.

- Remembering, therefore, His death, resurrection, and ascension, we await His coming in glory.

- Pour out The Holy Spirit, that by this Holy Communion we may know the unity we share with all your people in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

- Through Him, with Him, in Him, in the unity of The Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever!

C Amen!

LORD'S PRAYER - SING

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P Come to the Banquet, for all is now ready!

C Thanks be to God!

All Baptized Christians who believe in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are welcome at the Lord's Table. We receive His continuing forgiving presence in our lives, along with His mercy, salvation, and promise of eternal life. You are also invited to come forward for a blessing. Pick up a communion wine cup from the cup stand. Receive the host bread from the Communion Assistant and the wine from the Pastor. Tell the Communion Assistant if you prefer gluten-free bread and the Pastor if you prefer grape juice. Return your used cup to the tray from the Communion Assistant.

HOLY COMMUNION HYMN/CHOIR ANTHEM

TABLE BLESSING

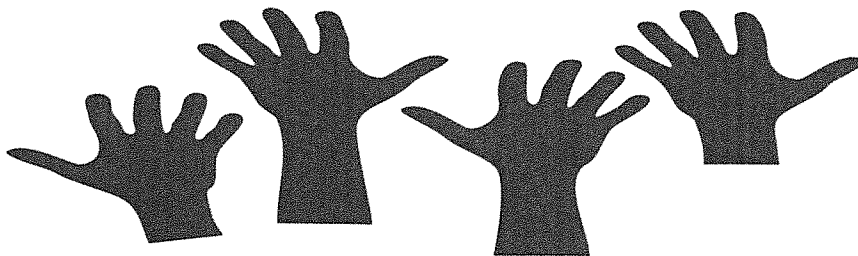
P The Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen us and keep us in His grace now and forever!

C Amen!

THE SENDING

BLESSING - SING - Stand As You Are Able

C Blessed be the Name of the Lord; He is worthy to be praised and adored; So we lift up holy hands in one accord, singing, "Blessed be the Name, blessed be the Name, blessed be the Name of the Lord!" We are Jesus strong! Amen!



SENDING HYMN/CHOIR ANTHEM

FINAL SENDING

P Continue to bring Christ to all people today and everyday! Go in Peace! Share the good news!

C We will with thanks to GOD! Amen!

LESSONS & FINANCIALS

Time After Pentecost, October 13, 2024, 2024



Worship Services
with Holy Communion
At 9:00 am & 10:30am

Christ Lutheran Church
15699 SE 80th Avenue
Summerfield, FL 34491
352-307-6900
Mailing Address
P.O. Box 693,
Summerfield, FL 34492

Website: christlutheranchurchelcm.org

*Bringing Christ To All People Today
And Every Day*

GOSPEL: St. Mark 10:17-31

L Jesus has been teaching His disciples about what is most valued in God His Father's eyes. Now, a conversation with a rich man brings Jesus' message home to His disciples in a way that is surprising but unforgettable.

L The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the 10th Chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

L ¹⁷As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁸Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.'" ²⁰He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." ²¹Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." ²²When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. ²³Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" ²⁴And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶They were greatly astounded and said to one another, "Then who can be saved?" ²⁷Jesus looked at them and said, "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible." ²⁸Peter began to say to him, "Look, we have left everything and followed you." ²⁹Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, ³⁰who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. ³¹But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first."

L The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

FIRST LESSON: Job 23:1-9, 16-17

L Having experienced much loss, Job longs to come into the Lord God's presence, where he can defend his own righteousness. Job cannot find the Lord God, but he never doubts that the Lord God exists and is in relationship with him. Job knows that he will come out of this time of testing refined like pure gold.

L ¹Job answered his friend: ²"Today also my complaint is bitter; God's hand is heavy despite my groaning. ³Oh, that I knew where I might find him, that I might come even to his dwelling! ⁴I would lay my case before him, and fill my mouth with arguments. ⁵I would learn what he would answer me, and understand what he would say to me. ⁶Would he contend with me in the greatness of his power? No; but he would give heed to me. ⁷There an upright person could reason with him, and I should be acquitted forever by my judge. ⁸"If I go forward, he is not there; or backward, I cannot perceive him; ⁹on the left he hides, and I cannot behold him; I turn to the right, but I cannot see him. ¹⁶God has made my heart faint; the Almighty has terrified me; ¹⁷If only I could vanish in darkness, and thick darkness would cover my face!"

L Word of God, word of life.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 22:1-15

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? (Ps. 22:1)

¹My God, my God, why have you for- | saken me?

Why so far from saving me, so far from the words | of my groaning?

²**My God, I cry out by day, but you | do not answer;**
by night, but I | find no rest.

³Yet you are the | Holy One,
enthroned on the prais- | es of Israel.

⁴**Our ancestors put their | trust in you,**
they trusted, and you | rescued them.

⁵They cried out to you and | were delivered;
they trusted in you and were not | put to shame.

⁶**But as for me, I am a worm | and not human,**
scorned by all and despised | by the people.

⁷All who see me laugh | me to scorn;
they curl their lips; they | shake their heads.

⁸**"Trust in the LORD; let the | LORD deliver;**
let God rescue him if God so de- | lights in him."

⁹Yet you are the one who drew me forth | from the womb,
and kept me safe on my | mother's breast.

¹⁰**I have been entrusted to you ever since | I was born;**
you were my God when I was still in my | mother's womb.

¹¹Be not far from me, for trou- | ble is near,
and there is no | one to help.

¹²**Many young bulls en- | circle me;**
strong bulls of Ba- | shan surround me.

¹³They open wide their | jaws at me,
like a slashing and | roaring lion.

¹⁴**I am poured out like water; all my bones are ¹ out of joint;
my heart within my breast is ¹ melting wax.**

¹⁵My strength is dried up like a potsherd; my tongue sticks to the roof ¹ of my
mouth; And you have laid me in the ¹ dust of death.

SECOND LESSON: Hebrews 4:12-16

L We cannot hide our thoughts, desires, actions, words, and deeds from Jesus, to whom we are completely accountable. Nevertheless, Jesus understands our human weaknesses and temptations, because He also experienced them. Therefore we can approach His throne of grace to receive His divine mercy.

L ¹²Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. ¹³And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account. ¹⁴Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. ¹⁵For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

L Word of God, word of life.

C Thanks be to God.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS for 10/13/24 BULLETIN

	<u>Operating Funds</u>	<u>Capital Funds</u>	<u>Total Funds</u>
Balance @ 01/01/24	\$ 135,996	\$(12,045)	\$ 123,951
YTD Income	\$ 262,251	\$ 2,379	\$ 264,630
YTD Expenses	\$ 279,651	\$ -	\$ 279,651
Balance @ 10/6/2024	<u>\$ 118,595</u>	<u>\$ (9,666)</u>	<u>\$ 108,930</u>

Offering for 10/6/2024		
Operating Fund		\$ 6,110
Loose		\$ 17
Mortgage Fund		\$ 475
Capital Fund		\$ 300
Designated Giving:		\$ 1,280
- Food For The Poor	\$ 82	
- Salvation Army	\$ 350	
- Salvation Army - Helene Disaster Relief	\$ 75	
- Lutheran World Relief	\$ 15	
- ELCM Missions	\$ 65	
- Fellowship	\$ 4	
- FMSC	\$ 444	
- Flowers	\$ 245	
 Total Offering		 <u>\$ 8,182</u>

FMSC Project 2024 NET for 2025 Packing:		\$ 34,821

CHURCH INFORMATION & EVENTS-OCTOBER 13, 2024

Meetings-Tuesday, October 15-Council-1pm, Pastor's Bible Study-3pm. **Parish Administration Minister, 352-307-6900.**

UPCOMING FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN FUNDRAISING



Mark your calendar for these upcoming events:

1. **St. Patrick Day Dinner, Dessert Sale & Silent Auction-THIS Thursday, October 17 at 5pm. Call Joe Capelli for ticket availability, 352-445-2616.**
2. **Trivia-Friday, November 8 at 4pm**
3. **Moonlighter's Dance-TICKETS ON SALE NOW! Saturday, November 9th at 6:30pm at Recreation Plantation**
4. **Juke Box Bingo-Sunday, December 8 at 3pm**
5. **Trivia- Friday, December 13 at 4pm**
6. **Birthday Club Dinner-Sunday, December 15 at 1pm**

Detailed information on each event will appear in the coming weeks. **Mark Ferrera, FMSC Chair, 407-616-1576.**

Feed My Starving Children-The net proceeds collected to date are \$34,821 towards our 2025 goal of \$35,000 goal. **Mark Ferrera, FMSC Chair, 407-616-1576.**

FMSC-"Trivia is back! Once a month! Every 2nd Friday!
Cash prizes! **Mark Ferrera, FMSC Chair, 407-616-1576.**



The Rock-Thank you very much for your generous contributions to The Rock at Lake Weir Middle School. We need girls black leggings size small, medium, large and XL. Girls sweatpants in size 16 and 18 are also needed. If anyone would like to volunteer to help any Monday, Wednesday or Friday from 11:30-1:00pm, or have any questions please contact **Carolyn Korpics, Coordinator, 352-307-3563.**

Upcoming Events for The Generations In Faith Together Ministry (GIFT)

October Boogress Festival-Saturday, October 26-Concert-5-7pm, Trunk or Treat-6pm. Sonset Blue Grass Band, Food Trucks and Vendors too!!! **Donations of Halloween Candy Needed for Trunk or Treat. Basket on kid's table in Fellowship Hall.**

November Kids' Movie Night--Saturday, November 23-6-9pm. Drop your kids movie and hot dog supper.

December Breakfast with Santa-Saturday, December 14-9-11am, Tickets to be sold.

More info to follow. **Cindy Lamb, GIFT Minister, 615-713-7025, Ashley Runyon, Family Minister, 980-925-9959.**

Sign up sheets for all activities including Sundays are on the Family Ministry/G.I.F.T. table.

Trunk or Treat-We need CANDY for the many children that will attend our BOOgrass Festival! Each time you go to the grocery store, pick up a bag of candy for our Trunk or Treaters! BOOgrass will be held on Saturday, October 26 from 5-7pm. If you don't want to buy candy, we will buy it FOR you if you just want to donate money. Basket on Kid's Table for donations. As always, thank you for helping us build a Family Ministry! **Cindy Lamb, G.I.F.T. Minister, 615-713-7025.**

Assisted Living Seminar-Join Janice Martin, author of "The Complete Guide to Assisted Living" on Thursday, October 24 at 1pm, in the Fellowship Hall at Christ Lutheran Church. Mrs. Martin will discuss realistic expectations at home and in community services. **Cindy Koebernick, Coordinator, 937-361-5476.**

Lutheran World Relief- Emma Wagner from Lutheran World Relief (LWR) will be at CLC on Thursday, November 12 at 1pm to update us on how LWR tackles worldwide hunger. Questions welcome! **Cindy Koebernick, Coordinator, 937-361-5476.**

Ministry Leaders-After every meeting please bring next meeting date to me. **Michele D. Harney, Parish Administration Minister, 352-307-6900.**

V O L U N T E E R



Flower Deliveries-WE NEED PEOPLE one or two Sundays a year to bring joy to someone who can't get out. Questions **Chris Messersmith, Coordinator, 407-267-5003.**

Sunday Snacks-Fellowship gathering is from 10-10:30 am each Sunday morning beginning September 22nd. Those of you who go to the second service please come early to have coffee/goodies and socialize with your friends from the first and second service. The kitchen will be cleaned up and closed at 10:30 each Sunday, due to lack of volunteer support. A few white dishes that do not match our current set will be sold with proceeds going to the Fellowship Fund. Please stop and see what is available on the back table in Fellowship Hall. **Kay Bertzyk, Co-Coordinator, 352-245-0346, Joe Capelli, Co-Coordinator, 352-445-2616.**

COLLECTIONS

Hands of Mercy Everywhere-ALUMINUM FOIL NEEDED. A faith based organization which houses teen girls and their babies, and girls at risk for sex trafficking. Donations of paper products, craft material, house supplies are always needed. They also take donations of NEW clothing for the moms and babies. Gift cards are great, too!!! Website HandsofMercyEverywhere.org has a complete list. **Cindy Kelly, Social Ministry Chair, 440-221-4027.**

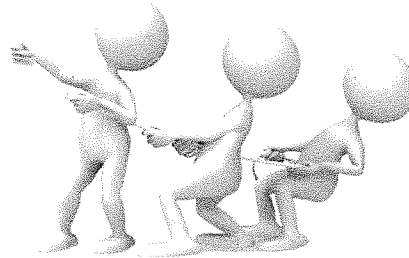
Cell Phones-We will still be collecting cell phones. They are taken to Interfaith. **Michele Harney, Parish Administration Minister, 352-307-6900.**

St. Theresa Roman Catholic Church Food Pantry-Keep those donations coming. Non-perishable supplies are always needed. Be sure to check the expiration date. Questions-**Kay Bertzyk, Coordinator, 352-246-2495.**

Interfaith Shower Ministry in Ocala-We are collecting items for Interfaith to support their Saturday afternoon shower ministry for the homeless. We are currently collecting supplies: bath towels and wash cloths, men's socks and underwear, personal and full size shampoo, conditioner, body wash, soap, deodorant, tooth brushes, and tooth paste, and men's shoes. Please mark items Shower Ministry. **Susan Blusewicz, Interfaith Shower Ministry Co-coordinator, 352-674-9434, Carol McCormick, Interfaith Shower Ministry Co-coordinator, 352-217-0506.**

Interfaith Free Clinic Medical Center- needs any Over The Counter medicines that are NOT opened and NOT expired. Cold medicine, cough drops, regular aspirin and low dose aspirin are needed too. NO RX MEDS. **Michele Harney, Parish Administration Minister, 352-307-6900.**

We acknowledge gifts:



**Altar Flowers Are Given
To the Glory of God
&
In Honor Of: Carl & Janet Hohenbergers'
34th Wedding Anniversary
By: Carl & Janet Hohenberger**



We express Christian Sympathy to the family and friends of:



**A
Celebration
of Life**

Parishioner Member Vicki Usabar's Celebration of Life is Monday, November 11 at 11am with the Committal to follow in the Columbarium at Christ Lutheran Church.

PRAYERS

Pray - Council, Ministry Team Leaders / Teams, and Parishioners - Today for: Brigitte Chandler; Art Charpentier; Lou & Jolee Charpentier; Kevin & Christi Cheeks; Pr. Dave Connell; Bob & Judy Conover; Mary Coppus; Bill & Roxanne Daimler; Kathie Dalrymple; Gino Daviso & Kathy Moffett; and all baptized, confirmed, married, memorialized, new parishioners, and all at Christ Lutheran Church.

Give Thanks - Healing: Theresa "Terry" Marlin (back spinal discs pain shot therapy rehab - not needed).

Pray - Parishioners (short term): Walt Baney (heart health issues rehab); Peggy Best (back spinal discs repair surgery rehab); Shirley Denny (right ankle infection health issues rehab; both eyes cataracts removal repair surgeries pending); Jean Dunbar (internal infection health issues rehab); Diane English (fractured left ankle & foot repair surgery rehab); Al Fernez (neurological IV therapy treatments rehab); Ken Geach (back spinal discs pain shot therapy rehab; right foot arch diabetes health issues rehab); Michele Harney (heart health issues implant monitor device next steps w/cardiologist specialist Dr. pending; follow-up w/cardiologist Dr. 1/17); Curtis Holm (right eye cataract removal repair surgery pending; left eye 10/31); Earl Howell (fractured right elbow rehab & fractured right hip repair surgery rehab - Chatham Glen # 146); Betty Johnson (fractured right hip repair surgery rehab - Chatham Glen # 114); Dick Knight (heart health issue repair surgery 10/22 - Advent Hosp.); Yvonne Mapletoft (left hip replacement repair surgery pending - England hosp.); Sharon Miller (osteoporosis pain rehab); Ashley Runyon (internal health issue repair surgery pending - Moffitt Hosp.); Donna Russell (left hand & thumb repair surgery pending); Phyllis Russell (right knee revision replacement repair surgery 12/12 - Shands Hosp.); Louise Soltys (follow-up w/ oncologist Dr. 10/21); and Carolyn Wright (internal infection health issues rehab).

Pray - Parishioners (long term - hospital): No one.

Pray - Parishioners (long term - Hospice): No one.



Attendance: 9am:80
10:30am:33 Total: 113
YouTube: 36

LESSONS FOR NEXT WEEK
Job 38:1-7, 34-41
Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35b
Hebrews 5:1-10
Gospel- St. Mark 10:35-45

The Big Red Bus-The Next Blood Drive is Sunday, November 17, 2024 from 8am-12:30pm. Please eat a 600 calorie meal before donating. 3 people donated and 4 more signed up to donate on Sunday, September 22. There is a sign up sheet on the table in the Fellowship Hall. You may also make an appointment to donate by Text to: Hero to 63928, online to www.oneblood.org, or call 888-936-6283. If you have an appointment please check in at the bus when you arrive. Cindy Kelly, Social Ministry Chair, 440-221-4027.



National & Worldwide Disasters-People everywhere are in need of **HELP**. Donations may be made to the following places. Please be sure to mark the memo line of your check as to where the donation is going. Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Service-POB 17467, Baltimore, MD 21297, Call 410-230-2700, or Email lirs@lirs.org; Salvation Army- POB 1959, Atlanta, GA 30301, or thru CLC (be sure to mark envelope clearly): Food For The Poor-Cash-www.foodforthe poor.org/hairelief, or AmazonSmileCharity-www.FoodForThePoor.org. If you chose this way it will ship directly there. Donations may also be made to Lutheran World Relief, 800-597-5972, PO Box 17061, Baltimore, MD 21297. Carolyn Wright, International Outreach, 415-696-4334.



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF



Show families in Israel, Gaza — and around the world — that they are loved. Here is my caring gift to rush lifesaving support to where it is needed. Carolyn Wright, International Outreach, 415-696-4334.

Mail Checks To: Lutheran World Relief, PO Box 17061, Baltimore, MD 21297. Questions call 800-597-5972 or www.lwr.org

VOLUNTEER

Sunday Altar Flowers Delivery Ministry-Volunteers needed for 2024. Usually, Sunday's altar flowers are donated to members of the congregation who are on our prayer list and homebound. They are a means of bringing them good cheer and letting them know we care. Please contact Chris Messersmith, 407-267-5003, Coordinator.

Ministry Leaders-The interest in promoting Jesus' Ministries is awesome! If you are going to use the Fellowship Hall you must check with the office and any other ministries that might be affected to be sure the calendar is open for that day, before scheduling any event. Also, please bring anything to the office you would like placed on the pick up table. Michele Harney, Admin. Minister, 352-307-6900.

Sunday Fellowship Help-Helpers needed to set up snacks and drinks 10am and clean-up at 10:30am. Sign up sheet is on the table in Fellowship Hall. Questions call Kay Bertzyk, 352-245-0346 or Joe Capelli, 352-445-2616, Co-Chairs Fellowship Ministry Team.

Greeters and Communion Assistants-We need both greeters & Communion Asssts. for the 10:30am Worship. Questions please call Mary Thorson, 10:30am Coordinator, 712-579-8841.

DOMINATE

Altar Flowers-We have some Sunday slots open for Altar Flowers. If you would like to have flowers on the altar in memory of or in honor of someone please sign up on the chart by the main doors in the Fellowship Hall. Flowers are \$50 and \$60 if you pay the delivery fee. Questions Michele Harney, Admin. Asst., 352-307-6900.

St. Vincent de Paul Society-Many households are just one missed paycheck from being homeless, or one unexpected emergency from being forced to choose between food and shelter. We are here to help those in need. Main Services: emergency payments, help pay for housing, help pay for utilities, emergency food, home goods, transportation, prescription assistance, navigating the system, home visiting, or one-on-one support: Call 352-245-4700 or go to 7083 Southeast Highway 42, Summerfield, FL 34491. This is St. Mark's Catholic Church. To donate please contact 352-245-4700. Cindy Kelly, Social Ministry Chair, 440-221-4027.

Hands of Mercy Everywhere-A faith based organization which houses teen girls and their babies, and girls at risk for sex trafficking. Donations of paper products, craft material, house supplies are always needed. They also take donations of NEW clothing for the moms and babies. Gift cards are great, too!!! Website HandsofMercyEverywhere.org has a complete list. Cindy Kelly, Social Ministry Chair, 440-221-4027.

**CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH BENEFIT
FOR
FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN
Featuring
The Moonlighters Big Band**

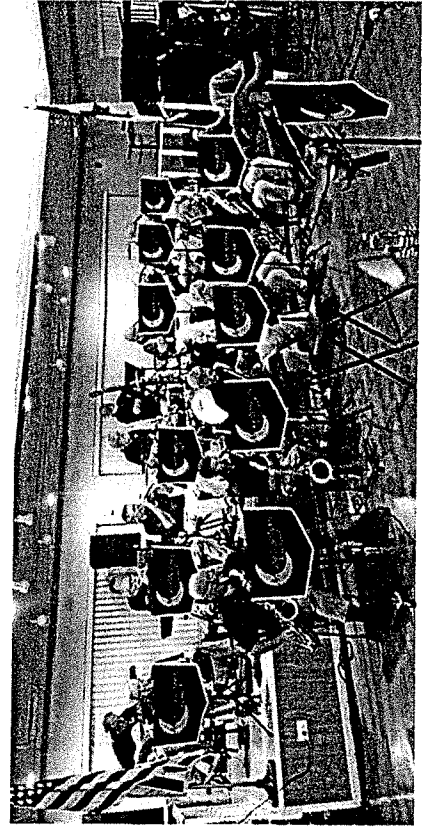
**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 6-8:30pm
AT
THE RECREATION PLANTATION**

The Moonlighters, an 18 piece big band, featuring vocalists Zanna Duckett, and Marge Phillips, will be performing for your listening and dancing pleasure on Saturday, Nov. 9th. 6:00-8:30pm., at the Recreation Plantation, 609 County Road 466, Lady Lake, 32159. There will be table seating, leaving room for a very large dance floor. The event is being sponsored by Christ Lutheran Church of Summerfield, to benefit Feed My Starving Children. Christ Lutheran will be filling over 100,000. Mana Packs, which will feed approximately 300 children. Go to: <https://www.fmssc.org> for more info. There will also be a guest appearance by harmonica virtuoso Phil Caltabellota.

Tickets are on sale **NOW** at the FMSC table in the Narthax for \$20 per person. Tickets may also be purchased at the door.

This event is open to the general public and is a BYOD/SNACKS (including alcohol), event. Also, beer, wine and snack packs will be available, at the concession stand, for a nominal fee.

Questions: Rosemary Ganci, Local Outreach Coordinator, 352-307-5952.



*You're
Invited!*

Christ Lutheran Church presents
"Understanding Assisted Living
and How To Have a
Successful Transition"
with Janice Martin,
Senior Living Educator, Advocate,
and Best Selling Author

**10/24/24
1:00-2:00**

YOU WILL LEARN:

- The different assisted living licenses
- The important questions to ask
- How to know it's time
- What it costs and how to pay for it
- 5 years too early, or 5 minutes too late? Don't wait for a crisis!
- Moving from home vs. rehab
- Expectation Vs. Reality



Autographed books
will be available for
purchase at a
discounted price of
\$10 cash!

**For More Information
Please Contact:**

CINDY KOEBERNICK
Coordinator-937-558-8442

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Everything You Need To Know
Before, During, and After a Move

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BOOGRASS FESTIVAL

Saturday, Oct. 26 from 5:00-7:00

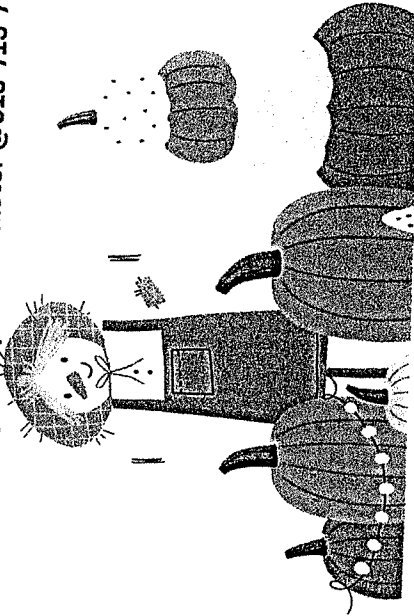
TRUNK OR TREAT @ 6:30

LIVE bluegrass music featuring

The Sonset Band

Craft booths, food trucks, games!

Contact CindyLamb, GIFT Minister @615-713-7025



Luciana Sosa lives with her grandparents Eusebia Canales and Juvenal Sosa Quilca in an isolated region of Peru where malnourishment was once a savage reality. Thanks to congregations like ours, Luciana's family has learned new farming techniques and valuable nutrition information to help her grow to be strong and healthy.

No Matter How Far

In many places in the world, the need is greatest in the hardest-to-reach places. That's why our congregation is partnering with Lutheran World Relief to go the distance to reach our most vulnerable neighbors.

In remote mountain villages in Peru, our love equips farmers with knowledge and supplies to sustain themselves. In the Democratic Republic of Congo, some villages are so isolated it takes eight days to walk to the nearest health center. Our congregation's compassion carries essential care directly to these hardest-to-reach places, where the poorest families live. We are creating God's promised future today — join us!

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Your gift will shine your light on our neighbors in darkness.

- Give online at lwr.org/next.
- Make a gift through our congregation. Indicate "LWR" when you make your gift, and we will send one check from the church.



Join Emma Wagner on Tuesday, November 12 at 1pm

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

Questions: Cindy Knochenius

2025 Christ Lutheran Church Estimated Giving Form

To help build the 2025 Budget and Forecast, we are asking you to give us an estimate of your Operating Fund and Mortgage Fund contributions for the coming year. This is only an estimate and is NOT a legally binding obligation. If you are uncomfortable turning in a signed form, it is acceptable to submit it unsigned. Please place this form in an envelope and put it in the collection marked "2025 Giving Estimate" or you can mail it to:

Christ Lutheran Church

P.O. Box 693,

Summerfield, FL 34492.

As always, thank you for your continued support and help.

Barb LeFevre, Financial Secretary (352) 307-1602

Operating Fund Annual Estimate \$ _____

Mortgage Fund Annual Estimate \$ _____

Name or Envelope # (Optional)



To The Wonderful Members of Christ Lutheran Church
It's that time of year to collect food for our annual Thanksgiving Baskets. Now more than ever Lake Weir Middle School needs Thanksgiving Baskets.

They are asking for 50 baskets. We will deliver these baskets in the middle of November. The list below are the items we need for the baskets:

NO GLASS CONTAINERS PLEASE

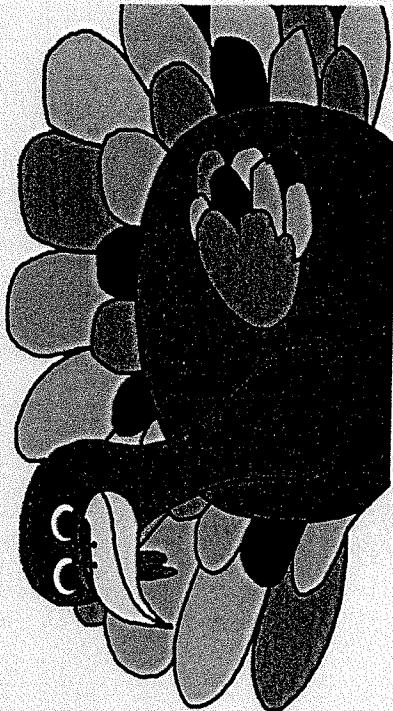
Mac & Cheese	Stuffing	Yams
Green Beans	Instant Potatoes	Chicken Broth
Corn	Canned fruit	
Cream of Mushroom Soup	Cream of Chicken Soup	
Canned Gravy	Cranberry Sauce	
Brownie Mix	Oreos	

Please place all list items on the shelves in the Sanctuary.

A \$25 Publix Gift Card will be placed in each basket for the families to buy a turkey.

If you would like to make a monetary donation we will shop for you! Please have all donations to the church no later than Monday, November 18, 2023.

Questions call Diane Beavers, Coordinator, 609-315-1068 & John Moore, Coordinator, 352-598-6912.



HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2024

Quiet Moment-Turn Your Life-Choir Only

1. A Mighty Fortress Is Our God ELW 504
2. Amazing Grace – Solo- Susan Hopper
3. **A.** Let Us Break Bread Together ELW 471 **B.** Change My Heart O God
ELW 801
4. We Are Called ELW 720