

Our June Giving Focus is Christian Outreach in Action (COA).

"Founded in 1981, Christian Outreach in Action was established by one man's passion for service. Jack Jensen's (of Christ Lutheran Church, LB) original mission was to feed all the hungry and needy in his community.

Today our services far extend Jack's original vision. We provide extensive services from hot meals to legal advice for all those in need in Long Beach and the greater Los Angeles area. Christian Outreach in Action is a nondenominational 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to transforming the lives of homeless and impoverished individuals in Long Beach so they may reach and sustain self-sufficiency and independence."

In the past, our church has purchased groceries, prepared, and served a meal at COA on the fifth Wednesday of the month. Since the Covid protocols were put in place, we have only been able to provide the funding for this meal. This is still the case, so this month, if you would like to contribute toward the food and paper product purchases, please use your regular giving envelope or the special giving envelope in the pews. Be sure to mark the amount that you want to go toward COA, for the treasurer's benefit.

Christ Lutheran Church Week at a Glance June 12- June 19

Today

9:30am Worship -In Person & Live Streamed

11:00am Congregation Meeting

Monday, June 13

No Events Scheduled

Tuesday, June 14

9:00am Cover G's

6:00pm Executive Council 7:00pm Church Council

Wednesday, June 15

9:45am Bible Study (Zoom format)

Thursday, June 16

No Events Scheduled

Friday, June 17

No Events Scheduled

Saturday, June 18

No Events Scheduled

Sunday, June 19 Father's Day

9:30am Worship-In Person & Live Streamed

The Healing Power of the Holy Spirit

We pray for:

Members at Home or in Care Centers: Justin Bartlow, Ione Marchael, Don Westerhoff, and Frances Willms.

Those struggling with illness or other concerns: Judy Haenn, Daniel Howard, Sydney Nichols, Bary & Janice Schlieder, Gary & Linda Zimmerman.

Family & Friends: Marylyn, Terry, Cheryl, Lori, Brandon, Erin Belk, the Berndt family, Leah Blakeman, Lois Brown, Zach Burkard, Byron, Clara & John Caldwell, Scott Carr, Steve, Charlie and David Corm, Mary and Max Croes, Noah Dodd, Dorcas, Tamara Fitzgerald, Brechin Flournoy, Alberta Gray, Cindy Gray, Michael Hardman, Evie Holdhusen, Bobbie Hoenig, Kylie & Crystal Huber, JoDee Irwin, Doris Jung, Linda Kuhn, Barb Korsmo, Katrina Lahr, Sue Lance, the Lewis family, Hudson Nunnally, Barb Ontiveros, Peacemaker, Paul Perencevic, Paula Pettit, Kristina & Scott Randolph, Emily Renton, Mary Kathryn Rivera, J.R. Rose, Jeff Spencer, Theresia Tuer, Anna Watt-Morse, Ed Weston, Teresa, Jessica, Steve and Jenny West.

We also pray for the ongoing work of:

- + Linda Gawthorne among the Kogi people of Colombia
- + First responders who provide safety, security, and care
- + Those serving in our nation's military, especially: Samuel Brown, Ryan Dorris, Johnny Luna and Jim Reeder.

 Please provide us with names of those you would like to include in these prayers.
- + Christ Lutheran Preschool, our Lutheran universities and seminaries and all schools of our church.

Please stay after worship this morning and head to the Social hall to attend the Congregation Meeting scheduled for 11:00am. Coffee and snacks will be provided. We will hear about the state of the church and what the most current plans are for the summer months. Your input and wishes are very important to your church council, please come to share them.

The flower chart is on the door of the Usher's Room off of the narthex if you would like to sponsor flowers in honor or memory of someone or if you'd like to commemorate a special occasion. Each Sunday you sign up for will be \$30 and you can make a check payable to Christ Lutheran. Thank you.

Your church council wants to provide ways for members to reach out to each other and ask for recommendations for trusted service providers. This can be for handiworkers, electricians, etc. Please feel free to send in your requests to the church office by email or phone. We will print these in the announcements weekly.

Cover G's Quilting Ministry is looking for people who would like to help out with the completion of quilts that we donate to varying organizations in our community. Please reach out to Bev Koenen, Angie Nelson or the church office with questions.

This morning's worship assistants:

Assisting Minister: Gary Burkard

Reader: Kim Croes

Communion Assistants: Phil and Jeanne Peterson

Altar Guild: Matt and Rebecca Green

Coffee Cart Treats: Wanda Cleland

Ushers: Matt Green, Andy Trost