**Christ Lutheran Church**

**Week at a Glance**

**July 16 – July 23**

**Today, July 16**

**9:30am Worship -In Person & Live Streamed**

**11:00am VBS Set Up**

**5:00pm OA**

**Monday, July 17**

**9:00am Vacation Bible School**

**Tuesday, July 18**

**9:00am Vacation Bible School**

**Wednesday,** **July 19**

**9:00am Vacation Bible School**

**9:45am Bible Study (Zoom format)**

**Thursday, July 20**

**9:00am Vacation Bible School**

**5:30pm VBS BBQ and program**

**6:00pm OA Book Club**

**Friday, July 21**

**9:00am Vacation Bible School**

**6:00am OA Meeting**

**Saturday, July 22**

**No Events Planned**

**Sunday July 23**

**9:30am Worship-In Person & Live Streamed**

**5:00pm OA**

**Altar flowers are given in thanksgiving and to the glory of God** by Cathy Westwood in memory of her son, Bruce Short.

**Altar flowers can be sponsored in honor or memory of loved ones or in thanksgiving for special occasions.** The flower chart is on the door of the Usher’s Room in the Narthex. Each arrangement sponsored is $40. Please make your check out to *Christ Lutheran* and place in the offering plate. Thank you so much.

**Vacation Bible School begins this Monday morning.** We’re looking forward to the fun activities, crafts, bible stories and music that are part of every day. Thank you to everyone who donated supplies, gift cards and cash gifts to help make this week possible.

**Thursday evening at 5:30pm we will host a Vacation Bible School BBQ.** The children will sing the songs they learned and share the concepts they are now familiar with. All members are welcome to attend. If you think you will, please mark the RSVP section at the bottom of the yellow attendance form.

**Church in Society’s Giving Focus** for July is Lutheran Social Services (LSS) in Long Beach. LSS is preparing to provide backpacks with necessary school supplies for elementary, middle and high school students and gift cards for families to purchase school uniforms. Here’s how you can help: Bring in gift cards for $25 to Wal-Mart, donate cash so that Church in Society can purchase items, or look at the enclosed flier for supplies that you can purchase and drop off here at church. Thank you for anything you can do.

**This morning’s worship assistants:**

**Assisting Minister:** Greg Koch

**Reader:** Doug Holdhusen

**Communion Assistants:** Robin Black, Ron and Angie Nelson

**Altar Guild:** Stephanie Petrbok

**Coffee Cart:** Judy Haenn

**Ushers:** Linda McGee

**Thank you all**

**The Healing Power of the Holy Spirit**

**We pray for:**

**Members at Home or in Care Centers:** Justin Bartlow, Laurie Ennen, Ione Marchael, Sydney Nichols, and Frances Willms.

**Those struggling with illness or other concerns:** Don Darnauer, Judy Haenn, Daniel Howard, Karen Koch, Bary & Janice Schlieder, Doris Weinert, Kurt Weisel, Rich Williams, Gary & Linda Zimmerman.

**\*Family & Friends**: Chad**,** Barrett**,**  Michael, Noah, Lois Brown, Zach Burkard, Byron, Sue, John Caldwell, Charlie and David Corm, Mary Croes, John Dahlem, Denise Davis, Tamara Fitzgerald, Brechin Flournoy, Gina Barvy Fournier, Alberta Gray, Cindy Gray, Kylie & Crystal Huber, Doris Jung, Barb Korsmo, Katrina Lahr, Sue Lance, Ronda Lynn, Alan Osterhout, Paula Pettit, Paul Perencevic, Kristina & Scott Randolph, Sharry Reed, Vicki Thompson, Jessica and Jenny West.

*\*Names are included on the prayer list for 30 days unless specific requests are made through the office.*

**We also pray for the ongoing work of:**

**+** Christ Lutheran’s Pastoral Call Committee

**+** 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,

Morgan Llewellyn, Johnny Luna, Jim Reeder, Steven, Brina and Michael

Navarro.

***Please provide us with names of those you would***

***like to include in these prayers****.*

**+** Lutheran Social Services, Christian Outreach in Action, New Life Beginning.

Qr code

Description automatically generatedQr code

Description automatically generated

A black and white drawing of flowers and fish

Description automatically generated