

THE CHAPEL Weekly



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THE CROSS
LUTHERAN

Living in faith, hope, and love

June 14, 2026

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday 9:45 am

“The Miracles of Jesus” –
Room 9

Children’s Sunday School –
Rooms 2 & 4

Senior High Youth – Youth Room

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Bible study on the Prophet Isaiah –
Room 8

Discovery Class – Room A

First and Third Tuesday 10:00 a.m.

Women’s Bible Study- Room 8
“When you’ve been wronged”

Announcements

Highlighting 60 Years of Chapel Ministries and Organizations – Stewardship

Education Committee: As part of Chapel’s 60th anniversary celebration, we continue to highlight the many ministries and organizations offered here. The purpose is to make you aware of the various opportunities to serve and be a part of Chapel. This month we feature the Stewardship Education Committee, an extremely important and essential committee of Chapel. These dedicated individuals help our congregation to understand how this free and joyous activity benefits us both individually and collectively as a congregation as we strive to serve our God and our neighbors. Gary Timm is the Chairman of the Stewardship Education Committee so if you are interested in learning more about it or if you would like to be a part of it, please contact the church office and they will put you in touch with Gary.

Share An Appreciation Message with Vicar Chuck Wallace: Our time with Vicar Chuck will soon be coming to an end as he completes his Chapel vicarage. We invite you to share your best wishes or favorite memory of Vicar Chuck and Katrina by completing one of the cards on the table in the Fellowship Commons and placing it in the Memory Box. Personal greeting cards and/or monetary gifts are also acceptable for placement in the box. This opportunity will be available from June 13-14 through July 11-12. We invite you to be a part of this special gift and share your thanks and appreciation.

LAMP Mission Trip: Would you like to help “Feed the mission” and support this summer’s LAMP teams? Canned food items needed to feed the teams while serving in the north are on a sign-up list in the welcome center. Please bring the items by June 21. Thank you!

Concordia Seminary Music Series Carillon Concerts will be held 7 p.m. every Tuesday in June on the campus of Concordia Seminary, 801 Seminary Place. St. Louis, MO. 63105. Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and picnics and enjoy an evening of beautiful music from world-renowned carillonneurs on the Main Quadrangle on the Seminary grounds near Luther Statue.

The flowers on the altar are in celebration of Eunice Broome’s 90th birthday on June 17th.

In Our Prayers this week...

Those with Health Concerns:

David Applebaum (*family member of Bill and Marilyn Miller*)
Steve Becker (*friend of John Zvirgzdins*)
Tanjila Bolden
Kim Bruce (*friend of Dawn Iborg*)
Norma Conley (*friend of Alderay Fields*)
Morgan Cunningham (*friend of Jon Rogers*)
Bob & Carolyn Delohi
Matthew Dina (*relative of the Uttley family*)
Clyde Dempsey (*father of Julie Seibert*)
Shari Lou Eakins (*friend of Jon Rogers*)
Janelle Edwards (*friend of John Jordan*)
David Eggers
Aulderay Fields
Pauletta Fields (*Aulderay Fields sister-in-law*)
Darlene Franklin (*friend of Georgia Thomas*)
John Gassner (*cousin of Gloria Uttley*)
Jan Hahn
Carolyn Hanneman
Rita Hayes (*sister of Jim Crosier*)
Donna Heinrich
Ashley Hochuli (*grand-daughter of Marilyn and Bill Miller*)
Lois Hoffmann
Virgil Hoffmann
Alice Holtgrewe
Camille Johnson (*friend of Alderay Fields*)
Ali Kloppenburg
Joyce Lackey
Mel Lefkowitz (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Bill Madison (*son-in-law of Bill and Marilyn Miller*)
Pam Mains
Alex Metz (*friend of Steve and Julie Seibert*)
Peggy Miller

Joe Miano, Sr. (*father of Joe Miano*)
Patricia Miano (*mother of Joe Miano*)
Frank Mosley
Fred Palmer (*friend of Barbra Newton*)
Ellis Perry
Rosilyn Cunningham Schmitt (*mother of Robert Cunningham*)
Diane Schwede
Connie Scott
Jill Seibert (*mother of Steve Seibert*)
Jim Seibert (*father of Steve Seibert*)
Gail Shultz
John Simon
Joan Smith (*friend of Alderay Fields*)
Johnnie Spears
Warren “Butch” Taylor
Pam Taylor
Jean Thomas
Gloria Uttley
Ariel Wagner (*daughter of Keith & Sandy Otto*)
Robyn Walen (*friend of John Jordan*)
Stephanie Wallace
Mickie Wallerstein (*friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller*)
Jean Wiechert
Eric Williams (*son of Betty and Les Williams*)

Those Who Celebrate:

Alex and Rachel Uttley as they celebrate their first wedding anniversary and Alex’s Installation as Vicar at Chapel of the Cross-St. Peters on Sunday June 14th.

Matthew Zvirgzdins and his family as they celebrate his birthday on June 20th.

Marlo and Lawonda Johnson as they celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on June 19th.

Those Receiving Treatment for Cancer:

Jay Bentzinger (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Terry Balke (*Cheryl Balke’s brother*)
David Charak (*friend of Nancy Swoboda*)
Bob Crecelius (*brother of Roy Crecelius*)
Sue Gassner (*cousin of Gloria Uttley*)
Damien Gregory (*great-grandson of Gale Damm*)
Cheryl Hogan (*daughter of Lois Hoffman*)
Adrian Hughes (*cousin of Alderay Fields*)
Bianca Jackson (*friend of Vernida Summers*)
Crystal Jackson (*niece of Johnnie Spears*)
Debbie Jenkins (*niece of Vernida Summers*)
Tom Krauter, Jr. (*son of Tom Krauter*)
Cheryl Linton (*sister-in-law of Joseph Miano*)
Shannell McCain (*cousin of John and Jay Zvirgzdins.*)
Gregory McClendon (*cousin of Alderay Fields*)
Rose McKay (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Peggy Meisch (*friend of Julie and Steve Seibert*)
Bob Novak (*friend of Joe Miano*)
Rosilyn Oldham (*friend of Alexis Cunningham*)
Martin Rodgers (*cousin of Jerri Bolden*)
Ellen Saville (*friend of Keith Neuber*)
Christine Schwegker (*friend of Don Albers & Karen Totra*)
Shelby Smith (*friend of Faith Cunningham*)
Arrion Soll (*friend of Jerri Bolden*)
Vernida Summers
Lindsay Wagoner (*friend of Julie Seibert*)

The Elder of the Weekend leads prayer in the Prayer Chapel at 10:45 a.m. each Sunday for those on the prayer list. All are welcome to join him. Please also take the opportunity to pray for those on the prayer list during the week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Operation Christmas Child: “In an effort to spread out our collection of items for Operation Christmas child shoeboxes throughout the year, we will focus on collecting the following items during May and June: CRAFTS: PERSONAL CARE ITEMS: tooth brush, manicure sets, small brush, comb/pick. (soap and any liquids not allowed), TOYS: Barbie dolls, small baby dolls, matchbox cars, action figures, small lego set, tennis balls, small foam balls, jump rope, slinky. Of course we would continue to collect all items from previous months all year long. You can place your donations in the big Christmas box in the welcome center. Thank you for supporting this mission

CrossRoads Photographer Chapel is looking for someone to take photos of events at Chapel, such as Easter, Christmas, VBS and other events. If you are interested, please see Ken and Marilyn Kreitner or call 314-313-7909.

BIBLE STUDY

Ladies Bible Study/Fellowship - A study on the book “When You’ve Been Wronged” on the first and third Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday Morning 9:45 Study - “Miracles in the Bible”

Wednesday Evenings at 6:39 p.m. Bible Study Discovery Class (adult confirmation class) in Room A is led by Pastor Laesch.

LIFE TEAM

Sin and death came into the world through one man, Adam. If you are able to die, you know that sin’s infection has gotten you. We are able to die from the moment of conception because sin’s infection is so deep in our very existence. But as Paul reminds us, God’s mercy is also for all men. He sends out His servants to proclaim God’s Word and the gift of eternal life that is yours in Christ Jesus. Do not stop the little ones from hearing God’s Word and believing but let them come into the presence of God before they even exit the womb and hear God’s Word. When they exit the womb, give them God’s gift of Holy Baptism and continue to let them hear God’s Word. That is the way to cure sin’s infection and see your children in eternity.

We know that God cherishes life at all stages, from embryo to infant to toddler to teenager to adult to old age. Each week during 2026, the Life Team will be recognizing the birthdays of our older members at Chapel of the Cross. If we miss your birthday or if we have the wrong date, please call the church office to get our records corrected. This week, we recognize the birthdays of the following:

Mel Neustadt – June 21
Paul Brameier – June 22
Mark Seavert – June 22
Norman Mattmuller – June 24

Gene Weidner – June 21
Ken Schulte – June 22
Sharon Crecelius – June 23

MAPP GOD’S WORD

Hebrews 12:28-29 – “Therefore we receiving a kingdom which cannot be moved, let us have grace, by which we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear: be not carried about with various and strange doctrines. For it is a good thing that the heart be established with grace; not with foods, which have not profited them that have been observing them.”

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Coming up at Chapel

Saturday, June 20

3:30 PM Klotzer/Hayman Wedding
5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, June 21 Father’s Day

8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45AM Youth & Adult Bible Study
11:00 AM Worship Service

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Roman 5:8 – “**But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.**” God did not wait for mankind to make the first move. He did not wait for Adam and Eve to come looking for Him – He went and found them. And while we were sinners, still enemies of God, still set against Him, God looked on us with kindness and generosity, and so loved us that He sent His Son Jesus to suffer, die and rise for us. We now seek to grow up into His image as loving, generous and kind sons and daughters of our Heavenly Father.

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week’s attendance (6/7/2026):

- Worship 228 and 19 visitors.

Last week’s offering (6/7/2026):

- General Fund: \$19,197
- Building / Capital Fund: \$16,232
- 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$28
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YTD Offerings:

- General Fund: \$310,703
- Building / Capital Fund: \$72,678

YTD Need:

- General Fund: \$340,860
- Building / Capital Fund: \$24,311