

BIBLE STUDY

- Sunday 9:45 am
- “The Miracles of Jesus” –
Room 9
- Children’s Sunday School –
Rooms 2 & 4
- Senior High Youth – Youth Room

Announcements

Highlighting 60 Years of Chapel Ministries and Organizations – Mary-Martha Guild: 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 Mary-Martha Guild which is a long-standing strong women’s organization that meets from September through June. While they support the programs and objectives of the Lutheran Women’s Missionary League, they also foster Christian fellowship, promote growth in Christian knowledge, and support Chapel and various outside charities through their annual fundraisers. If you are interested in learning more about this organization, please contact Joanne Witte, Judy Kooi, or the church office.

"Thank you!" My wife Nancy and I are so grateful for such a kind and loving welcome that we received from the members of Chapel of the Cross! As I met with the congregation I saw such a wonderful treasure of saints that carry Christ with them and extend Him to others. I am so eager and grateful to be able to serve as vicar at Chapel of the Cross this year and I look forward to getting to meet more of you and work alongside this congregation. God's peace to you in Christ. -Vicar Justin Goodrich

Thank you Church Family for your prayers, and your constant words of care and encouragement during my absence from God’s house. Your thoughtfulness most certainly touched my soul and aided in my healing. I thank you so much. A special thank you to the Littlejohn Family for the meal card, and the Westbrooks for the beautiful floral bouquet. God Is Good! Church, you certainly know how to love a person back to health. God's blessings to you all! Pam Mains

The flowers on the altar are in honor of Arnie and Gerry Renken’s 72nd wedding anniversary on July 25 and Stan and Diane Schwede for their 56th wedding anniversary on July 25.

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)
- 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 Aulderay 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
- Clara Mueller
- Fred Palmer (friend of Barbra Newton)
- Ellis Perry
- Olivia Reichgert (Stan Schwede’s nephew’s daughter)
- 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
- Sister Mary Lou (friend of Julie Griffith)
- Joan Smith (friend of Aulderay Fields)
- Johnnie Spears
- Anthony Starks (brother of (Antoinette Ray)
- Jean Thomas
- George Tomazi
- Gloria Uttley
- Ariel Wagner (daughter of Keith & Sandy Otto)
- Robyn Walen (friend of John Jordan)
- Stephanie Wallace
- Mickie Wallerstein (friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller)
- Eric Williams (son of Betty and Les Williams)

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)
- Wayne Haas (friend of Bill & Marilyn Miller)
- 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.)
- 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)

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.”
Your prayer partnership is an important link as our LAMP teams journey North and lead Bible School for the children of each community we serve. At the Welcome Center desk is a devotional booklet for you to follow along as the teams have devotions each day in our travel and work in the communities. We depart on Wednesday, July 22. We encourage you to follow along with in our devotions through these two weeks we are gone.

- Pray for members of our teams, that we remain healthy throughout the trip.
- Pray for the communities of Brochet, Lynn Lake, Colomb, Churchill, where we will be serving
- Pray for children of the communities, that they hear the Love that God has for them.
- Pray for adults in the communities, that they also hear about God’s love through us.
- Pray for safe and uneventful travel there and back.

Team members are Ellen Kehe, Michael Kehe, Bethany Kehe, Hannah Wroblewski, Jon Rogers, Jaime Zvirgzdins, Anna Zvirgzdins, Eve Zvirgzdins, Matt Gahr, Rachel Gahr, Juli Burgell, Gary Seidler, Mark Nygren, Brad Lowery, Ben Robertson, and Cynthia Foley. (Alternates for Churchill: Kay Kinder, Janet Sheldon)

We look forward to sharing our stories with you when we return. All Glory be to God!
In His Service,

2026 LAMP Mission Teams of Brochet, Lynn Lake, Marcel Colomb, Churchill

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 July and August: CLOTHING t-shirts, shorts, flip flops, skirts. undergarments, socks, simple dresses. SCHOOL SUPPLIES small notebooks, paper, pencils, crayons, markers, colored pencils, scissors, pencil sharpener. 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

BIBLE STUDY

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

LIFE TEAM

“Even with all our sins, and even our rejection of Him, God is patiently loving us and calling us back to Him through the Holy Spirit. That’s your story, friends. Go out in your God-given identity as a king or a queen and a priest. Don’t go in fear and trembling, because when He calls you, He’ll be with you!” *Diane Albers, President of Lutherans for Life*

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:

Jack Plack – July 30
Lynn Fruend – August 5

Linda Harris – July 31

MAPP GOD’S WORD

James 1:17 – “Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.”

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Coming up at Chapel

Monday, July 27
7:00 PM Board of Directors

Saturday, August 1
5:00 PM Worship Service

Sunday, August 2
8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45AM Youth & Adult Bible Study
11:00 AM Worship Service

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT
Matthew 13:45-46 – “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.” Indeed, Jesus redeemed us, purchased us back from sin and death, with all that He had. We belong to Him now. Our generosity ought to imitate the outsized generosity of Jesus.

HIS LOVE, OUR RESPONSE

Last week’s attendance (7/19/2026):
• Worship 169 and 14 visitors.

Last week’s offering (7/19/2026):
• General Fund: \$12,693
• Building / Capital Fund: \$1,202
• 1-1-1 Dollar for Missions: \$33
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YTD Offerings:
• General Fund: \$374,580
• Building / Capital Fund: \$111,656

YTD Need:
• General Fund: \$429,780
• Building / Capital Fund: \$30,653