

ChristLutheranChurch

# Connected

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*He is risen indeed!*

## CLC Connected

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### Sunday Worship Schedule

8:15 AM Traditional Services  
9:30 AM Blended Worship  
11:00 AM Informal Worship

Christ Lutheran  
Church exists  
to invite  
people  
into a  
life changing  
relationship  
with  
God.

## Thoughts from Pastor Joe

I have one of those digital picture frames in my office, sitting on my desk. It is meant to rotate through a series of pictures that you load into it, but it developed a glitch of some kind that caused it to get randomly stuck on one particular picture and refuse to scroll to any others. So, to keep the stuck picture from burning a permanent ghost image on the screen I disconnected it for awhile. I figured everything needs a rest from time to time. Recently though I got tired of having a dark screen on my desk so I hooked it up again and it seems to be working the way it was meant to. Maybe the down time helped.

I'm looking at it as I write this article. Most of the pictures are either of a trip to Europe that Barbie and I took a couple of years ago, or of a backpacking trip that I did with Sam and Jeff that same summer. There's a picture of gondolas tied up to a dock in Venice. The image fades and one of a castle perched on a cliff above the Rhine River in Germany takes its place. Next up is a photo of the intricate pink and white facade of the cathedral of Florence, the Duomo. Next is a shot of sunrise over the eastern Sierra. As I watch each picture go by I feel a slight pang, a fleeting desire to go back and relive the moment; they were, after all, exceptionally good moments. Of course that's neither possible nor wise. Still, each new image appearing on the screen is a window of sorts into my life, a portal through which for an instant I can crawl back to that day and place. Taken together they tell something of the story of those few months.

For SoulSatisfaction this past January I



did a workshop on *Writing the Story of God in Your Life*. As I watch the pictures fade in and out on my digital frame and I spend a few moments remembering each one it occurs to me that that's not so different than looking back at life and finding God there. Your life is not a series of random scenes. Your story is

made up of unique characters, surprising plot twists, central themes, specific images. Your life is like a series of snapshots scrolling across a digital screen. In those snapshots, in your story, God shows you what he's been up to and what he wants you to be about. Taken together, the photos that are your life reveal God's divine story in you. Maybe that's why I love our Lenten service faith stories so much – because in hearing a person's personal life story it helps me see where God has been at work. And as I learn to see where God has been at work in your life, or mine, I become better trained to see him in the current events of daily living. And that's really what it's all about: learning to see God today because I've learned to make out his outline in the images from yesterday.

Our celebration of Easter, coming at the end of the month, is like that, too. If we gather to simply remember a singularly important moment in time, if our celebration is limited to looking back and recalling the surprising thing that happened one Sunday morning, then our joy is missing its most important component. The point of Easter is not just that Jesus rose, but that he rose and brings his resurrected power and his resurrected self into our life today. We look back to that first Easter so that we can better recognize the Easter that would fill our life today.

## Thoughts from Pastor Joe, continued

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So, if you'll pardon me, I think I'll stop now and just spend a few more minutes looking at those pictures flashing across that digital frame...

Oh....but before I do, just a word to bring you up to date on what's next in terms of our Business Manager. As you know, Debbie Peters left our staff recently to join her husband in Wyoming. Currently her responsibilities are being shared on a temporary basis by Teri Gaudioso who has taken on the financial aspects and Kathleen Kahovec who is covering the property management portion of the position. It is important that we take time to explore various possibilities in terms of staffing configurations that will allow our congregation to best position itself for the future. When we have determined how best to proceed we will begin the process of fulfilling the resulting position/s. In the meantime, thanks to Teri and Kathleen who will do an excellent job of keeping us going.

### **Easter Sunday March 23 ~ Worship Schedule**

*Join us as we mark the Day of Resurrection and our reason for hope with grand Easter hymns, and praise choruses.*

#### **6:30 AM – Hilltop Sunrise service**

*(Meet in the church parking lot dressed for walking up the hill and for the chill of the early morning)*

#### **7:45, 9:00, 10:15, 11:30 – Festival Services**

#### **8:30 am—11:30 am – Easter breakfast served by our youth in the Fellowship Center**

*If possible, so we can extend a warm welcome to the community and ease overcrowding, please consider worshipping at one of the earlier or later services on Easter Sunday, and parking in the adjacent lots. Thank you.*

#### **Palm Sunday and Holy Week**

*With this week Christ-followers come to the heart of our faith and the center of our lives as we enter into the deep mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection. The worship opportunities are designed to help you walk with Jesus through the events of this week, leading to the resurrection good news of Easter Sunday. It is quite impossible to fully celebrate and realize the astounding news of Easter without first walking the way of the cross, and to attempt to do so amounts to celebrating "Easter Lite".*

#### **Palm/Passion Sunday March 16 - 8:15, 9:30 11:00 am**

*Holy Week and the events of the last week of Jesus' life, leading up to the cross and the empty tomb, begin with Palm/Passion Sunday. We celebrate the joy of Palm Sunday remembering the sorrow that awaits us later in the week.*

#### **Last Supper Worship & Drama Thursday, March 20 -7:30 pm**

*"Remember Me," the drama that recalls Jesus' last Supper with his disciples, will form the core of our worship experience. Communion will be shared together. This year there will be only one service on Thursday.*

#### **Good Friday Tenebrae Service Friday, March 21 at 7:30 pm**

*Good Friday is a service in which we experience the gathering darkness on that day of sacrifice. Easter's joy makes sense only in the context of Friday's cross. By the cross of Christ comes new life. In his death, we are made whole. The path to Easter leads us to the foot of the cross where we will gather for this worship service.*

## Council Corner

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A new council started this past month, in February, and I have been honored and privileged to be called as the Council President. There are probably a lot of people in our congregation who do not know who is even on the council, much less exactly what our council does. I thought I would use this opportunity to briefly go over the council's role in our church. First, our council members serve from February through January of the next year, with the entire congregation approving the new council members by written ballot at the January annual congregational meeting. There are seven council members who each serve a three year term, but in some cases a council member may have to leave their calling before their three year term is up as is the case this year. It turned out we had two council members whose three-year terms ended, and two other council members who needed to resign early, thus providing four open spots on council. The council members taking over for those who had to leave early only serve the remainder of that person's term, one-year and two-year in this case, **In addition to me, the council for '08 consists of: David Burnett, Steve Gilbertson, Bob Herbert, Lisa Kennedy, Karen Nelson, and Brenda Tiemann.**

Church Council members meet once-a-month to go over the church business, reviewing the financials for the previous month, and overseeing the strategic direction of our church. Church Council members are asked to be spiritual leaders for the congregation, to spearhead, cheerlead, teach and support the activities, ministry, and vision of the church, and to lead by example in their own lives. Christ Lutheran Church is a council led, staff run congregation, which means that the council sets the overall direction for the church, and then staff executes the day-to-day operation of it. The council focuses their time on setting policy, planning for the future, monitoring and evaluating ministry plans, and

leading the congregation by the standards we set. It's not an easy job, as you may well be saying to yourself. But, as Scripture tells us, we are called to this job, and it is only through the Lord's help that we are successful. As we are told in *Acts 20:28*, "Keep watch over yourselves and over all the flock, of which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God that he obtained with the blood of his own son."

Please do not hesitate to contact any member of the Church Council if you have anything to discuss. We welcome your input and feedback on any of our ministries, on new ideas or ways to *invite people into a life changing relationship with God*, and also any prayer requests or needs you might have. If you are looking for me, I generally attend the 9:30am service, and sit on the left-hand side (facing the altar), in the section closest to the choir. I am in the church directory, so you may be able to recognize me, although I've probably changed more than I would like to admit even since the pictures were taken. I won't go so far as to tell you what row I sit in, although that is pretty consistent, too – ha, ha. We are all looking forward to a really fun, exciting year. We can't wait to see what the Lord has planned for Christ Lutheran Church.

Diane Smith

*"I can do everything through him who gives me strength."*

Philippians 4:13

## Women's Retreat

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### "Calling All Women!!"

Please save the date of Saturday, May 24th for our One Day Women's Retreat!! We are blessed and honored to have Stephanie Edwards, T.V. personality and motivational speaker, share her message of faith and encouragement as the Holy Spirit moves in our lives.

You don't want to miss this fabulous day of fellowship and inspiration!! A Continental breakfast and lunch will be served."

## Caring and Sharing

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I hope you've enjoyed the February Lenten Soup Suppers. Did you find a new soup that you can add to your own family dinner menu? There are 2 soup suppers this month (March 5 and 12). Did you sign up on the patio to bring an item? Did you return the call to your CA.SH leader who left a message asking how you can participate with other church members to provide dinner for fellow members and our guests during Lent. Your CARing and SHaring leader wants to connect you to activities that help you grow your faith in the Lord and grow relationships with other Christians. So, juggle your schedule, fit in an activity that you might



not have considered a year ago, step out in faith. Join us at the Lenten Soup Suppers.

Everyone who is a member of Christ Lutheran Church has been assigned to a

CAring & SHaring group. If you don't know which group you belong to, please ask at the CA.SH table on the patio on Sundays.

CAring and SHaring is the ministry which fills the weekly tasks supporting worship services by ushering, lecturing, greeting, serving Communion, and setting up and cleaning up the coffee.

Cindi Mathewson

CAring And SHaring Coordinator

## Men's Breakfast

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*Saturday March 1st*

*7:30-9:00 am*

*This Month's Guest Speaker: Chaplain Don Dickinson*

*L.A. County Sheriff's Dept.*

Don has spent the past 25 years as a chaplain in the Custody Division for the L.A. County Sheriff's Dept. Prior to becoming a Chaplain in 1982 his first career was with the L.A. County Fire Department. Eight years prior to retirement he began to supervise inmate crews fighting brush fires and doing construction projects and forestry work. During this time he noticed many inmates returning to jail, which caused him a great burden and led him to become a chaplain to help these men choose God's plan for their lives. He connected with a home mission organization called Christian Chaplain Services who gave him training and put him on as a chaplain. His home church, Grace Baptist, licensed him and

sent him out in this mission field. When asked about his work Don comments "I am very thankful the Lord has called me to be in this ministry that is changing many lives to follow our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ".

Please join us to hear this month's interesting Christian speaker.

**We meet at: Marie Callender's Restaurant** - 27630 The Old Road-Valencia

Cost is only \$10 payable at the door and

Includes a full buffet breakfast. **Invite a friend or neighbor**

Questions? [Mensbreakfast@come2christ.com](mailto:Mensbreakfast@come2christ.com)

## Abundant Life Concert and Potluck

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### A Music Ministry “From the Heart”

#### Steve and Rachel Ragsdale in concert

Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm. Mark your calendar to attend this special event.

Steve is a Recording Artist with a rich background of singing, writing & arranging. Steve has been singing professionally in the Los Angeles area as a studio session singer on commercials and major motion pictures. Rachel is a gifted concert pianist & recording artist. Together they have released 6 CD's.

***The Abundant Life group will have a potluck at 11:00 am preceding the concert. Please contact Jackie Wims at 661/263-1641 with questions.***

Abundant Life Member tickets will be \$10 each. There will be a free will offering for other attendees.

## News from Troop 602

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The Troop took on fishing in January. We started with an expert fisherman giving us some pointers and tips on fishing. We learned about techniques of fishing and about fishing laws and why they exist. It must have worked because several of our boys caught fish when many around us didn't. The boys then cleaned and cooked the fish that were caught. This activity helped some of the boys work toward a Fishing merit badge but mostly we had fun.

The troop participated in all three services on Scout Sunday, February 3rd. One of the points of the Scout Law is for Scouts to be Reverent and Honor God. The troop looks forward to Scout Sunday as an annual opportunity to work with the Church.

We had another recruiting meeting on February 19th. The Troop taught visiting Cub Scouts how to build a tripod that can hold a cooking pot over a campfire by lashing poles together. We also showed some photographs of recent activities.



On February 24th we held a first aid class for the First Aid Merit Badge. First aid is a foundation skill for Boy Scouts. An invitation was extended to leaders of the church mission groups to join the Troop for this class. First aid is a skill everyone should have and we are happy to share this knowledge.

We finally went on our snow camp. This was planned for last year as a backpacking trip at San Jacinto. However, the Southern California fires put the trip on hold. This time we went to Boy Scout Camp Three Falls near Mt. Pinos.

We are planning for more camping starting with a snow camp in March and a Beach Camp in May. Other trips are in the planning stage for a short backpacking trip in the Angeles Forest, a longer backpacking trip in Sequoia, and a river rafting trip on the Kern River. Of course we are looking forward to Summer Camp on Catalina Island.

# Hands and Hearts

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*Success* is the only word to describe Hands and Hearts' Annual Fund Raiser, which was held on February 2, 2008. A good time was had by all the attendees - especially the winners - who walked away with a fabulous gift basket and cash prize. The clubhouse was packed with 73 players and countless volunteers!!



We would like to extend a special thank you to all who attended, and a very special THANK YOU to every person who helped out with the event, donated prizes, goodies and cash. We truly could not have been successful without you. Now we will be able to continue to send quality Care Packages to the men and women in uniform serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. Each month we ship about 75 personalized Care Packages. To date Hands and Hearts has sent over 2,500 boxes to our troops. This is made possible by your loyal support.

Now that our annual fundraising event is done, we are back to business. For the Care Packages, we are looking for protein snacks, DVDs, individual packets of trail mix, coffee, and toiletries, including razors, toothbrushes, toothpaste and deodorant. Just place the items in



we'll gather with other Christians to busy our hands and fill our hearts with joy as we share in this rewarding ministry.

the big camouflaged box on the patio or in the Fellowship Hall Narthex.

Are you willing to commit to pray for one of our Soldiers, Airmen, Sailors or Marines? Each of our soldiers is given a card containing a prayer written just for them with Psalm 23 on the reverse. These pocket-sized cards are laminated so they can easily be carried by our soldier as a reminder of our commitment to daily prayer on their behalf.

Please consider this opportunity to reach out in Jesus' name to a young soldier serving far from home, offering comfort and the reassurance of daily prayer support. If you are willing to make this commitment or need information, please call Karolle at 255-3222 or email [hands\\_n\\_hearts@yahoo.com](mailto:hands_n_hearts@yahoo.com).

Our next packing date is **Tuesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 8 p.m. and again on Wednesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 to 11 a.m.** Please join us. We'll have fun,

## Sunday Adult Bible Study

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### **"FASTEN YOUR SEAT BELTS, FOLKS!"**

Not the sort of advice you'd expect from the Sunday Adult Bible Study when announcing the study materials for the coming quarter? Well, it fits. We'll be looking at the covenant God made with His people and the struggle Israel had for several hundred very "bumpy years".

After several hundred years in the promised land, Israel had trouble under their first king, Saul. Then David became king. That is where our study begins. The road for Israel is bumpy indeed as they repeatedly hear God's call but struggle with their response. In some ways our struggle may mirror Israel's struggle. And God continues to express His love for us in our struggles, sending Christ into our world as our Savior and King.

Plan to join us each Sunday (except Easter Sunday) when we meet in Rooms 11/12 of the Education Center at 9:30am. Coffee is served and all are welcome.

MOLO (Mothers of Little Ones)  
*Annual Easter Egg Hunt*



\*Date, Time and Place:

\*Saturday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am

\*Meet at the Fellowship Center

\*Please bring “One Dozen” plastic filled eggs per participating child

\*An Easter Basket to collect the eggs in

\*And a snack or dessert to share with children and adults

\*Beverages will be provided

## Preschool News for March

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We are currently having our priority registration for church members, existing families at the preschool. It is exciting to meet new families who will join us next year. On March 6<sup>th</sup> we will open up the remaining spots to the community. It is a bitter sweet time of the year as we will fill up quickly and have to turn many families away who desperately want to attend. We pray for the day when we can have a second campus in which to expand the capacity.

The preschool was excited to have folk singer Hugh Hanley perform for the children. He is presenting a workshop at the Southern California Kindergarten Conference this year and we snagged him to come and play for the children while he was in the area. Hugh resides in the Boston area. Diana Barrett and I will attend the same two day conference in Burbank. This conference is one of our favorites as we find great ideas to bring back to the school every time we go. We met Hugh at one of the conferences years ago. This year we will meet legendary Hap Palmer. We cannot wait to see his presentation.

The teachers are preparing for their Parent/Teacher conferences and are pleased with how the children are testing. This year we developed a new book for the three-year-old class, which is working out very well. We love this time of year when we get to sit down with each family and share information on how well their child is doing. Communication between us and the families is very valuable as we see this as a "team effort". I know many preschools do not take the time to do conferences with their families, but it is a time that we value.

Looking forward to warmer weather.

Yours truly,

Miss Chris

## Help Support Our Preschool!

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Take a day off from cooking and come enjoy an All American Combo....How about burgers, fries, and a coke at Johnny Rockets!?!?

On Thursday March 27<sup>th</sup> from 11:00am-10:00pm, please join us for a meal at Johnny Rockets (on Town Center Dr.) and support the Preschool at Christ Lutheran. We are raising money to help fund the special music programs for the preschool students.

**You must present a flyer at Johnny Rockets in order for funds to benefit CLCP.**

Please contact Beth Sherwood (296-9194) or Mary Jo Robinson (287-5955) for flyers or for additional information.



# Children's Ministries

## Sunday School

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Yes, it is time to think about next year already. If you think you might be interested in teaching SS this fall, please see Kathleen Kahovec about observing in the classroom now. This is a great opportunity to see how the routine works and how we teach and if it might be a way you can serve. Thank you for continuing to have your children learn their bible verses and remain faithful to their commitment in learning the New Testament stories. Thank you for making Sunday school a priority for your family. There will be no Sunday school on Easter Sunday, March 23. Please note also that the Sunday school picnic will be June 1.

## KOK (Kids of the Kingdom)

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KOK is on break for the season of Lent. We encourage families to attend the soup/suppers and worship service on Wednesday nights. It is a highlight of the year!

This midweek program is for ages 3 - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade on Wednesday nights. 3 year olds - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade meet from 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the Christian Education building. Dawn Diaz is in charge of KOK and can answer any questions you might have. KOK will resume after Lent on April 2.

## Youth Adventurers

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Youth Adventurers is also on break for Lent. We meet in the Youth Center from 6:00 - 7:00 pm. This is for 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> graders who want to come and sing and play games and learn more about God. New faces are always welcome. Youth Adventurers will resume after Lent on April 2.

36 of us went on a retreat to El Camino Pines this last month. Brad Eledge led the retreat with a Nerd theme using 1 Samuel 16:7 as the scripture basis. "God does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at the outward appearance, but God looks at the heart." It was truly a Spirit filled weekend with music, games, skits, singing, and more snow than ever. Thank you to all that helped with the retreat.

# Children's Ministries



## Children's Choirs

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Children's Choirs will continue to meet during Lent on Wednesday evenings from 5:15–6:00. Each choir sings once a month during our 9:30 and 11:00 worship services and also at Easter

Sonbeams (Kindergarten–2nd grade) Join Miss Cathy and Miss Robin in room 7

Sound & Spirit (grades 3–6) Join Mrs. Gordon in Rooms 9& 10

## Junior High

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Confirmation will continue to meet on Wednesdays 7-8:30pm after Easter. We are on break for the season of Lent and will resume April 2. We will study the end of the Old Testament in the last spring session. 21 students still have perfect attendance for the year. Keep up the good work!

The 8<sup>th</sup> graders will go on the Sexuality retreat April 11 - 13. It will be held at the Oaks Conference Camp. Information and medical forms will be mailed out to you in March. Please watch for those. The cost for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade retreat is \$110. Call Kathleen Kahovec if you have any questions at 259-0200 ext. 26. This is a great time of year to catch up on your worship notes during the Lenten services.

## Vacation Bible School is Around the Corner

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Mark your calendars for June 23 - June 27. We will meet Monday - Friday from 9am - 12noon. The theme this year is Power Lab, Discover Jesus' miraculous power. Jennifer Franco and Kim Fernandez will be in charge of VBS this year. Registration will begin April 20 and run through May 18. Please consider volunteering all 5 days this year. We need lots of help to run such a successful program. This is our biggest outreach to the community.

# From Pastor Mike

First I want to thank everyone for the warm welcome that Loriann and I have received here at CLC. It has been good to get to meet everyone and I do want to thank you all for the truly monster sized pile of welcome cards I have gotten.

There are a couple of things I want you all to be aware of and to be thinking about:

- ⇒ The church is only the church when we exist for others. We exist to serve God and those outside of our fellowship. That is one of the reasons I am really excited about the Mexico Mission and the service stuff that we are doing.
- ⇒ Impact is a lot of fun! We are filling the youth center every week, but there is always room for more. If you are in High School, now is a great time to start showing up. If you are an adult who would like to help out, let me know.
- ⇒ I am starting to get a handle on the 18-30 ministry. This is going to be an interesting duck, it will cover folks coming out of high school, all the way up through the first house, first kid crowd. Doing that will take a while and I am going to ask for your patience. If you would like to be involved, drop me an email.
- ⇒ Teen Basics of Faith is coming up on March 9 and 16. This is a chance for Teenagers who never went through the confirmation program to join us and become members of CLC. If you have been attending here for a while but have not joined, come check it out. If you want to come, but decide that you don't want to become a member, that is just fine too. Either way, we would love to have you there, just call the office for more info.
- ⇒ There is no truth to the rumor that I moved everything in Pastor Dan's office to the Janitor's closet while he was gone. It was the roof.

That is all the news I have for right now. Thank you for your continuing support as we work together to be the Body of Christ in Santa Clarita.

-Pastor Mike Matzek

*You are cordially invited to attend our annual breakfast benefiting the High School Mission Team's trip to Mexico.*

## **Menu:**

*Orange Juice, Apple Juice, Coffee ~ Barbie's Coffee Cake*

*Choice of Scrambled Eggs or Joe's Pancakes*

*Sausage Links ~ Fruit*

*Easter Sunday, March 23*

*Served from 8:30 am—11:30 am in the Fellowship Center*

As always, we are fully supported. We are hoping the congregation will assist us again this year by donating food items to our mission breakfast. A sign up sheet will be in the Fellowship Center Narthex. Food items can be delivered to our kitchen Friday March 21 from 9 am to 1 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Debi Colbert at [heroesinheaven45@hotmail.com](mailto:heroesinheaven45@hotmail.com) or 312-9408.

# CLC Youthspace

## Easter Breakfast

Sign ups for our annual Easter Breakfast will begin mid March. Set up will be Saturday, March 22. The breakfast, of course, is March 23.

All High School students and Mexico missionaries are invited to sign up in the Youth Center. If you can't help, please contribute a food item

Donation Requests will be posted in the Fellowship Hall

## March Impact Schedule

March 4	Worship Night
March 11	Game Night
March 18	Impact
March 25	Game Night

If you have any questions, please contact Teri:  
259-0200 ext. 27 or by email at:  
[youth@come2christ.com](mailto:youth@come2christ.com)

## Teen Basics of Faith

It's like Basic Training for your faith!  
March 9 and 16, 4:00 to 7:00 pm

Over the years we have offered Basics of Faith for adults joining the congregation, as a way of reviewing the central aspects of Biblical faith and preparing them to publicly affirm their faith on new member Sundays. We also offer confirmation instruction as the means by which we normally prepare young people of Junior High age to affirm their faith in the rite of Confirmation. What we haven't had is a means for young people who missed out on confirmation instruction (perhaps they joined the church after confirmation age, perhaps they never had the opportunity to be a part of the confirmation process, etc.) to prepare to affirm their faith in a format that works for them.

Basics of Faith for High School students is designed to offer the material covered in regular Basics of Faith specifically for high school students who have never been confirmed. Those who participate will be prepared to affirm their faith and become confirmed members of the congregation. If you are interested, please sign up with Teri Gaudioso.



*Spring is just around the corner and that means: Time to clean out those closets!*

**CLC will be holding a clothing drive to benefit those displaced once the Emergency Winter Shelter closes on March 15th.**

*We are asking for clean, used clothing to help restock the Thrift Store at Church of Hope. All clothing donations will be accepted on March 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at Wednesday Lenten Soup Suppers or Sunday, March 9th. Please drop off during these times only.*

If you have any questions or need to make arrangements for another drop off time, please contact Debi Colbert @ 661/312-9408 or heroesinheaven45@hotmail.com.





# March Birthdays!



**1st**  
 Guy Distad  
 Linnea Heinstedt  
 Nathan Lieber  
 April Surak  
 Michele Tsujimoto  
 Austyn Walline

**2nd**  
 Kyle Lamont  
 Christopher Sherwood  
 Matthew Sherwood  
 Scott Svendsen

**3rd**  
 Nicole Brink  
 Cassandra Cavarretta  
 Timothy Connolly  
 Teri Gaudio  
 Brendan Kuhlman  
 Kendall Kuhlman  
 Kathleen Smyth

**4th**  
 Douglas Godin  
 Shawn Kirshner  
 Mia Paras  
 Mia Petote

**5th**  
 Alexis Blumke  
 Jason Gardner  
 Kristina Geeting  
 Courtney Kessler  
 Mara Meschkat  
 Samantha Rosso

**6th**  
 Valentina Bilbao  
 Emily Gordon  
 Luke Rodas

**7th**  
 Paul Beirold  
 Robert Herbert  
 Hailey Kane  
 Emily Strode  
 Greg Strode  
 Kacie Traina

**8th**  
 Dean Benforado  
 Olivia Olsen

**9th**  
 Gavin George

**10th**  
 Theresa Gwinnett  
 Michele Hill

**11th**  
 Daniel Jensen  
 Gregory Jensen  
 Dottie King  
 Bobbi Lehman  
 Matt Ott  
 Nicole Ott

**12th**  
 Sean Anderson  
 Victoria Kirshner  
 Erich Meschkat  
 Tim Nelson  
 Rolland Walline

**13th**  
 Debbie Hall  
 David Schutz  
 Marcy Tripp

**14th**  
 Maria Striff

**15th**  
 Danielle Alecock  
 Hayden Duswalt  
 Christian Jackson  
 Ashley Price  
 Laura Tenney  
 Mark Woodcox

**16th**  
 Seth Blumke  
 Jack Kosek

**17th**  
 Daniel Hoppes  
 Glenn Hoskinson  
 Fred Posler

**18th**  
 Chris Chaplin  
 Krista Chassman  
 Cathy Duus  
 Jonathan Horton  
 John Krogstad  
 Julie Krumrine  
 Tami Moore

**19th**  
 Brooke Bovee  
 Amy Caffey  
 Jacob Frederick  
 Emily Strenk  
 Joanne Thompson  
 Pam Traina  
 Jean Wims

**20th**  
 Kevin Cole  
 Claire Felbaum  
 Derek Freziers  
 Brendan Keschull  
 Robert Larlee  
 Arieanna Lepisto  
 Samuel Munster

**21st**  
 Colton Bennett  
 Justyn Friedler  
 Nicolas Gavilan  
 Curtis Kahovec  
 Bill Kopatz  
 Marilyn Mantz

**22nd**  
 Nicole Hendry  
 Nicholas Woodcox

**23rd**  
 Christin Bagaus  
 Danielle Bagaus  
 Elaine Baroth  
 Keira Boyd  
 Tom Natterstad  
 Sunny Sucheck  
 Jessica Violin

**24th**  
 Jeffrey Costanzo  
 Matthew Diaz  
 Kathleen Kinney  
 William Kinney

**25th**  
 Brendan Ortiz  
 Miles Berrey  
 Chelsea Ginex  
 Daniel Stevens

**26th**  
 Natalie Dole  
 Nora Hagkull  
 Kylie Lange  
 Liz Meyers

**27th**  
 Dan Dudeck  
 Benjamin Woodcox

**28th**  
 Kim Hees  
 Isabelle Owston  
 Caedmon Serrano  
 David Stotler

**29th**  
 Kevin Chao  
 Glenn Fancy  
 Nathaniel Fernandez  
 Dan George  
 William Harwood  
 Erni Motter

**30th**  
 Taylor Green  
 William Koebrich  
 Richard Louis  
 Ella Swartz

**31st**  
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