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Christ Lutheran Church

Experiencing Christ's Love

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Order of Service April 23rd

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn

Confession & Absolution

Hymn of Praise: "Oh My Soul" by Casting Crowns

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Gospel:

Luke 24:13-35

Baptism at 8:00 a.m.

Creed

Message Hymn

Message: "Opening Our Eyes"

Hymn of Offering

Prayers of the Congregation

Lord's Prayer

Celebration of Holy Communion

Video During Communion:

"Come to the Table" by Sidewalk Prophets

Hymn of Thanksgiving

Blessing

Closing Hymn

Dismissal

Aloha! We welcome you to worship today in Jesus' name. We pray that your worship will draw you closer to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. If you don't currently have a church home, we invite you to explore becoming a part of our family in Christ. If you're ready for more information or have questions, please contact us. We look forward to connecting with you.



Restrooms are located on the outside of the Fellowship Hall, which is across the lanai to your right as you leave the Sanctuary.

We believe that Christ comes to us in the sacrament of **Holy Communion** by means of His body and blood, in, with and under the elements. If this is how you also believe, then please join us in receiving the Sacrament. If you're not receiving Communion, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing and indicate by crossing your arms over your chest. **Mahalo and Welcome!**

The **MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY** meets on **Wednesdays** in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m. and is studying Romans. Please contact Bert Hamersma at (808) 985-7212 if you have any questions or are interested in attending.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY meets at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday mornings in the Fellowship Hall, studying "Stuff They Didn't Teach Me in Sunday School." Contact Dan Kunert if you have any questions at (808) 937-1148. All are welcome!

A WORD ABOUT THE OFFERING: Our offering plate is available on the back table. You can also give online by using this QR or by texting the word "Give" to 808-320-1225. After an initial set-up, this method will provide quick access to the secure giving site anytime. Mahalo for your faithful support and generosity!



STEPHEN MINISTERS receive extensive training to provide confidential, one-to-one, Christian care. They are here to listen, encourage and pray with you. You can also schedule regular ongoing visits with a Stephen Minister. For more information, you may contact the church office or speak with Pastor Mark.



MISSION STATEMENT: To know, grow in, serve, and share Christ through experiencing His unconditional love.

VISION STATEMENT: The family of believers at Christ Lutheran Church understands and supports our mission by participating in our ministry efforts through education, development, assistance, and outreach.



Transportation Needed

Human Care is compiling a list of folks who would be willing to provide transportation to those in our congregation who otherwise cannot get to worship services, doctor's appointments, or other necessary life events such as shopping for groceries, etc. Please call Teresa Ingebrigtsen at 808-315-4015 if you are willing to provide this service. Serve the Lord with Gladness!

Sharing Prayers

Our Prayer Team is ready to lift your prayer requests confidentially whether for yourself or, with permission, those of others you know.

Prayer Cards are on the table in the entry that can be filled out and placed in the black prayer box. Please print clearly and know that the team will be praying faithfully for these.



God's Word To Go

You can have your Bible with you wherever you go without packing around a book. Download the Bible Gateway App for free or go to www.biblegateway.com on your computer. Make time for God's Word every day.



COUNSELING: As a ministry of Christ Lutheran Church, Beth Zier, M.A., is available for scheduling counseling appointments. If you, or someone you know, would like more information about counseling fees and/or would like to schedule an appointment, please contact Beth at (253) 732-8671 or bethie112@comcast.net

Pastor Mark Zier can be reached at (253) 307-4541 or by email at mziero1@aol.com.

Recordings of the worship services as well as the bulletin are available at www.ChristHilo.org under the MESSAGES tab.

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Read ahead: To help you prepare for next week's service, here is the scripture passage and title for the message.

"Staying Close" 1 Peter 2:19-25



Happy Birthday!



April 23- Karen Hahn

April 28- Stuart Barte

April 29- Jon Ingebrigtsen



Anniversaries!

April 29- John & Valerie Collins

Do you like to Sing?

Pastor Mark and Walter Greenwood are looking for people who would like to be a part of a choral group to provide special music and also help lead singing during worship. These people would serve at both services. If you're interested, contact Pastor Mark

Partnering With Us

Pastor Mark is teaching an adult class at 9:15 a.m. This class is for all adults, especially those who may be considering joining the congregation as members. This class will look at the core beliefs and practices of our congregation and help clarify the ways each person can share in the ministry of helping people Experience Christ's Love. It will also help you connect the ways we partner with the larger church and with the historic Christian community. Most importantly it will outline the central nature of the Gospel in all we do.

Heavenly Celebration

Congratulations to Angelo on his baptism today!



"Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and He will establish your plans."

Proverbs 16:3

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Christian education classes for pre-K through 3rd grade will meet in the first classroom while middle school kids meet in the second classroom. Lessons are taught on the 1st and 3rd Sundays, with activities and crafts on the 2nd and 4th. Contact Dian Mahoney for more information at dianhilo@gmail.com or 808-935-