



Christ Lutheran Church & School

820 West Imperial Hwy.
Brea, CA 92821

(714) 529-2984 Church

(714) 529-0892 School
& Preschool

www.christbrea.org

"Connecting
People to Christ"

Sunday Worship

8:00 & 10:30 am

Sunday School

& Bible Classes

9:30 am

Pastors

Rev. Eric Clausen

Rev. Dr. Bill Brunold

Principal

Amy Blain

Deacon

Mike Sander

The mission of Christ
Lutheran Church is to
be a caring

community that
celebrates, nurtures,
teaches, and equips
for a Christian life.

Christ Lutheran
School exists to
provide a Christ
centered atmosphere
for learning,
assisting families in
fulfilling their
responsibility of
bringing up children
in the Lord.



Welcome to
CHRIST LUTHERAN
CHURCH & SCHOOL

Reformation Day
October 26, 2025

We welcome you and hope that you are inspired through this worship service.
Your friends at Christ Lutheran would consider it a pleasure to serve you in any way possible. Please check us out on the web at ChristBrea.org for more information on all our ministries, missions, and small groups. Need prayer, additional attention or direction? Give us a call in the church office and let us know how we can serve you!
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THIS WEEK AT CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday (10/26)

Services are in person, livestream & recorded on christbrea.org.

10:00 am Traditional Service

9:15 am Confirmation

12 noon Grill Sunday

6:30 pm Youth

Monday (10/27)

Tuesday (10/28)

3:15 pm Children's Choir

6:50 pm Bell Choir

8:00 pm Dad's Group

Wednesday (10/29)

9:30 am Women's Bible Study – Gospel of John

6:00 pm Community Crochet

7:00 pm Adult Choir

Thursday (10/30)

10:30 am Seniors Bible Study – Upper Room – Gospel of Matthew

5:30 pm Women's Bible Study – The Gospels

6:00 pm College/Young Adult Study – Zoom

Friday (10/31)

7:00 am Young Men's Bible Study – "Follow Your King"

Saturday (11/1)

8:00 am Men's Bible Study – Book of James

Daylight Savings Time – Turn your clocks back 1 hour

For all online services and activities www.christbrea.org

SERVING OUR LORD TODAY

Organist: 10:00 am Jerry Holmes Choir Director: Jennifer Gaston

Accompanist: Tammy Ordaz Brass Quintet

Readers: 10:00 am Carl Pentis & Lisa Perr

Elders: 10:00 am Alfred Francisco, Paul Martinez & Jeff Radke

Ushers: 10:00 am Milt Anderson, David Westphal, Gail Brenner, & Joanne Adler

Children's Message: Michelle Pavasars Acolytes: Nathen Gantner & Bradley Gantner

Cross Bearer: Emma Molle

Altar Guild: Laura Harton, Susan Pechan, & Rita Mangus

Technical Director: Christian Ilten Tech Team: Ella Molle, Carl Perr & Zac Blain

Revelation 14:6 – “Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people.” During the Reformation, this text was used to refer to Luther’s ministry and the Lutheran message. We have an eternal Gospel to proclaim. Christ has freed us from our sins without any works on our part. We are saved by grace alone! And, ironically enough, Luther said this should make him the “apostle of works.” Once we are freed by grace, we are truly free to serve God in works that flow from thankfulness and praise.

Offering: \$18,903 Offering YTD: \$350,339
 Needed per week: \$25,881 Needed YTD: \$414,096

Designated Gifts: Food Pantry - \$82.37; Principal Pay down - \$51.00; Special Gifts/School - \$38.37; Fleece Fund \$25.00; Angel Fund - \$114.00; Thanksgiving Bags - \$50.00; Memorial Fund – Betty Anderson - \$100.00; Pastor Pat Wellness - \$1500.00
 Worship Attendance Online: Members and friends of CLC are blessed by online worship services.
 Last Week’s Worship Attendance on Campus: Sunday – 297

WHAT'S HAPPENING?



The ministry of Christ Lutheran Church & School is accessible from wherever you are, online! Visit ChristBrea.org to watch livestreams and videos, find schedules, online giving, and so much more! Scan the QR Code or visit ChristBrea.org/Connect to find all our different online media, social media accounts, and channels!



THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Mitchell & Analise Caudle
 Matthew Dietze
 Hannah Dietze
 Chad & Raechelle Harmon
 Emily, Ashley, & Luke Harmon
 Michael & Cynthia Hines
 Emiliana & Arianna Hines

Victoria Jones
 Katerina Jones
 Nelson Kang
 Patricia Lewis
 Rosa Merritt
 Daniel & Janine Puls
 Lori St. James

You are warmly invited to attend the CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE for BETTY ANDERSON on Saturday, November 1st at 1:00 PM at Morningside of Fullerton's Lakeview Hall. To help us plan accordingly, please kindly RSVP by emailing celebrationoflife.bettyanderson@gmail.com. Once we receive your RSVP, we will provide directions, parking information, as well as details for accessing the livestream for those unable to attend in person. We hope you can join us in honoring Betty's life and memory.

MEN OF CHRIST 2025 RETREAT – Sign Up Now! The Men of Christ Retreat is coming November 7–9, 2025 at Luther Glen Retreat Center (Oak Glen, CA). Led by Pr. Tim Eaton on the theme “*It’s Not About the Coat*” (Genesis 37), with our weekend verse Genesis 50:20, this weekend promises renewal, strength, and fellowship. Cost is \$300, covering lodging, meals, materials, a weekend T-shirt, and more. Space is limited to 35 men—sign up today! bit.ly/MenofChrist2025

CALLING ALL OUR 7TH - 12TH GRADE YOUTH! Youth nights! Sunday morning high school Bible study! Confirmation fun! All for you! Have questions? Contact DCE Michelle Pavasars at mpavasars@christbrea.org or send her an email to be on our weekly Youth News email. October 26. 6:30 - 8:30pm. Pumpkin Carving and Devotions at the Youth House. Bring your own pumpkin. Watch for info about wearing costumes. Sunday High School Bible study meets in the Youth House, 9:30 - 10:15am. Jen Loeber is leading our study on the Fruit of the Spirit, Galatians 5:22-23. Confirmation for 7th and 8th graders meets on Sunday mornings in the Youth House, 9:15- 10:20am.

LWML FALL CELEBRATION for all Women of CLC Reformation reflections from Katie Luther and other women from that period will be heard at the Zone 14 LWML Fall Celebration, Sunday, November 9, 2025, 1:30 – 3:30pm, in our FLC. All women of our congregation are invited to come for fellowship with other women from North Orange County. We will leave pondering how we can live a Katie Luther life today. Our service project is collecting boxes/bags of cereal, any size and flavor, for Giving Children Hope. You can sign up today at the LWML cart. If you want to help with food or decorations, please note that on the sign-up sheet or contact JoAnne Sloan at 714 – 993 – 4129.

THANKSGIVING BAGS – “Connecting People to Christ” through “From the Heart” Thanksgiving bags! There is still time to adopt a bag and fill it out for food pantry clients. When returning your bag, please do not put it on the floor in the narthex. Use the white tables as marked. Thank you. Bags are due November 9th for distribution on November 15th. Contact JoAnne Sloan at 714 – 993 – 4129 or pavajerb@att.net for more information.

ADVENT CANDLELIGHT DESSERT A holiday tradition at Christ Lutheran, will be Sunday December 7th from 7pm-9pm. Women of our church and school, along with their guests (including girls 6th grade and up) are invited to gather in this beautiful setting for fellowship and reflection on the true meaning of Christmas. We would love you to join us for an evening of good conversation, special desserts, and refreshments, along with Christmas carols and musical entertainment. Signups to attend or even host a table will be available throughout November in between each of our church services. For additional questions please contact Mara Stone @ Mara.Stone@ymail.com.

CHURCH NEWSLETTER ARTICLES can be emailed to churchnewsletter@christbrea.org by the 15th of each month.

USHERS NEEDED for the 8am and 10:30am Sunday worship services. Please prayerfully consider which service you would like to help as an usher. Contact John Harton for more information at socalharton@gmail.com.

FREE CRIB in the Nursery - comes with fitted sheets. If you are interested in checking out the crib, come by the Nursery on any Sunday 7:30A - 12N. Please contact Gail Eiler if you have any questions at sweile@aol.com or 714-350-7689 (text or leave a message).

WE WOULD LOVE TO PRAY WITH AND FOR YOU!

TO PLACE A PRAYER REQUEST:

- On the Prayer Chain, text Norma Holland at (714) 331-5687 or email your request to normaholland516@yahoo.com
- For “Strictly Confidential” prayer requests call Janet Westphal at (714) 879-7167
- Prayer requests can also be submitted via the website: www.christbrea.org or prayers@christbrea.org or call the office (714) 529-2984
- Elders are available to pray with you. Contact your elder via phone or email.
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PRAYER REQUESTS

Our nation, leaders, and service men and women, especially Ted Carlson, Wyatt Durbin, Chloe Honjiyo, Nichole Martinez, Katelyn McFarland, Desirae Martinez, Kyle Poolman, Joseph Natoniewski, Ed Scilex, Nicholas Rimando, Jason Dart, Jason Burkee, Sarah Gass, Ryan Dozier, Aaron Souza, Ryan Derzo, Alex Hunter, Mat Roth, Will Mennis, Andrew Nichols, Jeremy Tao, Noah Pettey, Michaela McFarland, Chauncey Lansdowne, Jennifer Kuehl, Logan Jones, Allison Pelosi, Jeff Edward, Justus Moorlach and Faith Moorlach - God's blessings and safekeeping.

Healing for Brandon Creel, Creed - Pastor Jesse's son from his kidney transplant, Carl Batchler, Patti Brunold, Pastor Pat, Diana Orr, Erika, Elwood, Jerry Holmes, Sean M., Ron Holtz, Beverley Moore, Luke, Lukas, Sally, Julie, Michelle, Lisa, & Kaleen

For Donna Morgan for comfort in hospice care

For Pastor Pat and Michelle that God would intervene in the process to ensure Pastor's rehab and give them Peace

The wars in the Middle East and the Ukraine - Prayers for peace & protection of innocent civilians. Prayers for discernment for all world.

Peace in our nation, and protection of our leaders.

For the sanctity of life - all life is precious to God!

Comfort for Doris, Irwin, Brad, Marion, Thomas,

Guidance for Ben & Dennis that the Holy spirit would touch their heart and bring them to a saving Faith

For our strategic planning team wisdom & discernment as the process will carry us the next 60 years

For all who suffer from depression, isolation, and anxiety - that God would provide peace & comfort

Damen Rapp, James Maples, Sandra Meltebeke, Grant Eyles, Charlie Allen, Howard Drake, Joanne Holtz, Jim Schellin, Donna Winans, Billie O'Leary, Susan McPeak, Emma Molle, Tina Ball, Jo Gale, Nancy Jackson, Blake Hill, Kathie Belford, Randy Netten, Nancy Sena, Bill Bonney, Rebecca Warsinski, Stephanie Martin, Pete Lewis, Chris Anderson, Craig Brazil, Glenna Naves, Erica Leyva, Cathy Vandyne, Jeri Bush, Stephen Ilten, Melanie, Darlene, Ron Treadway, Pastor Pat, Shaun Ilten, - the Lord's strength and healing from long-term illnesses.

Doran Mateik, Julia Kozlowski, Hydi Laidlaw-Smith, Samadi Dixon, Luis Jaquez, Peter Bloechle, Ofelia Martinez, Patrick Fourton, Sandy Frieson, Sue Urban, Eve Rasmussen, Debra Chase, Eileen Morrison, Danny Muntean, Cheryl Manafort, Jill Kimble, Jay Hewitt, Lynn Creed, Patty Rodriguez, Serena Ryder, Jacob Cooper, Lilian West, Jim Lockhart, Becky Bean, Maryann Essig, Karen Snow, Geneva Gomez, Dave Briggs, Gail Wedrall, Michael Oliver, Camilia Rievers, Lynn Chambers, Mary Nichols, Monique Quintero, Myra Johnson, Dick Winans, Esther Kim, Walt Smith, Lynn Owen, Tim Boatwright, Joyce Llewellyn, Cathy Keller, Dave Rezner, Rudy Flores, Dorothy Barkman, Char Stevens, Carmen Acevedo, Ryan Russell, Vickie Wright, Robin Tedford, Robin Nua, Carl Batchler, Marci Hutt, Lisa Kirk, John Jermanis, Matthew Shahon, Patti Brunold, Gordon Radke, Hollie Barbee, David Robinson, Shirley Jo Miller, Mike, Julie Holland, Linda, Karen, Richie, Ann, Patty, Julio, Debbie Wright, Tiula, Sissy, Beverly, June, Annie, Linda, Christy, Caleb - 2 yr old, John - God's healing as they battle cancer.

