

Christ the Servant Lutheran Church

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Pastor Jon Yurk

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From the Pastor

Friends in Christ,

Wow... July has been a hot one! I hope and pray that all of you have been able to stay cool but still enjoy the summer! We did get a chance to worship outside together at the beginning of July for our community worship and I am so glad the weather cooperated! It seems like the last couple times we scheduled an outdoor service we had to move inside due to rain.

With the coming of August, there are a couple of major things happening here! On Tuesday August 4th we will celebrate Night to Unite from 5-7 PM. I hope a lot of you can make it to this community event! Also, on Sunday August 16th, we will have our traditional Vadnais Heights Days outdoor worship at Kohler Park. I love being able to get out in the community and bring our worship service to the park!

As most of you know, we have a Care of Creation team that has brought forth many different ways we can be better stewards of our resources and care for the planet. There are a couple of exciting possibilities that we will be introducing in the coming weeks to increase the positive impact we can make. Stay tuned for more details on some exciting recycling and compost opportunities that we will share!

As always, I am so grateful for all of your support. I am especially thankful to have Christ the Servant and Lakeview worshipping as one community of faith on Sunday mornings. It is such a blessing to see our communities come together for mission and ministry. I can't wait to see what new ways God might be guiding us in as we continue this journey together!

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Jon

NIGHT to UNITE!

Join us for Night to Unite on Tuesday, August 4, followed by a potluck picnic, lawn games for your entire family, and even a bouncy house for kiddos! This will be a great time for meeting our neighbors as well as wonderful opportunity to invite friends, family, and neighbors to join us. This is also a drop off opportunity for the Ramsey County school supply drive. A collection box is available in the Narthex for your early donations if you can't make it to the event on the 4th.



Blood Drive - August 6

CSLC will host another Red Cross Blood Drive on Thursday, August 6 from 11:00 AM-5:00 PM. Use this QR code to be part of this life-saving opportunity and sign up to donate blood.



Vadnais Heights Days - August 10-16

Be sure to pick up a flyer from the welcome desk for all the planned events.

Monday, August 10 - Medallion Hunt Starts & Beginner Pickleball Tournament

Wednesday, August 12 - Puzzle Competition

Thursday, August 13 - Senior Picnic

Saturday, August 15 - Festival - Car Show, Bingo, Parade and much more

Sunday, August 16 - BOOYA by the VH Fire Relief Association

News & Events

Upcoming Events:

August 4 - Night to Unite

August 6 - Blood Drive

August 10-16 - Vadnais Heights Days

August 16 - Worship in the Park (Koehler Meadows)

August 23 - Guest Preacher Bp. Justin Grimm in worship



Worship in the Park (Koehler Meadows Park)

August 16 - 9:30 AM

CSLC will again hold a worship service at Kohler Meadows Park on Sunday, August 16 at 9:30 AM.



August 23 - Bishop Justin Grimm Preaching

Join us in welcoming our newly elected Bishop on August 23rd at 9:30 AM who will be preaching at CSLC.

Chair Yoga Devotions is a faith based class to deepen your spirituality and enhance your physical well being. Please let us know of your interest in joining us on Thursdays at 3:45 PM. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex. We need a minimum of 10 people to hold the class. Cost of an 8 week session is \$96.00. It would begin September 10. For questions, please contact Loretta Markham at 612-669-1833 or Nancy Sacco at 651-783-2040.

Serving This Month

Ushers:

8/2 Tigges Family

8/9 Johnson Family

8/16 Gary Splittstoesser

8/23 Tigges Family

8/30 OPEN

Readers:

8/2 Mike Gennow

8/9 Jayson Rensted

8/16 Sarah Kelvie

8/23 OPEN

8/30 Peter Songster

Coffee Serving:

8/2 OPEN

8/9 OPEN

8/16 Koehler Meadows Prk

8/23 OPEN

8/30 OPEN



If you change dates with another member please notify office@cslcvh.org.

Did you know that CSLC participates in a program called Simply Giving®? Simply Giving allows members to establish recurring EFT contributions simply by filling out an authorization form for a direct bank debit. The best part is there is no transaction fee to the church as we have with online giving. Simply Giving forms are on the Welcome Desk and may be turned in to Terri in the office.

Submit news and events for the September newsletter to office@cslcvh.org by Monday, August 23.



WORSHIP WITH US

Sundays @ 9:30 AM

Or join our livestream on Youtube!

Your giving to CSLC is appreciated! Scan the QR code to give through our website or stop in with your offering!

