

**What's Happening at  
Chapel of the Cross**  
Sunday, September 9, 2012

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## Chapel's Elders are there for You

As a member of Chapel of the Cross, you have a person working for you whose duties are to "Be shepherds of God's flock that is under your care" (1 Peter 5:2) If you have questions, concerns, or if you or someone you love are simply having difficulties and aren't sure if you need pastoral care, please pick up the phone and call your elder.

If your last name begins with:	Your Elder is:	Contact Number:
G, T-Tho	Doug Broste	636-734-2077
A, R	Wyatt Gross	636-459-5496
S-She	Dan Heidelberg	636-240-1951
H	Allen Herbst	636-240-4527
Ti-Tu, W	Martin Koeneman	636-916-3507
F, I, N, O, Q	Dan Kroehnke	636-397-0860
C, Shr-Sw	Wade McKee	636-928-3699
M-Men, Z	Michael Moellering	314-922-7405
B-Be, D	Dave Riedemann	636-447-2427
K, X, Y	Doug Seifert	636-278-2782
Bi-By	Duane Theilen	636-387-3683
J, P, U	Bob VanGilder	314-650-2053
E, Mey-My	Doug White	314-541-8500
L, V	Justin Yockey	314-973-6618

Elder Chairman is Chris Becker 636-288-3664

Vice-Chairman is Dan Heidelberg 636-240-1951

Chapel's First Fruits of Faith				
Income: Weekend of September 2, 2012	This week	Yr to Date	'11 YTD	
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,298.08	\$ 465,432.80	—	
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 13,281.55	\$ 499,586.89	\$ 470,661.91	
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 2275.00	\$ 57,006.00		
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<b>Abundant Giving:</b>	\$ 569.50	\$ 31,250.63		
Lutheran Malaria Initiative:	492.00	3,390.00		
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<b>Attendance: Week 36</b>	<b>'12 Actual</b>	<b>'12 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'11 Actual</b>	<b>'11 Wkly Ave</b>
	387	504	367	501

*And they did not do as we expected, but they gave themselves first to the Lord and then to us in keeping with God's will." 2 Corinthians 8:5*

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Do you wish to have the Prayer Chain started for yourself or a loved one? Please call Marion Harris at 636-922-1278 or Ruth Koeneman at 636-916-3507. You are always welcome to join us as a Prayer Partner of the Prayer Chain.

## **Our Sunday Bible Studies Begin at 9:35am**

**BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 16, 2012**

**Adults** in the Education Wing

**2 KINGS** led by Rev. Mark Hoehner in Rm A.

**CHRISTIAN BASICS** led by Rev. James Uglum in Rm B

**TO LIVE AS CHRIST-THE LIFE AND MINISTRY OF PAUL** led by Anita Clausing in Rm D on Lower Level.

**High School Youth** meet in Daniel's Den with Andrew Nelson. All our youth are welcomed and encouraged to bring a friend.

**Children** in SUNDAY SCHOOL. Rally Day Opening will be in the Sanctuary.

## **Our Weekday Bible Studies**

**Wed:** **Confirmation for 6th, 7th & 8th Graders** from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.

**Wed:** **Early Morning Bible Study** with Bob VanGilder at 6:30am at Bob Evans on Mid Rivers Mall Dr. near the Mall. Our current topic is "Patience" as a Spiritual Gift. For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.

**Wed:** **Evening Bible Study:** With Rev. Robert Hoehner. Class begins September 12th at 6:15 pm. The Bible Study this fall will focus on the Minor Prophets of the Old Testament. The spiritual struggles and questions that these prophets dealt with were not limited to their historical time and situations. They are timeless and continue to be relevant today.

**Sat:** **Men's Bible Study.** We meet the 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month from 7:30-9:00am on the lower level. A light breakfast is served at 7:30am. Our study begins at 8:00am. Any Questions? Call Butch Schleicher 636-946-3681.

**Daily Bible Readings for 2 yr. Reading Plan**

*(may be started at any time)*

"Today's Light" Bible is available from CPH. Daily readings are accompanied by study notes.

SEPT 10:	2 CHRONICLES 13-14	SEPT 13:	2 CHRONICLES 19-20
SEPT 11:	2 CHRONICLES 15-16	SEPT 14:	2 CHRONICLES 21-22
SEPT 12:	2 CHRONICLES 17-18	SEPT 15:	2 CHRONICLES 23-24

**CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS:**

Sundays 9:30 am in Daniel's Den-Bible Study

Wednesdays 6:00 to 7:30 pm in Daniel's Den-Fellowship

**CHAPEL YOUTH BIBLE STUDY**

Beginning **September 5th** at 6:00 pm: Exploring the Christian theme of sacrifice through the lens of the HUNGER GAMES. We will watch the film and focus our Bible Study on the themes featured in the film.

**NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING INFORMATIONAL MEETING TODAY!!!**

We are excited to get started in the planning for the National Youth Gathering!! Please plan to attend this very important informational meeting on **Sunday, September 9th** after the late service (approx. 12 noon) in the gym. Pizza will be provided. This meeting will have more/new information than the meetings held earlier this summer.

The National Youth Gathering will take place in San Antonio, TX on July 1-5, 2013. It is open to youth in 8th-12th grades this school year. If you have any questions, please contact Andrew Nelson, Director of Youth and Family Ministries 636-577-9888 or Barb Biggers at 636-949-0805.

**OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**LADIES TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

Proverbs describes Wisdom as a tree of life and blessing to those seeking and taking hold of her teachings (Proverbs 3:18). Ladies, if you have been looking for a chance to attend a Bible Study, please join us as we begin our new LifeLight study on Proverbs. We meet the first and fourth Tuesdays of the month with study beginning at 9:30 am in Rm 12. Plan to come a little earlier for a chance to visit prior to the study. You are welcome to join us at any time. If you have questions, call Linda Little at 636-272-2701.

### **RALLY DAY KICKOFF!!!**

You are invited to join us as we begin a new year of Sunday School with our Rally Day celebration! We will start the celebration in the Sanctuary on **Sunday, September 9, 2012 at 9:30 am.**

Join us for songs, an interactive skit, and an opportunity to share a FREE gift and blessing with your child as we introduce this year's Sunday School theme:

"Jesus is the Light of the World."

Children will then join their teachers in their classrooms for a few minutes before joining everyone in the gym for ice cream and a closing prayer.

We can't wait to see you at Rally Day!

Yours in Christ,

The Sunday School Staff

### **BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS**

Blood pressure checks are available in the Coffee Shoppe after 8 am and 10:45 am services today.

### **FAMILY MINISTRY**

The Family Ministry Committee will meet today, **September 9th** at 6:30 pm in Rm 11.

The main topic will be the Trunk or Treat event.

### **CHAPEL LIGHT DEADLINE**

The deadline for the next edition of the Chapel Light Newsletter is

**Monday, September 10th.** Please make every effort to have your articles in by close of business on September 10th. FYI, this will be a two month edition for October-November.

### **ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT**

The next Advent By Candlelight meeting will be held **Monday, September 10th** at 6:30 pm in Rm B. If you would like to participate in developing this year's program, please join us at this meeting. Advent By Candlelight will be held on **Friday, November 30th**, so mark your calendar for this event.

For further information, please call Kim Knouse (636-940-8086).

### **CHAPEL BELLS**

Chapel Bells will begin practice on **Tuesday, September 11th** at 7:00 pm. Please call Phyllis Carter at 636-441-2119 if you have any questions.

### **COMFORT GROUP**

The Comfort Group will meet **Thursday, September 13th** at 11:00 am for a luncheon and game day. This is a support and friendship group for those who have lost a loved one. All are welcome. If you would like to bring a dish to share at this lunch, please contact Pastor Mark Hoehner.

### **EMMAUS HOME MINISTRY**

Thank you to everyone who welcomed Brad and Hosea to Chapel on August 26. Our next event will be a BBQ on **Thursday, September 13** at 5 pm. We will gather at the Emmaus Home at 5 pm. Please join us and bring a dish. Contact Liz Reidemann if you have questions or would like to attend (636-732-5153 or [riedemann5@charter.net](mailto:riedemann5@charter.net)).

### **INDIA MISSION SUPPORT GROUP MEETING-EVERYONE INVITED**

We will be having a meeting for Chapel members, family and friends who are interested in supporting our Seminarian PhD student and friend, Pastor Sam Thompson and his family on **Thursday, September 20th** at 6:30 pm in Rm B in the new education wing. Our support consists of prayers, financial support, offering to pick up or take them to our church services and events, an occasional meal and befriending them. You do not have to give money to belong to this group. Please contact Howard Woodruff for more information (636-244-0884 or [hgwoodruff@charter.net](mailto:hgwoodruff@charter.net)).

### **KEENAGER NEWS**

**If you are at least 55, come join us in some Christian Fellowship.**

On **Thursday, September 20** at 11:30 am we will have a lunch get-together/planning meeting here at Chapel. Bring a sandwich. Desserts and drinks will be provided.

We will change the name of our group and plan our outings/adventures for most of next year. Your input is very important to us.

### **TRUNK OR TREAT**

Mark your calendars: Trunk or Treat will be **Friday, October 26th**. Details to come.

### **TRIP TO THE CREATION MUSEUM**

The trip to the Creation Museum, **October 25, 26 and 27** is getting close. Some details have changed to make the trip more affordable. We will rent a bus and stay at the Comfort Suites in Hebron, KY (less than 10 minutes from the museum). Two nights for 2 people will be \$160. This includes tax for 1 king or 2 queen beds. An additional one or two people would be \$10 each per night. Discounted tickets (15 or more people) are \$32 for 2 people (good for 2 days). Gas and bus rental will be close to \$100 for 2 people. The trip total comes to \$292 for 2 people. Other meals are not included. Contact Sue Hoehner at 636-244-0745 or Mathilda Reinhardt at 636-441-4974 for more info. We will start taking firm reservations the week of Sept. 23rd.

### **SAUSAGE DINNER**

Save the date **Sunday, November 4th** for our annual Sausage Dinner and Silent Auction. Sign-up sheets are in the coffee shop. We need help right now to sell tickets and for advertising. Please contact Brad Biggers (636-949-0805) or Larry Krull (636-240-8506) for ticket sales or to help with marketing.

### **HELP FOR PARENTS!**

God has created the family unit so that we can pass the faith on to the next generation, and Chapel is partnering with "Families in Faith" to help you do just that! Are you looking for ideas, strategies, and encouragement as you talk about God with your children at home and in daily life? Scan the QR code here, search "**Families in Faith**" in your Smartphone's app store/market, or visit <http://get.thechurchapp.org/share/families-in-faith> and download the app for FREE!



### **HELP NEEDED**

We are looking for a few volunteers to help with streaming our services on the web and with sound tech responsibilities. If you are interested, please contact Brad Biggers (636-949-0805) or Jerry Mortenson (636-441-3108) or find them in the choir loft.

### **BABY ITEMS NEEDED**

There are several bigger baby items that Pastor Sam and Shana will need for their new baby boy. Since many of the items used while they are in the States will not be going back to India with them, we are hoping they can borrow a few items. The following is a list of items needed: baby sling/carrier, baby bath tub, bouncy seat and a booster seat with tray. If you have any of these items to loan, please contact Sarah Eaker 636-448-1436 or saraheaker@charter.net.

### **ATTENTION CHAPEL MEMBERS**

The women of LWML Chapel Circle are starting a new ministry but we need your help. We would like to send our old Portals Of Prayer to inmates in our Missouri prisons. There will be a box in the coffee shoppe, if you would like to help by recycling your old Portals of Prayer. Thank you, Chapel Circle

### **THANK YOU TO CHURCH COUNCIL AND ALL CHURCH MEMBERS!**

I want to thank the Council and everyone at Chapel for the Cross for giving me the opportunity to work at Chapel over the summer. I enjoyed leading the Wednesday night and Sunday morning High School Youth Bible studies; I believe that we all grew closer in our relationship with God and developed a clearer understanding of His Word. I gained invaluable knowledge, and I was blessed with the experience of working with my peers and attempting to coordinate a regular college-age Bible Study. I pray that this ministry will grow. I pray that the Lord calls me to serve Chapel again in whatever capacity He sees fit, in order that I may gain experience for my future serving Him as a Pastor.

Thank you all again! In His Service, Danny Clemens

### **THANK YOU !**

Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent collection for Youth in Need. The response was great and very much appreciated. The new school supplies help many needy children in our own community.

The Stewardship Committee and Youth in Need

### **CHAPEL SCRIP'!!**

Need a Gift Card? Stop by our counter in the Coffee Shoppe to see the great selection of cards available for you to buy today, or you can use our convenient order form to order as needed. If you can't be there on a Sunday morning, but would like to order gift cards, please feel free to call Roger and Lisa Kutschkau at 636-926-0986. All proceeds go to help Chapel's Future Church Workers.

### **CHAPEL OF THE CROSS!– Let's Get Serious About Stamping Out Malaria!**

Lutheran Malaria Initiative is an unprecedented and historic movement of Lutherans in the United States working together to fight malaria. We are joining together to raise awareness of malaria and its daily effect on the lives of people in Africa. For the next year, we are challenging each family to donate \$5/month to the Lutheran Malaria Initiative. You can use your own envelopes or the envelopes located in the pews, but please mark the envelope you use with "Malaria Initiative." Ten dollars will buy one mosquito net; let's see how many mosquito nets we can purchase in one year.



## **SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Thank you to all those that helped make our Summer Sunday School wonderful!! We had many volunteers that took time to help our younger members grown their faith over the summer! Thank you to the wonderful teachers and volunteers - including: Michelle Brinkmeier, Kim Harnagel, Barb Biggers, Wyatt and Kristen Gross, Jenny Duffy, Becky Dureell, Gina Aubuchon, Joel and Adrienne Collins, Tim and Kathy Weber, Terry Eaker, Dave and Liz Riedemann, Kim Dannegger, Pastor Sam Thompson, Jeneane Wuestenberg, Danny Clemens, and Alec Fischer.

This summer the Sunday School offerings went to support the Lutheran Malaria Initiative. For every \$10 collected 1 mosquito net can be purchased. This summer we raised \$103.71 – this means 10 mosquito nets!!!

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR FURTHER INFO ON ANY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES/AREA EVENTS)

### **DEAR CHAPEL FAMILY**

Please could we ask you to notify the church office of **ANY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITES** that you hear of so that we may share this information with our members. Thank you.

### **COLLEGE MATTERS: WAYS TO AVOID COSTLY MISTAKES AND DISCOVER FUNDING SOURCES**

Thrivent will be offering a 90 minute seminar at Lutheran High, **Thursday, September 27th** at 6:30 pm. See flyer at the usher station in the narthex for more info.

**ADOPT-A-STUDENT.** Please see the Bulletin Board for information about this program at Concordia Seminary for helping our future pastors.

**JOB OPPORTUNITY.** Part time help to the elderly and disabled. See the bulletin board for details.

### **“WHAT DOES THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT MEAN FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY”**

The St. Charles County Lutherans for Life will be meeting Tuesday, September 11, at 7 pm at Lutheran High School, 5100 Mexico Road, St. Peters. This presentation will be made by Missouri Right to Life President, Pan Fichter.

### **AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED**

A member's son-in-law is suffering from a rare form of lymphoma. He is a hard-working and loving 46 year old husband and father of three daughters. An auction is being held in his honor to raise money for this man and his family on October 7, 2012. Donated goods and services are being sought for the silent auction. If you are able to aid this worthy cause, please contact Marge Volker at 636-409-3236 or the church office.

### **GIRL SCOUT SILVER AWARD SERVICE PROJECT**

Abigail Wolfmeyer and Sydney Burgdorf members of Zion school and church are asking for your help with their Girl Scout project. They are collecting old, washed blankets, comforters, fleece or felt for an animal shelter. Please leave your donations in the church office by September 30. Thank you!

### **PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK**

Prescription/Over-the-Counter Drug Disposal **Saturday, September 29**, from 10 am to 2 pm at the St. Peters Justice Center, 1020 Grand Teton Drive, St. Peters, MO 63376.

### **CHILD OF GOD TRIVIA NIGHT**

Child of God Lutheran Church and School, 650 Salt Lick Road, St. Peters, is hosting its Fall Trivia Night on Saturday, September 15, 2012. The cost is \$10 per person or \$80 for a table of eight. Doors open at 5:30 pm; questions begin promptly at 6:30 pm. Babysitting will be available for \$10 per child, which includes a pizza dinner. Please call Child of God to register at 636-970-7080.

Sun.	9/09/2012	8:00 AM	Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	RALLY DAY
		9:30 AM	To 10:30 & 11:45 to 12:15 Chapel Scrip
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		6:00 PM	AI-A
Mon.	9/10/2012		DEADLINE FOR OCT/NOV NEWSLETTER
		12:00 PM	Keenagers Bowling
		5:30 PM	Volleyball
		7:00 PM	Worship Service
		7:00 PM	Church Council Meeting
Tues.	9/11/2012	9:30 AM	Quilt Tacking
		6:00 PM	Zumba Fitness
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells
Wed.	9/12/2012	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study
		6:00 PM	Wed Night Fellowship High School/College
		6:30 PM	Confirmation
		7:30 PM	Volleyball
Thur.	9/13/2012	1:00 PM	Comfort Group
		1:00 PM	Crochet Class
		6:00 PM	Zumba Fitness
		6:00 PM	Wedding Rehearsal
		7:00 PM	Adult Choir Practice
Fri.	9/14/2012		
Sat.	9/15/2012		Hug/Bowman Wedding
		9:00 AM	Zumba Fitness
		9:45 AM	AA
Sun.	9/16/2012	8:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	Coffee Service
		9:30 AM	To 10:30 & 11:45 to 12:15 Chapel Scrip
		9:35 AM	Sunday School & Bible Studies
		10:45 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:00 PM	AI-A

**CHAPEL'S  
EVENTS  
FOR  
SEPTEMBER 9  
through  
SEPTEMBER 16**

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, September 9			Week Beginning Sunday, September 16		
<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00 10:45	John & Pat Middendorf Robert & Susan Hoehner	<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00 10:45	Katie & Jimmy Clemens Bill & Doris Braudis
<b>NURSERY:</b>		Karrin Nettles	<b>NURSERY:</b>		Melanie Biggers
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00  10:45	Lydia Harms  Meghan Burge	<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00  10:45	Casey Goltz Elizabeth Johnston Kelly Mahaffey Aaron Biggers
<b>USHERS:</b>	8:00  10:45	Mike Conant*, Bob & Joyce Gaugh, Don Sugar, Bob Jones & Kathy Wilson  Ruby Kramer*, Paul & Rosa Ludy, Dan & Rose Mary Tanner, Michael & Teresa Schmidt	<b>USHERS:</b>	8:00  10:45	Richard Matt*, Kellee Matt, Sheryl Munz, Dennis Guyott, Al Ross, & Dee Krieger Bill Hiner*, Cornel Savala, Wade McKee, Bryan Hulsey, Alex Savala, Kara Brooks, Adam Brooks & Nic Savala
Mon:	7:00	Dan & Jake Newsham	Mon:	7:00	Paul & Beth Standiford
<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Michael Moellering	<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Allen Herbst
<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Paul Ludy	<b>ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:</b>	8:00	Wyatt Gross, Martin Koenemann, Doug Seifert, Andrew Nelson
				10:45	Dan Kroehnke, Wade McKee, Michael Moellering, Garrett Smith
<b>COUNTERS:</b>		John Middendorf, Leon Heitgard, Rachelle Lilge, Phyllis Richoz	Mon:	7:00	Doug Broste, Dace Reidemann
			<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Tim Meyer
			<b>COUNTERS:</b>		Duane & Debbie Theilen, Rich & Janet Minasian, John & Joy Lomax

**SERVICE** 8:00  
**COORD:** 10:45 Ruby Kramer

**ALTAR GUILD** Virginia Guyott,  
For September Pat Middendorf,  
Mathilda Reinhardt

**COFFEE HOSTESS** Still Needed  
**for Sept:**

**BULLETIN FOLDERS:** Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,  
Betty Choate, Diane Klos,  
Kathy Mortenson, Marlene  
Singleton, Gladys Smart,  
Bev Cossey,