

**What's Happening at
Chapel of the Cross**
Sunday, November 3, 2013

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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 Heidelmeyer	636-240-1951
H	Allen Herbst	636-240-4527
Ti-Tu, W	Martin Koeneman	636-916-3507
F, I, N, O, Q	Art Goltz	636-978-3990
C,	Wade McKee	636-928-3699
Shr-Sw	Rich Minasian	636-447-5354
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	Richard Matt	636-970-2196
L, V	Justin Yockey	314-973-6618

Elder Chairman is Chris Becker 636-288-3664

Vice-Chairman is Dan Heidelmeyer 636-240-1951

Chapel's First Fruits of Faith				
Income: Weekend of October 27, 2013	This week	Yr to Date	'12 YTD	
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,796.15	\$ 593,234.45	—	
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 10,999.27	\$ 600,826.95	\$ 609,903.45	
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 3,145.00	\$ 136,200.00		
Abundant Giving:	\$ 107.50	\$ 21,288.50		
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 105.00	\$ 1,655.00		
Attendance: Week 43	'13 Actual	'13 Wkly Ave	'12 Actual	'12 Wkly Ave
	446	472	528	506

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 9:30am

Adults in the Education Wing

“Knowing God, Knowing You” In-depth study of Genesis through Deuteronomy with Pastor Hoehner in Room A

“Christian Basics Class” with Pastor Uglum in Room B.

“Genesis-Rooted in Relationship” with Anita Clausing in Room D. If you have toddlers not old enough for Sunday School, we have a nursery attendant in the same room.

High School Youth Bible for youth and friends entering 9th grade is downstairs in Daniel’s Den. Led by Andrew Nelson.

Children in Sunday School. Opening in the Gym/Fellowship Hall.

Our Weekday Bible Studies

- Tue:** **Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study** Every first and fourth Tuesday at 9:30 am in Rm 12. You are welcome to join us at any time. Any questions? Call Linda Little at 636-272-2701.
- Wed:** **Early Morning Bible Study** with Bob VanGilder at 6:30am at Bob Evans on Mid Rivers Mall Dr. near the Mall. Our new topic is “The Book of Hebrews”. For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.
- Wed:** **Evening Adult Bible Study** meets in Rm A at 6:15pm. “The Words of Ezekiel” with Pastor Bob Hoehner.
- Wed:** **Chapel High School Youth Group Bible Study** meet downstairs from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm for Open Gym, Games, Bible Study & Prayer.
- 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. 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.

NOV	4:	HEBREWS	2	NOV	7:	HEBREWS	5
NOV	5:	HEBREWS	3	NOV	8:	HEBREWS	6
NOV	6:	HEBREWS	4	NOV	9:	HEBREWS	7

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

Today in Sunday School, the focus of our Sunday School lesson is Jonah. Just as Jonah was swallowed up in the belly of the fish for three days, so Jesus, in His crucifixion, was baptized into the sea of death, drowned in our depravities, devoured by the grave, and rose again after three days and nights that He might save us and all people. *Questions for discussion include, "Why did Jonah try to run away from God? What does God do when sinful people repent?"*

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS:

Jr. High (7th & 8th Grade) Bible Class continue their 3-week video discussion on the movie *Luther*. As we reflect on the Reformation, we will learn about the events surrounding this Lutheran celebration. Each week, Bible study will be centered on a reading from the Psalms. This week it is Psalm 119:50.

Sr. High Bible Class continues "The Story: The Faith of a Foreign Woman." God used the widow Naomi, and her foreign daughter-in-law Ruth to continue the lineage of Jesus through King David. Join us as we look at her story, and the parallels between the goodness of Boaz and the goodness of Jesus Christ.

Wednesday Evening (6:00-7:30 PM) Open Gym, Games, and Bible Study. Our current Bible study theme: "Anything But Ordinary."

JR HIGH PENNY WARS FUNDRAISER ENDED THIS WEEK

We were able to raise \$ 290.70 to help fund our confirmation service project last month, packing and sending meals to hungry children in Uganda.

OASIS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY—NOVEMBER 16

Jr. High Youth are invited to help unload, sort, and stock food received from the annual Boy Scout Food Drive on **Saturday, November 16**. This is a great opportunity to earn some service hours. Parents and families are encouraged to attend and serve alongside your children. We will meet at Chapel at 10:30AM. We will serve until at least 2:00PM. Lunch is provided.

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAUSAGE DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION TODAY !!

Please join us today in the Gym from 11:30 am to 5 pm for our delicious annual Sausage Dinner and fantastic Silent Auction. Tickets for the dinner are \$10.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children ages 4-10.

THRIVENT FINANCIAL VOTING

Thrivent Financial for Lutherans benefit and associate members over age 16 will have an opportunity to vote for the Central Saint Charles County Chapter Board members on the weekend of November 1-4. Chapel's Thrivent Congregational Coordinators will establish a voting location in the coffee shop after each of the worship services **November 3rd and 4th**. Eligible Thrivent members will have the opportunity to cast ballots for the local chapter board members at that time.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

This weekend, we will be continuing the distribution of the empty boxes to be later filled and returned to church **November 3rd and 10th**. Operation Christmas Child uses simple, gift-filled shoe boxes to show hurting children they are loved and to share the message of the greatest gift they can ever receive—Jesus Christ. Boxes and more information are available in the Narthex.

ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT MEETING

The next Advent by Candlelight planning meeting will be held on **Monday, November 4th** at 6:30 pm in Room B. Please join us! Advent by Candlelight will be held on Friday, December 6th. For further information, please call Kim Knouse (636-940-8086).

COUNCIL MEETING DATE CHANGE

The Church Council will be meeting on **Monday, November 4th** at 6:30 pm in the Conference Room instead of November 11th to accommodate the Voter's Meeting on November 10th.

GRIEFSHARE PROGRAM

Beginning on **Tuesday, November 5th** at 6:30 PM and continuing for 13 weeks, the Griefshare Program features Biblical, Christ-centered teaching that focuses on grief topics associated with death of loved one. To register, please call the church office 636-928-5885.

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a Stewardship meeting on **Tuesday, November 5th** at 7 pm in Room B.

ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE

There will be an Endowment Fund Committee meeting on **Thursday, November 7th** at 6:30 pm in Room B.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING

The next meeting for Sunday School teachers will be on **Thursday, November 7th** at 7:00 pm. Nancy Seifert will join us to discuss the Christmas Program. We will meet in the 7th and 8th grade classroom. Please plan to attend this important meeting.

VOTER'S MEETING

The next Voter's Meeting will be held on **Sunday, November 10th at 12 noon** after the late service. A pizza lunch will be provided. We will be voting on the 2014 Budget. Any member of Chapel of the Cross who is 18 or older can become a voting member by attending two Voter's Meetings in a calendar year.

YOUNG AT HEART

The group has made the following plans:

“Nine to Five” at St. Peter’s Theater on **Sunday, November 10** at 2 pm.

The cost is \$12.

“On Golden Pond” at St. Charles Community College on

Sunday, November 24 at 2 pm. The cost is \$6.

“The Holiday Brass Concert” on **Tuesday, December 3**. Leaving church at 9 am (no more openings available).

Please call Paul Ludy at 636-278-3881 if you are interested in any of the above.

BOARD OF YOUTH AND EDUCATION MEETING

The fall quarterly meeting of the Board of Youth and Education will be

Tuesday, November 12 at 7:00 pm. We will meet in the 7th and 8th grade

Sunday School room. Visitors are welcome.

COMFORT GROUP

The Comfort Group will meet **Thursday, November 14** at 1:00 pm in the Conference Room. For more information, Please contact Bev Cossey at 636-387-0493 or the church office.

CLAUSING—HENDRICKS—WILHELMS LIVE IN CONCERT

You are invited to a special evening to begin your holiday season. On

Wednesday, November 20 at 6:30 pm Chapel of the Cross will be hosting

“Thou Shalt Reign and Thou Alone” featuring our own Pastor Jon Clausung.

ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT HOSTESS SIGN-UP SHEET and TICKETS

Do you want to ensure you have a seat at this year’s Advent by Candlelight on **Friday, December 6th**? Volunteer to be a table hostess! Hostesses provide table settings, holiday decoration, candles and a dessert for a table of 8 ladies.

Many partner with one or two others to host a table. It is lots of fun, and requires only a few hours of your time for planning, baking (or buying) and decorating. This program is dependent on our table hostesses. The sign-up sheet is located in the Coffee Shop. Please note that tickets will be distributed, beginning on **Sunday, November 3rd**. If you need more information before committing to be a hostess, please call Kim Knouse at 636-940-8086.

**CALLING ALL YOUNG CHILDREN
CHECK THESE BOOKS OUT IN THE LIBRARY:**

“Joseph & the Coat of Many Colors”

“Hermie” by Max Lucado

Look through the “International Children’s Story Bible”

For the very young: “Jesus and the Children”

We also have many videos such as the “Veggie Tales” series and “Narnia”

Stop by and select a book or video to take home!

CHILDREN’S BOOKS FOR MILITARY FAMILIES SERVICE PROJECT

The 7th and 8th grade Sunday School class is collecting children’s books for military families which will be distributed through Operation Paperback.

We will be collecting books **from October 27 through February 9**. Operation Paperback accepts gently used and/or new books. There is a box in the Coffee Shop for your donation. Thank you for supporting our project.

HELP NEEDED

We are looking for a few volunteers to help with streaming our services on the web and with sound tech responsibilities. You do not have to have experience in this area, just be willing to learn. We will train you! If you are interested, please contact Brad Biggers (636-498-5722) or Jerry Mortenson (636-441-3108) or find them in the choir loft.

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 the Benevolent Fund.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

Between Oct. 1 and Nov. 30, 2013, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans will:

- (1) Give up to \$15 million to churches across the country through Thrivent Choice;
- (2) Double all Choice Dollars directions made to churches-including our church-during the campaign, or until the \$15 million has been awarded, whichever comes first. Eligible members of Thrivent Financial can recommend where some of Thrivent Financial's charitable dollars are distributed. To make your direction, simply go to Thrivent.com/thriventchoice, or call 800-THRIVENT(800-847-4836) and say "Thrivent Choice."

CHILD OF GOD DINNER AUCTION

Child of God Lutheran Church and School is now accepting reservations for their 8th Annual Dinner Auction. The auction is new and improved this year as we celebrate with a Dr. Seuss theme! Please join us on **Saturday, November 16th** at Old Hickory Golf Club in St. Peters. The cost is \$40 / person, \$75/couple, or \$280 (for a table of 8). Please make your reservations by November 5. The doors will open at 6 pm. Proceeds raised will go towards the overall mission to enhance the learning experience of the students. To make your reservations, please call the school office at 636-970-7080.

BRIDGEWAY'S 35TH YEAR CELEBRATION GALA SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

The St. Charles Shelter for Abused Women and their Children is the shelter we, Chapel, support with our donations of personal care items. We make personal care kits that we donate to the shelter each year. This women's shelter is part of Bridgeway which has helped over 4,000 clients in the past year, with addictive disorders and victims of domestic violence and sexual assault with little or no cost to them or their families. As a "Thank You" for the support from the communities they serve, Bridgeway is hosting a 35 Year Celebration Gala on **Saturday, November 9, 2013** at 6 pm. Come and enjoy BBQ from Super Smokers and entertainment from the Smash Band. General admission is \$10 and the celebration will be held at Rick's Roadside Market, 5382 Gutermuth Road, Cottleville, MO 63304. For more information and to purchase tickets, please contact Ashly Curry at 636-224-1011, acurry@bridgewaybh.com or visit bridgewaybh.com. Please RSVP by Friday, October 25th.

BOY SCOUT FOOD DRIVE

The Boy Scout Food Drive will be at OASIS **Saturday, November 16th**. OASIS is looking for volunteers. They would like to have 2-3 volunteers from each church that supports OASIS. Please call Jenny Duffy at 314-971-2971 to volunteer.
Thank You!

DIABETES MANAGEMENT

November is Diabetes Awareness Month. Would you like to learn to become a highly motivated diabetic and lead a long and healthy life? There will be a Diabetes Management meeting on **Thursday, November 21st** from 6 to 9 pm at the Spencer Road Library, 427 Spencer Road, St. Peters, MO. The class is free, but please register by calling Kim Hoff at 636-272-2933.

BOAR'S HEAD CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL IMMANUEL— ST. CHARLES

The Christmas Festival of the ages, the Boar's Head Festival, will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Church in St. Charles, **December 13th, 14th and 15th**. There will be a 7:30 pm performance each evening with afternoon performances at 4:00 pm both Saturday and Sunday. A dress rehearsal (tickets required) will be held at 7:30 pm on **December 12th**. Tickets will be available on a first come, first served basis starting at 8:00 am on **Friday, November 1st**. Call 636-946-2656 or come to the Immanuel church office. Get your tickets early! They go fast! There is no charge for the tickets (limit 5 per person).

HELP WANTED

Kids R Kids Daycare located at 123 Hutchings Farm Drive in O'Fallon, MO 63368 is looking to hire some additional people. If you are interested in pursuing this opportunity, please contact Renee Iverson at 636-272-4488 to find out what positions are available.

JOIN US ON A FIELD TRIP TO THE HOLY LAND

Pastor Mike Iannelli and Our Savior Lutheran Church-LCMS in St. Charles, MO have arranged a 2-week field trip to Israel **June 24-July 7, 2014** and you are invited to come along. Please see the bulletin board in the Coffee Shop for more information.

Sun.	11/03/2013		All Saints Sunday Sausage Dinner and Silent Auction to 5 pm
		8:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:25 AM	Sunday School and Bible Classes
		9:30 AM	Sunday School
		9:30 AM	To 10:30 & 11:45 to 12:15 Chapel Scrip
		10:45 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:00 PM	AI-A in Rm 13
Mon.	11/04/2013	12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		1:00 PM	Crochet Class in Conf Rm
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball in Gym
		6:30 PM	Council Mtg in Conf Room
		7:00 PM	Communion Worship Service
Tues.	11/05/2013	9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study in rm 13
		10:00 AM	Card Ministry in Rm 11
		5:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
		6:30 PM	Zumba Fitness 2 in Gym
		7:00 PM	Elders' Mtg in Conf Rm
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	11/06/2013	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		11:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		1:00 PM	Friendly Visitors Mtg in Rm 13
		6:00 PM	Wed Night Fellowship High School/College
		6:30 PM	Confirmation Classes 6th-8th Grade
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball in Gym
		Thur.	11/07/2013
10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm 13		
12:00 PM	Home School Class in Rm 13		
5:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym		
6:30 PM	Zumba Fitness 2 in Gym		
7:00 PM	Adult Choir Practice in the Choir Loft		
Fri.	11/08/2013		
		7:00 PM	Private Group in Rm 13
Sat.	11/09/2013	7:30 AM	Men's Ministry Bible Study in Rm 13
		9:00 AM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm A
Sun.	11/10/2013	8:00 AM	Worship Service
		9:00 AM	To 9:15 & 11:45 to 12:15 Blood Pressure Check
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:25 AM	Sunday School & Bible Studies
		9:30 AM	To 10:30 & 11:45 to 12:15 Chapel Scrip
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		11:55 AM	Voter Meeting in Rm A
		2:00 PM	Church & God in Rm A
		6:00 PM	AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S
EVENTS
FOR
NOVEMBER 3
through
NOVEMBER 10**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, November 3	Week Beginning Sunday, November 10
GREETERS: 8:00 Jodie Schneider David Lah 10:45 Gladys Smart ACOLYTES: 8:00 Sherry Carter Emily Hibbeler Jordan Brake 10:45 Jordan Floyd Lauren Kemper NURSERY: Melanie Biggers USHERS: 8:00 Bill Hankins* Beverly Hankins Kathy Collins Rich Minasian Janet Minasian Gary Obernuefemann Brent Pitzer 10:45 Kim Woodworth* Doug Broste Bob Carter Bill Clemens Randy Goltz Tim Meyer Al Schuettpelz Casey Goltz 7:00 Larry Diehl Mike Conant ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION 8:00 Butch Schleicher Duane Theilen Rich Minasian Richard Matt 10:45 Allen Herbst David Riedemann Dan Heidemeyer Aaron Hauser 7:00 Wyatt Gross Duane Theilen ELDER ON DUTY: Bob Vangilder TRUSTEE: Karl Sestak COUNTERS: John Middendorf, Leon Heitgerd, Rachelle Lilge, Phyllis Richoz, Virgil Schlough	GREETERS: 8:00 Bob & Joyce Gaugh 10:45 Robert & Susan Hoehner ACOLYTES: 8:00 Russell Nelson 10:45 Rachel Stocker NURSERY : Karrin Nettles USHERS: 8:00 Steve Junkel* Rodney Bloese Bill Clark John Harnagel Dave Lah Butch Schleicher Robert Vangilder 10:45 Bill Miller* Bob Cason Dan Kroehnke Dave Larussa Dale Ledford Dan Heidemeyer Henry Klein Paul Goris 7:00 Dan & Jake Newsham ELDER ON DUTY: David Reidemann TRUSTEE: Dennis Hass COUNTERS: Duane & Debbie Theilen Rich & Janet Minasian John & Joy Lomax

Service Coordinator : Ruby Kramer

ALTAR GUILD

For November: Margaret Schulz
 Sandy Schleicher
 Ellen Krull

COFFEE HOSTS

For November: Open

BULLETIN Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,
FOLDERS: Betty Choate, Kathy Mortenson,
 Jim Burrows, Joyce Gaugh,
 Dotty Willis, Bev Cossey