

**What's Happening at
Chapel of the Cross**

Sunday, June 22, 2014

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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 Heidemeyer	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 Heidemeyer 636-240-1951

Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of June 15, 2014	This week	Yr to Date	'13 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,848.70	\$ 332,368.80	—
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 13,638.21	\$ 342,330.02	\$ 341,126.44
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 3,085.00	\$ 80,933.50	
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Abundant Giving:	\$ 172.50	\$ 10,707.00	
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 30.00	\$ 4,595.56	
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Attendance: Week 24	'14 Actual 451	'14 Wkly Ave 480	'13 Actual 432
			'13 Wkly Ave 481

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

“The Gospel of Luke” led by Rev. Bob Hoehner in Rm A.

“Is God to Blame?” led by Rev. Uglum in Rm B

Couples Bible Study: “The Spirituality of the Cross”

led by Rev. Jon & Anita Clausing and
Rev. Mark & Lisa Borchert in Rm D

Christian Basics

led by Rev. Mark Hoehner in the Sanctuary

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 Zumbahl Road. Our new topic is “Good News: God’s Healing Medicine for Strength”. For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.
- Wed:** **Evening Adult Bible Study** meets in Rm A at 6:30 PM: “The Truth Project” with Pastor Bob Hoehner. And in Rm B at 6:30 PM: “Esther: It’s Tough Being A Woman” with Kim Knouse, Shelli Junkel and Margaret Hibbeler.
- 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.

JUNE	23:	1 SAMUEL	16	JUNE	26:	1 SAMUEL	20-21
JUNE	24:	1 SAMUEL	17	JUNE	27:	1 SAMUEL	22
JUNE	25:	1 SAMUEL	18-19	JUNE	28:	1 SAMUEL	23

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL CONTINUES THIS WEEK!

Each week, children and youth will "dive into" H2O! God Keeps His Promises. Each of the weekly Bible stories has water as a central element in the account. Each week Level A & B children will meet in Room 13 at 9:25 AM for "Investigation Station" opening for prayer, music, and an experiment or other. Youth will meet in Daniel's Den at 9:30 AM.

There will be three (3) Sunday School classes over the summer based on what grade **children will enter in the fall:**

Level A (Age 3 - 2nd Grade) - Class will meet in Room C following Opening
Level B (3rd Grade- 7th Grade) - Class will stay in Room 13 following Opening
Youth (8th Grade and up) - Class will meet in Daniel's Den

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS

NEW BIBLE STUDY DISCUSSION FOR COLLEGE-AGE YOUNG

ADULTS begins today. This group will meet in the "video room" next to the Sunday School Office at 9:30 AM each week this summer for a relaxed, discussion-driven Bible study based on a DVD teaching clip. The series is called "Gray Areas: Finding Truth When Life Isn't Black and White."

EAT & EARN FOR CHAPEL YOUTH AT CHICK-FIL-A

On **Thursday, June 26** from 4:30 to 7:00 PM, at the MidRivers location, Chapel Youth will get 15% of every order placed using our event flyer, or with the mention of our church fundraiser. Come and enjoy a meal with your church family, friends, and/or coworkers.

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTER TODAY FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School will be held **June 23—27**.

All children age 3—entering 6th grade are invited to join us on, and around, the Sea of Galilee with five accounts of Jesus' ministry there. By grace through faith, Jesus, God's own Son, our Savior, calls us, teaches us, keeps us safe, saves us, and provides all we need now and forever. That's amazing grace! Registration is available in the narthex, and all registrations received by June 15 will receive a FREE CD to enjoy before VBS begins! At "Gangway to Galilee" VBS kids will sing, dance, play, create, and learn all about God's amazing grace. For more information, or to sign up, contact DCE Andrew Nelson.

VBS NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We are gearing up for another exciting Vacation Bible School this summer (**June 23-27, 9 am-12 noon**). To help keep our costs down, we, once again, are asking for your help. Your donation will be used to purchase snacks and craft supplies for Vacation Bible School. Take an anchor from the table in the corner of the narthex and place your donation in the boat. Makes checks payable to "Chapel of the Cross." Please write VBS on the memo line.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

VBS REMINDER

VBS Helpers, this is just a reminder that we are meeting at 3:30 pm on Sunday, June 22 to set up for VBS and have our final meeting. We need everyone there!! Pizza will be provided. See you there!

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY: THE TRUTH PROJECT

On **Wednesdays** from 6:30-8:00 pm, a DVD 12 lesson series from Focus on the Family answering the question: "What is Truth" and discover the many ways God's Truth impacts our world view (a comprehensive set of truth claims that purports to paint a picture of reality; the framework from which we view reality and make sense of life and the world). This is a very informative, yet entertaining, series which will give you new insights in understanding this world and our role in it. A 20-30 minute discussion period will follow each DVD presentation so your experience will be even more rewarding as you better understand the concepts presented. Light refreshments will be available as we meet in Classroom A of the New Educational Wing in a very relaxed atmosphere and share with one another and grow in Christ. The Class will meet in Room A.

WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

On **Wednesdays** starting at 6:30 pm, a 10 week, in depth study of the Old Testament Book of Esther will begin. This unique study will lead women through a journey of tragedy and triumph, teaching participants how to trust God's providence for the tough times. The study format includes viewing a weekly video followed by group discussion and is complemented with a members guide for home learning activities and daily reading. The member study guides are \$16 and can be purchased the night of the study. Please contact Kim Knouse (636-940-8086), if you have any questions. The class will meet in Room B.

NO WACKY TACKERS THIS WEEK

Due to VBS this week, there will be no Wacky Tackers on **Wednesday, June 25**.

SUPPLIES NEEDED

Our Wacky Tackers and Prayer Shawl Ministries are in need of donated supplies. Wacky Tackers need flat sheets size 70" X 90". Our Prayer Shawl Team is in need of 4-ply yarn for crocheting. Various colors. Any questions, call Ruby Kramer at 636-939-9936.

FRIENDLY VISITORS

Friendly Visitors is having their annual lunch/meeting on **Tuesday, July 15** to plan for the new year for making calls to our home bound members. We will meet at Madison's Café on Hwys N and K at 12:00 noon. Each person will order from the menu. We are always in need of more people to help make these "cheer" calls. Two people go as a team, during the month of their choice, between September 2014 and August 2015, and visit 8-10 home bound members. If you want more information, please call Mathilda Reinhardt, 636-441-4974. to make your lunch reservation email me at msr-rein@charter.net.

YOUNG AT HEART NEWS

These events are coming up:

- **Tuesday, July 15th** is the date for our Mystery Trip to Illinois. We will leave the church parking lot at 10:00 am.
- **August 3rd (Sunday at 2 pm)** we will attend "The Curious Savage" at St. Peters City Hall.
- **August 10th (Sunday at 2 pm)** we will attend "The Wiz" a musical at Florissant Civic Center (cost is \$16).
- **Thursday, August 21st** we are invited to the Wiegand's pool for a party—you may come at 11:30 am, we will eat at noon.
- Call Paul Ludy at 636-278-3881 if you plan to attend any of the above functions.

SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

Sunday, July 6, Chapel will have the next worship service geared for families with special needs children. Throughout the summer, this service will be held on the first Sunday of the month, **July 6, August 3**. This service will begin at **11:00 AM** in **Room A** of the new education wing. It will have all components of a regular worship service, but it will be a shorter and more interactive service that meets the learning needs of children with special needs. If you have any questions about this service please call Pastor Mark Hoehner. If you know of anyone who may benefit from such a service, please invite them to come.

HOLY LAND TOUR

Pastor Bob and Sue Hoehner invite you to join them on a tour of the Holy Land **March 16-26, 2015**. we will visit sacred sites in Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Cana, Nazareth, and Galilee. We will take a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee and visit Masada, Ein Gedi, Mt. Carmel and the Jordan River. If you would like to read a brochure outlining the entire trip, speak to Pastor Bob or Sue. They will host an information meeting in Room A on **Sunday, July 13**, following the 10:45 am service (11:45 to 12:15).

DO YOU ENJOY CROCHETING OR WANT TO LEARN HOW?

Our Prayer Shawl Team is in need of additional members to make prayer shawls. They gather once a week to knit, crochet, and fellowship. If interested, please call Ruby Kramer at 636-939-9936.

THANK YOU

Chapel Family, Thank you so much for the prayers, cards and comfort you gave to our family. It is a blessing to be in your prayers and love.

The family of Richard Kibler, Pauline, Kathy and family

YOUR SUMMER TRAVELS CAN HELP THE WOMEN'S SHELTER

If you have travel plans this summer, don't forget to save the travel sized shampoo, lotion, conditioner, etc. that are available for you when you stay in a hotel. Chapel Circle ladies collect the sample sized items to be put into a kit and given to the St. Charles Shelter for Abused Women and their Children. The women and children sometimes flee to the shelter with only the clothes on their backs. The items we provide are appreciated by the clients and the staff at the shelter. There is a box in the coat room, off the Narthex, where you can put your donations. Thank you in advance for your support of this important ministry.

GIFT CARDS FOR SALE

Chapel Scrip is changing to serve you better. We have updated our hours to: **Sundays from 9:00 to 10:30 AM and the 2nd Monday of the month from 7:30 to 8:10 PM.**

You are going to buy groceries anyway, why not support our Benevolent Fund (to help those in need)? Buy gift cards from Chapel Scrip and a portion of the proceeds will come back to Chapel. See the sign behind the Scrip counter for a list of what we can get for you. We do offer some cards available for immediate sale or you can order cards and they will typically be in the following Sunday. Thank you for your support of the Scrip Gift card Program.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PORTALS OF PRAYER DEVOTIONAL ONLINE/MOBILE

Do you enjoy the Portals of Prayer booklet? Wish that you could read it online or on your phone? Now you can! Portals of Prayer is now available in an online/mobile format. Visit sites.cph.org/portals/ then click "subscribe". This will take you to their mobile/online subscription page. Do you already pay to receive the print edition at home? Cost is free. Do you receive a copy here at Chapel of the Cross? The cost is \$3.99 per year. Do you just want the e-edition? The cost is \$13 per year. Any way you look at it, it is a great value for a valuable resource. Any questions? Email CPH at magazines@cph.org or call 800.325.3040.

SAVE THE DATE

Lutheran Family and Children's Services Foundation will be hosting its 32nd Annual Helping Hands Auction and Dinner on **Saturday, August 23, 2014** at 5:00 pm at the Four Seasons Hotel, 999 North Second Street, St. Louis, MO. \$150 per person. Donations for the Auction are also needed. For more information, please go to www.lfcsmo.org.

FAITH & FAMILY NIGHT AT TR HUGHES BALLPARK

The River City Rascals will be offering discounted tickets to Thrivent members (only \$7 each) the night of **Friday, July 25, 2014** at 7:05 PM. Please call 636-240-2287 X242 or go to www.rivercityrascals.com with Promo Code : "Thrivent". Also, see the poster on the bulletin board in the coffee shoppe.

ZION LADIES AID SOCIETY LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY

The Ladies Aid of Zion Lutheran, Harvester, will host our Eleventh Annual Luncheon-Card Party on **Thursday, August 7** from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The price remains at \$10 for the luncheon and attendance prizes. Reservations may be made by calling Judy Brueckner at 636-928-2079 or Jan Jansen at 636-441-0584. Zion Lutheran Church is located at 3866 Harvester Road.

GOLF SCRAMBLE FOR ZION LUTHERN SCHOOL EXPANSION FUND

The Golf Scramble will be held **Saturday, August 16, 2014**, 1:30 PM at Bear Creek Golf Club. Please see the bulletin board for more information.

WOMEN'S RETREAT COMING

The Women's Retreat hosted by Zion's Women's Network with Chapel of the Cross will be **August 22-24, 2014** at Pallottine Renewal Center, Florissant, MO. Do you think your feet are beautiful? No matter where you are in your faith walk, the Lord has equipped you with uniquely beautiful feet! Join us as we "lift the lid" off several shoe boxes to examine various styles of shoes and learn how each represents a portion of our walk with the Lord.

"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news." Romans 10:15 (NIV)

The Women's Retreat is an opportunity to reconnect with other women of faith, relax with time away from everyday life, and renew our relationship with God through topical Bible study. For more information, contact Anna Lind, alind@zionharvester.org.

COMMUNITY CORE

Chapel Member, Abby Scheer, a newly licensed chiropractor, is beginning an exercise class focused on strengthening your core. This targeted fitness class will feature specific exercises designed to improve your core and overall health. This class is free to the public and open to all age groups. It will be held on **Thursday nights** from 7:15 to 8:15 PM in Room 13. If you have an exercise pad or yoga mat, please bring it to class. A limited number will be available for use for those who do not have one. Join us as we focus on our health from the inside out!

GERMANY REFORMATION TOUR: JUNE 8-19, 2015

Walk in Luther's footsteps, experience charming medieval towns, cruise the picturesque Rhine River. Join Dr. Gerald Perschbacher; Lutheran Minister; author of 17 books; historian of Germany, religion, and genealogy. Limited availability. Sign up early for German genealogical research at www.travelerslane.com; or contact Pat Lane at 314-223-1224 or travelerslane@hotmail.com.

Sun.	6/22/2014	8:00 AM	Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	To 10:30 & 11:45 to 12:15 Chapel Scrip
		9:30 AM	Sunday School and Bible Classes
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
Mon.	6/23/2014	6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 13
		8:45 AM	VBS
		12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
Tues.	6/24/2014	7:00 PM	Worship Service
		6:30 AM	Cheerleading in Gym
		8:45 AM	VBS
Wed.	6/25/2014	7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
		6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		8:45 AM	VBS
		6:00 PM	Wednesday Night Fellowship High School/College
Thur.	6/26/2014	6:30 PM	Adult Bible Classes in Rm A & Rm B
		6:30 AM	Cheerleading in Gym
		8:45 AM	VBS
Fri.	6/27/2014	10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm 13
		8:45 AM	VBS
Sat.	6/28/2014	7:30 AM	Men's Ministry Bible Study in Rm 13
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm A
		10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
Sun.	6/29/2014	8:00 AM	Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	To 10:30 AM Chapel Scrip in Coffee Shop
		9:30 AM	Sunday School and Bible Classes
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		6:00 PM	AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S
EVENTS
FOR
JUNE 22
through
JUNE 29**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, June 22	Week Beginning June 29
<p>GREETERS: 8:00 Gus & Pearl Vogelsang 10:45 Cornel & Margo Savala</p> <p>ACOLYTES: 8:00 n/a 10:45 n/a</p> <p>NURSERY: Karrin Nettles</p> <p>USHERS: 8:00 Steve Junkel* Rodney Bloese Bill Clark John Harnagel David Lah Butch Schleicher Robert Vangilder 10:45 Bill Miller* Bob Cason Dan Kroehnke Dave Larussa Dale Ledford Dan Heidelmeyer Paul Goris 7:00 Paul & Beth Standiford</p> <p>ELDER ON DUTY: Art Goltz</p> <p>TRUSTEE: Brian Hubbell</p> <p>COUNTERS: Duane & Debbie Theilen Rich & Janet Minasian John & Joy Lomax</p>	<p>GREETERS: 8:00 Jodie Schneider David Lah 10:45 Marty & Sherry Wittmus</p> <p>ACOLYTES: 8:00 n/a 10:45 n/a</p> <p>NURSERY: Karrin Nettles</p> <p>USHERS: 8:00 Robert Klos* Diane Klos Chris Brooks Kyle Goltz Jack Muckey 10:45 Brandon Kemper* Ryan Kemper Dianna Carroll Emily Carroll Rosalyn Cunningham Jim Harris 7:00 Mike Conant</p> <p>ELDER ON DUTY: Chris Becker</p> <p>TRUSTEE: Tim Meyer</p> <p>COUNTERS: Bob & Jacquie Vangilder Stephanie Vangilder Mary Ann Ronan Jack Muckey</p>

Service Coordinator : Ruby Kramer

ALTAR GUILD

For June: Mary Jane Obernuefemann
 Renee Lubbering-Urban
 Kim Harnagel

COFFEE HOSTS

For June:
BULLETIN Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,
 Betty Choate, Jim Burrows,
FOLDERS: Joyce Gaugh, Dotty Willis,
 Bev Cossey, Chris Brooks