

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

Sunday, June 29, 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 22, 2014	This week	Yr to Date	'13 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,848.70	\$ 346,217.50	—
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 12,141.00	\$ 354,471.02	\$ 352,398.62
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 3,280.00	\$ 84,213.50	
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Abundant Giving:	\$ 252.50	\$ 10,959.50	
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 10.00	\$ 4,605.56	
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Attendance: Week 25	'14 Actual 411	'14 Wkly Ave 478	'13 Actual 488
			'13 Wkly Ave 482

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	30:	1 SAMUEL	24	JULY	3:	1 SAMUEL	27-29
JULY	1:	1 SAMUEL	25	JULY	4:	1 SAMUEL	30
JULY	2:	1 SAMUEL	26	JULY	5:	1 SAMUEL	31

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

THIS WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL is for all ages and generations in the gym. We will enjoy a time of fellowship followed by an interactive and intergenerational learning time based on the theme of our VBS and Summer Sunday School. We will finish outside blessing our new flags and praying for God's continued care. The normal Sunday School schedule resumes next week, July 6th.

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS

CHAPEL YOUTH MESSY GAMES NIGHT

Wednesday, July 9 is a special youth ministry event from 5:30-8:30 PM. Join us for pizza, messy games, and devotions. Wear clothes that can get wet/dirty, bring a towel, a friend, and a clean set of clothes for the ride home! Sign up with Andrew Nelson by Sunday, July 6.

EAT AT TGI FRIDAYS

TGI Friday's is hosting 3 Spirit Night Fundraisers in July for our Middle School and High School Youth. Dine in anytime on **July 7, 14, and/or 21 (all Mondays)** and bring in a flyer (located in the coffee shoppe, narthex, and basement lobby) to help us raise money for missions & other youth ministry activities.

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL –THANKS FOR A GREAT WEEK!

Thank you SO MUCH to all the children, families, youth and adults who helped make this year's VBS a success! We had over 175 children this week hear the Good News of "God's Amazing Grace" at Gangway to Galilee! Whether you were a participant, volunteer, or donor –VBS would not have happened without YOU! Praise the Lord!

SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS—TODAY

Today, 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, **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.

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.

TAKING A VACATION

The Minutes for Ministry ORANGE sheet you find in your weekly bulletin will be taking a break for the summer. THANKS to all who READ it and USE it for volunteering at Chapel and Chapel-supported ministries.

HAVE A SAFE SUMMER.
Committee

Your Stewardship

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.

HOLY LAND INVITATION

Pastor Bob and Sue Hoehner would like to invite you to join them on a "trip of a lifetime" --- 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, go for a swim (or dip our hand) in the Dead Sea, and visit Masada, Ein Gedi, Mt. Carmel and the Jordan River. It would be great to be able to spend these 10 days with you, and share this extraordinary experience.

This is not just a tour of "sites," it is also a time for real spiritual growth. A week before Palm Sunday, we will walk the path Jesus took on the first Palm Sunday. Two weeks before Easter we will have a devotion at the open tomb. We will hear the words of Jesus' Sermon on the Mount on the hillside where he first spoke those words. And about two months before Pentecost we will see and meet Christians from countries all over the world, and from cultures and languages so different from our own.

This will be our second trip (our first was in December 2012) to Israel. We will be co-hosting with Rev. Tom and Miriam Krause of Overland Park, Kansas. They were our hosts for our first trip, and they have been to Israel many times. They have a great relationship with the tour company (Imagine Tours) and they really know their way around Israel. (And they are a lot of fun to travel with.)

On **Sunday, July 13**, we will host an information meeting in Education Room A immediately following the 10:45am service for those interested and for those who would like more information. The meeting will last from 11:45am to 12:15pm.

Today, we will be at a table in the coffee shop (after both services) with brochures and a number of information pieces about the trip. This will include an information piece on the safety issue. Travel in the Holy Land is very safe and secure. (At any given time there are 1.5 – 2 million visitors traveling in Israel.)

If you have any questions, just ask.

THANK YOU, CHAPEL

I would like to express my heartfelt "Thank You" for all the condolences and prayers on behalf of the recent loss of my mother, Marlys Schrader. She loved going to Chapel of the Cross when she visited me. She always commented on what a wonderful congregation we had and would often take bulletins back to share with her home church to give them ideas, in her words, "how to do it right". She would have been 94 next month and lived a full Christ filled life. God's Blessings to all of you.

Barb Hubbell

THANK YOU

Dear Chapel of the Cross, Thank you for your prayers for our family. We would especially like to like the Card Ministry for the beautiful cards you sent to us.

Thank you, again.

Al and Frieda Clark and family

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.

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.

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)

COMMUNITY CORE

There will be no Community Core Class this Wednesday, July 3
Class will resume on July 10.

TITUS 2'SDAY COMING UP

Titus 2'sday is a mentoring ministry:

Women encouraging women to enjoy the blessing of faithfully being in God's Word.

Women teaching women Christian home management skills.

Women supporting and sharing with one another under the umbrella of God's love.

The next Titus 2'sday will be **Tuesday July 29, 2014**, from 6:30 to 8:30 pm, with the theme "Beauty—Inside and Out", with scarf-tying, so bring your own scarf; and Beauty product exchange, so bring any beauty products (open or not) that you'd like to trade or donate. This ministry meets at Zion Lutheran Church, 3866 Harvester Road, in St. Charles.

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.

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.

LUTHERAN SENIOR SERVICE NEWS

Work in Health Care? Want to Make a Difference?

If you became a nurse to help people and develop relationships with those you serve, it might be time to consider a career in long-term care. Lutheran Senior Services is now hiring RNs, LPNs, CNAs, and CMTs to serve older adults in our senior living communities. To learn more, visit LSSLiving.org/Employment today.

Lutheran Senior Services Benefit Golf Tournament

Tee Off with LSS! Lutheran Senior Services will hold its annual golf tournament July 14 at Norwood Hills Country Club in St. Louis. The day's events include an 18-hole, four-person golf scramble, plus lunch, dinner, cocktails, and an auction. All proceeds go to support older adults who have outlived their ability to support themselves. To register your team, visit LSSLiving.org/TeeOff today.

Veterans Fair at Meramec Bluffs Senior Living

Join the residents of Meramec Bluffs Senior Living (#1 Meramec Bluffs Drive, just off Vance Road in Ballwin, MO) for a Veterans Fair, to be held Tues., July 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in their Chapel / Community Room. Open to all retired service personnel and their families, this event will welcome veterans affairs and benefits agencies from around the region, including the Missouri Veterans Commission, Wreaths Across America, the Honor Flight, and more. Admission: FREE. For more information, call 636.923.2355.

Volunteer Money Management Program for Seniors

For some seniors, paying the bills each month can be frustrating. Volunteer Money Management is here to help. Provided by Lutheran Senior Services in partnership with Jewish Family & Children's Service, this program links volunteers with older adults who need assistance maintaining their finances. Under the client's supervision, volunteers can help seniors with sorting, organizing, recording and paying their monthly bills. They can even help with balancing a checkbook. For more information, call Sally at 314.446.2474.

Sun.	6/29/2014	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.		3:00 PM	Private Event in Rm C
		4:00 PM	Choir in Rm A
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 13
Tues.	6/30/2014	9:30 AM	Mom & Me in gym
		12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		7:00 PM	Worship Service
Wed.	7/01/2014	10:00 AM	Card Ministry in Rm 11
		6:00 PM	ReFit (formerly Zumba) Fitness in Gym
Thur.	7/02/2014	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		11:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:00 PM	Wednesday Night Fellowship High School/College
		6:30 PM	Adult Bible Classes in Rm A & Rm B
		7:30 PM	Select team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Fri.	7/03/2014	10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
Sat.		10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm 13
		6:00 PM	ReFit Fitness in Gym
Sun.	7/04/2014		Church Office Closed
		7:00 PM	Hobby Night in Rm 13
		7/05/2014	9:00 AM
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm A
	7/06/2014	8:00 AM	Communion 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	Communion Worship Service
		6:00 PM	AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S
EVENTS
FOR
JUNE 29
through
JULY 6**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, June 29	Week Beginning July 6
GREETERS: 8:00 Jodie Schneider David Lah 10:45 Marty & Sherry Wittmus ACOLYTES: 8:00 n/a 10:45 n/a NURSERY: Karrin Nettles 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 ELDER ON DUTY: Chris Becker TRUSTEE: Tim Meyer COUNTERS: Bob & Jacquie Vangilder Stephanie Vangilder Mary Ann Ronan Jack Muckey	GREETERS: 8:00 Bob & Joyce Gaugh 10:45 Marty & Kim Macke ACOLYTES: 8:00 Cara Lawrence Jaiden Umbertino 10:45 Olivia Brooks Adam Prince NURSERY: Melanie Biggers USHERS: 8:00 Mike Conant* Bob Gaugh Joyce Gaugh Bob Jones Don Sugar Kathy Wilson 10:45 Ruby Kramer* Paul Ludy Rosa Ludy Phyllis Zeuschel Vivian Kaesser 7:00 Larry Diehl Mike Conant ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: 8:00 Chris Becker Bob Vangilder Art Goltz Richard Matt 10:45 David Reidemann Roger Kutschkau Bill Miller Michael Moellering 7:00 Wyatt Gross Doug Seifert ELDER ON DUTY: Chris Becker TRUSTEE: Dennis Hass COUNTERS: Paul & Rosa Ludy Ruby Kramer Bob Renken Mathilda Reinhardt

Service Coordinator : Ruby Kramer

ALTAR GUILD

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

For July: Virginia Guyott
 Pat Middendorf
 Mathilda Reinhardt

COFFEE HOSTS

For June:

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