

**What's Happening at  
Chapel of the Cross**  
Sunday, August 31, 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	Chris Becker	636-288-3664(C)
A, R	Wyatt Gross	636-459-5496
S-She	Dan Heidelberg	636-240-1951
H	Roger Kutschkau	636-926-0986
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	Bill Miller	636-272-7578
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 Dan Heidelberg 314-623-0745(C)

Vice-Chairman is Duane Theilen

## Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of August 24, 2014	This week	Yr to Date	'13 YTD	
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,848.70	\$ 470,855.80	—	
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 13,513.67	\$ 481,884.29	\$ 473,361.06	
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 3,045.00	\$ 115,118.50		
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<b>Abundant Giving:</b>	\$ 182.50	\$ 16,606.00		
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	5.00	4,810.91		
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<b>Attendance: Week 34</b>	<b>'14 Actual</b>	<b>'14 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'13 Actual</b>	<b>'13 Wkly Ave</b>
	515	481	419	476

*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:  
Current Bible Classes continue in Rm A & B August 24 & 31.

### Beginning Sunday September 7:

**“The Book of Acts”** led by Rev. Mark Hoehner in Rm A.

**“Resilient Faith: Standing Strong in the Midst of Suffering”** led by Rev. James Uglum in Rm B

**Women’s Bible Study** led by Anita Clausing in the lower level Education Wing beginning September 7

### Chapel Youth in the Sunday School Classrooms

**“The Story: Part II”** for Chapel high school youth led by DCE Andrew Nelson in Daniel’s Den.

**“The Book of Romans”** for 8th grade youth led by Liz Riedemann and Clarice Sage in Rm 6.

**“Confirmation Class”** for 6th-7th grade youth led by Pastor Jim Prince in Rm 3.

**Sunday School (Age 3-5th Grade)** begins with opening in the Sanctuary at 9:25 AM.

## Our Weekday Bible Studies

- Tue:** **Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study will return in Sept and will meet** 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. This class will begin again on **September 2**.
- Wed:** **Early Morning Bible Study** with Bob VanGilder at 6:30am at Bob Evans on Zumbahl Road. Our new topic is “Proverbs”. For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.
- Wed:** **Evening Adult Bible Study** meets in Rm A at 6:30 PM: “Creation, New Creation” with Pastor Bob Hoehner, beginning **September 3**.
- 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.

SEPT 1:	1 CHRONICLES 18-20	SEPT 4:	1 CHRONICLES 23-27
SEPT 2:	1 CHRONICLES 21	SEPT 5:	1 CHRONICLES 28
SEPT 3:	1 CHRONICLES 22	SEPT 6:	1 CHRONICLES 29

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK** FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE  
**Matthew 16:26** "I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship." That's the order: God's mercies, then our sacrifice. Since God's mercies are all-encompassing, so is our sacrifice: a total sacrifice, our total selves placed over into God's service according to how He has called each of us individually to serve in Home, Church and Society.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

**NEW FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS YEAR...**

Sunday School children 5th grade and younger meet in the Sanctuary for Opening each week at 9:25AM. Middle school youth will meet in Rm 3 for prayer, announcements, and offering at 9:25AM. Children 4th grade and under should be checked in with their Sunday School teacher at opening and picked up from their classrooms by 10:40AM following Sunday School. Children still in the classroom at 10:40 will be moved to the media room next to the double glass doors downstairs. Youth 5th grade and older may check in and pick up their younger siblings.

**TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL** our students will hear how "God Creates Adam and Eve", providing them with perfect physical attributes and a lush garden in which to live. God created the world's many natural resources so it would be a wonderful place for His most treasured creation, human beings, to live. Parents might ask, "How were Adam and Eve different from the rest of God's creation?"

## **CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS**

### **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY**

Join us for open gym, group games, and discussion Wednesday from 6:00-7:30PM. This week, we begin a four week Bible study series called "Engage: Impacting a Hostile World." We all face an avalanche of messages and situations that stand in opposition to our faith which communicate a value system saturated with sexuality, materialism, and self-centeredness. Each week we'll discuss how to navigate these waters and remain faithful to Christ and His church.

### **CHAPEL HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH "ROAD RALLY"— SEPTEMBER 7**

Chapel youth is hosting a road rally for all our high school youth and friends on **Sunday, September 7**. We will meet at church at 3:00 PM, with the first team departing soon after. Sign up with DCE Andrew Nelson by Wednesday, September 3. We are in need of adult drivers and other adult volunteers to assist with this event. Teams of 3 or 4 youth will follow a list of clues to complete the course CLOSEST to the secret time. The team closest wins. The event costs \$5.

### **ANNUAL CONFIRMATION RETREAT: SEPTEMBER 12-14**

Our annual confirmation retreat at Camp Wartburg is in two weeks. Please let us know if your child will be attending by this Wednesday, September 3. Forms and payments are due NO LATER than September 10. We will meet at church by 5:45 PM Friday evening and return by NOON on Sunday.

## **OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **LADIES TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

All ladies of Chapel of the Cross are invited to join us on **Tuesday, September 2** as we begin a new study titled: "Great Women of the Bible." We meet from 9:30 to 11:00 AM in classroom 12 on the 1st and 4th Tuesdays. There will be a nominal fee for the study materials. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Little at 636-272-2701 or Sue Hoehner at 636-244-0745.

### **FALL CONFIRMATION MODULE BEGINS THIS WEEK**

Beginning **Wednesday, September 3**, 6th-8th grade youth will complete their fall learning module. Classes will meet from 6:30—7:30 PM until September 24. 6th grade will meet in Room 3 in the Sunday School Classrooms and 7th/8th grade will meet upstairs in Room B. Parents are required to attend all classes with their children. Contact the church office with any questions.

### **CROCHET AND KNITTING GROUP**

We are going to restart the crochet and knitting class back up after Labor Day, on Mondays 1-3 PM, beginning on **Monday, September 8**. Beginners and advanced are welcome. We can teach left or right in both. In knitting, we teach Traditional or Continental method to your preference. Prayer shawls, hats and scarves are just a few of the projects we work on. Personal projects are welcome, as well as exploring new stitches and sharing patterns. We would also like to list it as Needles & Hooks as most of the ladies have the basics down and come mostly to socialize. Questions: contact Sharyl Doctorman at 636-397-2162.

### **SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS**

**Sunday, September 14**, Chapel will have the next worship service geared for families with special needs children. 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. The next services will be **Sunday, October 12** and **Sunday, November 9**.

### **CHAPEL CIRCLE MEETING NEWS**

All women of Chapel are invited to join as we kick off the new year of meetings. Our first meeting will be held **Tuesday, September 16**, beginning at noon, in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be provided. We encourage all ladies of the congregation to come hear what exciting programs and service opportunities we have planned for this upcoming year!! If you have questions, contact our President, Sharon Thomas at 314-541-5508.

### **YOUNG AT HEART**

Come join the Young at Heart (55 or more) Group for our meeting on **Thursday, September 18 at NOON in ROOM A (upstairs)**. Bring a sandwich. We will provide dessert and drinks!! Hope to see you there.

### **12TH ANNUAL T-3 MEN'S RETREAT**

Save the date: **September 26, 27, and 28** at Mark Twain State Park. The theme this year is "Amazing Grace". Pastor Mark Hoehner will lead the discussion on Friday evening. Pastor Dennis Schwab will continue the discussion on Saturday evening. Other activities include: golfing, fishing, skeet shooting, horseshoes, 5K run, and hiking. For more information, please see Brad Biggers, Butch Schleicher, Bob Vangilder, or visit our website at [www.T3mensretreat.org](http://www.T3mensretreat.org).

### **DR. PAUL MAIER PRESENTATION RECORDINGS**

If anyone would like to watch the dvd or listen to the cd recording of Dr. Paul Maier when he was here in April, there are copies available in the church office for you to sign out and borrow.

### **GIFT CARDS FOR SALE**

You are going to buy groceries anyway, so 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. Our hours are: **Sundays from 9:00 to 10:30 am and the 2nd Monday of the Month from 7:30 to 8:10 pm.**

**REMEMBER** ARTICLES FOR THE NEXT WEEK'S WHAT'S HAPPENING ARE DUE IN THE OFFICE OR AT [office@chapelofthecrosslutheran.org](mailto:office@chapelofthecrosslutheran.org) BY NOON ON THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE. THANK YOU!

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

### **CONCORDIA SEMINARY GUILD'S SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON**

**Friday, September 19, 2014.** Registration 11:30AM; Luncheon 12:00PM; Program and business meeting to follow. Guest Speaker: The Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer, Seminary President. Meetings will be held in Koburg Hall, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105. RSVP required in advance. The cost is \$10.00 per person. Please make check payable to Concordia Seminary Guild. Checks must be received by September 5, 2014. Send the payment and names of those attending the luncheon to" Alice Kastens, 5101 Kings Park Drive, St. Louis, MO 63129.

### **DIABETES MANAGEMENT**

Would you like to become a highly motivated diabetic and lead a long and healthy life? Be sure to attend the next Diabetes Management meeting at the Spencer Road Branch Library, 427 Spencer Road in St. Peters on **Wednesday, September 24**, from 6-8 pm. The class is free, but please register by calling Kim Hoff at 636-272-2933.

### **TITUS 2'SDAY –SEPTEMBER 30, 2014**

You are invited to the next Titus 2'sday will be held on **September 30, 2014** at Zion Lutheran Church, 3866 Harvester Road, St. Charles. The topics will include: Removing Stains, Money Management, Home Q&As. Titus 2:3 reads: "Teach the older women to...teach what is good. Then they can train the younger women."

### **UNDERSTANDING YOUR GRIEF: Touchstones for Hope and Healing**

A Community Seminar for Grieving Families sponsored by Baue Funeral Services will be held **Tuesday, October 21** at 7:00 PM at The Stegton Banquet Center 1450 Wall Street, St. Charles. Dr. Alan Wofelt will lead an evening of Hope and Healing. Register online at Baue.com or call 636-946-4042.



### **TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)**

TOPS is a nonprofit, noncommercial, weight-loss support and wellness education organization with thousands of chapters in the US and Canada. TOPS does not pay celebrities to endorse their group, and they don't promise quick fixes or promote unrealistic images of the "perfect body".

Instead they focus on HEALTH! True health is not a flat stomach, a certain pants size, or even a number on a scale. Health is having the energy and stamina to do the things you love with the people you care about. It is about enjoying the life you are living in the body you work hard to take care of - no matter how "imperfect" that body may seem.

Weekly TOPS meetings, on **Wednesday mornings**, led by volunteers, focus on making small, steady lifestyle changes that provide lasting weight loss and better health. Weigh-ins start at 8:15am and the meeting begins at 10:00am.

For more information call Sue Hill, Leader at 636.928.7131 or Linda Wilcox, Area Captain at 636.447.9056.

### **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!

### **LUTHERAN RESALE SHOP**

The Lutheran Resale Shop is grateful to the Lord in sparing us from all the trouble in the area. We thank you for all your donations in the past and for your continued help. The Lutheran Resale Shop has had a great year so far and hopes to be here for a long time in the future. We have just restocked with all "new" fall/winter clothing for the whole family. Our profits, after expenses, go 50% to Lutheran Family and Children's Services and 25% each to the Resident's Funds of Hidden Lake and Breeze Park Retirement Communities. Address of the Shop: 6701 W. Florissant, Jennings, MO.  
Phone: 314-389-9970.

## **NOW HIRING**

Lutheran High School is accepting applications for substitute teachers. If interested, applications are available in the school office or call 636-928-5100.

## **LUTHERAN SENIOR SERVICES 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](http://LSSLiving.org/Employment) today.

### **The Lutheran Prayer Breakfast 2014**

All are welcome to attend The Lutheran Prayer Breakfast, to be held Thurs., Oct. 16, at the Doubletree Hotel at Westport (across Page Ave. from Westport Plaza). Keynote speaker Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer will explore our place in "His" Story. Doors open at 7 a.m.; seats are \$25 each. To order tickets, visit [LSSLiving.org/PrayerBreakfast](http://LSSLiving.org/PrayerBreakfast) today.

### **"Loved by God – Living with Purpose" Growing in Christ XV**

**The 2014 Lutheran Older Adult Retreat**, sponsored by the Southern Ill District and Lutheran Senior Services, will be held at Pere Marquette Lodge in Grafton, IL on October 22-23. 16 workshops, excellent leaders, and keynote presenter Dr. Dale Meyer, Concordia Seminary, with bible study leader Rev. Terry Dittmer, LCMS Youth Ministry. For information and registration information please contact Mary Preuss at 618-288-9525 or [MaryPreuss@yahoo.com](mailto:MaryPreuss@yahoo.com).

### **Need a Speaker for Your Next Meeting?**

Lutheran Senior Services offers a free speakers bureau, connecting guest lecturers with service groups and social clubs around the St. Louis area. Seminars include "What's in Your Grocery Cart?", "Put Your Personal File Cabinet in Order", "Ways to Improve Your Memory", and "Don't Worry, Be Happy", just to name a few. For more information, call LSS' Aging Answers Line at 314.446.2475 today.

Sun.	8/31/2014	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 meet
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 13
Mon.	9/01/2014		Labor Day —Church Office Closed
		12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Tues.	9/02/2014	9:30 AM	Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study in Rm 13
		10:00 AM	Card Ministry in Rm 11
		6:00 PM	ReFit (formerly Zumba) Fitness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Elders' Meeting in Conf Rm
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	9/03/2014	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		8:30 AM	TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) in Rm A
		11:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:00 PM	Wed Night Fellowship High School/ College Youth
		6:30 PM	Confirmation Classes 6th-8th Grade
		6:30 PM	Adult Bible Classes in Rm A & Rm B
		7:30 PM	Adult Choir Practice in choir loft
		7:30 PM	Select team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Thur.	9/04/2014	10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
		10:30 AM	Al-A in Rm 13
		12:00 PM	To 4 PM Home School in Lower Level
		6:00 PM	ReFit Fitness in Gym
		7:15 PM	Community Core Exercise in Rm 13
Fri.	9/05/2014	7:00 PM	Hobby Night in Rm 13
Sat.	9/06/2014	9:00 AM	ReFit Fitness in Gym
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm A
Sun.	9/07/2014	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	Al-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S  
EVENTS  
FOR  
AUGUST 31  
through  
SEPTEMBER 7**

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, August 31		
<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00	Don & Charlotte Sugar
	10:45	Marty & Kim Macke
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00	Kennedy Albers Emily Albers
	10:45	Reagan Rodriguez Camden Rodriguez
<b>NURSERY:</b>		Sammie Savala
<b>USHERS:</b>	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	no service-Labor Day
<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Wade McKee
<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Dennis Hass
<b>COUNTERS:</b>		Paul & Rosa Ludy Ruby Kramer Bob Renken Mathilda Reinhardt

Week Beginning Sunday, September 7		
<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00	Joanne Goers Bev Cossey
	10:45	Ruby Kramer Dorothy Pauley
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00	Alex Lubbering Cara Lawrence
	10:45	Amber Budd Jordan Brake Sammie Savala
<b>NURSERY:</b>		
<b>USHERS:</b>	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	Dan & Jake Newsham
<b>ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:</b>		
	8:00	Bob Vangilder Duane Theilien Doug Seifert Art Goltz
	10:45	Wade McKee Dan Heidelmeyer Wyatt Gross Roger Kutschkau
	7:00	Bill Miller Chris Becker
<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Bob Vangilder
<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Rod Landers
<b>COUNTERS:</b>		John Middendorf Leon Heitgard Rachelle Lilge Phyllis Richoz Virgil Schlough

### ALTAR GUILD

For August: Terri Scheer  
Abby Scheer  
Kathleen Dwyer  
For September: Barb & Jim Rellman  
Doris Braudis  
Ruby Kramer  
Mondays: Ruth Conant & Hannah Wilhelm

**Service Coordinator:** Ruby Kramer

### COFFEE HOSTS

**BULLETIN** Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,  
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Joyce Gaugh, Dotty Willis,  
Bev Cossey, Edith Duke