

**What's Happening at  
Chapel of the Cross**  
Sunday, September 14, 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 September 7, 2014	This week	Yr to Date	'13 YTD	
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 13,848.70	\$ 498,553.20	—	
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 14,832.26	\$ 515,671.91	\$ 512,757.34	
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 4,855.00	\$ 122,668.50		
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Abundant Giving:	\$ 547.50	\$ 17,475.00		
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	15.00	4,833.91		
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<b>Attendance: Week 36</b>	<b>'14 Actual</b>	<b>'14 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'13 Actual</b>	<b>'13 Wkly Ave</b>
	484	481	552	475

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

**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 children will study the story of "Cain and Abel" which tells about the first case of murder caused by jealousy. Do your kids get jealous? Consider discussing, "How does jealousy affect relationships in a family? Why is it important to forgive each other in our family?"

**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.

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

Over 20 of our middle school youth are finishing up their weekend retreat at Camp Wartburg this morning; growing relationships with one another, studying God's Word, and worshipping God in various ways. They are due to church about 11:45 AM for pickup.

### **OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **VOTERS' MEETING TODAY AFTER 10:45 AM SERVICE**

#### **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**.

#### **HOLY LAND TOUR WITH PASTOR BOB AND SUE HOEHNER**

There will be a meeting **Today, September 14**, at 6:30 PM here at church. We will be re-evaluating the condition for the tour. Imagine Tours has extended the early bird registration to September 20th. The trip will take place March 16-26, 2015. If you are interested in this opportunity, please come to this meeting or speak to Pastor Bob or Sue.

#### **SAUSAGE DINNER HELP NEEDED**

The Sausage Dinner is only 2 short months away, on **Sunday, November 2**. We need help selling tickets between and after services and on Monday nights. The sign up sheet for selling tickets is located in the Coffee Shoppe. Tickets will be going on sale **September 14**. If you have any questions, please contact Brad Biggers (636-949-0805) or Larry Krull (636-240-8506).

### **FALL CONFIRMATION MODULE**

6th-8th grade youth will complete their fall learning module **September 3-24**. 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.

### **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).

### **EVENING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

A New Women's Bible Study called "FREE" will be offered on **Wednesday evenings from 10/1 through 11/19**. It is a study of the book of Galatians. Together we will find rest in this book, as we discover that it is Christ's work that matters, not our won effort. Come, even if you are new to Bible Study and explore how Paul helped the Galatians wrestle with this relevant issue! Bring a Bible; bring a friend. The study is "FREE!", but the book is not. :) There will be a small fee. Childcare is available. For more information, contact Margaret Hibbeler. 636-939-9755 or st\_charles\_hibbelers@yahoo.com

### **SERVE ST. LOUIS –OCTOBER 11-12**

There are dozens of service projects available in the St. Louis area over this weekend. We are coordinating participation on projects both Saturday and Sunday for high school youth and families. Please inform Andrew Nelson of your family's availability to serve that weekend. Please check your calendar ASAP to see if this day is available and contact DCE Andrew Nelson for sign up directions.

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you for the wonderful luncheon in memory of our mother, Flora Blythe. The food was wonderful and made our time with our family very special. Thank you also for all the sympathy cards and for remembering us in your prayers. Sincerely, Vivian Kaesser and Pat Bailey, Family of Flora Blythe

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to the Chapel Card Crafters and the Chapel Comfort Group for all your cards and prayers for me and my brother. They really mean a lot to me. My brother is now in heaven and I look forward to seeing him again. Thank you again for all your cards and prayers. Phyllis Zueschel

### **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

### **UPCOMING CAMPS AT LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL ST. CHARLES**

Please see the information on the bulletin board in the coffee shoppe for more information about these camps offered in September 2014.

### **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."

### **VITAE FOUNDATION DINNER**

The Vitae Foundation is hosting its 18th Annual Pro-Life Dinner on **Monday, October 20, 2014** at the St. Charles Convention Center. The featured speaker is Sen. Rick Santorum, a 2012 Presidential Candidate and a steadfast voice for the unborn. Tickets are \$50 per person (\$25 is tax deductible). The Dinner and Program begin at 7 PM. Seating is limited to those with reservations, so make your reservations soon by calling 800-393-5791. Reservations may also be made online at [www.vitaeoundation.org/events](http://www.vitaeoundation.org/events).

### **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](http://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.

## **CALENDAR**

Sun.	9/14/2014	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
		9:00 Am	To 9:15 & 11:45 to 12:00 Blood Pressure Check
		9:30 AM	Sunday School and Bible Classes meet
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		11:00 AM	Special Needs Church Service in Room A
Mon.		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 13
	9/15/2014	12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		1:00 PM	Needles and Hooks in Conf Room
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		7:00 PM	Financial Control Board Mtg in Conf Room
	7:00 PM	Worship Service	

Tues.	9/16/2014	12:00 PM Chapel Circle Meeting in Gym & Rm D 1:30 PM Medicare Seminar 6:00 PM ReFit (formerly Zumba) Fitness in Gym 7:00 PM Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	9/17/2014	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 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 7:00 PM Trustees Mtg in Conf Room 7:30 PM Adult Choir Practice in choir loft 7:30 PM Select team Volleyball Practice in Gym 7:45 PM Medicare Seminar
Thur.	9/18/2014	10:30 AM AI-A in Rm 13 11:30 PM Young at Heart (55+) in Gym 12:00 PM To 4 PM Home School in Lower Level 1:00 PM Comfort Group in Rm A 6:00 PM ReFit Fitness in Gym 6:00 PM Wedding Rehearsal 7:15 PM Community Core Exercise in Rm 13
Fri.	9/19/2014	10:00 AM History Trunks
Sat.	9/20/2014	Jacobsen/Weber Wedding 9:00 AM God and Me in Room B 9:00 AM ReFit Fitness in Gym 9:45 AM AA in Rm A 10:30 AM Private Event in Gym
Sun.	9/21/2014	8:00 AM Communion Worship Service 9:00 AM Andrew Pelley Library Open 9:00 AM -9:15 & 11:45-12:00 Blood Pressure Checks 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 11:55 AM Voter's Meeting in Room A 6:00 PM AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S  
EVENTS  
FOR  
SEPTEMBER 14  
through  
SEPTEMBER 21**

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, September 14		
<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00	Gary & Margie Urban
	10:45	Gladys Smart Sherry Carter
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00	Jaiden Umbertino
	10:45	Olivia Brooks
<b>NURSERY:</b>		Katie Krull
<b>USHERS:</b>	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	Mike & Ruth Conant
<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Bill Miller
<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Paul Ludy
<b>COUNTERS:</b>		Duane & Debbie Theilen
		Rich & Janet Minasian
		John & Joy Lomax

Week Beginning Sunday, September 21		
<b>GREETERS:</b>	8:00	Gus & Pearl Vogelsang
	10:45	Robert & Sue Hoehner
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	8:00	Nathaniel Brinkmeier Emily Hibbeler
	10:45	Adam Prince Russell Nelson Sammie Savala
<b>NURSERY:</b>		
<b>USHERS:</b>	8:00	Richard Matt* Kellee Matt Dennis Guyott Dee Krieger Sheryl Munz Al Ross
	10:45	Bill Hiner* Kara Brooks Adam Brooks Bryan Hulsey Wade McKee Cornel Savala Alex Savala Nic Savala
	7:00	Paul & Beth Standiford
<b>ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:</b>		
	8:00	Richard Matt Bill Miller Doug Seifert Chris Becker
	10:45	Michael Moellering Dave Reidemann Justin Yockey Art Goltz
	7:00	Wade McKee Bob Vangilder Richard Matt
<b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b>		Tim Meyer
<b>TRUSTEE:</b>		Bob & Jacquie Vangilder
<b>COUNTERS:</b>		Stephanie Vangilder
		Mary Ann Ronan
		Jack Muckey

### ALTAR GUILD

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,  
**FOLDERS:** Betty Choate, Jim Burrows,  
Joyce Gaugh, Dotty Willis,  
Bev Cossey, Edith Duke