

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

**Week Beginning Sunday, February 22**

**GREETERS:** 8:00 Don & Charlotte Sugar  
10:45 Gladys Smart  
Sherry Carter

**ACOLYTES:** 8:00 Nathaniel Brinkmeier  
10:45 Anna Carroll

**NURSERY:** Katie Krull

**USHERS:** 8:00 Steve Junkel\*  
Rodney Bloese  
Bill Clark  
John Harnagel  
Butch Schleicher  
Robert Vangilder  
Gary Gorline  
10:45 Bill Miller\*  
Bob Cason  
Dan Kroehnke  
Dave Larussa  
Dale Ledford  
Paul Goris  
Tom Goessling  
Fred Budd  
7:00 Paul & Beth Standiford

**ELDER ON DUTY:** Wade McKee  
**TRUSTEE:** Brian Hubbell  
**COUNTERS:** John Middendorf  
Leon Heitgard  
Rachelle Lilge  
Phyllis Richoz  
Virgil Schlough

**Week Beginning Sunday, March 1**

**GREETERS:** 8:00 Joanne Goers  
Bev Cossey  
10:45 Robert & Sue Hoehner

**ACOLYTES:** 8:00 Jaiden Umbertino  
Ellie Clausing  
10:45 Brynna Walgate  
Logan Walgate

**NURSERY:** Katie Krull

**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 Larry Diehl  
Mike Conant

**ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:**  
8:00 Wyatt Gross  
Robert Vangilder  
Duane Theilen  
Art Goltz  
10:45 Bill Miller  
David Riedemann  
Roger Kutschkau  
Michael Moellering  
7:00 Michael Moellering  
David Riedemann

**ELDER ON DUTY:** Bill Miller  
**TRUSTEE:** Rod Landers  
**COUNTERS:** Duane & Debbie Theilen  
Rich & Janet Minasian  
John & Joy Lomax

**ALTAR GUILD**

For February: Ruby Kramer, Doris Braudis,  
Barb & Jim Rellman  
For March: Margaret Schulz, Sandy Schleicher,  
Elle Krull  
Mondays: Ruth Conant & Hannah Wilhelm

**Service Coordinator:** Ruby Kramer

**COFFEE HOSTS**

**BULLETIN FOLDERS:** Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,  
Betty Choate, Jim Burrows,  
Joyce Gaugh, Dotty Willis,  
Bev Cossey, Edith Duke

**What's Happening at  
Chapel of the Cross  
Sunday, February 22, 2015**

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Hm: 636-922-2774

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Youth & Family Life Director  
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**TODAY AT CHAPEL:**

**Voters' Meeting Today after 10:45 Service**

**VISITING WITH US TODAY?**

Please sign our guest book in the Narthex (Lobby)  
and the Fellowship Book that is in the pew.

**Coffee** is served from 9:00—9:30am in the Coffee Shoppe

**Family Room** is available for you,  
located just off the Coffee Shoppe  
if you feel your children are restless during the service,  
you can go here to see & listen to the service in comfort.

**"Doodle Bags"** are hanging on the wood post  
in the narthex and are for your child's enjoyment  
during the church service.  
Parents: Please see that the bags get returned to  
the basket in the narthex at the end  
of the worship service.  
Thank you!

## 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 Heidelmeyer	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
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Elder Chairman is Dan Heidelmeyer 314-623-0745(C)  
Vice-Chairman is Duane Theilen

### Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of February 15, 2015	This week	Yr to Date	'14 YTD	
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,519.23	\$ 101,634.61	—	
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 13,591.92	\$ 94,783.89	\$ 93,361.87	
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 2,905.00	\$ 24,735.00		
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Abundant Giving:	\$ 312.50	\$ 8,766.50		
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 4,699.51	\$ 10,830.37		
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<b>Attendance: Week 7</b>	<b>'15 Actual</b>	<b>'15 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'14 Actual</b>	<b>'14 Wkly Ave</b>
	481	470	465	494

*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.

Sun.	2/22/2015	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
		11:55 AM	Voters' Meeting in Rm A
		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 13
Mon.	2/23/2015	10:00 AM	Mom & Me in Gym
		12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		1:00 PM	Needles & Hooks in Conf Rm
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		6:00 PM	AA in Rm 12
		7:00 PM	Worship Service
Tues.	2/24/2015	9:30 AM	Ladies Tues. Morning Bible Study in Rm A
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Boy Scout Mtg in Rm 13
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	2/25/2015	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		8:30 AM	TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) in Rm A
		9:30 AM	Quilt Tacking in Lower Level Lobby
		11:00 AM	Worship Service
		7:00 PM	Lenten Worship Service
		7:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Thur.	2/26/2015		Private Event in Gym
		6:00 PM	Wedding Rehearsal
		10:30 AM	Al-A in Rm B
		7:00 PM	Boy Scout Mtg in Rm 11
		7:15 PM	Community Core Exercise in Rm 13
Fri.	2/27/2015		Vangilder-Linde Wedding
Sat.	2/28/2015	7:30 AM	Men's Ministry Bible Study in Rm 13
		8:00 AM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm A
		10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
		4:00 PM	Green & Gold Banquet in Gym
Sun.	3/01/2015	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
		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 13

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

## Our Sunday Bible Studies Begin at 9:30am

Adults in the Education Wing:

Beginning February 22:

**“Paul Maier’s Week That Changed the World”**

led by Rev. Mark Hoehner and Rev. Bob Hoehner in Rm A.

**“A Study of 1st Timothy”** led by Rev. James Uglum in Rm B.

**“Spiritual Mothering”** led by Margaret Hibbeler  
in the Lower Level Education Wing

**Chapel Youth** in the Sunday School Classrooms

For Chapel High School Youth led by DCE Andrew Nelson in Daniel’s Den.

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.

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

### LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL ST. CHARLES NEWS

**Saturday, March 7** marks Lutheran High School's Annual **Sapphire Affair and Dinner Auction**. Join us at the The Foundry Art Centre in St. Charles for an elegant evening of fun, food, and fellowship, all the while helping make a LHS education available to high school students for years to come. For donations and ticket information, please visit: <http://lutheranhighstcharles.com/support/events/sapphire-affair-dinner-auction/>.

### OUTREACH TRAINING WORKSHOP

Join us for an outreach training workshop from “MISSION U”, a program of Lutheran Hour Ministries. Become equipped through this one-day event to fulfill your mission with boldness to the diverse mission field around you.

Course: MU-101 Equipping to Share: Everyday Evangelism at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, O’Fallon, MO on **Saturday, March 28, 2015** from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm (light lunch provided). Please contact David Schlesselman at [daschlesselman@gmail.com](mailto:daschlesselman@gmail.com) or at 636-578-1766. Please RSVP by March 20, so they can plan for materials and lunch. The course cost is \$10 (includes lunch). They will cover the cost if that prohibits your attendance. More information can be found at [www.whatsmissionu.com](http://www.whatsmissionu.com).

### LUTHERAN RESALE SHOP

The Lutheran Resale Shop is having its semi-annual half-price clothing, shoes, and purse sale. We invite you to visit and shop. Our hours are Monday through Saturday from 10 am to 3 pm. We are located at 6701 W. Florissant in Jennings, MO. Thanks to all who have recently donated items. Our list of what you can donate is on the Salem Lutheran Church, Blackjack, MO website. Donating is easy. You can stop by any day we are open. We recently gave profits of over \$12,000 to the Resident’s Funds of Hidden Lake Lutheran Community and Breeze Park. Thanks to all of you.

## 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 A. 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 Zumbuhl 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: “The Book of Psalms” with Pastor Bob Hoehner. This class will begin again Wednesday, April 8.
- 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. This class will resume in April.
- 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.

FEB	23:	JEREMIAH	29	FEB	26:	JEREMIAH	34-35
FEB	24:	JEREMIAH	30-32	FEB	27:	JEREMIAH	36-37
FEB	25:	JEREMIAH	33	FEB	28:	JEREMIAH	38-40

**SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

**TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL** the Sunday School students learn about the story of "The Transfiguration". In the Transfiguration, we see Jesus as the pure and holy Son of God, whose perfect righteousness is given to us through God's Word and Sacraments. Parents could ask, "What did Jesus reveal to his disciples about Himself in the Transfiguration? What does God's Word reveal to us about Jesus?"

**CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS**

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MIDWEEK**

There will be no regular Youth Midweek until Wednesday, April 8. Until then, youth and families are encouraged to attend our soup suppers and midweek worship services each week.

**HIGH SCHOOL BROOMBALL EVENT**

Our high school youth will meet to play (or watch) Broomball on Sunday, March 15 from 6:15-8:15 PM at the St. Peters Rec-Plex South. This will be a cooperative event with youth from Immanuel, Our Savior, and Holy Cross Lutheran Churches. The cost is tbd and registration forms will be available soon!

**ANOTHER TEN SUNDAYS CLUB MEMBER**

The Youth and Family Life Council announces that Gianna Dandino has been in Sunday School TEN times this year. CONGRATULATIONS! We also send thanks to her parents for bringing her to Sunday School.

**ENJOY EATING AT PASTA HOUSE?**

Chapel Scrip is offering a promotion with Pasta House Co. Anyone who spends \$150 or more at the Chapel Scrip Counter will receive a Pasta House Coupon for \$5 off a purchase of \$20, while supplies last. Our Chapel Scrip program helps to support our Benevolent Fund. Gift Cards purchased at the counter will give back to Chapel from 1-14% (see order form for exact rebates). Scrip Gift Cards are available for purchase Sunday mornings from 9am-10:35am, Monday nights from 7:45-8:10pm, or Monday-Friday 9:30-3pm in the church office. Any questions? Call the church office at 636.928.5885.

**GROCERY, GAS, RESTAURANT & RETAIL 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.**

**VENDING MACHINE TO BENEFIT BENEVOLENT FUND**

Chapel now has a drink vending machine downstairs in the lower level lobby. The cost is \$0.75 per item. What a great way to quench your thirst and help those in need.

**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. THANKS.

### **YOUNG AT HEART**

We will not be meeting in February or March because of various planned activities. Our next regular meeting will be **Wednesday, April 22**, the **4th Wednesday** of the month at noon in the gym. For more information, please call Janet Minasian at 636-447-5354.

### **THANK YOU**

Dear Chapel Members, Thank you in all the languages of the world for your prayers, cards, and well wishes during my recent illness. Your thoughtfulness warmed my heart and I am very grateful. God bless you all.

Your sister in Christ, Joyce Sauer

### **THANK YOU**

Chapel Family, Thank you for all the kindness and love that has been shown to our whole family in the past months and especially in the recent weeks. We appreciate everything that was done for us whether it was by visiting with Martin in the hospital or nursing home, coming to the visitation and/or funeral, fixing the luncheon, singing in the choir or sending beautiful cards. Our Chapel family is the best.

The Family of Martin Koeneman

### **2014 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**

You may pick up your 2014 Contribution Statements in the Coffee Shop.

### **WOMEN ROOTED IN CHRIST**

Have you seen the transformation of the bulletin board in the Coffee Shoppe with the large colorful tree? Women Rooted in Christ (WRC) is the umbrella organization of all things related to women at Chapel of the Cross. The bulletin board is a place for women to learn about events and ministry opportunities that cater to them.

Please stop by the WOMEN ROOTED in CHRIST board to learn what's happening!

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT REGISTRATION DUE SOON!**

Registration for the Missouri District Middle School Retreat is due this week to DCE Andrew Nelson! This event, for 6th-8th grade youth, will feature a live band, "The Trust Guy" speaker, Bible studies, service projects, fun and games. The event is March 20-22 and costs \$50 for EVERYTHING! Don't miss this great event! Adult volunteers are needed to drive and attend the event.

## **OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **VOTERS' MEETING**

There will be a Voters' Meeting **TODAY, February 22** at 11:55 am in Room A following the late service. Pizza lunch will be served.

### **ANNUAL OASIS YOUTH FOOD CHALLENGE**

Last week we collected 295 items for the annual OASIS Youth Food Challenge. Each week, youth will sort, count, and deliver the food as part of a "competition" between over a dozen churches in St. Charles County. High school youth and families are in charge today. This week's shopping items for next Sunday are:

- Toilet Paper (4 pack)
- Breakfast Cereal
- Rice (1 lb. packages)
- Deodorant

### **LENTEN SOUP SUPPER HOSTING SCHEDULE**

February 25	Chapel Circle
March 4	Ushers
March 11	Choir
March 18	Stewardship & Connection Team
March 25	Board of Elders
April 5	Easter Breakfast– High School Youth Fundraiser

## COUNTERS NEEDED

Are you interested in serving our congregation as a member of a team of counters? We have a team in need of 1 or 2 new members. If you are interested, please contact Duane Theilen at 636-387-3683.

## A CARD SHOWER IS BEING HELD FOR LEOLA "LEE" MICHAEL

In honor of her 90th Birthday, **February 25, 2015**. Please mail all cards to: 1729 Doris Walters Lane, St. Charles, MO 63303. Thank you!

## MEN'S SOFTBALL

We are looking for men ages 16 and up for men's softball. Last year we took 3rd in the year end tournament. We had a lot of fun! We had 19 men on our team. It is time to sign up again. If we have enough men sign up, we can fill 2 teams. Please sign up in the coffee shop on the bulletin board sign up sheet, call or text Duane Albers at 636-399-4954 or email [daek7780@yahoo.com](mailto:daek7780@yahoo.com). The season usually starts around the end of April. Please sign up so I know how many are wanting to play. Hope to see many of you out there!

## WOMEN'S RETREAT WEEKEND—REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Please join us to quench your thirst by enjoying a weekend of fellowship and Bible Study with other women at the upcoming retreat "**Thirsty?**"  
Chapel of the Cross Lutheran Church

**Friday, March 6th 6:00 to 9:00 PM and  
Saturday, March 7th 7:15 AM to 3:45 PM.**

The mission project for the retreat is **Soul Thirst Africa**. Soul Thirst Lutheran Church in Texas works with the Lutheran Mission in Uganda in locating remote villages whose two major needs are Gospel proclamation and clean drinking water. The cost of a well is approximately \$10,000. Hopefully, our retreat can support a fraction of a well and promote physical health as well as spiritual growth to these people.

Brochures and registration forms are available in the Coffee Shoppe. Friday night only is \$10, Saturday only is \$30, both days are \$35.

For more information see [GirlfriendGathering@gmail.com](mailto:GirlfriendGathering@gmail.com) or call Chapel at 636-928-5885.

## FEATURED SPEAKER FOR WOMEN'S EVENT:

Donna Pyle is a native, life-long Texan who will be our featured speaker at the upcoming Girlfriend Gathering entitled, "Thirsty?" Since launching Artesian Ministries in 2007, Donna has authored 23 Bible studies and traveled throughout the U.S. and internationally to speak and teach from Scripture. She has published two books through Concordia Publishing House: *Quenched: Christ's Living Water for a Thirsty Soul* and *The God of All Comfort*. She has authored and recorded two DVD Bible study series in partnership with LWML: *Overflowing Abundance* and *Your Strong Suit*. The LWML has published the "*Donna Pyle Bible Study Series*," which includes eight different downloadable Bible studies for individual or small group study.

We are excited to have Donna be our featured speaker. Pick up a brochure to learn more about the Girlfriend Gathering taking place at Chapel the first weekend in March.

## SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

**Sunday, March 8**, 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. Future services will be held April 12 and May 10, 2015.

## CHAPEL CIRCLE NEWS

- At the February 17th meeting, the group assembled 195 are kits for the women's shelter. Circle members wish to thank the congregation for their continued support of this project! Without your donations we could not be as generous with this outreach project. Please continue to save your travel size toiletries throughout the coming year. The ladies in the shelter are blessed by your saving and giving!!!
- On **Tuesday, March 17th**, Chapel Circle will hold its annual Salad Supper and Prayer Service. The Salad Supper will begin at 6:00 PM in the gym, followed by the Prayer Service in the Sanctuary at 7:00. The Prayer Service will be entitled "God Given Hats". Ladies of Chapel, please invite a friend and plan to attend!
- The Rummage Sale will be on **Saturday, May 2nd**. Chapel Circle wants COTC members to save items for the sale! We depend on everyone to help make this event a success!
- The Spring Tea will be on **Sunday, May 17th**. All ladies are encouraged to attend and invite a guest. The event will include a fashion show presented by Christopher and Banks! More information and ticket information will be shared soon.