

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

Sunday, May 3, 2015

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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	Dan Kroehnke	636-397-0860
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 April 26, 2015	This week	Yr to Date	'14 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,519.23	\$ 246,826.91	—
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 12,943.78	\$ 244,658.92	\$ 243,155.07
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 2,965.00	\$ 59,145.00	
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Abundant Giving:	\$ 647.50	\$ 12,504.50	
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 12.00	\$ 13,515.08	
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<b>Attendance: Week 17</b>	<b>'15 Actual</b>	<b>'15 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'14 Actual</b>
	409	499	446
			<b>'14 Wkly Ave</b>
			495

*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:

**“Acts: Part 2”** led by Rev. Mark Hoehner in Rm 224 (Room A).  
**Christian Basics** led by Rev. James Uglum in Rm 222 (Room B).  
**Young Adult Bible Class** in Room 225 (Conference Room).  
**“Spiritual Mothering”** led by Margaret Hibbeler in the Lower Level  
Education Wing Room 129.

**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.

## 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 224. 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 “Proverbs”. For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.
- Wed:** **Evening Adult Bible Study** meets in Rm 224 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.

MAY	3:	AMOS	7	MAY	6:	OBADIAH	1-21
MAY	4:	AMOS	8	MAY	7:	JONAH	1-2
MAY	5:	AMOS	9	MAY	8:	JONAH	3-4

**SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

**TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL** our children and youth will participate in various service projects with a "global impact" for Christ. Our projects include making cards of encouragement for LCMS missionaries, creating fleece-tied blankets and packing school supply kits for LCMS World Relief, as well as sorting and counting change collected for medical kits in a medical trailer. Through these tangible ways, our children will share the love of Jesus with those who may not have heard the Gospel message. Ask your children, "What did you do today in Sunday School?", "How did what you did today help others?", or "How did you show Jesus' love by your project?"

**CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS**

**HIGH SCHOOL MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY IS BACK!** High School youth and friends are welcome Wednesday night from 6:00-7:30 PM for hang time, group activities, and Bible discussion. Our current topic is "THAT is in the Bible?"

**PRE-MISSION TRIP EVENT – TODAY, MAY 3**

The 2nd pre-mission trip event for youth and adult participants is **Tonight, May 3** from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. We will study God's Word, pray and play together in order to prepare us personally and as a group for this experience. The last \$75 payment is due that night for those who have not completed all payments. Camp medical forms (with a copy of insurance card ) is also due.

### **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH “AMAZINGRACE”—SATURDAY MAY 16**

High School youth and friends will follow clues and complete various tasks in an effort to win this friendly competition. Youth will travel in teams of 4 with an adult driver. **Sign up with DCE Andrew Nelson by May 10.** Event begins at 10:00AM and costs \$15. Sign up on your own or with a partner.

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL BOWLING NIGHT—WEDNESDAY, MAY 20**

Middle School youth will meet at Brunswick XL Zone on **Wednesday, May 20** in the evening to celebrate the end of the school year and spring confirmation module. Youth will meet and depart from Brunswick Zone XL (8070 Veteran’s Memorial Pkwy, St. Peters). The event begins at 6:30PM and ends at 8:30PM. Youth may bring a friend—cost \$8. **You must sign up by THIS WEDNESDAY!**

## **OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **CONFIRMATION SPRING MODULE CONTINUES**

The spring learning module for Confirmation runs **April 15-May 6**. Classes will meet from 6:30 to 7:30 PM. There will be a middle school youth group event on **Wednesday, May 20**.

### **ORDER A FLOWER FOR MOTHER’S DAY**

Do you want to make the mom in your life feel special on Mother’s Day? A flower to wear or hold during church and throughout this special day is a nice way to help her stand out. Corsages and long-stem roses are available for pre-order in the Coffee Shoppe between services. We will have several options available:

- Red Rose Corsage \$6 each
- Pink Carnation Corsage \$5 each
- White Orchid Corsage \$7 each
- Long-stem Red Roses \$6 each

Pre-orders are preferred. Payment is due at time of order. A limited amount of long-stem red roses might be available for purchase on Mother’s Day. You will be able to pick up your flowers before both services. The Women’s retreat Committee are now taking orders on the weekends between services. You may also bring your order to the church office during the week.

### **SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS**

**Sunday, May 10**, 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 service will be held June 14, 2015. We will all be worshipping together in the park. More details to come.

### **KITCHEN CLEANING**

All groups who use the kitchen are asked to send a person to help clean the kitchen on **Monday, May 11 at 6:30 PM**. The work will go fast when there are many hands! Thank you!

### **CELEBRATE ASCENSION DAY WITH YOUR FAMILY AT CHAPEL**

On **Thursday, May 14** we will celebrate Jesus' ascension into heaven together beginning at 6:00PM. We will meet in the gymnasium for a meal and devotional time for families of all ages and sizes. Please plan on joining us that evening to grow in faith and relationship with one another. Please sign up in the "Coffee Shoppe" to help us determine how much food to provide.

### **COMFORT GROUP**

The Comfort Group will be meeting on **Thursday, May 14** at 1:00 PM in Room 224. Please contact Bev Cossey at 636-387-0493 or the church office with any questions.

### **CHAPEL CIRCLE NEWS**

#### **SPRING TEA AND FASHION SHOW**

**Sunday, May 17** all ladies of the congregation are encouraged to invite their mothers, daughters, aunts, grandmas and special women in their lives to the Chapel Circle Spring Tea and fashion Show. Please join us for an afternoon of fellowship as Christopher & Banks shares with us their Spring/Summer collection. Tickets for the event are \$6.00 and will be sold between services in the coffee shop. Refreshments will be served. The event begins at 2:00 pm. Questions? Call Sharon Thomas 314-541-5508.

### **WORK DAY AT CHURCH**

Please mark your calendars and plan to come to church to work on some projects on **Saturday, May 23, from 9AM to 2PM**. We will be staining the outside beam, doing touch up painting, and other misc. projects. Please wear work clothes and bring work gloves. If you have any questions, please email karl Sestak at [karl@sestaks.com](mailto:karl@sestaks.com).

### **SAVE THE DATES FOR VBS—JUNE 22-26!**

Discover HIS plan! Discover HIS purpose! At *Camp Discovery VBS*, your children learn that Jesus works in and through us! They'll look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explore five "tree-mendous" Bible accounts where God works in His people to save them and through His people to serve! Jesus saves us, gives us faith, courage, and wisdom to serve Him and share His Good News with our neighbor! God does have a plan and a purpose for each of His beloved children! Children age 3—entering 6th grade can participate in VBS, and youth and adults may sign up to volunteer. Both participants and volunteers may register on paper starting May 17 or ONLINE NOW (via [www.chapelofthecrossluthern.org](http://www.chapelofthecrossluthern.org)).

### **ATTENDANCE NEWS**

The Youth and Family Life Council announces that Sasha Sam and Sydney Weber have been in Sunday School TEN times. CONGRATULATIONS! We also send thanks to their parents for bringing them to Sunday School.

### **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BEING A PART OF CHURCH LEADERSHIP AT CHAPEL?**

We are in need of a Treasurer and Financial Control Board Member. If interested, please call John Middendorf at 636-447-0379.

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to everyone for all of the kind thoughts and prayers while I was in the hospital and rehab center. Thank you to Pastor Hoehner for your visits and prayers.

Marie Meyer

### **AMBASSADORS OF RECONCILIATION THANKS YOU!**

Thank you Chapel of the Cross! Your servant hearts were evident during the week of April 13-18. Thank you to those who provided coffee and snacks each day, to those who prepared and served the lunches each day, to those who drove the shuttle from the hotel to your church, to those who served during Thursday night's reception, to those who served at the Friday night fundraising dinner, to those who helped with technology and sound, and to your members and leadership, who allowed us to take advantage of such a wonderful facility. Through this conference many lives were touched and the participants will be able to take their new skills with them and be able to touch more lives in their community. Thank you for your part in sharing God's Grace and Mercy and His gift of Reconciliation!

### **THANK YOU**

I have been overwhelmed by acts of kindness, since my recent knee surgery. I want to express a big THANK YOU to everyone who has sent a card, prayed, or prepared a "Meal of Love". This has really meant a lot to me and my family. I thank the Lord for you, for the blessing that you are and I pray in turn that you'd be blessed by the loving hand of God. Your willingness to help reflects a servant's heart.  
Shauna Brandt

### **LOOKING FOR A SPECIAL TEACHER OR GRADUATE GIFT?**

Look no more! Chapel Scrip has additional \$10 gift cards available for a limited time. You can purchase today: Amazon.com, AMC Theatres, Applebees, Claires, Dairy Queen, Denny's, Domino's, Dunkin Donuts, IHOP, Outback, Papa John's Pizza and Target. Please visit the Scrip Counter in the Coffee Shoppe or contact the church office (636.928.5885) for more information. Remember, a portion of your gift card purchase goes toward our Benevolent Fund to help those in need. 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.



## **WOMEN ROOTED in CHRIST (WRC)**

### **WRC - ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER**

Be the first to know what is happening in the world of women at Chapel of the Cross. Sign up to receive an email newsletter. Follow these steps to receive the **WOMEN ROOTED IN CHRIST** email newsletter by visiting the Chapel of the Cross website homepage, [www.chapelofthecrosslutheran.org](http://www.chapelofthecrosslutheran.org)

1. At the top tab bar put your cursor over EVENTS
2. Drag your pointer on EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS
3. Drag your pointer on **WOMEN ROOTED IN CHRIST** and click your mouse.
4. A page offering you membership to a mailing list opens and you complete the data and hit SEND.
5. You will receive an email verifying you want to be on the email list.
- 6.—Open the email and accept the invitation to join.

If you have any questions contact Kim Knouse at [pies1223@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pies1223@sbcglobal.net), Kim Harnagel at [jkharnagel@charter.net](mailto:jkharnagel@charter.net) or Margaret Hibbeler at [st\\_charles\\_hibbelers@yahoo.com](mailto:st_charles_hibbelers@yahoo.com)

## **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.

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

## **LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

On **Friday, May 8th and Saturday, May 9th**, Lutheran high School invites you to attend the Spring Theatre performance of "In-Laws, Outlaws, and Other People (That Should Be Shot)", written by Steve Franco, and produced by arrangement by Samuel French. Join us for a family dinner with the relatives that goes in hilarious new directions when a couple of robbers join the family in order to avoid a police hunt. Ticket reservations are available at 636-928-5100 x230 or [athletic@lhssc.org](mailto:athletic@lhssc.org). Doors open at 7pm, and the show starts at 7:30pm. Tickets are \$4 & \$6 when reserved in advance, and \$6 & \$8 on performance dates.

### **SCHOOL PLAY AT IMMANUEL, ST. CHARLES**

The first through fourth graders at Immanuel Lutheran School, 115 South Sixth Street, St. Charles, MO invite you to their musical, The Rockslinger and His Greatest Hit, on **Friday, May 8** at 1:45 and 7:00 pm in the school gym.

### **SPECIAL NEEDS FAMILY FUN FAIR**

**Saturday, May 16**, from 10:00AM to 2:00PM at Zion Lutheran Church and School, 3866 S. Old Highway 94, St. Charles, MO. This is a daytime outing designed specifically for families with special need members. This event includes alpaca and horse therapies, an inclusive soccer game, hands-on activities, food, games and other entertainment. There is no charge for the event, but please register to attend for planning purposes at [ZionHarvester.org](http://ZionHarvester.org).

### **ARE YOU A GOLFER?**

The 14th Annual Hope *Fore* Families Tournament will be on **Monday, May 18th**. This tournament benefits Lutheran Family and Children Services. It will be held at the Norman K. Probststein Golf Course in Forest Park ([www.forestparkgc.com](http://www.forestparkgc.com)). It will be an 18-hole, 4 player scramble. Tee-off will be at noon. The cost is \$250 per person. To register online go to: [www.lfcsmo.org/about/events/](http://www.lfcsmo.org/about/events/) or call 314-787-5100.

### **TITUS 2'SDAY**

Ladies, where does the time go? Does it seem there's rarely enough time in the day? How's your daily peaceful time with the Lord going? The next *Titus 2'sday* topic is "*Quiet Time and Time Management*"--**Tuesday, June 30**, 6:30-8:30pm at Zion Lutheran Church, Harvester. Mark your calendars. We cherish your input as we gather to hear timely tips from God's Word and from women of all seasons of life, as well as enjoy Christian fellowship. Bring a friend! Admission is free and refreshments are provided. *Titus 2'sday*, inspired by Titus 2:3, is a women's Christian mentoring ministry.

Sun.	5/03/2015	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
		9:00 AM	To 9:15 & 11:45 to 12 Blood Pressure Checks
		9:30 AM	School and Bible Classes
		10:45 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 114
Mon.	5/04/2015	12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		1:00 PM	Needles and Hooks in Conf Rm 225
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball in Gym
		6:00 PM	AA in Rm 12
		7:00 PM	Communion Worship Service
Tues.	5/05/2015	9:30 AM	Ladies Tues. Morning Bible Study in Rm 224
		10:00 AM	Card Ministry in Rm 111
		6:00 PM	Refit Firness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
		7:00 PM	Elders' Mtg in Rm 225
Wed.	5/06/2015	6:30 AM	Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		7:00 AM	LHS AP Testing in Gym
		8:30 AM	TOPS in Rm 224
		11:00 AM	Worship Service
		6:00 PM	Weds Night Fellowship High School/College
		6:30 PM	Confirmation Classes 6th, 7th, 8th Grade
		6:30 PM	Adult Bible Class in Rm A
		7:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		7:30 PM	Grief Share Group
Thur.	5/07/2015	10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
		10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm B
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		6:30 PM	Medicare Caregiver Seminar
		7:15 PM	Community Core in Rm 114
Fri.	5/08/2015	5:00 PM	Private Event in Sanctuary (Zion)
Sat.	5/09/2015	7:30 AM	Men's Ministry Bible Study in Rm 114
		8:45 AM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm 224
		10:00 AM	Private Event in Rm 115
Sun.	5/10/2015	8:00 AM	Worship Service —Mother's Day
		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
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S  
EVENTS  
FOR  
MAY 3  
through  
MAY 10**

