

**What's Happening at
Chapel of the Cross**
Sunday, May 24, 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 May 17, 2015	This week	Yr to Date	'14 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,519.23	\$ 290,384.60	—
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 12,742.61	\$ 287,197.77	\$ 287,642.25
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 2,975.00	\$ 70,075.00	
Abundant Giving:	\$ 347.50	\$ 13,408.00	
CRC India: Began 6/1/13	\$ 12.00	\$ 13,576.08	
Attendance: Week 20	'15 Actual 459	'15 Wkly Ave 497	'14 Actual 437
			'14 Wkly Ave 487

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 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	25:	ZECHARIAH	3	MAY	28:	ZECHARIAH	6
MAY	26:	ZECHARIAH	4	MAY	29:	ZECHARIAH	7
MAY	27:	ZECHARIAH	5	MAY	30:	ZECHARIAH	8

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL this is the last Sunday of the spring quarter. Students study "John's Vision of Heaven." Those who believe that salvation has been accomplished by the all-availing sacrifice of Jesus' blood on the cross will bear the name of Christ, written on their forehead in Holy Baptism, and will have the right to the tree of life. Consider discussing, "How does John describe heaven? How is the promise of eternal life in heaven ours?"

NEXT WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL will be a special all-ages intergenerational breakfast & celebration in the gym led by the Pastors and DCE. Join us for food, a celebration of the previous year, announcements about the summer, and time together learning and growing in Christ as a church family! The Sunday School staff will celebrate milestones and attendance awards during the 10:45 AM worship service.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS JUNE 7

All children entering 6th grade and under will meet downstairs in Room 114 for Sunday School. Children entering 2nd grade and younger will finish Sunday School in Room 127 while the children 3rd-6th grade weill stay in Room 114. Youth entering 7th grade and older will meet in the Youth Room. There will be a small registration form for Summer Sunday School. They are available in your child's Sunday School classroom this week.

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS

HIGH SCHOOL MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY

This week at Chapel Youth we will celebrate, honor, and bless our graduating seniors. Join us from 6:00-7:30PM for this special youth ministry event.

YOUTH MINISTRY MONDAYS BEGIN JUNE 1

This summer, Mondays are for high school youth. Each week, we will join together for a different event as we play, serve, eat, or enjoy movies. Stay tuned this week for information about our June 1st MANIC MONDAY activity.

ANNUAL YOUTH MINISTRY PAINTBALL EVENT—JUNE 27

All youth entering 7th grade and older are invited to our summer paintball event on **Saturday, June 27** from 8:15AM-1:00PM. We will travel to Wacky Warriors (Wentzville) for 3 hours of private play, then return to church for pizza and devotions. The event costs \$25 and includes admission, equipment, and food. ALL YOUTH MUST SIGN UP BY **SUNDAY, JUNE 21**.

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTER TODAY 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.chapelofthecrosslutheran.org).

DISHES IN THE KITCHEN

If anyone has left a dish in the kitchen, please claim it by **May 31**. The kitchen will be busy this summer and we need the space. Thank you!

SUMMER WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Save the dates: June 3-August 5, 2015

Wednesday evenings: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Cost of workbook: \$10 (scholarships available)

What are you going to grow this summer? Tomatoes? Peppers? Cucumbers? How about your faith?

Join us for a summer Bible Study, The Triune God, by C.P.H. Some people question the concept of the Trinity, saying that the term does not appear in the Bible. However, many Christian words and phrases, including the word "Bible", are not found in the Bible! Together we'll study how God teaches us about His triune identity in both the New and Old Testaments. An accurate view of God is vital to our Christian faith and how we explain God to the unbelieving world. Can't commit to every session? Come when you can. We'll have a non-intimidating atmosphere for spiritual growth. You will not be volunteered to answer a question or read.

Each week will have three parts:

- Personal Bible Study time answering questions on your own at home

- Small Group discussion time to learn from and share with others

- Teaching lecture to wrap up the evening's lesson

Ask us about it: Margaret Hibbeler, Sue Hoehner, Clarice Sage

To register, please contact: Margaret Hibbeler at 636-939-9755 or

St_charles_hibbelers@yahoo.com.

VBS VOLUNTEER TRAINING—SUNDAY, JUNE 7

There will be a training and information meeting for all VBS volunteers on **Sunday, June 7** following the 10:45AM service. If you have not yet completed our Risk Management Training, there will be a brief training session at the end of the meeting. Thank you!

YOUNG AT HEARTS

- **Sunday, June 7** we will see the play “Is He Dead” at St. Peters Act II Theatre and then go to dinner. Tickets are \$12.00.
- **Thursday, June 18** we will have lunch at the Wine Country Gardens. We will meet at the church at 11:30 AM.
- **Tuesday, June 30** we will be going on a mystery trip to Illinois, Cost of the lunch buffet is \$14.95.
- **Wednesday, July 15** we are invited to a pool party at the home of the Wiegand’s. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.
- **Sunday, July 26** we will see the musical “State Fair” at the St. Charles Community College. Tickets are \$6.00.
- If you are interested in any of these activities or have questions, please call Paul Ludy at 636-278-3881.

CHURCH PICNIC – JUNE 14

Our annual Outdoor Worship & Church Picnic is **Sunday, June 14** at Spencer Creek Park near the Sutters Mill Covered Bridge. We will worship and eat at Pavillion K, next to the tennis courts and parking lot. Worship will begin at 10:45AM with a picnic lunch to follow featuring fried and baked chicken from IGA. Paper products, water, chicken, and desserts will be provided – PLEASE BRING A SIDE DISH TO SHARE, LAWN CHAIR, AND OTHER SOFT DRINKS IF YOU DESIRE. Following lunch your family may enjoy lawn games, tennis, basketball, and the playground. At 12:45 we will PIE THE PASTOR before we organize a friendly game of kickball. Please sign up in the Coffee Shoppe.

PIE THE PASTOR FUNDRAISER

As a part of our church picnic, on **Sunday, June 14**, we are collecting cash and coin in the Coffee Shoppe to support Pastor Clausing’s Missionary calling to Africa. You may place donations in the personalized receptacles for Pastors Mark Hoehner, Uglum, Prince, and Clausing. The top 2 pastors who collect the most money will get a chance to put a pie in the face of those who collect the least! ALL proceeds will go directly to support Pastor Clausing and his family!

SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

The next service will be held **Sunday, June 14**. We will all be worshipping together in the park.

THE SAUSAGE DINNER COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR IDEAS

It is that time of year where we start entertaining ideas on what we should do with the funds raised from the Sausage Dinner and Silent Auction. If you have any ideas, please notify Brad Biggers or Larry Krull. Also, we are looking for a couple of individuals who would be interested in helping out with advertisement. If you have a high school or college student interested in marketing or advertising, or you, yourself would like to give it a shot, again, please notify Brad Biggers or Larry Krull.

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

Chapel Family, Thank you so much for all the cards, calls, visits, and most of all, your prayers, over the past several weeks. There can be no doubt, your prayers were and are continuing to be answered. I ended up being able to get right into one of the most qualified surgeons in the U.S. to do my 7 hour surgery. It took nothing less than a miracle to get into this surgeon the day I called to make an appointment and I have had no complications from this major surgery. I am for sure not going to have to take radiation and may not have to do follow-up chemo. Bob and I are humbled beyond words by all your support.

God bless each of you!

Bob & Cissy Wadlow

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 purchased 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 BY NOON ON THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE.

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)

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL SERVICE PROGRAM—TODAY, MAY 24

Please join us in honoring our veterans. This program is dedicated to all Vietnam War Veterans, for their service, valor and sacrifice. **Sunday, May 24, 2:00 PM**, St. Charles Memorial Gardens, 3950 West Clay Street, St. Charles, MO 63301. Open to the public. For more information, please contact Baue Community Service at 636-942-4042 or visit Baue.com.

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.

THRIVENT FINANCIAL

How long has it been since you looked at the beneficiary or beneficiaries on your insurance policies, investments, etc? Changes in life like marriage, remarriage, death, children , and maybe just making a change, are good reasons to make sure you have your papers in order. Contact your Thrivent Financial representative for a review. Or you can even make a change to the beneficiary online.

THE LUTHERAN RESALE SHOP

Spring Cleaning? Having a Yard Sale? The Lutheran Resale Shop will be happy to take your donations. The Shop accepts gently used clothing, household goods of all kinds, including bedding and linens, decorative items, furniture and small appliances, and much more. We donate our profits, after expenses, to Lutheran Family and Children Services and to Breeze Park and Hidden Lake Retirement Communities. This is thanks to all our wonderful donors and our faithful volunteers. We are located at 6701 W. Florissant, Jennings, MO. We are open Monday through Saturday from 10 am until 3 pm. Our phone number is 314-389-9970. We hope to see you soon!

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 today.

Good Neighbor Program Seeking Caregivers

Lutheran Senior Services Good Neighbor program is looking for independent caregivers to provide in-home services to older adults living in South St. Louis county, St. Charles county, O'Fallon, Wentzville, and Jefferson county. Caregivers are paid an hourly range from \$10.00 – \$15.00 an hour with a four hour minimum per visit. The Good Neighbor program is referral service that links independent caregivers with older adults who need assistance with basic household tasks and/or non-medical personal care. This program is partially funded by the United Way. For more information, contact Crystal at CCole@LSSLiving.org

LUTHERAN SENIOR SERVICES, cont'd

Volunteer Money Management Program for Seniors

Ever notice that things get more challenging as we age? That's especially true when it comes to financial tasks. If you or an aging loved one has difficulty writing checks, managing a budget, going through bills, or organizing mail, then **Lutheran Senior Services Volunteer Money Management** can help. A volunteer can travel to your home and provide a helping hand with balancing your checkbook, sorting and organizing mail, explaining forms, and creating a budget. For details, call 314.446.2474.

Sun.	5/24/2015	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	School and Bible Classes
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 114
Mon.	5/25/2015		Church Office Closed– Memorial Day
		12:00 PM	Young at Heart Bowling
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball in Gym
		6:00 PM	AA in Rm 12
Tues.	5/26/2015	9:30 AM	Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
		7:00 PM	Boy Scout Mtg in Rm 114
Wed.	5/27/2015	6:30 AM	Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		8:30 AM	TOPS in Rm 224
		9:30 AM	Quilt Tacking in Lower Level Lobby
		11:00 AM	Worship Service
		6:00 PM	Weds Night Fellowship High School/College
		6:30 PM	Adult Bible Class in Rm A
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		7:30 PM	Grief Share Group
Thur.	5/28/2015	10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm B
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Boy Scout Mtg in Rm 111
		7:15 PM	Community Core in Rm 114
Fri.	5/29/2015		
Sat.	5/30/2015	8:45 AM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm 224
Sun.	5/31/2015	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
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 13

**CHAPEL'S
EVENTS
FOR
MAY 24
through
MAY 31**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, May 24	Week Beginning Sunday, May 31
<p>GREETERS: 8:00 Don & Charlotte Sugar 10:45 Harriet & Jon Allman</p> <p>ACOLYTES: 8:00 Emily Hibbeler 10:45 Seth McKee</p> <p>NURSERY: Katie Krull</p> <p>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 No Service-Memorial Day</p> <p>ELDER ON DUTY: Roger Kutschkau TRUSTEE: Karl Sestak COUNTERS: Duane & Debbie Theilen Rich & Janet Minasian John & Joy Lomax</p>	<p>GREETERS: 8:00 Joanne Goers Bev Cossey 10:45 Cornel & Margo Savala</p> <p>ACOLYTES: 8:00 Adam Prince 10:45 Grace Goris</p> <p>NURSERY: Sammie Savala</p> <p>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</p> <p>ELDER ON DUTY: Richard Matt TRUSTEE: Tim Weber COUNTERS: Bob & Jacquie Vangilder Edith Duke Mary Ann Ronan Jack Muckey Sandy Schleicher</p>

ALTAR GUILD

For May: Mary Jane Obernuefemann,
 Renee Lubbering-Urban, Kim Harnagel

For June: Harriet Allmon, Pat Middendorf,
 Mathilda Reinhardt

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,
 Chris Brooks, Edith Duke