

**What's Happening at
Chapel of the Cross**
Sunday, January 17, 2016

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TODAY AT CHAPEL:

**Sign up Today for Trivia Night
on January 30 !**

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.

Nursery is open from 9:25am until the end of the late
service and is located in the Family Room

“**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 blue tub 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
A, R	Wyatt Gross	636-459-5496
S-She	Dan Heidelmeyer	636-240-1951
H	Mark Borchert	636-887-0399
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L, V	Justin Yockey	314-973-6618

Elder Chairman is Dan Heidelmeyer 314-623-0745

Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of January 10, 2016	This week	Yr to Date	'15 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,905.77	\$ 29,811.54	
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 15,717.00	\$ 28,225.60	\$ 26,481.45
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 6,540.00	\$ 10,125.00	
Abundant Giving:	\$ 217.50	\$ 595.00	
SoulThirst	\$ 187.00	\$ 1,363.00	

Attendance: Week 2

'16 Actual	'16 Wkly Ave	'15 Actual	'15 Wkly Ave
423	448	436	430

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 :

“**Today’s Light**” led by Pastor Bob Hoehner in Rm 224 (Room A)

“**The Letters of John**” led by Rev. Mark Hoehner and Rev. James Uglum
in Rm 222 (Room B)

“**Year with Jesus**” led by DCE Andrew Nelson in the Youth Room

“**Pew Sisters**” Bible Study in Room 129 (Room D)

“**New Members Class**” begins on January 17.

Chapel Youth in the Sunday School Classrooms

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

For 8th Grade Youth led by Liz Reidemann and Clarice Sage in Rm 112

Confirmation Class for 6th-7th grade youth led by Pastor Jim Prince in Rm 105

Sunday School (Age 3 through 5th Grade) begins with opening in the
Sanctuary at 9:25 am

Our Weekday Bible Studies

Tue: Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study Every Tuesday Morning
9:30-11:00AM in Rm 224. Will resume on January 5.

OR

Wed: Ladies Wednesday Evening Bible Study Every Wednesday
Evening 6:30-8:00PM in Rm 222. Will resume on January 6.

Wed: Evening Adult Bible Study meets in Rm 224 at 6:30 PM:
Will resume on January 6 with “A Man Named Martin”.

Wed: Early Morning Bible Study with Bob VanGilder at 6:30am at
Bob Evans on Zumbahl Road.
For more information, call Bob VanGilder 314-650-2053.

Wed: Chapel High School Youth Group Bible Study meet
downstairs from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM for Open Gym, Games, Bible Study
and Prayer. Will resume in January.

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.

JAN	18:	GENESIS	27-28	JAN	21:	GENESIS	34-35
JAN	19:	GENESIS	29-30	JAN	22:	GENESIS	36-37
JAN:	20:	GENESIS	31-33	JAN	23:	GENESIS	38-39

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:

JOIN US FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL, CONFIRMATION, AND YOUTH BIBLE CLASS!

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL our children learn the story of the boy Jesus in the Temple. This is the only story in the Bible about Jesus as a child. Ask your children, “What happened to Jesus?” Talk about how it is important for us, as God’s children, to spend as much time as we can in God’s House; our church!

CONFIRMATION & YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

Sixth and Seventh graders study “God’s Action Plan” as they study and discuss the Old and New Testament with Fieldworker David LaFore. Eighth grade youth meet with Mrs. Liz Reidemann & Mrs. Clarice Sage as they study how God’s Word applies to our lives today through various units and lessons.

High School Youth Bible Class returns to our “Year with Jesus” Bible study series this morning; focusing on “The Parable of the Workers in the Vineyard.”

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS:

HIGH SCHOOL R.E.A.P. BIBLE DISCUSSION IS BACK:

High school R.E.A.P. Bible study each **Wednesday evening** from 7-8PM. Join us for a brief midweek break with God’s Word and your Chapel Youth friends.

R.E.A.P. stands for Read, Examine, Apply, and Pray.

JANUARY YOUTH EVENTS:

High School Youth Group - Sundays, January 17 & 31 at 6:30PM
High School R.E.A.P - Wednesday evenings from 7-8 PM
Confirmation Module - Wednesday nights until January 27 - 6:30 PM
Winter Jam Concert for ALL Youth Families - Saturday, January 23
Middle School "Late Night" Event - Friday, January 29 at 8:30 PM
Trivia Night Fundraiser - Saturday, January 30 (Set up at 10:30AM/ Event at 7:00PM)

WINTER JAM TOUR COMES TO SAINT LOUIS—JANUARY 23

All 6th-12th grade youth, and their families, are invited to join us for Christian music's largest tour in **Saturday, January 23**. This concert features 10 bands for just \$10. There are no tickets, you just bring \$10 cash and pay at the door. We encourage parents and siblings of our middle school and high school youth to attend this event together. We will meet at Chapel at 3:00 PM, doors open at 5:00 PM, with the show beginning at 5:45 PM. We will return following the concert. Please sign up by **Wednesday, January 20**.

MIDDLE SCHOOL CIRCUIT "LATE NIGHT" EVENT - JANUARY 29

Middle School Youth from across St. Charles County will gather for a night of fun, games, and devotions at Lutheran High School on **Friday, January 29** at 8:30 PM. The event is FREE (Youth may bring a donation of 13 gallon trash bags and/or heavy duty lawn bags for Sparrow's Nest Maternity Home) and families may come early to catch the LHS basketball games that evening (for FREE). The event theme is "Hungry? Grab God's Word" and the event features 9 Square in the Air, Gaga Ball, and LIVE action Hungry, Hungry, Hippos! Register with DCE Andrew Nelson by 1/27.

DELIVERED - MISSOURI DISTRICT MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT

April 1-3...Camp Windermere (at Lake of the Ozarks)...The Relentless Project Band...Speaker: Jeffrey Meinz...Fun & games...Servant Event...300+ youth from across the state...THIS IS WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT AT THIS RETREAT. Youth may register by submitting a form and \$60 deposit to DCE Andrew Nelson by **February 10**. Forms will be available to you as soon as we receive the information from the District Office!

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

JANUARY CHAPEL CIRCLE MEETING

Start the year off with an informational meeting in fitness and nutrition led by Chapel's own Abby Scheer. Please join us for a brown bag lunch beginning at noon in the gym on **Tuesday, January 19th**. Our hostesses that day will be Mathilda Reinhardt and Barb Hubbell. All women of the congregation are encouraged and welcome to attend! Any questions? Call President Sharon Thomas at 314-541-5508.

Reminder: February will be the month we assemble personal care kits for the women's shelter. Please drop off any donations of travel size toiletries, wash cloths, combs, etc in the box labeled in the coat room. Thank you!

SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

The next service will be held **Sunday, January 24**. Chapel will have the next worship service geared for families with special needs children. This service will begin at 11:00 AM in Room 224 of the new education wing. It will have all the 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. Services in coming months will be February 14, March 13, and April 10.

SAVE THE DATE FOR CHAPEL YOUTH TRIVIA NIGHT— SATURDAY, JANUARY 30

The annual Chapel Youth Trivia Night is set for Saturday, January 30 at 7:00PM. Doors open at 6:30PM to enjoy some snacks, fellowship, and begin your bidding on our gift baskets. Teams consist of up to 8 players and seats are \$15 each (\$120 for the whole table). There will be door prizes, bonus round questions, a gift basket auction (sponsored by a Thrivent Action Plan) and plenty of fun and games. Come enjoy a night with friends and family supporting Chapel High School youth! All proceeds benefit our attendance at the 2016 National LCMS Youth Gathering and other Chapel youth ministry events.

SEVEN MORE HAVE TEN SUNDAYS

The Youth and Family Life Council announces that the following students have been in Sunday School TEN times: Aaron Biggers, Gianna Dandino, Amber Holovics, Trevor Holovics, Cara Lawrence, Lane McKee and Natalie Rensing.

We wish them CONGRATULATIONS and thank their parents for bringing them to Sunday School.

LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTIONS

Do you enjoy reading the Lutheran Witness? Are you interested in checking it out? The Lutheran Witness contains enlightening articles, letters to the editor, official notices of the LCMS and more. Now is the time to subscribe or renew your subscription. **The annual cost for 11 issues is \$15.96.** Just imagine, if you ordered this on your own the cost would be \$24. Here's your chance to save \$8.04 by ordering through us. **We need your payment by Tuesday, February 9,** to allow enough time to get the information to the Missouri District. You can use the Lutheran Witness envelope that you received in the mail with your regular offering envelopes or a blank envelope from the pew, just put "Lutheran Witness" on the outside of the envelope. **Please make your check payable to: "Chapel of the Cross".**

ARE YOU A VOLUNTEER AT HEART AND LOOKING FOR A WAY TO SERVE AT CHURCH?

Altar Guild is looking for two volunteers to join existing teams. Teams consist of three to four people and serve two months every year. Duties are light and include preparing the altar for Worship and Communion. Individuals, parent and child, or couples are invited to volunteer, and on the job training will be provided! Please contact Terri Scheer at 636-441+7987 or tscheer@mail.win.org.

BABYSITTER NEEDED

The Pitzer Family is looking for a babysitter for their special needs daughter, Ezmae—6years old, and their other daughter, Hazel— 8 years old, on the 2nd & 4th Friday of each month from 6:45 to 10:45 PM. In addition, we need a sitter for 2 hours during the weekday. There is some flexibility on those 2 hours. We will pay \$12 an hour and provide your with the training and instructions on how to care for Ezmae. To be considered, you must pass a background check and be 16 years of age. If interested, please contact me at 314-578-9338 or by email at ashleyone87@yahoo.com. Thank you!

DO YOU SHOP AT DIERBERGS OR SHOP N SAVE?

Did you know that if 50 families who regularly shop at Dierbergs purchased \$100 in gift cards from Chapel Scrip, we would raise \$250 for our benevolent fund? If 50 families who regularly shop at Shop N Save purchased \$100 in gift cards from Chapel Scrip, we would raise \$200. If this happened just one month, we would raise \$450 towards our benevolent fund. If this happened each month for a year, we would raise \$5400. You are going to buy groceries there anyway. This is an easy "no cost" way to truly bless those in need.

THANK YOU

Webster does not have enough words to describe the warm, loving feelings and concern shown to me in the recent loss of my wife, Joan. The pagans of this world have no idea what belief in Christ, and the real love that God has given us, means to the human heart. Many, many thanks to each and every one of our members of Chapel. Your actions reveal the love we have for one another in Christ.
Jack Muckey

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for your kind and generous gift to our ONE campaign! Your gift makes all the difference in the lives of mothers and babies in our community!
The Sparrow's Nest

RUMMAGE SALE UPDATE

Chapel of the Cross will **not** be holding our annual Rummage Sale in 2016. Please use your items to bless OASIS Food Pantry Thrift Shop, St. Vincent DePaul, Goodwill, Salvation Army or the charity of your choice.

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 BY NOON ON THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS

Cabaret Night will be held on **Saturday, January 23** at 7:00pm. Indulge in tantalizing music, delicious morsels, and a festive celebration! The choir, orchestra, small ensembles, and soloists of Lutheran High School will perform a variety of numbers, including current hits and Broadway songs. Tickets are \$10 in advance; \$15 at the door; \$5 for LHS students. To reserve your seat, call 636-928-5100.

Join us for Pro Life Night! On **Friday, January 29**, the basketball teams of Lutheran High School and Duchesne High School will compete in 4 basketball games, but also work together to support Coalition for Life St. Louis. Halftime activities and food trucks are part of the festivities...please join us!

Lutheran High School invites you to the Annual Chili Dinner and Open House on **Sunday, January 31** from 11:00AM to 2:00PM. Enjoy a delicious bowl of Cougar Chili, tour the building, meet the teachers, and learn more about what's happening at LHS. Prospective families eat for free! For more information, contact Lisa Gnade, Director of Enrollment.

Treat your daughter(s) to a special date to Lutheran High School's Daddy Daughter Dance. Fathers with daughters in kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to join us on **Saturday, February 6** from 6:00-8:00 PM for a fun evening of dancing, crafts, snacks, games and photos. Cost is \$10/couple + \$5 per additional daughter. Registration forms will be available soon. Contact Mrs. Amber Maddick at maddick@lhssc.org with any questions.

Mark your 2016 calendars for The Sapphire Affair Dinner Auction on **Saturday, March 12** at the Foundry Art Centre! Lutheran High School's auction committee has been busy planning an exciting evening for the LHS family, and we look forward to seeing you there. For more information or to request an invitation, visit lutheranhighstcharles.com/support.

As part of the Sapphire Affair Dinner Auction, Lutheran High School will again sponsor the \$2,500 tuition credit drawing. Purchase a ticket for \$25 (or 5 for \$100) and be entered to win a \$2,500 tuition credit that can be applied toward ANY school tuition, student loan payment, or a charitable donation. Visit our website at lutheranhighstcharles.com/support to download tickets or purchase them online.

DIABETES MANAGEMENT

Would you like to be 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, Room 210, on **Wednesday, January 27**, from 6 to 8 pm. The class is free, but please register by calling Kim Hoff at 636-272-2933.

BLOOD DRIVE AT OUR SAVIOR

Please consider giving blood on **Sunday, January 31** from 8:15 am to 1:00 pm in the gym at Our Savior Lutheran Church 2800 Elm Street, St. Charles. To make an appointment, email Dirk at dhallem711@yahoo.com or go to redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code: OSLchurch, or call 1-800-RED CROSS. Everyone is welcome. Bring a valid photo ID.

ZION NEWS: "APOSTLE"

Come and experience a riveting portrayal of the Apostle Paul's epic journey on **Sunday, January 31** at 6:00 PM at Zion Lutheran Church (3866 S. Old Highway 94, St. Charles, MO 63304). Brad Sherrill will be giving his portrayal of Paul's journey from "Acts" along with segments from his most inspirational letters in one deeply-moving live performance. Brad is a professional actor and has delivered three spectacular performances at Zion in the past (Gospel of John, Red Letter Jesus, and Exodus). Since 2001, Brad Sherrill's over 800 performances of Old and New Testament texts have reached a quarter million people worldwide. Admission is free. There will be a free-will door offering taken.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN'S COPE TRIVIA NIGHT

All adults (21 and over) are invited to participate in the 12th annual Our Savior Lutheran's COPE Trivia Night on **Saturday evening, February 20**. COPE (Christians Organized for Parochial Education) is a group of parents working to raise funds for Lutheran parochial education in St. Charles County. 100% of the proceeds from the trivia night are distributed to further the efforts of parochial education of our youth. The cost is \$20 per person or \$160 for a table of 8 participants. For more information or to make a reservation, please call 314-952-1117.

Sun.	1/17/2015	8:00 AM	Communion Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:30 AM	Sunday School & Bible Classes
		9:00 AM	To 10:30 Chapel Scrip
		10:45 AM	Communion Worship Service
		12:00 PM	Private Event in Gym
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 114
Mon.	1/18/2015	10:00 AM	Mom & Me in the Gym
		1:00 PM	Needles and Hooks in Rm 225
		5:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
		6:00 PM	AA in Rm 129
		7:00 PM	Communion Worship Service
		7:00 PM	Financial Control Board Mtg in Rm 225
Tues.	1/19/2015	9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study in Rm 224
		12:00 PM	Chapel Circle Mtg in Gym & Rn 224
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		6:30 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	1/20/2015	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study
		8:30 AM	TOPS Mtg in Rm 224
		11:00 AM	Worship Service
		6:30 PM	Confirmation Classes-6th thru 8th Grade
		6:30 PM	Adult Bible Class and Ladies Bible Class
		7:00 PM	Wed Night Fellowship-High School /College
		7:00 PM	Trustees Mtg in Rm 225
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Thur.	1/21/2015	9:00 AM	Home School Classes in Lower Level
		10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm 222
		6:00 PM	Refit Fitness in Gym
		6:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal in Choir Loft
Fri.	1/22/2015		
Sat.	1/23/2015	7:30 AM	Men's Ministry Bible Study in Rm 114
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm 224 & Rm 129
		10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
Sun.	1/24/2015	8:00 AM	Worship Service
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	To 10:30 Chapel Scrip
		9:30 AM	Sunday School & Bible Classes
		10:45 AM	Worship Service
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 114

**CHAPEL'S
EVENTS
FOR
JANUARY
17
through
JANUARY
24**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, January 17	Week Beginning Sunday, January 24
GREETERS: 8:00 Katie & Peggy Clemens 10:45 Ruby Kramer Dorothy Pauley	GREETERS: 8:00 Butch Schleicher Chris Brooks 10:45 Gladys Smart Sherry Carter
ACOLYTES: 8:00 Hannah Kean Maximos Hasson 10:45 Christian Stroup Jackson Stroup	ACOLYTES: 8:00 Alexis Floyd 10:45 Anna Carroll
NURSERY: USHERS: 8:00 Steve Junkel* Rodney Boese Bill Clark Gary Gorline John Harnagel Butch Schleicher Bob Vangilder 10:45 Bill Miller* Fred Budd Bob Cason Tom Goessling Dan Kroehnke Dave LaRussa Dale Ledford Jimi Matson 7:00 Mike & Ruth Conant	NURSERY: Katie Krull USHERS: 8:00 Robert Klos* Diane Klos Chris Brooks Kyle Goltz Jack Muckey 10:45 Brandon Kemper* Dianna Carroll Emily Carroll Jim Harris Ryan Kemper Rosilyn Schmidt Bentley Zinselmeyer Macklin Zinselmeyer Paul & Beth Standiford 7:00
ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: 8:00 Doug Seifert Wyatt Gross 10:45 Art Goltz Dave Riedemann Dan Kroehnke Roger Kutschkau 7:00	ELDER ON DUTY: Duane Theilen TRUSTEE: Tim Meyer COUNTERS: John Middendorf Leon Heitgerd Rachelle Lilge Phyllis Richoz Virgil Schlough
ELDER ON DUTY: Doug Seifert TRUSTEE: Brian Hubbell COUNTERS: Paul & Rosa Ludy Ruby Kramer Bob Renken Mathilda Reinhardt	

ALTAR GUILD:

For January: Ruby Kramer, Doris Braudis,
 Barb & Jim Rellman

Mondays: Ruth Conant, Bob & Cissy Wadlow

Wednesdays: Pat Middendorf

BULLETIN

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Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,
 Jim Burrows, Joyce Gaugh,
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