

**What's Happening at  
Chapel of the Cross**  
Sunday, March 20, 2016

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**TODAY AT CHAPEL:**

**Palm Sunday !!**

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
Ti-Tu, W	Dan Kroehnke	636-397-0860
F, I, N, O, Q	Art Goltz	636-978-3990
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Elder Chairman is Dan Heidelmeyer 314-623-0745

### Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of March 13, 2016	This week	Yr to Date	'15 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,905.77	\$ 163,963.47	
<b>Actual Budget Funds:</b>	\$ 13,209.34	\$ 157,612.79	\$ 153,707.15
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 3,875.00	\$ 45,895.00	
<b>Abundant Giving:</b>	\$ 257.50	\$ 2,862.50	
<b>SoulThirst</b>	\$ 87.00	\$ 1,921.00	
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<b>Attendance: Week 11</b>			
	<b>'16 Actual</b>	<b>'16 Wkly Ave</b>	<b>'15 Actual</b>
	452	477	481
			<b>'15 Wkly Ave</b>
			489

*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 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 :

“**The Gospel of Luke**” led by Pastor Bob Hoehner in Rm 224 (Room A)

“**War and Peace**” led by Rev. James Uglum in Rm 222 (Room B)

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

“**It’s Good To Be Queen**” **Ladies Bible Study** in Room 129 (Room D)

**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 Zumbel 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 Schleichner 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.

MAR	21:	NUMBERS	16-18	MAR	24:	NUMBERS	22-25
MAR	22:	NUMBERS	19-20	MAR	25:	NUMBERS	26-27
MAR	23:	NUMBERS	21	MAR	26:	NUMBERS	28-30

**SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:**

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

**TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL** our lesson is "Jesus Raises Lazarus." In resurrecting Lazarus, Jesus demonstrated that He can indeed raise all who believe in Him for salvation. True life is eternal life with Jesus. Consider asking, "Where do we see and experience the effects of sin in our lives? What does Jesus promise to all who believe in Him as Savior?"

**CONFIRMATION & YOUTH BIBLE STUDY**

Sixth and Seventh graders study "God's Action Plan" as they study and discuss the Old and New Testament with Fieldworkers David LaFore and John Torreson. 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. Today's discussion focus is Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and the events of Holy Week.

## CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENING

### YOUTH GROUP THIS MONTH:

Chapel high school youth group will meet **TONIGHT, March 20**, for our regular youth group, from 6:30-8:00PM. Join us for hang time and a “Holy Week” themed Bible and prayer experience.

### SET UP FOR EASTER BREAKFAST

Set up for the Easter Breakfast will be on **Saturday morning, March 26 at 10:00 AM** in the gym.

### ST. CHARLES CIRCUIT HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH DAY OF SERVICE - APRIL 10

Youth from Lutheran churches in St. Charles County will gather to serve God in our community the afternoon of **Sunday, April 10**. The event begins at Immanuel, St. Charles at 2:00PM. Following some orientation, youth will serve the community in various locations before returning to Immanuel for conversation, sharing and dinner. The event will conclude by 7:00PM. See DCE Andrew Nelson for details.

## OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### YOUNG AT HEART NEWS

- If you are 55 or better, please come join us:
  - **Sunday, March 20** at 2:00pm, a free concert by the St. Charles Symphony at the Foundry Art Center in St. Charles.
  - **Friday, April 8** at 7:00pm, A Tribute to Rosemary Clooney, Peggy Lee and Patsy Cline. Cost is \$13.00. Location is at the St. Peters Art Center (west end of City Hall).
  - **Tuesday, August 30**, is our annual Mystery Trip. We will leave church by caravan around 10:00am. Cost is about \$15.00 per person.
  - Brass Concert is **December 5** at about 10:15am, leaving church around 9:00am. More info to follow, but sign up quick if you want to go because it fills up fast.
- If you need more info, or just have a question, call Paul Ludy @ 636-278-3881.

## **ALTAR GUILD MEMBERS**

On **Thursday, March 24** following the Maundy Thursday service, Altar Guild members are invited to help with the stripping of the altar. We will be removing ornaments, candles, linens, paraments, and communion vessels. Any members that are available to help should gather in the Narthex during the final hymn. Traditionally, we wear a white shirt/sweater and dark skirt/slacks as a sign of the solemnity of the occasion.

## **EASTER BREAKFAST - MARCH 27**

Join us for the annual Easter Breakfast, a Chapel Youth fundraiser, on **March 27. Breakfast is served from 7:00-10:00AM.** The menu includes pancakes, egg casserole, sausage, fresh fruit, and assorted baked goods. "Specialty pancakes" will be featured starting at 9:15AM. Proceeds from this breakfast will benefit the National Youth Gathering and other summer ministry events. Please help us meet our goal of \$3,000!

## **THRIVENT MEMBERS**

Members, don't forget to use your Choice Dollars from 2015 by **March 31.** You can do this online or call Thrivent at 1-800-847-4836. There are many churches, schools, seminaries, and organizations that could use this money.

## **LADIES BUS TRIP TO GOOD SHEPHERD, COLLINSVILLE**

The 16th annual Women's Day of Renewal will be held at Good Shepherd Lutheran School and Church in Collinsville, IL on **Friday and Saturday, April 1 & 2.** This year's keynote presentation will be *Call to Peace (Peace for the Past, Peace for the Present, Peace for the Future)*, based on Philippians 4:7. *And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.*

The keynote speakers will be two talented sisters and pastors' wives, Rosie Adle and Rebekah Curtis. On addition to the keynote program, each attendee can personalize her day with workshops and lunch options! Women of all ages are invited to attend.

Registration forms are available on the WRC bulletin board in the coffee shop or for more information, see [www.facebook.com/goodshepherdwdr](http://www.facebook.com/goodshepherdwdr) or [www.goodshepherdcollinsville.org](http://www.goodshepherdcollinsville.org), or contact Good Shepherd Lutheran at 618-344-3151. If you are interested in riding on the Chapel bus for the Saturday session only, please contact Kim Knouse at 636-940-8086.

## **SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS**

The next service will be held **Sunday, April 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 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.

## **CONCORDIA SEMINARY CALL DAY ONLINE**

On **Tuesday, April 26** Concordia Seminary will have their Call Day services. There will be live streaming of the events at [callday.csl.edu](http://callday.csl.edu) at 3:00PM for Vicarages and Internships; 7:00PM for Pastoral Calls. Watch for our Fieldworkers David LaFore, Jonathan Torreson, Kevin Barron and our own, Danny Clemens.

## **SAVE THE DATES!!**

VBS 2016 Barnyard Roundup-Jesus Gathers Us Together will be held **Monday, June 27 through Friday, July 1**.

## **THANK YOU**

The faculty, staff, and students of Lutheran High St. Charles wish to thank everyone for their support of the 2016 Sapphire Affair Dinner Auction on March 12. Initial estimates indicate a significant increase in funds raised from past years. LHS is so grateful for the ongoing support of our current and past parents, alumni, and Association congregation members! We are blessed to be in partnership with you as together we provide quality Christian education for children from grades PH-12. To God be the glory!

## **OASIS FOOD PANTRY YOUTH CHALLENGE**

Thank you to everyone who helped stock the shelves at OASIS this past month by bringing your donations. Thank you also to the youth and families who helped sort, count, and deliver the food each week. This year, our church collected 1,869 items to benefit families in need in St. Charles County.

## **TWO MORE TEN SUNDAYS CLUB MEMBERS**

The Youth and Family Life Council CONGRATULATES Austin Freed and Amber Lawrence who have attended Sunday School TEN times. We also thank their parents for bringing them to Sunday School.

## **MEN'S SOFTBALL**

We are looking for men ages 16 and up for men's softball. We had a lot of fun and we had 19 men on the team. It is time to sign up again. If we have enough men sign up, we can fill 2 teams. Please sign up on the coffee shop bulletin board on the sign up sheet or call or text me 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.

Duane Albers

## **2015 OFFERING TAX STATEMENTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE ON THE COUNTER IN THE COFFEE SHOP**

## **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.



## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

### CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY-ST. PAUL CONCERT BAND IN CONCERT

Immanuel Lutheran Church, 115 South Sixth Street, St. Charles, MO, invites you to hear the 40 piece Concordia University Band perform an evening concert on **Sunday, March 20** at 7:00 PM. The band is directed by Aaron Isakson. Made up of music majors and non-music majors, the ensemble shares their love for music and their love for Jesus, our Savior wherever they perform. Admission is free. Free-will donations will be received at the concert.

### TITUS 2'SDAY

Ladies, pleased join us for a Titus 2'sday evening! **Tuesday, March 29**, 6:30-8:30 PM.  
Topic: Women's Health. Presented by the Women's Center of Barnes-Jewish St. Peters and Progress West Foundation. Free admission, refreshments and Christian fellowship.  
Invite a friend! Titus 2'sday is a women's mentoring ministry based on Titus 2:3, which reads : "Teach the older women to...teach what is good. Then they can train the younger women."  
Hosted by Zion Lutheran Church, Harvester, 3866 S. Old Hwy 94, St. Charles, MO 63304;  
[www.zionharvesterwomensnetwork.org](http://www.zionharvesterwomensnetwork.org).

### SPARROW'S NEST NEWS

- Save the Date for The RUSH 5K on **Saturday, April 30** with proceeds benefitting the Sparrow's Nest.
- Also, the Sparrow's Nest has Innovation Crews starting this spring and summer to examine the following topics: Human Resources, Communications/Marketing, Fundraising, Programming, Facilities, and a mission-based business plan for a Coffee Shop. If you are interested in joining one of these steering committees to guide and lead The Sparrow's Nest, please contact Nina Dean, our liaison with the group.

### SPRING CLEANING?

The Lutheran Resale Shop at 6701 W. Florissant will be happy to take all your surplus items! Gently used clothing, shoes, handbags, couches, chairs, tables, small appliances, hardware items, sporting goods, crafts, kitchen ware of all kind. The only things we cannot accept are large appliances, computers and TVs. If you are in doubt about whether it is good enough for resale, let us decide for you! We can recycle or upcycle almost anything. We especially appreciate the remaining items after estate sales or yard sales. Call the Shop for more information at 314-389-9970 or come in to visit any time Monday through Saturday from 10 am to 3 pm. We are on Facebook at Lutheran Resale Shop of Jennings. All of our workers are volunteers. All of our profits go to Lutheran Family and Children's Services, and to two Lutheran Retirement Communities, Breeze Park and Hidden Lake.

**MUSIC AT ZION PRESENTS  
THE ST. LOUIS BRASS BAND**

Music at Zion is proud to have the Award-Winning St. Louis Brass Band perform an exciting family-friendly concert of light classical and popular music entitled "Cookin' with Brass" on **Sunday, April 10** at 2:30 PM. The St. Louis Brass Band features 28 of St. Louis' finest brass and percussion players and is currently one of the only English brass bands in the St. Louis area. The organization has also been in the national spotlight by attending the North American Brass Band Association Competition and has won grand-championships in the honors and challenge divisions, while taking third place in the championship division. The St. Louis Brass Band has also been ranked amongst the top 200 brass bands in the world. Tickets are available in the Zion church office, online, or the afternoon of the performance. Prices are: \$10 general admission; \$5 students (Grades 1-8); Free for children 5 and under.

**WORSHIP SCHEDULE  
FOR LENT, HOLY WEEK  
AND EASTER**

**PALM SUNDAY, March 20**

Communion Service at  
8:00AM & 10:45AM

**MAUNDY THURSDAY, March 24**

7:00PM Communion Service

**GOOD FRIDAY, March 25**

Worship Service at  
11:00AM & 7:00PM

**EASTER SUNDAY, March 27**

Sunrise Service at 6:00AM  
*(Holy Communion will still be celebrated  
but in a somewhat simpler style of service)*

Holy Communion will also be  
celebrated at 8:00AM & 10:45AM

Chapel's Youth will serve breakfast from  
7:00AM-10:30AM  
(Proceeds from the breakfast will go to-  
wards this year's Mission Trip)

Sun.	3/20/2015	8:00 AM	Communion Worship Service - Palm Sunday
		9:00 AM	To 9:15 & 11:45 to 12 Blood Pressure Checks
		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
		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 114
Mon.	3/21/2015	10:00 AM	Mom & Me in Gym
		1:00 PM	Needles and Hooks in Rm 225
		5:30 PM	Select 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.	3/22/2015	9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study in Rm 224
		6:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
		6:30 PM	Chapel Bells in Choir Loft
Wed.	3/23/2015	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study
		8:30 AM	TOPS Mtg in Rm 224
		11:00 AM	Worship Service
		6:15 PM	Women's Evening Bible Study-Rm 225
		7:30 PM	Select Team Volleyball Practice in Gym
Thur.	3/24/2015	9:00 AM	Home School Class in Lower Level
		10:30 AM	Al-A in Rm 222
		6:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
		7:00 PM	Maundy Thursday Communion Service
Fri.	3/25/2015	11:00 AM	Good Friday Worship Service
		7:00 PM	Good Friday Tenebrae Service
Sat.	3/26/2015	7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study in Rm 114
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm 224 & Rm 129
		10:00 AM	Set up for Easter Breakfast in Gym & Kitchen
		10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
Sun.	3/27/2015	6:00 AM	Easter Sunrise Service
		7:00 AM	Easter Breakfast begins in Gym
		8:00 AM	Communion Worship Service-Easter Sunday
		9:00 AM	Andrew Pelley Library Open
		9:00 AM	To 10:30 Chapel Scrip
		10:45 AM	Communion Worship Service
		6:30 PM	Al-A in Rm 114

**CHAPEL'S  
EVENTS  
FOR  
MARCH  
20  
through  
MARCH  
27**

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, March 20	Week Beginning Sunday, March 27
<p><b>GREETERS:</b> 8:00 Rich &amp; Kellee Matt 10:45 Ruby Kramer Dorothy Pauley</p> <p><b>ACOLYTES:</b> 8:00 Abigail Kester Hannah Kean 10:45 Shelby Dannegger Katy Goltz</p> <p><b>NURSERY:</b> Lydia Harms</p> <p><b>USHERS:</b> 8:00 Bill Hankins* Beverly Hankins Kathy Collins Rich Minasian Janet Minasian Gary Oberneufemann Brent Pitzer 10:45 Kim Woodworth* Doug Broste Randy Goltz Casey Goltz Roger Kutschkau Tim Meyer Al Schuettpelz 7:00 Mike &amp; Ruth Conant</p> <p><b>ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:</b> 8:00 Duane Theilen Bill Miller Doug Seifert Andrew Nelson 10:45 Roger Kutschkau Michael Moellering Dan Kroehnke Justin Yockey 7:00 Wyatt Gross Dave Riedemann</p> <p><b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b> Rod Landers</p> <p><b>TRUSTEE:</b> Harry Nelson</p> <p><b>COUNTERS:</b> John Middendorf Leon Heitgerd Rachelle Lilge Phyllis Richoz Virgil Schlough</p>	<p><b>GREETERS:</b> 8:00 Rich &amp; Janet Minasian 10:45 Gladys Smart Sherry Carter</p> <p><b>ACOLYTES:</b> 8:00 Madelynn Eaker Alex Lubbering 10:45 Logan Walgate Amanzhol Kashenov</p> <p><b>USHERS:</b> 8:00 Steve Junkel* Rodney Bloese 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 No Service</p> <p><b>ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION:</b> 6:00 Wade McKee 8:00 Art Goltz Duane Theilen Rod Landers Bill Miller 10:45 Chris Becker Dave Riedemann Dan Heidelmeyer Michael Moellering</p> <p><b>ELDER ON DUTY:</b> Wade McKee</p> <p><b>TRUSTEE:</b> Karl Sestak</p> <p><b>COUNTERS:</b> Duane &amp; Debbie Theilen Rich &amp; Janet Minasian John &amp; Joy Lomax</p>

**ALTAR GUILD:**

For March: Kathy Wilson, Janet Minasian  
**Mondays:** Ruth Conant, Bob & Cissy Wadlow  
**Wednesdays:** Pat Middendorf

**BULLETIN FOLDERS:**

Bob Renken, Ruby Kramer,  
 Jim Burrows, Joyce Gaugh,  
 Chris Brooks, Edith Duke,  
 Bill Miller