

**What's Happening at
Chapel of the Cross**
Sunday, June 19, 2016

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TODAY AT CHAPEL:

Happy Father's Day !

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 to 10:45 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
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Shr-Sw	Bill Miller	636-272-7578
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K, X, Y	Doug Seifert	636-278-2782
Bi-By	Duane Theilen	636-387-3683
J, P, U	Roger Kutschkau	636-926-0986
E, Mey-My	Rod Landers	314-281-6052
L, V	Justin Yockey	314-973-6618

Elder Chairman is Dan Heidelmeyer 314-623-0745

Chapel's First Fruits of Faith

Income: Weekend of June 12, 2016	This week	Yr to Date	'15 YTD
Budgeted Income Required:	\$ 14,905.77	\$ 357,738.48	
Actual Budget Funds:	\$ 14,220.05	\$ 349,512.77	\$ 339,960.10
Electronic Giving (included in line above)	\$ 4,620.00	\$ 98,565.00	
Abundant Giving:	\$ 327.50	\$ 6,308.00	
POBLO Ministries	\$ 45.00	\$ 504.00	

Attendance: Week 24

'16 Actual	'16 Wkly Ave	'15 Actual	'15 Wkly Ave
368	470	438	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

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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 :

“9 Objections to Christianity” in Rm 224 (Room A) Beginning in June

“Today’s Light” led by Pastor Bob Hoehner in Rm 222 (Room B)

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

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.

OR

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

Wed: Early Morning Bible Study with Bob VanGilder at 6:30am at
Bob Evans on Zumbahl Road. This group will not meet during the summer and will
resume in September studying 1 & 2 Timothy.
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 Games, Bible Study and Prayer.

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.

JUNE 20:	1 SAMUEL	20-21	JUNE 23:	1 SAMUEL	24
JUNE 21:	1 SAMUEL	22	JUNE 24:	1 SAMUEL	25
JUNE 22:	1 SAMUEL	23	JUNE 25:	1 SAMUEL	26

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH BIBLE CLASS

"CEREAL" - SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS TODAY!

Children PK3—Entering 4th grade meet in Room 114 for opening at 9:30 AM.

Children—1st grade will finish Sunday School in Room 127 and 2nd –4th grade will finish in room 114.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDIES

Youth entering 5th-8th grade and parents meet with Pastor Hoehner in the gym at 9:30AM to study together "The Chronicles of Elijah and Elisha." This is designed for youth and adults to learn together and gain experience reading and discussing the Bible together in order to do this as a family at home.

Youth entering 9th grade and older meet in Daniel's Den at 9:30AM for "Objection! Questions People Ask About Christianity." Each week will cover a different question/concern so it's OK to come as you are able all summer long!

CHAPEL YOUTH HAPPENINGS

YOUTH OPEN GYM

Youth entering 5th grade and older are invited to OPEN GYM on **Thursday mornings** from 9:30 - 11:00AM. Join us for open play, organized games, a snack and devotion. Bring a friend if you'd like.

IDENTITY THEFT: YOUTH/PARENT SMALL GROUPS

“Identity Theft” is a weekly cross-generational Bible study for youth and/or parents tailored for the unique needs of boys and girls separately. Groups will meet **Tuesdays** at 7:00PM.

- *Ladies*: Explore what the Bible has to say about God’s unique and special design for women. We’ll explore topics such as beauty, dating, feminism and the concept of being a strong woman. Find out which choices deliver true happiness. This group begins June 7—Events combine a fun activity and Bible discussion. Contact Margaret Hibbeler (636-939-9755 or st_charles_hibbelers@yahoo.com).
- *Gentlemen*: God’s call for men is one of responsibility and love. Together we will discuss and explore our identity in Christ, our call to follow His law, and how to stand tall in the midst of temptation in an increasingly non-Christian world. This group begins June 14 with a “guys night” out at BWW (near Mid Rivers Mall) at 7:00 PM.

Contact: DCE Andrew Nelson (6360577-9888 or Andrew.nelson@chapelofthecrosslutheran.org).

WOMEN ROOTED IN CHRIST

IDENTITY THEFT: YOUTH GIRLS

Where do feminist thought and God’s Word collide? That’s the topic for next week, **Tuesday, June 21, 2016**. Please join us for some good discussion and make some homemade ice cream with other teens and moms. We will meet at 7:00 PM at Margaret Hibbeler’s house, 739 Caulks Hill Road, St. Charles, MO 63304. For more information, please call 636-939-9755.

DID YOU GET IT? WOMEN ROOTED IN CHRIST EMAIL NEWSLETTER

Check your email from May 25th through this week. If you have signed up to get the WRC newsletter you should have received it in this time frame. Look in your Junk or Trash folders in case it got stuck there. If you did NOT get it and think you have signed up to receive it, PLEASE call or email Kim Harnagel so she can learn why it wasn’t received. THANK YOU! jkharnagel@charter.net or 636-939-6927.

JUNE CHAPEL CIRCLE MEETING

On **Tuesday, June 21**, the end of the year luncheon will be held at Wine Country Gardens in Defiance. The luncheon will begin at noon. If you would like to carpool, please meet at church between 11:00-11:15 that day. Please direct any questions to Sharon Thomas at 314-541-5508.

UPDATE ON WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

We're reading through the Bible over two years using the Jane Fryar's Devotional Magazine as our guide.

- New Members always welcome—The study proceeds through the Bible book by book so new participants can **start any time**,
- We are guided through daily Scripture reading by "Today's Light" with helpful overviews, summary of the text and application of Scripture to our daily lives.
- This Bible Study includes small group sessions for questions, discussion or just listening.
- Bible Study meets **once a week** with two different sessions offered.

One group meets on **Tuesday morning from 9:30-11:00am** in room 224.

The second group meets **Wednesday evening from 6:30-8:00pm** in room 225.

- Both sessions follow the same readings and devotion and include a question and answer time with our pastors.

CHAPEL MOM'S ROAD TRIP

We had 8 moms attend the Christian Mom Conference: Hearts at Home this year in Peoria, IL. Between us we have a total of 21 kids that will benefit from the workshops we attended. **Next year's date is April 22, 2017** and we will travel up the afternoon of the 21st and come back late on the 22nd. We'd love to have you join us next year! Put it on your calendar now and let me know of your interest so I can send you updates when we have registration info. Kristen Gross kngswim@gmail.com

OTHER CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S LIGHT FOR JULY/AUGUST/SEPTEMBER NOW AVAILABLE

Please pick up your copy of the new edition of Today's Light Bible Study Booklet in the coffee shop. Your copy has your name on a label on the front cover.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE DIAPER SHOWER

Lutheran for Life will be collecting disposable diapers of any size between Mother's Day and Father's Day. Please bring the diapers up to church to the table in the coffee shop. The diapers will be donated to Seminary families with small children. Any questions, please call Mary Ann Stuckstede, 636-441-8637.

NEW BIBLE STUDY

Chapel is starting a new Bible study for post high school and 20 somethings. The first meeting will be **Wednesday, June 22nd at 7 PM** at Chapel to decide what we will study and catch up. If you're interested (even if you can't make it the first time!) contact Kyle Krull at 636-577-8080 or Alex Brice at 636-627-8643. Come out and enjoy some good fellowship!

YOUNG AT HEART NEWS

- **Wednesday, June 22** we are invited to the Wiegand's for our annual pool party. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.
- **Wednesday, July 13** will be lunch at Wine Country Gardens. We will meet at the church at 11:30am.
- **Tuesday, August 30**, is our annual Mystery Trip. We will leave church by caravan around 10:00am. Cost is about \$15.00 per person.

If you need more info, or just have a question, call Paul Ludy @ 636-278-3881.

ALTAR GUILD MEMBERS

Please mark your calendars for a short training meeting to be held on **Saturday, June 25** from 9:00am to 10:00am. We will review some new additions to our duties and meet new members while sharing a light breakfast and fellowship in the coffee shop. Please RSVP to Terri Scheer at 636-441-7987 or tscheer@mail.win.org if you are unable to attend.

SERVICE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

The next service will be held **Sunday, July 10. The E-Service** is 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. The next E-Service will be held on August 14.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Jesus gathers us together for "Barnyard Roundup" VBS June 27 - July 1. Children age 3 - entering 6th grade can register as a participant. Older youth and adults should sign up as volunteers. Registration is **ONLINE ONLY** at vbsmate.com/cotc—speak with Erin Hoehner or Andrew Nelson if you have any questions. **STAFF SHIRT PAYMENTS** (\$6 cash/check) are due by **June 12** - drop payment in a marked envelope in the box on the VBS display.

WORK DAY AT CHURCH SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

Please mark your calendars and plan to come to church on **Saturday, August 13** from 9 AM to 2 PM. Pizza and soda will be provided at noon. Please wear work clothes and bring work gloves. If you have any questions, please email Karl Sestak at karl@sestaks.com.

THANK YOU

Dear Chapel of the Cross: I am blessed to be part of such a loving community of faith! A heartfelt thank you for the prayers, calls, cards and support offered while I was going through medical testing. Thankfully, I am cancer free. My heart overflows with gratitude for God's grace and mercy. Thank you, Pam Knott

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Chapel is seeing if there is interest for a Cancer Support Group. If you are going through cancer treatments, would you want to have a group to meet with at church to talk through what you are experiencing and to have a group to pray with and encourage you? Have you gone through cancer treatments? Would you be willing to meet with and pray with others who currently are? Do you just like to listen and pray for people? If you say yes to any of these questions, let one of your pastors know. We hope to start a group this summer.

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.

BEAT THE HEAT!

Stop by the Scrip Counter, where you can buy a gift card to AMC Theatres. Summer blockbusters are coming our way. What a perfect way to beat the heat and help raise money for those in need. We have a limited quantity of \$10 & \$25 cards available for purchase. Additional cards can always be ordered.

Don't heat up your kitchen. Buy a restaurant gift card, take a break from cooking and know that you are helping those in need.

Scrip Counter is open **Sundays from 9am-10:40am and 2nd Monday of the month from 7:45pm-8:15pm** or call the church office 636.928.5885

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 SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Registrations are still being accepted this week for the Lutheran High School Golf Tournament! Join us for a great afternoon of golf, fun and fellowship at The Falls Golf Club in O'Fallon! Check-in begins at 12:30 p.m. with tee off at 1:30. Cost is \$125 per player or \$500 per team, which includes 18 holes of golf, riding cart, mulligans, some course games, catered steak and chicken dinner by Ron's Catering, and awards ceremony. To register, call [636.928.5100](tel:636.928.5100) or visit the Support LHS tab at lutheranhighstcharles.com.

HELP WANTED

Lutheran High School is currently accepting resumés for the positions of Facilities Monitor and Evening Custodian for the 2016-2017 school year. These positions will involve working week nights and weekends. Please direct all questions to Doug Kuhlmann

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, on **Thursday, July 7**, from 6 to 8 pm. The class is free, but please register by calling Kim Hoff at 636-272-2933.

ZION LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY

The Ladies Aid of Zion Lutheran, Harvester, will host our 11th Annual Luncheon - Card Party on **Thursday, August 4**, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The price remains at \$12.00 for the luncheon and attendance prizes. Reservations may be made by calling Judy Brueckner at 636-928-2079 or Mary Bekebrede at 636-244-1638.

MEMBER PHOTOS FOR 2017 THRIVENT CALENDAR DUE JULY 31

Each year, Thrivent Financial creates a unique wall calendar for churches, schools and other institutions, and Thrivent magazine offers a slightly smaller version free for members. For the 2017 calendar, we're inviting members to show us what "Christianity Around the World" looks like to them.

It could be a photo from a mission trip, a church halfway across the world or one that is down the street. Because 2017 is also the 500th anniversary of the Reformation, you could submit a photo you've taken of a key Christian historical place or item.

When you submit your photo, be sure to tell us more about what's in the photo and what it means to you.

Tell others using this sample newsletter text

Consider sharing this message with Thrivent Financial members:

Your photo could be part of the 2017 Thrivent Financial calendar

The theme is "Christianity Around the World." If you're a Thrivent Financial member, you're invited to submit a photo and the story behind it. We'll select photos and stories from the submitted entries for our 2017 calendar.

How to submit

Complete and submit the photo submission form at Thrivent.com/calendar by July 31, 2016.

Order your FREE calendar

Watch the September issue of Thrivent magazine to order your free 2017 member calendar by Oct. 10.

Post this social media message

Here's a sample message you can share with your network via Facebook or other social media sites:

"Christianity Around the World" – What does it look like to you? If you're a Thrivent Financial member, your photo could be part of the 2017 calendar. Photos are due by July 31. Check out Thrivent.com/calendar.

Thanks for your help getting the word out to members!

Sun.	6/19/2016	8:00 AM	Communion 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	Communion Worship Service
		6:30 PM	AI-A in Rm 114
Mon.	6/20/2016	10:00 AM	Mom & Me in the Gym
		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 in Rm 225
Tues.	6/21/2016	9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study in Rm 224
		6:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
Wed.	6/22/2016	6:30 AM	Wed Early Morning Bible Study at Bob Evans
		8:30 AM	TOPS Mtg in Rm 224
		9:00 AM	AA in Rm 114
		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.	6/23/2016	9:30 AM	To 11:00 AM Youth Open Gym
		10:30 AM	AI-A in Rm 114
		6:15 PM	Zumba Fitness in Gym
		7:45 PM	Select Team Volleyball
Fri.	6/24/2016		
Sat.	6/25/2016	7:30 AM	Men's Miistry Bible Study in Rm 114
		9:45 AM	AA in Rm 224 & Rm 129
		10:00 AM	OASIS Volunteer
Sun.	6/26/2016	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
JUNE 19
through
JUNE 26**

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Week Beginning Sunday, June 19	Week Beginning Sunday, June 26
GREETERS: 8:00 Bob & Joyce Gaugh 10:45 Bill & Doris Braudis	GREETERS: 8:00 Rich & Kellee Matt 10:45 Jon & Harriet Allmon
ACOLYTES: 8:00 Alexis Floyd Madelynn Eaker 10:45 Amber Budd Alyssa Linneman	ACOLYTES: 8:00 Lauren Kemper 10:45 Anna Carroll
USHERS: 8:00 Mike Conant* Edith Duke Bob Gaugh Joyce Gaugh Bob Jones Don Sugar Kathy Wilson 10:45 Ruby Kramer* Paul Ludy Rosa Ludy Vivian Kaesser Ralph Williams Linda Williams Phyllis Zeuschel 7:00 Mike & Ruth Conant	USHERS: 8:00 Richard Matt* Kellee Matt* Dennis Guyott Ginny Guyott Sheryl Munz Nathan Matt Stephanie Matt 10:45 Bill Hiner* Kara Brooks Adam Brooks Seth McKee Wade McKee Alex Savala Cornell Savala Nic Savala 7:00 Paul & Beth Standiford
ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: 8:00 Bill Miller Duane Theilen Rod Landers Wyatt Gross 10:45 Wade McKee Chris Becker Dan Kroehnke Justin Yockey 7:00 Bob Wadlow Chris Becker	ELDER ON DUTY: Roger Kutschkau TRUSTEE: Harry Nelson COUNTERS: Bob & Jacquie Vangilder Edith Duke Mary Ann Ronan Jack Muckey Sandy Schleicher
ELDER ON DUTY: Dan Kroehnke TRUSTEE: Becky Bromberg COUNTERS: Duane & Debbie Theilen Rich & Janet Minasian John & Joy Lomax	

Service Coordinator: Ruby Kramer

ALTAR GUILD:

For June: Terri Scheer, Abby Scheer,
Kathleen Dwyer

Mondays: Ruth Conant, Bob & Cissy Wadlow

Wednesdays: Pat Middendorf

NURSERY: Lydia Harms and
Sydney Weber

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