

WELCOME TO



**Christ
Lutheran
Church
& Preschool**

Mission Statement

**We are disciples of Jesus,
*Growing in faith, Serving our community,
and Connecting others to Christ.***

REFORMATION SUNDAY

October 27, 2019

Worship with Holy Communion

8:30 a.m.

Christ Lutheran Church, ELCA

The Rev. Dr. Mary W. Anderson, Interim Pastor
Silke Pyrlik, Director of Christian Life *** Jim Fritz, Director of Music

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Christ Lutheran Church Preschool 843-785-6570

Church Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 10 am – 3 pm

Welcome to Christ Lutheran Church

If you are a visitor, please know of our delight in having you in our midst. Join with us in the praise of God and at the Lord’s Table. We have a practice of open communion inviting all baptized Christians to share in Holy Communion. Children not yet prepared to receive this sacrament are invited to come forward and receive a blessing. If you are without a church home, please return and worship with us regularly.

Children are always welcome in our worship. *A quiet room is available at the back of the sanctuary if parents need a place to take their young children during the service.*

Please take a moment to complete your attendance slip, -- to be placed in the offering plate.

Visitors, please provide your mailing address so we can acknowledge your presence.

Members, please provide any updates or changes to your contact information.

The Lord’s Supper

We believe that the body and blood of Christ are truly present in the bread and wine in Holy Communion, and that through this gift we receive forgiveness of sin, life, and salvation. We invite you to come to the Lord’s Table to receive this gift. Both wine (dark) and grape juice (light) are offered as well as gluten free wafers (please ask the Pastor for one at communion). Those unable to come forward should mention this to an usher so the pastor may serve you in your pew.

Bring a Friend

INVITE someone to worship with you. Being a disciple is important! Someone you know needs the Lord’s power and a place to worship and serve. In your circle of influence, be an influence for Jesus Christ. Your invitation can change a life! **JOIN US:** Our CLC family of faith cordially invites to become a member (full, associate or seasonal). Become an integral part of our growing membership. Mark your attendance slip or call the office for more information. 843-785-5560.

Prayer Requests

Prayer request cards are located in the pew racks. You may include someone in today’s prayers, by speaking the name as prompted during that portion of the service. You may also fill out a blue prayer card and place it in the offering plate for a name to be included in the prayer team’s weekly prayers and/or the Sunday Bulletin -- Or **email your request to our office at info@clchhi.com by Tuesday noon of that week.**

Serving in Worship Today

Lector: Shirley Otto **Sound:** TBD **Floral Guild:** Laurie Fons
Music: Alice Graeb, Helen Babbitts, David & Tami Kuhlmann, Kirk Taylor, Doug & Elsa Felten
Communion Assts: Kirk & Cherie Taylor **Fellowship:** Barbara Johnson
Ushers: Shirley Otto, Vera Conway **Altar Guild:** Jo Ann Sebulsky, Jennifer Brown

In the event of a medical emergency, a defibrillator is located on the right side of the hallway wall leading from the sitting area into Heinrich Hall.

This Week at CLC

Women’s AA Meeting (<i>Parlor</i>)	Wednesday, 1:00 p.m.
Preschool Halloween Program (<i>Heinrichs</i>)	Wednesday, 9:00 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal	Wednesday, 3:45 p.m.
Bell Rehearsal	Wednesday, 5:00 p.m.
CONNECTED Spirited Conversations (<i>Heinrichs</i>)	Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.
Soup Kitchen	Thursday, 12:00 noon
<i>Offices Closed</i>	<i>Friday</i>
AA Meeting (<i>Sale Educ. Ctr.</i>)	Friday, 5:00 p.m.
Contemporary Worship w/Holy Communion	Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship & Faith Formation Classes	Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
Traditional Worship w/Holy Communion	Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Please remember to turn off your cell phones.

THE CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO RESPOND WHERE PRINT IS IN **BOLD** AND MARKED WITH A C

Genuine repentance and pretentious piety stand in stark contrast in the gospel and all around us. All creation stands in need of God's forgiveness. Keep the faith. God's people—"all who have longed for his appearing"—shall be accounted righteous for Jesus' sake. Our God is merciful to sinners. For all this the assembly glorifies God forever.

GATHERING (please join us in song) *BETTER IS ONE DAY*/ Redman

Vs. 1

How lovely is Your dwelling place
O Lord Almighty
My soul longs and even faints for You
For here my heart is satisfied
Within Your presence
I sing beneath the shadow of Your wings

Chorus*

Better is one day in Your courts
Better is one day in Your house
Better is one day in Your courts
Than thousands elsewhere
Better is one day in Your courts
Better is one day in Your house
Better is one day in Your courts
Than thousands elsewhere

Vs. 2

One thing I ask, and I would seek
To see Your beauty
To find You in the place Your glory dwells
One thing I ask, and I would seek
To see Your beauty
To find You in the place Your glory dwells.

***Chorus**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEMPLE TALK

Preschool Presentation

FOCUS

As We Gather/ Coomes

As we gather, may Your Spirit work within us
As we gather, may we glorify Your name
Knowing well that as our hearts begin to worship
We'll be blessed because we came
(repeat)

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (please stand as you are able)

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this meal, the builder of the city that is to come.

C **Amen.**

P If we have died with Christ, we will also live with Christ. Let us confess our sin to the one who is faithful. *Silence is kept for reflection.*

P Go, our helper,

C we confess the many ways we have failed to live as your disciples. We have not finished what we began. We have feasted with friends but ignored strangers. We have been captivated by our possessions. Lift our burdens, gracious God. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **AMEN.**

P There is rejoicing in heaven when sinners repent. Put your trust in these promises: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news.

C AMEN.

OPENING SONG

A Mighty Fortress / Luther



1 A might - y for - tress is our God, a sword and shield vic -
 2 No strength of ours can match his might! We would be lost, re -
 3 Though hordes of dev - ils fill the land all threat - 'ning to de -
 4 God's Word for - ev - er shall a - bide, no thanks to foes, who



to - rious; he breaks the cruel op - pres - sor's rod and
 ject - ed. But now a cham - pion comes to fight, whom
 vour us, we trem - ble not, un - moved we stand; they
 fear it; for God him - self fights by our side with



wins sal - va - tion glo - rious. The old sa - tan - ic foe
 God him - self e - lect - ed. You ask who this may be?
 can - not o - ver - pow'r us. Let this world's ty - rant rage;
 weap - ons of the Spir - it. Were they to take our house,



has sworn to work us woe! With craft and dread - ful might
 The Lord of hosts is he! Christ Je - sus, might - y Lord,
 in bat - tle we'll en - gage! His might is doomed to fail;
 goods, hon - or, child, or spouse, though life be wrenched a - way,



he arms him - self to fight. On earth he has no e - qual.
 God's on - ly Son, a - dored. He holds the field vic - to - rious.
 God's judg - ment must pre - vail! One lit - tle word sub - dues him.
 they can - not win the day. The king - dom's ours for - ev - er!

THE GREETING

P The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C And also with you.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Kyrie Eleison / Olsen

Refrain

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son, ev - 'ry day.

1 For peace in the world, for the
 3 For peace in our hearts, for
 4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you

health of the church, for the u - ni - ty of all;
 peace in our homes, for friends and fam - i - ly;
 cen - ter our lives in the wa - ter and the word;

for this ho - ly house, for all who wor - ship and praise,
 for life and for love, . . . for our work and our play,
 that you nour - ish our souls . . . with your bo - dy and blood,

Refrain

let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY *(said in unison)*

Gracious Father, we pray for your holy catholic church. Fill it with all truth and peace. Where it is corrupt, purify it; where it is in error, direct it; where in anything it is amiss, reform it; where it is right, strengthen it; where it is in need, provide for it; where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. AMEN

(please be seated)

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31:31-34

The renewed covenant will not be breakable, but like the old covenant it will expect the people to live upright lives. To know the Lord means that one will defend the cause of the poor and needy (Jer. 22:16). The renewed covenant is possible only because the Lord will forgive iniquity and not remember sin. Our hope lies in a God who forgets.

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and

the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand

to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they

teach one another, or say to each other, “Know the LORD,” for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

R The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

PSALM 46 (*read responsively*)

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the mountains shake in the depths of the sea;

though its waters rage and foam, and though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be shaken; God shall help it at the break of day.

The nations rage, and the kingdoms shake; God speaks, and the earth melts away.

The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Come now, regard the works of the LORD, what desolations God has brought upon the earth;

behold the one who makes war to cease in all the world; who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

“Be still, then, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted in the earth.”

The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 8:1-9

This portion of Paul's letter to the church at Corinth is one of two stewardship letters he composed for them. Here he urges the congregation at Corinth to be generous givers toward the collection he is gathering for the church in Jerusalem. He uses the example of the churches in Macedonia, who though they were having hard times and experiencing great poverty, considered it a great privilege to be able to share generously with the wider church. Their stewardship example is an inspiration to us at Christ Lutheran as well.

We want you to know, brothers and sisters, about the grace of God that has been granted to the churches of Macedonia; for during a severe ordeal of affliction, their abundant joy and their extreme poverty have overflowed in a

wealth of generosity on their part.

For, as I can testify, they voluntarily gave according to their means, and even beyond their means, begging us earnestly for the privilege of sharing in this ministry to the saints — and this,

not merely as we expected; they gave themselves first to the Lord and, by the will of God, to us, so that we might urge Titus that, as he had already made a beginning, so he should also complete this generous undertaking among you. Now as you excel in everything — in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you — so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking.

I do not say this as a command, but I am testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.

R The Word of the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *(please stand as you are able)*

Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia!

GOSPEL: John 8:31-36

Jesus speaks of truth and freedom as spiritual realities known through his word. He reveals the truth that sets people free from sin.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 8th chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." They answered him, "We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, 'You will be made free'?"

Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.

P The Gospel of the Lord

C Praise to you, O Christ.
(please be seated)

CHILDRENS MESSAGE

Pastor Mary Anderson

THE SERMON

Pastor Mary Anderson

THE CREED *(sung in unison)* *This I Believe* /arr: David Kuhlmann

Our Father everlasting,
the all creating One, God Almighty
Through Your Holy Spirit,
conceiving Christ the Son,
Jesus our Savior

I believe in God our Father,
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
Our God is three in one

I believe in the resurrection,
That we will rise again
For I believe in the name of Jesus

Our Judge and our Defender,
suffered and crucified
Forgiveness is in You
Descended into darkness,
You rose in glorious life
Forever seated high

Bridge

I believe in You,

I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord

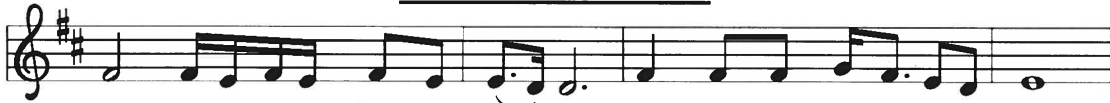
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I believe in life eternal,
I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion,
and in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection,
when Jesus comes again
For I believe in the name of Jesus

THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P Knowing the one in whom we trust, and with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all in need...

SUNG PRAYER RESPONSE



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, Lord, send your Spir-it in this place;



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

After each portion of the prayers:

P Lord, in your mercy, C hear our prayer.
(REPEAT SONG PRAYER RESPONSE BEFORE FINAL PRAYER)

P Trusting and delighting in you, we commend all our lives into your loving hands. We offer these prayers in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C AMEN.

THE PEACE (We may greet one another in the name of the Lord)

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

THE RETURNING OF GIFTS (please be seated)

THE RETURNING OF GIFTS RESPONSE (please stand as you are able)



C A fra-grant of - fer-ing, a lov - ing sac - ri-fice, the life of



Je - sus Christ, for us, your chil-dren, giv - en. And ev - ery bless-ing



THE RETURNING of GIFTS PRAYER (*said in unison*)

God our provider, we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. AMEN.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.

C and also with you.

P Lift up your hearts

C We lift them to you, Lord

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

C It is right to praise you, Lord.

P Blessed are you, Lord Christ! At the right time, you came to live among us, as one of us, bringing good news to the poor, healing the sick, raising the dead, sharing table with the unrighteous, and teaching the ways that leads to life.

By your incarnation, life, suffering, death, and resurrection you delivered us from slavery to sin and made a new covenant with us.

On the night of your betrayal, you took bread, blessed it, broke it, gave it to your disciples and said, "This is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

You did the same with the cup after the supper, saying, "This cup that is poured out is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

In response to all you have done to save us, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

C Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

P Pour out your Spirit on us. Pour out your Spirit on these gifts. Make these gifts the body and blood of Christ. Make us, through them, Christ's body alive in the world

C AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*said in unison*)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. AMEN.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them. Come, take your place at the feast.

C AMEN.

(please be seated)

THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All baptized persons who believe in the real presence of Christ in our Sacrament for the forgiveness of sins are welcomed to commune. The elements will be received by Intinction. You will receive the Host from the Pastor; move to the chalice bearer to dip a portion of the Host in the wine. Grape juice is available as an alternative to the wine in the second chalice. Children not yet prepared to receive this sacrament are invited to come forward to receive a blessing.

Please come forward at the direction of the ushers.

Let an usher know if you need the Pastor to serve you communion in your seat.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

Chief of Sinners, Though I Be / McComb

Chief of sinners though I be,
Jesus shed his blood for me,
died that I might live on high,
lives that I might never die.
As the branch is to the vine,
I am his, and he is mine.

Oh, the height of Jesus' love!
Higher than the heav'ns above,
deeper than the depths of sea,
lasting as eternity.
Love that found me—wondrous
thought—
found me when I sought him not.

Only Jesus can impart
balm to heal the wounded heart,
peace that flows from sin forgiv'n,

joy that lifts the soul to heav'n,
faith and hope to walk with God
in the way that Enoch trod.

Chief of sinners though I be,
Christ is all in all to me;
all my wants to him are known,
all my sorrows are his own.
He sustains the hidden life
safe with him from earthly strife.

O my Savior, help afford
by your Spirit and your word!
When my wayward heart would stray,
keep me in the narrow way;
grace in time of need supply
while I live and when I die.

I Will Not Leave You Comfortless / Phillips

I will not leave you comfortless
I will not leave you alone.
I am the air you breathe in
I'm the light of every star and every dawn.
(Repeat)

THE POST COMMUNION BLESSING (please stand as you are able)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P God of blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face, and in the gift of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received: Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C AMEN

THE BLESSING

P Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us. Almighty God † bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever.

C AMEN

SENDING SONG *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go / Matheson & Miner*

O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

O light that followest all my way,
I yield my flickering torch to thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray,
That in thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

THE DISMISSAL

P Let us go with God and remember our mission...

C We are disciples of Jesus,
Growing in faith, Serving our community
and *Connecting* others to Christ. Thanks be to God!

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SERMONS: You may request a copy of today's sermon to be sent to you via email through the office (info@clchhi.com) or phone 843-785-5560.

PRAYER CARES: Deidre Johns and Family¹ *on the sudden loss of her grandfather, Ellsworth C. Bush, Jr.;* Joe Russel¹, *undergoing chemo;* Gloria Szymansk¹, (mother of Robin Baselice) *stress of moving & physical ailments;* Jesse Catapano¹, *suffering with anxieties;* Don Baker¹, *melanoma which has gone to the liver;* Steve Alfred^{*} (husband of Rita Hungate) *undergoing treatment for Acute Promyelocytic Leukemia;* JoAnn Livingston^{*}, *undergoing treatment for multiple myeloma;* Manfred Pyrlik^{*}, *recovering from surgery to remove pancreatic cancer mass;* Steve Bassford^{*}, *hospitalized in Bluffton;* Sandy Shackelford^{*}, *Parkinson's Disease;* Gary Gregory^{*}, (son of Lois Gregory) *healing;* Donna Putrino^{*}; Sandy Heins^{*}. ALL service personnel; ALL those suffering from natural disasters. // *Ongoing prayer needed. Please use the Blue Cards in the Pew Racks to forward a prayer concern or update to the office

REMINDER: Barbara is in the office from 10-3, Mon – Thurs. Silke's schedule remains fluid right now. If you need to stop by for anything, please call ahead! 843-785-5560



Don't Forget!!! Time change NEXT weekend!

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MY NAME IS _____ **AND MY MINISTRY IS** _____

ST. JAMES SOUP KITCHEN: CLC is called to mission at the soup kitchen **EVERY THURSDAY** of the month! If you are interested in volunteering or simply want more information contact Alice Graeb -- 740-298-1086 or the church office

NOVEMBER Food Shopping List

*“helping our island neighbors in need
by providing basic assistance in emergency situations”*



The Fall School Uniform and Supply Program was another success. Close to 550 HHI children attending public schools (Early Childhood through High School) received the benefits of this program. The Holiday Santa Shop Program is gearing up; registration for qualified parents begins Saturday, November 2. Parent shopping begins December 11. Watch for further information regarding toy and other holiday donations to the Santa Shop. Despite its size, CLC continues to be a strong food donor to the Food Pantry. Let's keep our donations coming to Deep Well!

NEXT Sunday is our monthly Deep Well Sunday – please consider shopping for some of the items listed below and placing them in the blue wagon in the narthex.

- Pasta**
- Peanut Butter**
- Jelly**
- Canned Tuna**
- Canned Vegetables (not green beans)**
- Stove Top Dressing---turkey**
- Cornbread Mix (Jiffy etc.)**

For answers to questions or further information contact Chris Wilcox at 843-342-9711.

REMINDER TO 2019, 6+2 DINNER GROUPS!

Dinners for
Six Plus Two



Many Snowbirds have now returned to Hilton Head so it is time to arrange for any unscheduled 6+2 Dinner gatherings. If you need any information regarding your group, please call Elsa Felten: 847-830-6348. Don't miss out on the fun and fellowship.



A TIME OF STEWARDSHIP 2020
@
CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE PRIVILEGE OF SHARING

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2 Corinthians 8:1-9

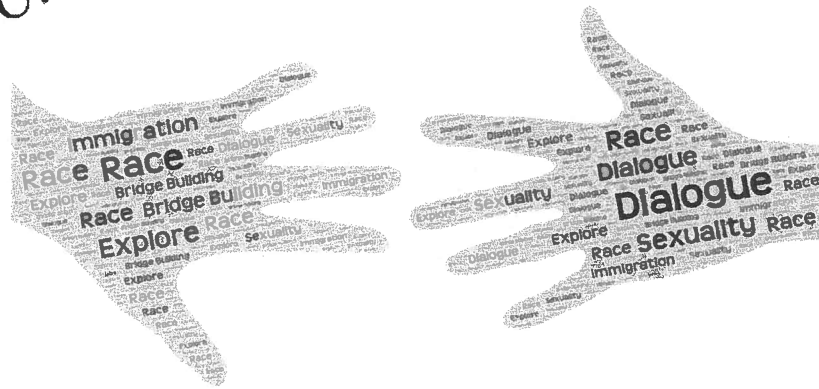
Today, we will hear from our Flagship Ministry, Christ Lutheran Preschool.

Our 2020 stewardship letter of invitation with an enclosed commitment will be sent out on November 1. After prayerful consideration, please complete the commitment card and bring it to worship on Consecration Sunday, Nov. 10. You will be invited to bring your completed card to the altar during worship as a visible symbol of our coming together to offer our gifts to God.



CONNECTED - SPIRITED CONVERSATIONS

Join us on Wednesdays, in Heinrichs Hall at 6 pm with light supper treats and Spirited Conversations.



For this coming 2019/20 year the **DIALOGUE IS ON!**

➤ **RACE:** *Oct. 30; & Nov 6, 13, & 20*

Issues prominent in **Dialogues on Race** include environmental justice, immigration, and treaty rights for indigenous people of the Americas. Yet the unique features of anti-black racism remain central to the discussion.

Today, dialogues on race are as apt to occur in street protests as they are in church basements or coffee shops. Actions and words are not seen as separate encounters. There is an expectation that our personal life and our organization's structural reality are transforming and moving toward the justice that our values and faith call us to proclaim.

Dialogues On Race offers a range of perspectives!
COME AND BE PART OF THE DIALOGUE!