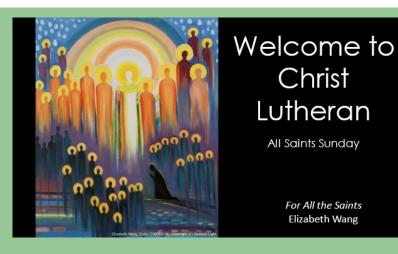


The Bridge

November 4, 2022

Family Promise needs help preparing meals the week of November 6th.

Please contact Elsa Felten to help: 847-830-6348



Worship this
Sunday
All Saints
Sunday
November 6th,
10am

Here is the live-stream link for November 6, 2022

Just click on the link at 10am! That's it!

If you'd like to watch the worship after Sunday, you can just click on this link too!

https://youtu.be/l1b77fjcouY

You can also find the link on the homepage of our website: www.clchhi.org

Worship Volunteers for this Sunday:

Greeters: Carol Benton & Chris Wilcox
Communion Assistants: Danny Wheeler & Lynn Baglyos
Ushers: Wayne & Jo Ann Sebulsky
Altar Guild: Danny & Brenda Wheeler

Christians Voting

Seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare. **Jeremiah 29:7**



This coming Tuesday is election Tuesday, we will

vote for Mayor, Town Council members, senators, governors, and representatives. Those endless vitriolic commercials on TV can be a real turn-off and could make some people even drop out of the process all together and decide not to vote. I understand the temptation. But let's not let that happen!

Being part of our election process is a privilege that we are given in this country and not every person can claim that. Voting is part of our civic duty. It's also part of our duty as Christians.

As people of faith, we are asked to be good citizens, to care for the world we live in, and to care for the people around us, especially those who struggle or have need. Voting is one of the easiest ways we have of being good citizens, and of caring for our cities and world.

I do not believe that it's right for pastors or churches to advocate for any specific candidates although some churches and pastors seem very comfortable doing just that. And some churches like to make it seem like there is only one right way for Christians to vote. But that's not true. I will say that whoever Christians do vote for, I hope it would be someone who supports human rights of all kinds, who is dedicated to serving all people (not just those of their own party, race, or religion), and someone who would support and help those in poverty. That's what I look for in a candidate. I don't think we should necessarily vote only for Christian candidates, or for someone who defends only Christian rights, or for someone who wants everyone to follow Christian rules. Those don't define "Christian values", and even goes against my understanding of Christian values. As Christians, we should be working and voting for the welfare of all people.

I urge you to vote this week if you haven't already. Early voting runs through Saturday, November 5, 2022 from 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. and it's held at the Hilton Head Government Complex 539 William Hilton Pkwy, Hilton Head Island, SC 29928.

Or you can vote on Tuesday, November 8th at your assigned precinct (maybe you'll be voting at Christ Lutheran!)

Pr. June Wilkins

To read Pr. June's Sermon from last week, click here: http://revjunewilkinssermons.blogspot.com/



DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK on SATURDAY NIGHT!

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS on SUNDAY, **NOVEMBER 6th!**

THIS SUNDAY

November 6



Advent/Christmas from the Service Ministry Team:

Christmas is coming!

Deep Well needs our help, and we are making gift bags for our neighbors at Chimney Cove and Family Promise!

Gift Wraps

Deep Well need new/gently used holiday gift wrapping paper, gift bags, bows, ribbons, holiday décor items etc. for clients participating in the Deep Well Santa Shop. Beginning Friday, December 9, the Santa Shop will be open to parents so they can pick out toys and clothes for their children. As parents leave the shop, they are encouraged to pick out something from a big box of the above-mentioned items. Let's make sure that box is full for all five days of shopping. **Place items in the large, decorated box in the Ministry Lobby.** Items will be delivered to Deep Well by December 8.

Cookies, Candy Canes, Hot Chocolate Packets

Get out your family favorite holiday recipes and bake a batch or two of your favorites to donate to our holiday gift bags for our Chimney Cove neighbors and the Family Promise families! Many of you are already part of the Cookie Ministry that provides baked goods for the CLC Thursday Lunch Break program. (The Service Team gratefully thanks you for all you do to make our lunch program successful!)

These Christmas cookies, candy cane boxes and hot chocolate boxes need to be at the church no later than Thursday, December 8.

The boxes of candy canes and hot chocolate can be placed in the blue wagon in the Ministry Lobby, by Thursday, December 8.



\$25 Walmart gift cards for our Chimney Cove and Family Promise families. Instead of collecting toys to distribute, the Service Ministry team are asking for these gift cards so our Chimney Cove neighbors and Family Promise families can buy what they most need for their families this holiday season. Please place these gift cards in the small blue wrapped box located on the Narthex counter. Gift cards must be placed in the box by

Thursday, December 8 so they can be placed in the gift bags the Service team are packing on Saturday, December 11.

Ushers will be handing out the November Shopping list; please consider adding some of these items when you grocery shop in the next few days. These items support our local service and educational ministries; every donation is appreciated! Please feel free to donate any pantry items even if it's not on the list (be mindful of expiration dates).

Items for our Little Free Pantry:

Pasta 1# bags of white rice Canned vegetables, fruit, fish/meat, beans One dish meals---stew, microwavable meals, Chef Items for our Thursday Lunch Break:

Water Granola bars Small bags of chips Boyardee Macaroni and cheese boxes Toilet paper

Items for the CLC Preschool:

Small paper plates Paper napkins Paper towels

New CLC Grief Support Group

The new community grief support group will be meeting **Tuesdays at 11AM weekly** in the "sofa room"of the educational building.

Please contact Silke in the office or via email if you would like to be part of a group of people who all grieve the loss of a loved one in different and individual ways but can now share the pain and suffering as well as the joys and hopes that life still has to offer.



Contact Silke Pyrlik for more information!



FAMILY PROMISE MEAL PREPARATION HELP NEEDED

Family Promise (FP) has cancelled hosting families in churches in 2022 due to Covid. It is very expensive to keep families in extended stay

facilities and provide food for them. Therefore, FP is asking participating congregations to prepare and deliver nutritious meals for the families in the program. By having congregations prepare and deliver meals, it reduces the amount of money they spend as well as keeps congregations engaged with FP. Christ Lutheran will be preparing and delivering 2 evening meals the week of **November 6**. Each meal consists of an entrée, side and dessert. We are planning to serve four families each meal, however, we will get exact numbers of families and number of family members the week before.

First meal planned is: beef stew, veggie sticks, rolls, fresh fruit and a cookie Second meal is: Baked chicken with rice, green beans, apple sauce, cookie

We will be preparing the week of November 6.

We plan to have both nights meals ready to deliver at the same time to save driving trips to the FP Bluffton Center. FP will give us plastic containers for transporting. No metal baking pans because they do not have ovens – only a microwave and stove top.

If you would like to participate in cooking or donating items for the meals or want to donate a gift card to purchase items, please contact Elsa Felten: 847-830-6348 or **elsafelten@yahoo.com**. You can make the entrée in your own kitchen and bring it to church for distribution. We'll provide the recipes. Thank you!

CLC and Social Justice





Who are we called to be?

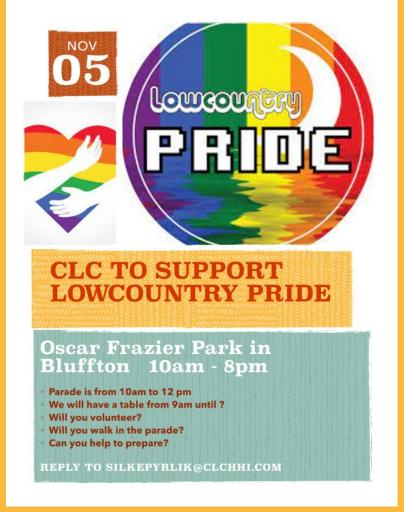
Please join us to explore CLC's calling for Hilton Head Island!

- What does the church have to do with social justice?
- What is our response to God's love and grace?
- Do we as the church carry a responsibility for the well-being of our society, our communities, and our environment?

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Join us for a meal, fellowship, learning and an exploration of a complex topic on WEDNESDAYS at 5:30pm.

Wednesday, October 12th to November 9th, 2022



Let's Do Lunch (Or Dinner!)

Ladies Out to Lunch

Friday, November 11, 11:30 am at **Low Country**

Backyard

Come join us and let Susie Fidler, susieqfidler@gmail.com know you want to come!



Men's Out to Lunch Group

Monday, November 14, 11:30 am at **Main Street Cafe**

& Pub

Meet you there! or call Ray Makalous 816-510-3041





Pictures from
Saturday, October 29,
at
Charlie's L'Etoile Verte
A great time!





YOU'RE INVITED!

If you don't have a special place to go for Thanksgiving, please come to Pr. June and Bob's house for a meal on Thanksgiving Day!

Pr. June will make the turkey and you bring a side to share.

Just let Pr. June or Bob know and we'll fill you in on the details! pastorjune@clchhi.com



A VICTORY FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING!

This past Wednesday, the Hilton Head Town Council voted to approve the Framework for Affordable/Workforce Housing for Hilton Head and also voted on several funding streams to make sure it happens!

This is a direct result of the energy and outrage over the potential eviction of Christ Lutheran's Neighbors in Chimney Cove, the work of Christ Lutheran, and the Hilton Head Home Coalition which was formed out of that crisis.

There is still work to do, but we're happy that the Town Council has made this first step!

Hilton Head Home Coalition Meets

This Sunday, November 6th, at 3pm in Heinrichs Hall.

Come and work on housing justice with us!









Pictures from the Reformation Sunday Service!

Church was well attended with a sea of Red!

2022 Veterans Day Remembrance Ceremony (Nov. 11)

The American Legion Alexander Wattay Post 185 and the Military Veterans Coalition of Hilton Head Island host this year's ceremony. The keynote speaker is Joe McNamara on the Board of Directors of Operation Patriots FOB in Ridgeland. Free and open to the public. 10:30 a.m. Shelter Cove Veterans Memorial Park, 59 Shelter Cove Ln, Hilton Head Island. 843-342-6322 or warrenagraves@hotmail.com. In the event of rain: St. Andrew by the Sea, 20 Pope Ave, Hilton Head Island.

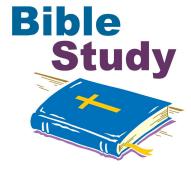
The next Wednesday Bible Study is Nov. 9 at 11 a.m. via Zoom

"God's Exceptional Choice"

Join us via Zoom for about an hour on Wednesday morning beginning at 11am EST. Most of our members have a tie to Christ Lutheran, but join the discussion from multiple locations across the US. We'd love to have you join us. The weekly discussions stand alone, so if you can't participate every week, no problem. Zoom in when you can. Our studies take us from Bible times into the challenges of being a Christian in 2022. We are a caring group that is open to all. If you have questions, con

are a caring group that is open to all. If you have questions, contact Kathy Mork at klmork@yahoo.com. Study guides are available in the office.

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6729108287?
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Meeting ID: 672 910 8287
Passcode: Wednesday





The Ladies Book Club next meets **Saturday**, **November 19 at 1:30pm**, at the church. We will discuss William Kent Krueger's book: Lightning Strike.. "An emotionally charged coming of age tale about fathers and sons, small-town conflicts,

and the events that shape our lives forever." Join this great group of women who love to read, discuss books, and to have fellowship with each other! Contact Chris Wilcox, cwilcoxhhi@gmail.com



ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE

On All Saints Sunday we remember in prayer all those saints of our congregation, as well as friends and loved ones who have entered into the Lord's eternal care since last All Saints Day. We also remember in joy, those who have joined the company of saints in baptism.

12/19/21	Ellen W. Gifford (sister of Janet W. Garnjost)
1/21/22	Jack Callander (friend of Carla Bech-Hansen)
1/30/22	Jane Ross (Doris Stickel's sister)
2/4/22	Jim Schneider (Doris and Ray Stickel's nephew)
2//20/22	Dalton Gouge (Doris and Ray Stickel's grandson)
2/21/22	Theodore Drilling (husband of Irmgard Drilling)
3/7/22	John Babbitts (Former member of Christ Lutheran)
3/8/22	Christine Jones (Beth Ann Julseth's mother)
3/24/22	Adele Newman Winney (friend of Carla Bech-Hansen)
4/11/22	Alex Kasten (member of Christ Lutheran)
4/25/22	Jerry Schmalenberger (Doris Stickel's brother)
5/23/22	Rev. Dr. Robert N. Bacher (a friend of Christ Lutheran)
6/3/22	Phyllis Dickes (member of Christ Lutheran)
6/4/22	Carl Lynn (member of Christ Lutheran)
6/14/22	Herbert Heins (husband of Sandra Heins)
7/15/22	Gene Schneider (Doris and Ray Stickel's nephew)
7/27/22	Maurice Mander (friend of Bob Abdou)
8/18/22	Hal Meeks (friend of Carla Bech-Hansen)
8/22/22	Bill Siden (Susie and Tim Fidler's neighbor)
9/2/22	Sal Manfredo (friend of Bob Abdou)
9/14/22	Linda Zambelli (friend of Tami Kuhlmann)
9//16/22	Mary Blasdell (friend of Jennifer Brown)
9/20/22	Indiana Kirwin (friend of Chris Wilcox)
9/29/22	Anne Linkner (friend of Jennifer Brown)
10/7/22	Dudley Hill McDaniel (father of John and Joyce Prange's daughter-in-law)
10/12/22	Lois Rockefeller (Ann Hamnes' sister)
10/16/22	David E. Poole (Barbara Fudjack's brother)
10/28/22	Sharon Mazur (friend of Fran & Robin Baselice)
11/1/22	Tom Basso (friend of Bob Abdou)

BAPTISMS

We remember with joy those who have joined the beloved community of God in Baptism.

Alice Maxine Ione, (David & Tami Kuhlmann's granddaughter)
Thomas O'Donnell (Joe & Mary Jo Etter's grandson)
Allen Glazer, Vivienne Marie & Chip Edward Glazer (Christ Lutheran Members)
Paisley Nora Wheeler, (great granddaughter of Danny and Brenda Wheeler)
Maggie Duncan, (daughter of Kathryn and Darren Duncan)
Mark, Mason, and Jonah Perkins, (Kay Kern's nephew and his two sons)



NOVEMBER Birthdays

11/3 Sam McCleskey 11/9 Sarah DeMaria 11/10 Mike Conklin 11/12 Lynn Baglyos, Hunter Julseth 11/16 Chris Wilcox 11/22 Caroline Eddy 11/23 Kathy Reynolds 11/24 Doug Felten, Suzy Makalous 11/26 Elsie Meccariello



NOVEMBER Anniversaries

11/8 Joe & Barbara Fudjack11/27 Steven & Carla Holm11/25 James & Linda Kondor



Altar Flowers

If you would like to sponsor flowers to grace our altar during worship, please visit our Ministry Lobby. You will find a calendar on the bulletin board that will have the dates available for signing up. Simply sign your name and write a check to the church for \$45.00 and put it in the

offering plate, mail it, or deliver it to Linda Sheetz in the Church Office. You can sponsor flowers in honor of a birthday, anniversary, or loved one. The dates we still have available are December 11 and December 18. <u>COMING NEXT WEEK</u>: The Poinsettia order form!

Please write in your dedication of choice on the sign-up sheet and circle 'yes' or 'no' to let us know if you will be taking the flowers home after the service. Some flowers may be distributed to those who are ill or homebound.

OUR MEMBERS:

Ingrid Low
Jimmy Rowe (knee replacement)
Doris Stickel (recovering from pelvis reconstruction surgery)



MORE PRAYERS NEEDED FOR CLC FRIENDS . . .

Our sympathies to Fran & Robin Baselice on the death of their friend, Sharon Mazur, who passed on Friday, Oct. 28th. The people of Chimney Cove

All those suffering from the effects of Hurricane Ian.

Rachel Rekich surgery on 9/22. (Karen Momberger's daughter in law)

Death of Linda Zambelli, prayers for her husband and family, as they mourn her passing. (from Tami Kuhlmann)

Jennifer Klotz, daughter-in-law of Rick and Kriss Klotz who had a heart attack on Monday, September 12th. She is recovering.

Audrey Ongman— My dear friend of many years who is living with advanced Alzheimers. (from Julie Raino)

Gabe Federici— My step son and his parents as they grapple with his mental illness and reduced capacities. (from Julie Raino)

Liz and Tom— As they grieve the loss of their child, Isaac. (from Julie Raino)

Jayme Woods (Lois Gregory's daughter) surgery on July 27th Gary Gregory (Lois Gregory's son)

Nancy Sloane (a friend of Fran and Robin Baselice), diagnosed with leukemia

Glyndal Partington, lymphoma (friend of Barbara Johnson)

Dana Dapolito, relative of Robin and Fran Baselice for recurring cancer

Any prayer requests for Christ Lutheran members or friends can be shared with Linda in the church office at **info@clchhi.com** or with Pr. June at **pastorjune@clchhi.com**. Please include the person's address that you wish us to pray for. If you'd like to call the office, you can do so between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday-Thursday at (843)785-5560.



Hilton Head Island S.C

SAVE THE DATE!!

The Preschool's annual Fundraiser at THE SANDBAR will be held on Thursday, December 1, 2022. 50% of all food and beverage proceeds go to the Preschool!

More details will come soon...but save the date!



Sunday, November 6

10:00 am **All Saints Day,** worship with Communion 7:00 to 9:00 pm Hilton Head Choral Society meets in Sanctuary

Tuesday, November 8

Election Day, Heinrichs Hall 10:00 am Staff Meeting 11:00 am Service Team Meeting, Lounge Room 3:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 4:00 pm Bell Rehearsal

Wednesday, November 9
11:00 am Bible Study, by Zoom

Thursday, November 10
Setup for HH Plantation Craft Sale, Heinrich Hall
10:00 am Lunch Break

Friday, November 11
Church Office Closed
Setup for HH Plantation Craft Sale, Heinnrich Hall

Saturday, November 12 9:00 am until 2 pm HH Plantation Craft Sale, Heinrich Hall

Church Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm 843-785-5560

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