



Servant of Christ
LUTHERAN CHURCH
Making Disciples

THE SERVANT SPIRIT

verse of the month

“Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind...”

— Romans 12:2

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Worship Hours Change on September 10

Just a reminder: Summer Worship hours are 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. and end on Labor Day weekend.

September 10 – Rally Day Sunday
our regular worship hours
(9:00 & 10:45 a.m.) begin!

FORM reFORM transFORM — Pastor Eric

“Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind...” — Romans 12:2

How do we not conform to the pattern of this world when we have to live in it? In one sense we have to conform to the pattern of this world in terms of paying our bills, taxes, we all deal with health issues in our lives (some more serious than others) there are relationships to be maintained and the list goes on. There is after all the “stuff” of daily life.



However, I think what Paul is getting at is that our ultimate hope, our ability to cope on a day to day basis and internal peace and joy will never be fulfilled by the patterns of this world. I believe in a roundabout way he is asking us to step back and take a 30,000 foot view of our lives, to think about them and what's really important. Instead of getting caught up in the tyranny of the urgent he invites us to take the long-term view.



Having experienced some renewal and refreshment this summer, I'm really excited about our fall theme **FORM reFORM transFORM**. As we move throughout the year we'll discover not only how God moved in the lives of many great Biblical figures, but also how God continues to form, reform and transform our lives.

Interestingly enough, sometimes we are willing participants in what God is doing and sometimes not so willing. Nevertheless, God invites each of us to step back and take a look at life from 30,000 feet and discover the ways in which God is at work.

I hope you'll join me and your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ on Rally Sunday, September 10th as we begin exploring together how God might be **FORMING reFORMING** and **transFORMING** people's hearts, minds and souls.



God bless you and may God bless the whole world. See you in worship this Sunday!

Blessings,
Pastor Eric



resources

Prayer Resources on the WEB

Visit our website for a resource on prayer. Go to www.elca.org/prayer which is part of the ELCA website. The page provides resources for individuals seeking to expand their prayer life. Contents of the page include meditation, healing, prayer requests, daily Bible readings and a short course called "Prayer 101". This is an EXCELLENT resource, check it out!

our mission

Servant of Christ Mission — Making Disciples

We are committed in every aspect of life to encourage the ministry of the congregation and individuals to grow in the following biblical marks of discipleship: Prayer, Weekly Worship, Biblical Literacy, Spiritual Friendship, Serving and Giving.

communion



Bringing Communion to People in Their Homes!

Please let Pastor Eric or Pastor Melissa know if there is a Servant of Christ member unable to attend worship due to medical reasons. The Pastors would be happy to bring communion to them in their home. Just call the church office at 763-427-5070.

Upcoming Preaching Themes

Sunday, 9/3 "Savers and Spenders"

Text Matthew 16:21-28

Theme Jesus lays down his life for our salvation and promises that anyone who loses their life for Jesus sake will be given the only life truly worth living.

Questions to Think About as You Read:

- 1) Why does Jesus rebuke Peter?
- 2) Have you ever lost something as Jesus' disciple? (Pride, power, popularity) And been given something greater in return?

Rally Sunday

Sunday, 9/10 "Formed in the Image of God"

Text Genesis 1:26-31

Theme Scripture tells us we are formed in the image of God. These are not only words of encouragement but they also give us a glimpse into the fact that we were created to be in a relationship with The Lord.

Questions to Think About as You Read:

- 1) When you hear that you are formed in the image of God how does that make you feel?
- 2) How do we reconcile that we are formed in the image of God with the realities we experience within ourselves?
- 3) How can we tap into the Biblical truth of being formed in God's image?

Special Event: 2017/18 Faith Guide Recognition/both services
All-Church Picnic — Food & Family Fun!

Sunday, 9/17 "Formed to be God's Chosen People"

Text Genesis 12:1-9

Theme God chose Abraham to be the father of many nations and chosen him to be a blessing to others. In the same way God has chosen the church to be a blessing.

Questions to Think About as You Read:

- 1) As you read Genesis 12:1-3 how did Abraham bless "all the peoples of the earth?"
- 2) How is the Christian church a blessing to the world?
- 3) How does the Christian church sometimes get in its own way trying to be a blessing?



worship & learning

Sunday, 9/24 “Formed into the Body of Christ”

Text 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Theme Every person’s body has different parts and each part serves a different function. In the same way both in individual churches and across denominations each church/denomination plays a different role in the spread of the Gospel.

Questions to Think About as You Read:

- 1) Can you think of a time when you injured a body part and discovered that you’ve been taking it for granted?
- 2) Just as different people in your family fill different roles how do different churches fill different roles?
- 3) When your body is healthy and everything is working great it’s amazing what you can do. Imagine what a congregation could look like if every part/person was connected to their faith?

Men’s Breakfast — October 28

Calling All Men: Mark Your Calendars for Saturday, October 28! There will be a men’s breakfast at church from 8-9:30 a.m. with guest speaker, Vince Miller from RESOLUTE.org.

NO COST FOR THE BREAKFAST!!! However, please RSVP by filling out the Opportunity form in the Sunday bulletin — so we know how much food to prepare.

Vince Miller will:

- 1) Share his remarkable testimony
- 2) Talk about his passion for helping men mature in faith
- 3) Present a plan to help men take the next step from wherever they’re at right now.



worship & music ministry from Susan & Cathy

Maybe This Year?

Repeatedly, I am struck by how deeply people are touched by music. How music can communicate in a way nothing else can. How God can use music to bring healing and joy into people’s lives. Maybe this year you would like to participate in this kind of ministry?

Maybe this year you want to try something new? Maybe this year you want to experience a sense a belonging to a community? Maybe this year you want to make beautiful music?

The Celebration Choir’s first choir rehearsal will be Monday, September 11th from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Our first Sunday will be on September 17th. Maybe this year?

Susan Huemann

Music Ministry Director
sueh@servantofchrist.com

Attention Sunday School Parents!

New Musical Opportunities for kids are on the way at Servant of Christ. Watch upcoming announcements for more ways our children can praise God through music!

Contact Keira Moore for details: nateandkeira@gmail.com or 763-442-4990

Form Reform Transform

“And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.” — Romans 12:12

Greetings from the Contemporary Worship Teams!

We are excited to be a part of our new focus for this year of “Form Reform Transform.” Martin Luther began the reformation movement 500 years ago. We celebrate the freedom to worship in a way that brings us closer to His word and closer to His love.

Martin Luther wrote over thirty eight hymns. His hymns proclaim Christ and His saving work. The music teams will be using many Martin Luther hymns during this year. Ar Stevens, our electric guitarist, is taking time to write some new accompaniment to these hymns to make them more contemporary.

We hope you enjoy not only the history of the pieces but the way in which the hymns still apply to our lives today. God sent His son to die for us. We are saved! We are free to live our lives in close communion with Him.

Cathy Yseth

Contemporary Worship Music Leader
cathy@servantofchrist.com



“Doing life. Doing good.”

Lifetree Café — Resumes September 5

Lifetree Café is an hour-long experience where you can meet old and new friends. Each Tuesday night has a different conversation topic to view and discuss; no homework or prep work needed to attend. It usually meets in the Fellowship Hall from 7:00-8:00 p.m. Questions? Contact the Church Office 763-427-5070.

Sept 5th: Getting Past Your Past and Making the Most of Your Future

Sept 12th: A Safe Place: Confronting child abuse in your corner of the world

Sept 19th: Is Church Obsolete? Has God Left the Building?

Sept 24th: Forgiving the Unforgivable — A son confronts his mother’s killer

bible studies

Young at Heart Resumes

Young at Heart will resume meeting this fall on Monday, September 11th at 11:30 a.m. in the Family Room at the back of the Sanctuary. Don't forget to bring your lunch (coffee provided). It's an opportunity to encourage someone else to attend or come to the Bible Study for the first time. We will continue our Study of the book of Romans. We will pick up beginning with Chapter 7.

Back to the Routine! — Pastor Melissa

“And God said, “Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years.” — Genesis 1:14

According to the book of Genesis, routine is part of the fabric of creation. We count on the routine of day and night. We count on the routine of seasons — summer, fall, winter, spring. We count on the routine of years that pass. Routine is not bad. It helps us know what to expect next and reminds us of God's faithfulness and care for us and all of creation.

While summer vacation has been fun with some traveling to see family and friends, I find that my family always functions best when we have a routine. We are getting in the “back to school” routine which means everyone needs backpacks, lunches and coats before they start out the door. What is your spiritual routine? Do you have a time of regular prayer, study or worship? If you do that is wonderful and that time spent connecting with God will help anchor your week!

This fall we start with the theme, “Form, Reform, Transform”. God has formed us in his image, reforms into his children by the waters of Baptism and God's Word, transforms us by the power of the Holy Spirit. You will continue to hear this theme in worship as we pray together, study Scripture, praise God and serve God on Sunday mornings and then wonder together how we can extend prayer, Scripture, worship and serving God in our daily lives. I hope that worship and Sunday school will become a part of your routine, but let me suggest some other things that might be a part of your spiritual routine:

“By Heart: Conversations with Martin Luther’s Small Catechism”

This Adult Education Opportunity will be offered Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. for seven consecutive Tuesday's: October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31st and November 7 & 14th. This is a wonderful class for people who want to learn more about the Lutheran tradition or have a reminder session about the Small Catechism.

Lifetree Café Tuesday nights at 7 p.m.

This is a conversation café with a different topic every week. Show up for whatever topics interest you and hear a person's real life story and discuss how it has impacted their faith life. **No experience necessary! Come as you are!**

Weekly Small Group Studies

We also have ongoing small group studies which meet at 6:00 a.m. on Wednesday and Friday mornings.

Whatever form it might take — make worship, prayer and studying God's Word a part of your routine.

World Class athletes have a routine of training that their life revolves around if they are going to live strong. If we are going to live our faith Beyond Sunday our routine will have to revolve around knowing Jesus through God's Word and prayer.

Blessings,
Pastor Melissa



DOGA Ministry Project: Fleece Blankets for the Armed Services Committee

My name is Michelle Pasko, and I just wanted to say a big thank you to everyone who showed up on August 8th and helped tie the beautiful blankets for the military. I know that the troops in which we are sending these blankets will feel the love, support and warmth that we put into the blankets. Thank you again for coming and helping make this project a success.

Fill the Backpack Thank You

Thank you all for your generous donations of backpacks and school supplies! Our local schools were very appreciative of our kind donations.

Welcome Everyone to Servant Supper! September 24, 5-6:00 p.m.

Servant of Christ offers a wonderful meal prepared by volunteers every 4th Sunday of the month. We send home a bag of breads/bagels from Panera and toiletry items. We encourage everyone in this congregation to come and enjoy a meal with people in the community. Invite a friend or a neighbor. All are welcome, and we would love to fill the fellowship hall! If you have a group friends, neighbors, or Bible Study group and would like to volunteer for one of the months this year, we would love to have you. Contact one of the names below and we will set everything up for you. Thanks to the many wonderful volunteers that have made this beautiful mission possible here at Servant of Christ! We truly appreciate all that you have done! You are truly Servants of Christ!

— Diane Engle, Liz Doering, Carolyn Schlitter, Tammy Lund

Adult Education Opportunity "By Heart: Conversations with Martin Luther's Small Catechism"

This study will explore Scripture and tradition. For example, the Ten Commandments as cited in Exodus 20 or the Apostle's Creed as we have it from the Christian tradition. It will include Luther's explanations of the Scripture or doctrine from the Christian tradition. I will also include the "backstory" of Luther's own life and times, the fertile soil of the Reformation itself.

This study will be offered Tuesday's at 9:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. for seven consecutive weeks: October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31st and November 7 & 14th. Please sign up on the sheet in the outer narthex or contact Pastor Melissa for more information.



bible studies



6 a.m. Wednesday Women's Bible Study

Women of all ages are welcome to join our group every Wednesday morning at Hudy's Cafe in Champlin (located on Aquila Drive near Dairy Queen) for about an hour to study God's Word. It is a great way to start the day. Don't worry if you cannot stay for the whole hour/come and go as your schedule allows. For further questions call the church office at 763-427-5070. Remember, God loves each one of us. You are precious in His sight.

6 a.m. Friday Morning Men's Bible Study

All men are welcome to join this group every Friday morning at 6:00 a.m. for Bible Study, hot coffee, lively discussions, and fellowship. We meet at church in the Family Room at the back of the Sanctuary.

Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study Resumes

The Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study will resume on Saturday, September 16th from 8-9 a.m. in the Family Room at the back of the Sanctuary. We will resume our Study of the gospel of John and pick up beginning with Chapter 13.



Baptism Class — October 1 & December 3 at 12 Noon

Learn about the meaning of baptism and how to arrange for a baptism here at Servant of Christ. We invite all ages to be baptized. Classes are held on the first Sunday every other month at 12 noon in the Family Room at the back of the Sanctuary.

The next Baptism classes are October 1 and December 3 at 12 noon.

If you have further questions or would like to RSVP for a Baptism Class please call the Church Office at 763-427-5070.

New Member Class & Lunch — October 8 at 12 Noon

The next New Member Class & Lunch date is: Sunday, October 8 at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall.

Let us know if you are interested in joining our church by filling out the black Friendship Folder.

Please be sure to include your contact info so we can either contact you by phone, email or letter in the mail. If you have further questions or would like to RSVP to the New Member Class & Lunch please call the Church Office.

New members will be received October 29 at both worship services.

**Your Financial Gifts to SOC
Make a Difference in God's Kingdom!!!**

Emily Huemann from SOC will be directing InterVarsity Christian Fellowship's Milwaukee Urban Program (MUP) beginning this fall. MUP provides opportunities for college students from across the Midwest to mature as disciples of Jesus Christ. Through Bible Studies, volunteering, and experiential learning activities in an urban setting, students explore questions about God and their lives.

Emily says, "During my college years, I was a student leader with InterVarsity and went through MUP. What I learned inspires how I worship God and how I treat people every single day. I gained more understanding of God's character and the life-giving values of God's Kingdom. This understanding continues to motivate me to align my choices with those values."

Emily is in the process of raising all of the necessary funds to support her position in this wonderful and effective ministry. SOC will be one of her many supporters in the coming year.

If you'd like to hear more from Emily about this great ministry to millennials and what she's doing and possibly support her in some fashion feel free to contact her directly at emilyh.mup@gmail.com.

A Special Message for Summer Travelers

Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account as you probably do with other obligations? Servant of Christ offers electronic giving for those of you who wish to have contributions transferred electronically to the church's account. If you have plans to travel this summer, electronic giving gives you a convenient way to keep up with your intended offerings. Simply complete and return an electronic giving authorization form located at the kiosk in the Narthex or go to www.servantofchrist.com and click on the giving page.



Peaceful Prayer in the Garden

The Prayer Garden is available for all to come and **Rest ☼ Pray ✝ Reflect ☁**. The prayer garden is located on the south side of the church and is always available for quiet time with God. You are invited to come and spend some peaceful moments and enjoy the beauty of the flowers. Spend time alone or with a small group of friends to meet and pray with God.



Thank You Kim Miller for Seven Years of Ministry at SOC

Kim Miller the office Administrative Assistant has decided to leave Servant of Christ and pursue substitute teaching at a private Christian School in the area. For seven years she has been the voice on the phone that has greeted you and the first person you see when you come to the church office. She's been responsible for many things around the church office that go unseen and has been an important part of the ministry team and staff at your home church. Thank you Kim for your service to the Lord at SOC and God bless you in this new chapter in your life.



Sunday School Registration 2017-18

Sunday school is starting soon! If you have not registered your child for Sunday School please fill out a form as soon as possible. Forms are available on the church website or in the Narthex. If you have questions please contact Anne Larsen at 763-427-5070.



Did You Feel That Nudge??

The start of Sunday school is approaching fast. There is still a big need for Faith Guides to get our program up and running. Is God nudging you to help in some way? Maybe helping to lay the faith foundation for our Sunday school children is just the place for you. We work in pairs so the commitment would be every other Sunday. I would love to talk to you and give you more details and answer your questions! Contact Anne Larsen at 763-427-5070 or annel@servantofchrist.com.

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servant schoolhouse

Servant Schoolhouse Preschool Open House September 7th from 6-8:00 p.m.



Our goal is to help our preschoolers reach their potential to excel academically, socially, emotionally, intellectually and spiritually. We have a lot of fun activities planned for this school year. Be ready to get messy with art, explore our science center, and hear fun stories and sing, sing, sing!

Classes begin on Wednesday, September 13th or Thursday, September 14th, 2017. We look forward to seeing everyone!

We currently have a few spots still available in our 3 year old program which runs Tuesday/Thursday mornings. Come join the fun!

If you have any questions please contact Diane Poling at dianep@servantofchrist.com or 763-427-7765.

Diane Poling

Servant Schoolhouse Preschool Director/Lead Teacher

Dates to Remember

September 10

All Church Picnic and Rally Day

September 10

Installation of Faith Guides during 9:00 and 10:45 a.m. worship services

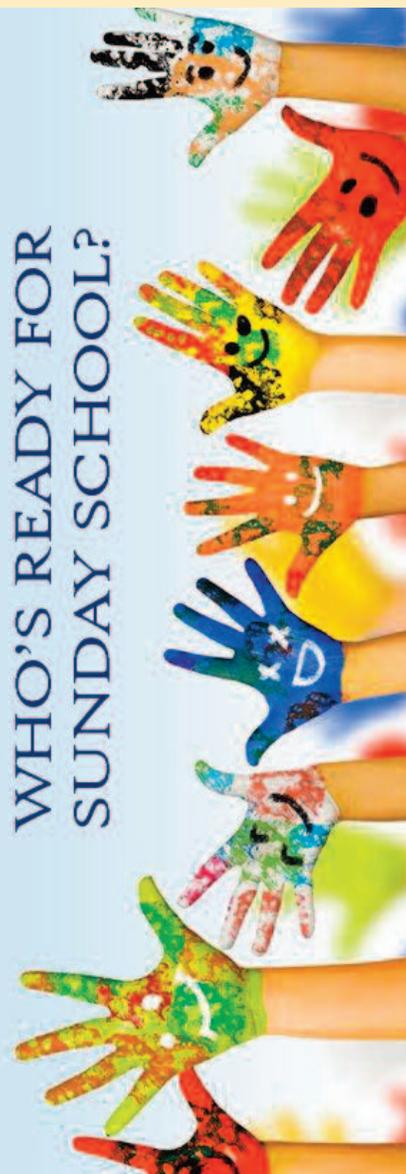
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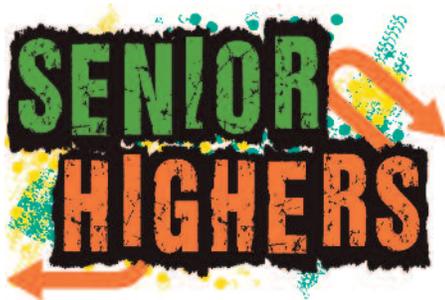
Sunday School Faith Guide Training

September 17

First Day of Sunday School

WHO'S READY FOR
SUNDAY SCHOOL?





2017 Chicago Mission Trip News

We are back from our mission trip to Chicago! God is good! We had a great time partnering with Praying Pelican Missions and Ebenezer House of Prayer!! We ran a VBS for the local kids, we did some repairs around the Church and painted, weed wacked and pulled weeds. We went on a prayer walk and worked at a homeless shelter. We also got to go and explore the city a little. We were so blessed by the Church and the Praying Pelican staff and we can't wait to go back! God stretched us, used us and we grew in our faith! Praise the Lord for all He did through and in us!! Thank you all so much for supporting us financially and through your prayers!!

Senior High Group

Senior High will be back up and running on Wednesday nights starting September 13th! Look for times and other details in the Sunday bulletin, on the Senior High bulletin board and the Church website! It will be a great year of growing closer in our walk with the Lord! If you are a sophomore or older please come and join us! You belong!!!!

Mary

Upcoming Confirmation Events:

- Confirmation Faith Guide Training: Saturday, September 9th from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.
- Confirmation Open House/Orientation: Wednesday, September 13th from 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- First night of Confirmation: Wednesday, September 20th from 5:30-7:30 p.m.



Faith Guide Training!

If you have already had a conversation with me and I have you on my list of volunteers, then this training event is for you. It is a mandatory training event for all Confirmation volunteers on Saturday, September 9 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon! We'll have food, and we'll split the morning up with a variety of different things. If you have any questions about this event, contact me ASAP! Thanks!

Confirmation Open House and Orientation Night Wednesday, September 13 — 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Confirmation Open House and Orientation is a "come and go" event for families with students in the Confirmation program (grades 7-9). For families with a student who is new to Confirmation, there will be a 30 minute orientation at either 5:45 or 6:45 p.m. If you are a returning student — coming back for another year of Confirmation — you don't need to come to the orientation, but you do need to come to the Open House.

Parents and students should both come to this event, and attendance will be counted as a normal night of Confirmation. At the Open House, you should expect to get your picture taken (only for Calvin's records... it's not being published anywhere), meet your Small Group leaders, get info about the upcoming year, learn about volunteer opportunities, get a yearly calendar, and more!





SOC Quilting Group Resumes — Thursday, September 14th

You are invited to come and help make quilts for the homeless in the Fellowship Hall at church between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. starting Thursday, Sept. 14! Come when you can and leave when you need to... whatever fits your schedule. If you can tie a knot... that is all the talent you need!



We take a break for noon lunch (which is provided) and an afternoon coffee break! We have some good laughs and wonderful fellowship. We meet the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month during the school year, unless it falls on or near a holiday.

The quilts are donated to Anoka Hennepin School District and they distribute them to students that are homeless and to families that are in need in this area. Some of the quilts go to Bags of Love in Anoka County — which are given to children in Child Protection and some go to “High Risk Moms” through the N County Community Health Center in the counties of Clearwater, Hubbard, Beltrami and Lake of the Woods in northern MN. If you have further questions, please call Becky at 612-501-7722 or Sherri at 763-464-2724.



The 6th Annual Rhythm-n-Q's Fundraiser — October 14th

God's Guys Productions presents the 6th Annual Rhythm-n-Q's fundraiser to be held at SOC on Saturday, October 14th. Event tickets include a Chicken & Ribs dinner from Q-fanatic BBQ & Grill, voted “Best BBQ in Minnesota” by WCCO viewers, and live musical performances from THE LOCALS (Music Variety). Event tickets are \$25 and available at the church office and between services starting early September. **Tickets are limited and the event has sold out the past 3 years, so don't wait!** A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the 2018 Youth Mission Trip.



SOC Red Hatters — September 24

All women are invited for lunch at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Pizza and beverages will be provided, please bring a sweet treat to share. This would be a great opportunity to meet new friends and to see what the Red Hatters are all about and help plan the 2017/2018 calendar.

About SOC Red Hatters:

- Women of all ages are welcome to attend (18-49 years wear pink & lavender; 50+ wear red & purple)
- We meet one Thursday a month at 6:30 p.m. usually in the Fellowship Hall
- Our Red Hat group mixes service projects with fun activities and outings throughout the year

Service projects include: CEAP, ACBC, Anoka-Hennepin homeless youth, Bags of Love, SOC Christmas Adopt-a-Family, etc...



calendar of events

Ongoing Events

Sundays:

Worship Services
9:00 a.m. Traditional
10:45 a.m. Contemporary
9 & 10:45 Sunday school 3yr-6th
Childcare available for infants through 3 year olds

Mondays:

6:30 p.m. Celebration Choir Practice/
Fellowship Hall
7:00 p.m. Contemporary Team Practice/
Sanctuary

Tuesdays:

11:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
Noon Bulletin Deadline
7:00 p.m. Lifetree Café (begins Sept 5)
*7:00 p.m. Al-Anon
*7:30 p.m. AA Meeting

Wednesdays:

6:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study/Hudy's
5:30 p.m. Pizza
6:00 p.m. Confirmation
7:00 p.m. Senior High Group Meets

Fridays:

6:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study/
Family Room

**Not a church function*

*Holy Communion Services are
1st & 3rd Sunday*

Brookdale-Champlin Worship Services

On the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. Pastor Melissa Maltman or Pastor Eric Walbolt leads worship for the residents and visitors at the Brookdale-Champlin Senior Living Complex. The worship service is open to all who wish to attend. If you know someone there, please feel free to invite them. Current worship service dates are listed below.

Tuesday, September 12
Tuesday, October 10
Tuesday, November 14

Upcoming September & October Events

Sept 3, Sunday	9:00 & 10:30 a.m. Worship Service Hours Childcare available for infant through 3 years old
Sept 4, Monday	Office Closed — Labor Day
Sept 5, Tuesday	7:00 p.m. Lifetree Café Resumes
Sept 7, Thursday	Servant Schoolhouse Preschool Open House 6–7:00 p.m. Tuesday/Thursday morning 3 year old class 7–8:00 p.m. 4 & 5 year olds class
Sept 9, Saturday	9:00 a.m. Faith Guide Training
Sept 10, Sunday Rally Day	Worship Service Change: 9 & 10:45 a.m. Childcare available for infant through 3 years old Installation of 2017-18 Faith Guides (both services) 10:45 a.m. Praying Together Meets/Office Conference Rm All Church Picnic & Games (see page 11)
Sept 11, Monday	Servant Schoolhouse Preschool Parent Teacher Conf. 8:00 p.m. Liturgical Team Practice 11:30 a.m. Young at Heart/Family Room 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice Begins Sunday School Faith Guide Training
Sept 12, Tuesday	Servant Schoolhouse Preschool Parent Teacher Conf. *2:00 p.m. Brookdale Champlin Worship/Offsite
Sept 13, Wednesday	Servant Schoolhouse Preschool House/Begins 5:30-7:30 p.m. Confirmation Orientation/Open House (See details on page 8) 7:00 p.m. Senior High Group Kick-off
Sept 14, Thursday	10:00 a.m. Quilting Group/Fellowship Hall Sunday School Faith Guide Training
Sept 16, Saturday	8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study
Sept 17, Sunday	9 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday School Begins
Sept 19, Tuesday	7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting
Sept 20, Wednesday	5:30 p.m. Confirmation Begins 6:30 p.m. Senior High Group Meets
Sept 24, Sunday	12 noon SOC Red Hatters/Fellowship Hall 5:00 p.m. Servant Supper
Sept 27, Wednesday	5:30 p.m. Confirmation 6:30 p.m. Senior High Group Meets
Sept 28, Thursday	10:00 a.m. Quilting Group/Fellowship Hall
Oct 1, Sunday	12 noon Baptism Class
Oct 2, Monday	11:30 a.m. Young at Heart/Family Room
Oct 3, Tuesday	9:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Martin Luther Study
Oct 6, Friday	7:00 p.m. Junior High Fun Night
Save the Dates	
Oct 8, Sunday	12 noon New Member Class & Lunch/Fellowship Hall 3rd Grade Stepping Stones of Faith Gift/both services Sunday School Choir/both services
Oct 14, Saturday	6th Annual Rhythm-n-Q's Fundraiser

You can download an SOC monthly calendar from our church website (www.servantofchrist.com)



Join us at the

Church Picnic!

GET READY!

**All-Church Picnic & Rally Day!
September 10th**

Games start at 10:00 a.m. Food starts at 10:30 a.m.

We hope everyone can join us to celebrate all that is good here at SOC! We will need people to help set-up, clean-up, donate food, run games, etc. Sign up in the opportunities or contact Anne Larsen at church.

Join us for a great day of FELLOWSHIP!

- *Staff PIE EATING CONTEST!! This is a must-see event that will take place immediately after the 10:45 a.m. service. Vote on the winner and win a grand prize!*
 - *Check out the Spin Art, photo booth, and new this year is the Cake walk!!*
- *There will be chicken, hamburgers, hotdogs and more!*
 - *Prize drawings for a little friendly competition*

Free tickets provided for kids to play the games one time. There will be more tickets available for purchase.

763-427-5070 or anel@servantofchrist.com.



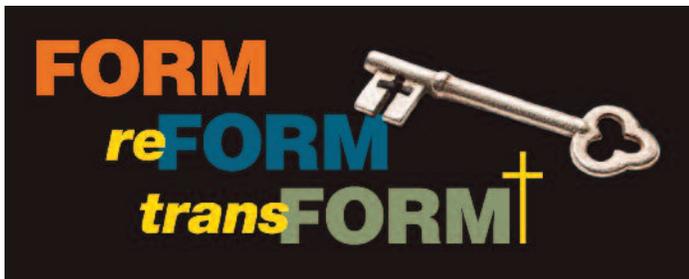
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Rally Day — Sunday, September 10
All Church Picnic & Family Fun

Regular Worship Hours Begin—
9 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday, September 10

(No Sunday School)

Childcare available for infants through 3 years old

Rhythm-n-Q's Fundraising Event
Saturday, October 14

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