

Dear Friends,

Seems like it was just the 4th of July and many of us were marching up Wantagh Avenue. Our float did win the "Most Creative Float" award from the 4th of July Parade Committee this year. Thanks once again to all those who participated in making it a great day and a fun fellowship opportunity. Plans for the next parades will begin soon (St. Patrick's Day and the 4th of July 2023).

The summer has gone by quickly, and preparations for Rally Day on September 11th are well underway. Various property improvements approved by the Church Council have been completed or have come to near completion during the summer months. This includes the painting of the old Church building, the repair of the staircase into Steinbicker Hall and the surrounding sidewalk, and the placement of security cameras around the Church property.

With September comes the reopening of our Nursery School and the startup of our Christian Education Program, including Confirmation classes. The Call process continues, but guest pastors (aka supply pastors) are being sought through the end of the calendar year so that we may continue to worship every Sunday. Not all Sundays are filled at this point, since there is plenty of competition for these pastoral services.

We hope that you have had a restful Summer and are prepared for the challenges that Autumn brings us.

See You in Church,

Hans Vogel

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21 & SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22
9AM-3PM BOTH DAYS • RAIN OR SHINE!

JOIN US FOR:

NEW! PUMPKIN PATCH & PUMPKIN PAINTING
NEW! EXCITING RAFFLE PRIZES
BEAUTIFUL GIFT BASKETS
REFRESHMENTS AT OUR CAFÉ
HOMEMADE DESSERTS AND "COOKIE WALK"
"TOOL TIME" EXHIBITION
DEALS & STEALS AT OUR THRIFT SHOP
AND MANY MORE SURPRISES IN STORE!

3384 ISLAND ROAD

IN ADDITION TO OUR MINISTRIES, PROCEEDS WILL SUPPORT:

The Interfaith Nutrition Network (INN) • Lutheran Disaster Relief Tunnel to Towers Foundation • U.S.O. (United Service Organizations)

PARISH REGISTER MEMORIALS

General Memorial

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Janice & John Eastlund

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Claudia & John Gross

In Memory of: Henry Schlobohm

Given by: Claudia & John Gross

Sanctuary Memorial

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Regina Coons

In Memory of: Anthony Cusumano

Given by: Claudia & John Gross

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Barbara & Roy Stone

Property Improvement & Maintenance

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Norma Mantay

In Memory of: Henry Schlobohm

Given by: Norma Mantay

In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Doris & Roger Ohlander

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In Memory of: Marilyn Beck

Given by: Barbara & Bob Rath

In Memory of: Henry Schlobohm

Given by: Barbara & Bob Rath

GOOD NEWS & BLESSINGS

September Birthdays

2: Kaley Ann Bloomfield

5: Norma Mantay

6: Michael Joseph Murphy

7: Kristoffer Kuchynskas

7: James Ackermann

13: Samantha Scibelli

16: Michael Soethout

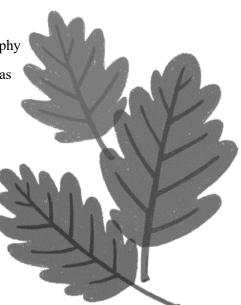
17: Grace Ackermann

23: Doris Ohlander

28: Lisa Soethout

28: John Reardon

30: Jan Eastlund



September Anniversaries

4: Amy & Kristoffer Kuchynskas

8: Barbara & Jerry Grieser

23: Margaret & Fred Lorenzen

REMINDER: If you would like a special date to be printed in the Spire, please contact the Church office no later than <u>30 days prior</u>.

Good News

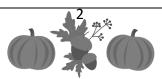
The Church continues to make great progress in our revitalization efforts. Our friends at **Optimus Primers of Wantagh** power-washed and painted the "old Church" building (currently the thrift shop), as well as the red doors and trim of the Sanctuary entrance. **Pronto Cleaning & Maintenance** did an excellent job waxing the Steinbicker floors in preparation for the school year. **Optimum Pest Control** and **Mosquito Management** have helped to keep

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the property happily pest-free. **Our Retirees** continue to be a tremendous help. The Nursery School and Christian Education are especially thankful to them for helping to move, declutter, and organize the furniture and play items in the classrooms.

Church Security was a topic at the forefront of many conversations last year. Over the summer, our newly-formed Security Committee doubled down to ensure our campus is a safe and welcoming environment for all. A Ring video doorbell was installed at the Steinbicker entrance. The Church office continues to keep a running record of all comings and goings. When school begins, we will once again utilize the library locking system installed by our Retirees. Base 360 Security has worked with the Committee to install a wired security system, an especially welcome update. We are confident that these efforts will fit the needs and expectations of our growing congregation.

Worship and Music has started to roll out some exciting new settings for Sunday worship. In late August, we reincorporated the Hymn of the Day into service. Other changes will gradually make their way into service this fall. Thank you to the Worship and Music Committee, and our **Music Director**, **Nicole Nicholson**, for their hard work!

Preparations have begun for one of our most successful events each year, The Annual Country Fair. Save the dates for Friday, October 21st and Saturday, October 22nd! Over the summer, our Fair Committee collaborated with the Church office to compile a comprehensive list of local businesses to network with for new raffle prizes. The Nursery School is excited to be actively involved with the Fair this year. For the first time, we will have a Pumpkin Patch with a pumpkin painting contest for children. We are happy to host some returning favorites, too, such as the Cookie Walk and Tool Time. The Fair will be a wonderful opportunity to spend time in fellowship, and to welcome a younger, family crowd of potential new members. If you would like to volunteer with our Fair, please speak with Regina Coons, Lilly Ann Munnich, or Barbara Rath. We hope to see you there!

CLC Youth News

The Christian Nursery School is thrilled to welcome students back for the 2022-2023 school year. This year saw one of our largest enrollment turnouts ever! The school year begins on Monday, September 12th. There are limited spots still available in our 2, 3, and 4-year-old programs. Please contact our Director, Dana Antonette, if interested.

Christian Education has been hard at work all summer preparing for the school year. We will join the congregation for Rally Day on September 11th, and classes will begin on September 18th. Registration for Sunday School and the Confirmation Program is ongoing, and is always free! Please speak with our Christian Education Coordinator, Della Rao, if interested.

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

On Wednesday, August 3rd, a Congregational Council meeting was called to order on Zoom. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the painting of the exterior "old Church" (a.k.a. the white building/the thrift shop). The Church office received three bids from local painters to complete this work:

o CertaPro Painters of Merrick: \$18,946.47

Optimus Primers of Wantagh: \$6,500.00

o Walker Painting of Seaford: \$11,000.00

After reviewing the proposals, a motion was made and seconded to approve the bid from Optimus Primers. An addendum was added to the motion to approve up to \$2,000 of additional funding, should small improvements be made while Optimus Primers was on-site.

The Nursery Board did not meet this summer. We look forward to a new school year and to reconvening in September.

ST. JOHN'S FOOD PANTRY

Your donations are appreciated. Thank you!

Cold Cereal - Cooking Oil - Hot Cereal - Crackers

Pudding Mix - Coffee - Tea Bags - Progresso Soup

Egg Noodles - Spaghetti - Chef Boyardee - Tuna Helper

Instant Mashed Potatoes - Chicken Broth - Canned Chicken

Stewed Tomatoes - Canned Salmon

Please check the expiration dates on packaged foods before donating.

THRIFT SHOP

Our thrift shop is open on Fridays, 9AM-3PM, and the <u>first Saturday</u> of each month, 10AM-2PM. **The next** "Thrift Shop Saturday" is on September 3rd. Donations to the thrift shop are always accepted. We appreciate your contributions.



PRAYER LIST We Remember Especially...

Debbie Becker - Ellen Bello - Bud Bilewich

James Cathcart - Danielle Chillemi - Eileen Colton

Sal Costanzo - Sue Costanzo - Dina Costello

Marge Dahlberg - Mike Dauth - Joan Drake

Joanne Drenckhahn - Charlie Fisher - Bob Freyer

Travis Gentile - Betty Gibberman - Barbara Grieser

Joe Hanna - Barbara Hess - Arnold Howard

Carolyn Howard - Elaine Quigley Levano

Suzanne Marshall - Janet McShea - William McShea

Bill Miller - Marilyn Miller - James Pallas - Roberta Pfister

Barbara Proce - Gary Proce - Catherine Rao - Bob Rath

Sheila Reeves - Emmett Reilly - Rose Reilly - Ann Reimer

Barbara Reimer - Della Dorn Rice - Helga Richert

Eunice Rischan - Christopher Schwarz - Natalie Stone

James Toomey - Laura Vogel

REMINDER: To add a name to our prayer list, please contact the Church office. It will remain on the list for <u>six weeks</u> per request.

WELCA

It was a restful but nonetheless eventful summer as WELCA geared up for another year. Many of our ladies have been busy preparing baby care kits (Layettes) for Lutheran World Relief. We will be meeting with Thrivent volunteers on **Wednesday**, **September 21**st to complete this special project. Please see the Thrivent news section for needed items. We appreciate your contributions!

During the summer, several ladies got together for Bible study at Cedar Creek Park. We are thankful to Joyce Anderson and the Eastern Nassau Conference of WELCA for this opportunity.

Our first meeting of the year is almost here! All ladies are welcome to join us on **Wednesday**, **September** 7th at 1:00 PM in Room 2000. **We look forward to seeing you soon!**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The Christian Education Program opens for the new school year on Rally Day: Sunday, September 11th. The first "official" day of classes is the following Sunday, September 18th.

Sunday School: The first day of school is almost here! We are so excited to welcome our students back to Sunday School. This year, we will have a Little Lambs class, a very large second grade class (always a good thing!), and our fifth graders, who made First Communion in June. Our teachers have been busy this summer with redesigning our curriculum and reorganizing our classrooms. For the first time, we've also decorated our classrooms with fun themes! We hope you'll take the time to see our hard work in action this year. As always, registration is rolling and free! Please speak with Claudia Gross or Della Rao if interested.

Confirmation: Our Confirmation Program has a lot of great changes in store. Claudia Gross, Nicole Nicholson, and Della Rao met several times over the summer to redesign our curriculum. Over the past month, Claudia, Della, and Roxanne Toomey have met with incoming students and parents to discuss what to expect. Perhaps what is most exciting is our new Academic Service Learning (ASL) initiative, which will allow our students to engage with local organizations that serve vulnerable populations. We believe our "new" program will allow the next generation of our Church to experience first-hand what it means to be a follower of Jesus. If you are interested in enrolling your child in Confirmation classes, please speak with Claudia Gross, Della Rao, or Roxanne Toomey.

THRIVENT FINANCIAL

Our next project will take place on **Wednesday**, **September 21**st. We will be working with WELCA to put together baby care kits (Layettes) for families who are in need. Some are victims of natural disaster or political unrest. We will be looking to the congregation for donations of the items listed below or for help assembling the kits. You may also donate funds to help us ship the kits to the Lutheran World Relief warehouse in Baltimore, where they will be prepared for distribution to those in need.

Please consider donating items for the kits. Clothing and blankets, if clean and gently used, are appreciated (baby clothes should be sizes 6-24 months). Other items should be new. Donations can be placed in the WELCA bins in the

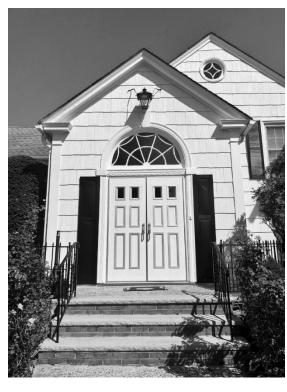


hallway between the Sanctuary and Steinbicker Hall. The items to be included in the kits are:

- Lightweight cotton T-shirts
- Long or short-sleeved gowns or sleepers without feet
- o Receiving blankets (between 36"-52", square)
- Cloth diapers (flat-fold preferred)
- Jacket, sweater, or sweatshirt with hood or baby cap
- o Socks
- Hand towel (dark color preferred)
- o Bath-size bar of gentle soap
- Diaper pins or large safety pins

Thank you for your generosity!

CLC HISTORY



Our beloved Thrift Shop celebrates its 16th anniversary on September 15th! Since opening its doors in 2006, Thrift has become a Church and community staple. Thank you to **our incredible thrift shop volunteers**, who bless us with their caring and fellowship each week. We also thank the **Retirees**, who help us with setting up, cleaning up, and wherever else is needed. With **Jeri Hallgren and Barbara Rath** at the helm, we are in the best of hands. Please consider donating to and patronizing our thrift shop. All proceeds benefit the many ministries here at Christ Lutheran.

FROM THE KNITWITS...

Gosh, these angels keep appearing... Judy Engel, from Thrift, has a friend, Dottie MacAlinden, who had yarn for me to pick up. Judy said, "truckloads!" Well, sometimes people exaggerate... but not this time! Dot's cousin passed away and was an avid crocheter who loved to buy yarn. The first trip to Dot's house, I loaded ten, yes, *ten* large black bags and six beautiful afghans made by her cousin. The second trip was a repeat of the first! The yarn is gorgeous. I have hundreds of skeins of various colors, variegated and weights. Do not buy yarn. I have enough to open a store. If you need any, or know of anyone who would like to help the cause, please give me a call!

- Lilly Ann Munnich, 516-826-3663

THANK YOU TO...



Dear Friends,

I wish to thank all those who participated in making my 98th birthday a memorable one.

The singing of "Happy Birthday" by the congregation, the birthday cake, which was made by Sandie Drake, and the cards, scratch-off, and flowers were all very much appreciated. We had a great attendance at coffee hour. I hope to have more of these gatherings!

I will always remember the love shown to me. I send mine to you.

- Ruth Kollar



WELCOME BACK!

We are especially grateful to our ministries who are returning for a new Church year. Many have worked through the summer break to be the best they can for our congregation. Their hard work is a prime example of what makes Christ Lutheran a true spiritual home!

Christian Education

Staff:

Claudia Gross & Nancy Pisani, Committee Chairs

Della Rao, Christian Education Coordinator

Claudia Gross, Sunday School Coordinator

Roxanne Toomey, Confirmation Program Coordinator

Nicole Nicholson & Jim Spiegle, Program Advisors

Teachers:

Little Lambs: Claudia Gross, Supervisor

Grade Two: Claudia Gross

Grade Five: Della Rao

Grade Seven: Roxanne Toomey

Grade Eight: Della Rao*

*With Units Taught by Nicole Nicholson & Jim Spiegle

Worship & Music

Claudia Gross & Nancy Pisani, Committee Chairs

Nicole Nicholson, Director of Music

Kamelija Galijan-Curry, Organist

Bells: Lorell Ahearn, Dee Bloomfield, Eileen Colton, Kirsten Duprez, Nancy Gephardt, Jeri Hallgren, Nancy Pisani, Renee Rea, Jim Spiegle, Barbara Stone

Seasonal Members: Parker Balduf, Sarah Baker, Sandie Drake

Choir: Dee Bloomfield, Eileen Colton, John Eastlund, Nancy Gephardt, Jeri Hallgren, Nancy Pisani, Jim Spiegle, Barbara Stone, Hans Vogel

Special thanks to Vinny Ciro, who adds so much to our ministry!

"LOVE THY NEIGHBOR"

Over the summer, the Church office has received several calls from community members who are experiencing food, financial, medical, and/or housing insecurity. Christ calls us to support the most vulnerable among us however we can. Below are some Long Island-based organizations who you may consider volunteering your time and resources to. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance and unsure where to turn, please call the Church office. *All requests will be kept confidential*.

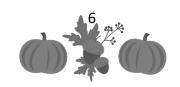
- o Hope for Youth, Amityville
- o The INN, Hempstead
- o Island Harvest, Multiple Locations
- o Lighthouse Mission, Multiple Locations
- Long Island Coalition for the Homeless, Amityville
- Make the Road New York, Brentwood
- Maureen's Haven, Riverhead
- o RotaCare, Hempstead
- o St. Bernard's Parish Social Ministry, Levittown
- o St. John's Food Pantry, Bellmore-Merrick
- Soup to Nuts Soup Kitchen, Freeport
- Veterans Service Agency, East Meadow



RALLY DAY IS HERE...
LET'S WELCOME A NEW CHURCH YEAR!

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JOIN US ON SEPTEMBER 11
9:00 AM SERVICE LED BY PASTOR KLOSE
COFFEE HOUR HOSTED BY WELCA
FIRST DAY OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
NO RSVP REQUIRED!



CHURCH SECURITY REPORT - SEPTEMBER 2022

The recent events in the world and happenings on the Church grounds have brought concerns to the security of Church. It is our goal as a committee to make a safe environment for all who enter, whether it be a member, the staff or our children.

The vandalism in Steinbicker Hall was reported to the police. Upon their inspection that day, the police reported that we needed to make changes to secure the building, especially during Nursery School hours. This meant securing the school areas so that no one from the outside could enter without being approved for entrance. With the help of the Retirees, we were able to reactivate the locks on the doors from the Sanctuary into the library hallway. An additional bolt lock was also installed on the doors. The library door already had a lock, so the Retirees turned it around to secure that area. Another concern of the police department was the door to Steinbicker Hall. If someone rang the bell, you could not see who was out there. You had to open the door to talk to anyone. This was a potential risk to staff and the school. Council implemented a Security Protocol. The protocol was implemented so that there is a record of all who enter the building and to get a better understanding of the areas being used and the time of usage. There is now a door bell camera on the Steinbicker entrance.

The police also reported that they would be returning to see the progress that was made. After several reported thefts and unlocked doors being reported, the committee asked a member of our congregation for assistance in securing the buildings. This was his job on the police force before retirement. With his help we were able to have the Seventh Precinct come and do an evaluation. This officer is also a member of our congregation. Recommendations were made for the placement of cameras. Several estimates for camera coverage were received as per protocol of the Church. The committee is using Base 360 Security, who handles the security at Our Redeemer Church in Seaford. This estimate was reviewed by these police officers and the equipment verified to be of good quality. Council approved the project at a cost up to \$4,500.00. As soon as the equipment is delivered, the cameras will be installed.

The committee members are Claudia Gross, Nancy Pisani, Barbara Stone, and Hans Vogel. We realize that many members think that since this is a Church, we should not have to take these measures. Unfortunately, that is not the case in society today. We thank everyone for their support as this project moves to completion.

PROPERTY REPORT – SEPT 2022

Our **Retiree Group** continues to perform any maintenance and/or improvement items on the "Office" To-Do list, or that we find in our travels, and that we can accomplish ourselves without professional help. Our recent activities have included:

- We thank George Balduf and his family for "Power washing the "GREENS" around the property, before the Council hired the Painter.
- We restored and mortared dislodged bricks on the walkway wall.
- On request, we entered the **Parsonage** and found the **De-Humidifier** not plugged in with the hose draining into a dry wastebasket. We cleaned the filter and activated it. When we re-entered to improve the **drain issue**, we found the wastebasket ¾ full of water, which we dumped. We drilled a hole in the old dead window frame under the side stairs and extended, spliced and secured the drain hose into the area.
- We mortared some 10/20 step stones and filled a sanctuary ramp hole.
- We responded to a <u>lower bathroom "flood"</u> report to find the toilet had **overflowed due to over stuffing.** We plunged it clear, mopped up, and exercised the under floor ejection pump.
- We folded and packed-up the **rear yard NS Canopy** and stored it in the rear shed for next year's summer program.
- We **cleaned out the overgrowth** around the trees and shrubs and the Ivy from the Steinbicker north wall, and bagged for TOH P/U.
- We moved many items from/to classrooms for a Waxing contractor.

 Retiree Group

RESEARCH FOR POTENTAL LONG RANGE PROJECTS

- * Research/Report on the possibility of Siding on the 10/20 building. On hold as building is now freshly painted.
- *Research the installation of white vinyl ornate trim covering in the front area outside the Sanctuary in lieu of continuous peeling and painting. On hold as trim is now freshly painted.
- * Research the possibility of **new lighting for the Sanctuary**.
- * Research the replacement of the wine stained Altar Carpeting.
- *Research extending the **lawn sprinklers** to cover the East side of Steinbicker **after grass restoration**.
- * Research the possibility and costs to refurbish the Original Steeple Bell and Cradle.

MISCELLANEOUS THINGS TO DO

See Roger, Bob R, Bill, Craig, Gene, Bob H, or Vinny if you can help:

- *Paint the Sliding Closet doors in the Gym South access area.
- *Power Wash the Greens on Steinbicker, North 10/20 wall, etc (CMPLT)
- *Scrape and Paint the white/bare trim above the Library and 2000 kitchenette.
- *Arrange to grow grass on the East side of Steinbicker. Stones to pit?, Topsoil?, Sod?, Labor.
- *Repair numerous Cement issues around the property. (Back walk, Washes, wall void, price professional intervention.) (WKG)
- *Refinish the Room 20 North window. (CMPLT BY PAINTER).
- *Research and arrange for a "Seal coating" and re-striping of the parking lot and the Parsonage driveway. (DELAYED)
- * Investigate the Education Building telephone intercom feature for erradic operation or replace the system.
- * Cleanup and clean out the lower shop area, and Room 100.
- * Gather and discard all the "old" latex paint for the next "STOP" date.
- * Investigate and strengthen the Altar screen Filigree panels which are showing signs of looseness and cracking.
- * Wire Brush the 10/20 outside fire escape and paint with "Rustproof paint". (CMPLT BY PAINTER)

OTHER COUNCIL DIRECTED PROPERTY ACTIVITY

- The Steinbicker Front and side walkway work. \$5,400 PIM
- The Front Steinbicker stairs work. \$2500, WELCA offset \$2,500
- The Building Security work. \$4,265 –Cncl approv'd up to \$4,500
- The Parsonage landscaping work. \$4,380
- The Parsonage **Garage door**. \$2,525
- The Rear yard sinking slab cement work. Wkg \$?
- The "Pit" cement wall top void. Wkg \$?
- The Power Washing/Painting of the 10/20 building and Sanctuary Entrance/Red Doors. \$6,500 PIM
- The Steinbicker Classrooms and Gym waxing. \$2,100 PIM
- The Parking lot seal coating. (Delayed)
- The Parsonage driveway seal coating. (Delayed)

down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will shall not be in want the makes me lie down in green pastures, leaffrom the Memory of Fime! in paths of righteousness for his name's size. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever." "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He <u>guides m</u>e in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though u e through the valley of the shadow of for your are with me; your rod and your at before moin the resence death, I will fear 👝 eu staff, they comfo

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie



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2022 WORSHIP DATES	USHER	ALTAR GUILD	COUNTERS
Sun. September 4, 2022 13 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 AM Service (Green)	R. Ahearn	B. Rath's Group	R. Ohlander D. Ohlander B. Rath B. Rath
Sun. September 11, 2022 RALLY DAY - COFFEE HOUR (WELCA) 14 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 AM Service (Green)	R. Ohlander	E. Colton/L.A. Munnich's Group	J. Eastlund J. Eastlund J. Fitzgerald
Sun. September 18, 2022 15 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 AM Service (Green)	E. Juergens	D. Ohlander's Group	J. Fahey B. Henderson R. Ohlander D. Ohlander M. Soethout
Sun. September 25, 2022 16 th Sunday Affer Pentecost 9:00 AM Service (Green)	J. Gross	B. Rath's Group	H. Vogel J. Gross R. Ahearn
Sun. October 2, 2022 17 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 AM Service (Green)	C. Sparke	E. Colton/L.A. Munnich's Group	R. Ohlander D. Ohlander B. Rath B. Rath

^{*}ACOLYTE TRAINING WILL BEGIN SOON. SEE ROXANNE TOOMEY FOR DETAILS. THERE ARE NO GREETERS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Christ Lutheran Church Wantagh

Sep 2022 (Eastern Time - New York)

9am - Sunday School 9am - Worship 10:15am - Confirm	Christian Ed Begins 9am - Sunday School 9am - Worship 10:15am - Confirm	Grandparents Day Patriot Day RALLY DAY 9am - Worship	9am - Worship	Sun 28
7pm - Scouts-Steinbicker and	7pm - Scouts-Steinbicker and	Nursery School Begins 7pm - Scouts-Steinbicker and 7pm - Worship & Music 8pm - Council Meeting @	Certain Control Contro	Mon 29
27 7:30pm - BSA O.O.T.Arrow 8pm - AA: Rm. 10	20 7:30pm - BSA O.O.T.Arrow 8pm - AA: Rm. 10	7:30pm - BSA O.O.T.Arrow 8pm - AA: Rm. 10	6 7:30pm - BSA O.O.T.Arrow 8pm - AA: Rm. 10	Tue 30
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10am - TOPS: Rm. 10	9:30am - Spire Mailing- Rm. 10am - TOPS: Rm. 10	Spire Deadline 10am - TOPS: Rm. 10	10am - TOPS: Rm. 10 5pm - Finance Meeting	Thu 1 10am - TOPS: Rm. 10
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Nursery School News - September 2022

The Summer Program at the Nursery School was a huge success!! The children had a great time playing with old friends and making new friends. The children enjoyed playing outside, riding on toys, making crafts every day, singing songs, and playing in the sprinklers.

The teachers are working hard cleaning, decorating, and planning for the new school year. We are very excited to welcome back our returning students and meet the new students joining us. We are planning our Back-to-School night, where we get to meet all our great parents and give them the opportunity to get to know the teachers, become familiar with the classrooms, and to get an idea of what a typical day looks like for their child.

The Nursery School has two new exciting programs that we are offering this school year. We now offer a three-day-a-week two- year-old program, and a five-day-a-week three-year-old program. We are excited to bring back the before school Breakfast Club this school year in addition to the afterschool Lunch Bunch we offer.

We currently have a total of 20 children in the two-year-old program this school year. Some of these children will attend two days a week and some will be joining our new three-day-a-week program. We are so excited to welcome these children through our doors for the very first time the week of September 19th.

There are currently thirteen children enrolled in our new five-day-a-week three-year-old program. This class has one available spot open for the upcoming school year. We also offer a two- and three-day-a-week three-year-old program, with a total of 23 children enrolled in the three-year-old program. These children will be returning the week of September 12th.

To accommodate our growing two- and three-year-old classes, we will be offering one 4-year-old class. We still offer the option to attend three, four, or five days per week. This class currently has 14 children enrolled with two spots available. We look forward to welcoming these children back the week of September 12th.

If you or someone you know is looking for an exciting program for their child or grandchild this school year, we would love to arrange a tour of our school with them.

The Nursery School office phone number is 516-679-8425. You can also reach me at cnsdirector@clcwantagh.org. Check us out on Facebook or Instagram at: The Christian Nursery School at Christ Lutheran Church.

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September 5th: Church Office Closed for Labor Day

September 7th: WELCA Meeting ~ 1:00PM, Room 2000

September 8th: Finance Meeting ~ 5:00PM

September 11th: RALLY DAY ~ Service at 9:00AM, Coffee Hour to Follow

September 11th: Grandparents' Day, Patriot Day

September 12th: First Day of Christian Nursery School

September 12th: Worship & Music Meeting ~ 7:00PM

Council Meeting ~ 8:00 PM

September 15th: October Spire Submission Deadline

September 18th: Christian Education Classes Begin

September 22nd: October Spire Mailing ~ 9:30AM, Room 2000

Wednesdays Beginning September 7th: Bells Rehearsal ~ 7:00PM Choir Rehearsal ~ 8:00 PM

