

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

BEACH SERVICES - 8 AM @ North Beach
SANCTUARY SERVICE -10:30 AM

TEXTS FOR NEXT WEEK:

1 JOHN 3:16-24
JOHN 10:11-18

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THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to participate in the service please fill out the volunteer sign-up sheet or contact the church office for volunteer opportunities! **THANK YOU FOR WANTING TO BE A PART OF SOMETHING BIGGER THAN YOURSELF!**

BEACH CREW APRIL 15

Driver—Gerry L.
Set-up—Bridget C.
Altar—
Greeters/Communion—
Reader—Laura P.

BEACH CREW APRIL 22

Driver—Norm F.
Set-up—Judy F.
Altar—
Greeters/Communion—
Reader—Laura P.

ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

March 18	Attendance: 67 Offering: \$8144
March 25	Attendance: 44 Offering: \$2497
April 1	Attendance: 233 Offering: \$6407
April 8	Attendance: 71 Offering: \$2721

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Third Sunday After Easter

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April 15, 2018
Sanctuary Service

Welcome to Christ Lutheran Church!

"Christ Lutheran Church welcomes all who are seeking God's love and grace. We welcome all because God welcomes all, regardless of race or culture, sexual orientation, gender identity or relationship status. We welcome all without regard to addictions, physical or mental health, socio-economic circumstances or anything that too often divides us. We are committed to worshiping God, nurturing and caring for one another and equipping our members for witness and service in the world."

Pastor/Leader reading in plain print./Assembly response in bold print.

WELCOME

GATHERING SONG

"Hosanna, Hosanna...In the Highest"

1. Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na in the high -
 2. Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Glo - ry to the King of

est!
 kings! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho -
 Glo - ry! Glo - ry!

san - na in the high - est!
 Glo - ry to the King of kings! Lord, we lift up Your name,—

With hearts full of praise;— Be ex - alt - ed, oh—

Lord, my God! Ho - san - na in the high - est!
 Glo - ry to the King of kings!

SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

Bible Study—Every TUESDAY!



10 AM: Discusses Sunday's texts.
 6 PM: Reads books of the bible in their entirety! This week we are continuing our reading of the book of Exodus.
 Newcomers always welcome, all levels of Biblical knowledge celebrated.

Book Club News

CLC's Book Club is moving to Wednesday nights starting in April. We'll be reading "Happiness is a Choice You Make" by John Leland this month and discussing it at our potluck in the Fireside Room on April 25 at 6 p.m. "An extraordinary look at what it means to grow old and a heartening guide to well-being," this book is a New York Times bestseller. Please join us!

Yoga—In the Sanctuary

Thursdays 9 AM and 5 PM



Community Acupuncture

Community Acupuncture returns March 20 and will now be offered the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month

WELCA

WELCA meets Wednesday the 11th at 1pm in the Fireside Room. Please join this wonderful gathering of women of the congregation for food, fellowship and conversation

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

"I will not die an un-lived life. I will not live in fear of falling or catching fire. I choose to inhabit my days, to allow my living to open me, to make me less afraid, more accessible, to loosen my heart until it becomes a wing, a torch, a promise. I choose to risk my significance; to live so that which comes to me as seed goes to the next as blossom and that which comes to me as blossom, goes on as fruit."

~ Dawna Markova

LOVING YOUR NEIGHBOR

Laundry Love

Laundry Love is this Wednesday from 2-5 at Laundry Basket South 2405 S. El Camino Real. We thank God for this ministry to the working poor and homeless of San Clemente.

Shepherd's Fund

Our Shepherd's Fund offering will be received today. Because of you, Laundry Love remains a vibrant ministry, local homeless ministries can be supported and we can dream of future caring ministries at Christ Lutheran and throughout South Orange County.

Prayer Teams

Prayer Teams forming! A healthy church is a praying church! We will be forming prayer teams to hold Christ Lutheran, San Clemente, our nation and our world in prayer each week. You'll learn about various methods of praying and journaling and have a front-row seat for the Holy Spirit's movement among us! Please see Pastor Brenda for details.

The Barn Raising Fundraiser

June 9 from 3-8 PM. This is your opportunity to see Luther Glen, enjoy fellowship with our community and help raise enough money to begin building the Luther Glen Barn! 3-5 Activities/Silent Auction, 5-5:30 Presentation/Blessing, 5:30-6:30 Dinner, 6:30 Live Auction. Please join in the fun and help us raise enough money to BUILD THAT BARN!

Passive Giving with Ralphs Rewards

Ralphs is helping you give back with your groceries! Simply register your Ralph's card at www.ralphs.com/topic/community-contribution-2 using one of our community organization numbers below, that's it! (Oh and, of course, shop at Ralph's.)
La Cristianita Preschool—#83385
Christ Lutheran Church—#83297

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.

OPENING PRAYER

LECTOR

Holy and righteous God, you are the author of life, and you adopt us to be your children. Fill us with your words of life, that we may live as witnesses to the resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE FIRST READING

LECTOR

Luke 24:36b-48

While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

P: Holy wisdom, holy word.

C: Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

“Alleluia, Alleluia”

THE GOSPEL

The holy gospel according to John, the 3rd chapter.

C: Glory to you O Lord.

1 John 3:1-7

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

P: This is the gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

“Alleluia, Alleluia”

SENDING BLESSING

SENDING SONG

“Sent Forth By God's Blessing”

DISMISSAL

P: Go in Peace, Jesus Lives.

C: Thanks be to God.

THE COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Communion is taken by dipping bread into wine or juice. All are welcome at God's table.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

"Let Us Break Bread Together"



- 1 Let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees;
- 2 Let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees;
- 3 Let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees;



let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees.
let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees.
let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees.



When I fall on my knees, with my face to the ris - ing



sun, O Lord, have mer - cy on me.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Life-giving God,
in the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection
you send light to conquer darkness,
water to give new life,
and the bread of heaven to nourish your people.
Send us forth as witnesses to Jesus' resurrection
that we may show your glory to all the world;
through the same Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
Amen.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"Alleluia, Alleluia"

SERMON

THE HYMN OF THE DAY

"The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing"



- 1 The trum - pets sound, the an - gels sing, the feast is
- 2 Ta - bles are la - den with good things; oh, taste the
- 3 The hun - gry heart he sat - is - fies, of - fers the



read - y to be - gin. The gates of heav'n are o - pen wide,
peace and joy he brings. He'll fill you up with love di - vine;
poor his par - a - dise. Now hear all heav'n and earth ap - plaud



and Je - sus wel - comes you in - side.
he'll turn your wa - ter in - to wine.
the a - maz - ing good - ness of the Lord.



Sing with thank - ful - ness songs of pure de - light.



Come and rev - el in heav - en's love and light.



Take your place at the ta - ble of the King.



The feast is read - y to be - gin;



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THE APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into Hell
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

You are invited to take the hand of one near you as we pray the words our Lord Jesus taught us:

THE LORD'S PRAYER (please join hands with worshippers near you.)

**C: Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

P: In the night in which he was betrayed,
 our Lord Jesus took bread,
 and gave thanks; broke it,
 and gave it to his disciples,
 saying: Take and eat;
 this is my body, given for you.
 Do this for the remembrance of me.
 Again, after supper,
 he took the cup, gave thanks,
 and gave it for all to drink,
 saying: This cup 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.
 Every time we take this cup, every time we eat this bread,
 we proclaim the mystery of faith.

C: Christ has died, Christ is Risen, Christ will come again.

P: O God of resurrection and new life:
 Pour out your Holy Spirit on us
 and on these gifts of bread and wine.
 Bless this feast.
 Grace our table with your presence.
 Come, Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

P: Lord, in Your mercy.

C: **Hear our prayer.**

Jesus you come to us in our fear. Comfort us when we are overwhelmed. Re-
 mind us of your presence. Lord in your mercy...

Jesus you are so much more than we imagine. Open our eyes to the truth of
 your Resurrection. Teach us to live eternally, with hope and courage. Lord in
 your mercy...

Jesus you want to join us in our day-to-day lives, in our conversations and at
 our meals. Help us invite you into all areas of our lives. Lord in your mercy...

Jesus you call us to repentance and then you forgive us. Encourage us to con-
 fess and receive. Heal us from our brokenness. Lord in your mercy...

Additional petitions may be said. A time of silence is kept.

P: Into your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy,
 in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

HEALTH CONCERNS— Alex S., Baby Armani, Baby Kaylo, Baby Samuel, Ben S., Bev D. (stroke),
 Brad (cancer), Brent's Sister (cancer), Butch S. (hospice), Cameron S. (childhood cancer), Caren,
 Cathy O. (mental health), Cousin Vinny (cancer), Debbie H. (stroke), Gasbar (healing), Jeff T.,
 Jim T., Julie G. (Tumors), Julie H. (brain cancer), Kelly B., (cancer), Larry (in hospital), Larry K., Linda
 A., Little Uncle Mike (cancer), Margie A. (healing), Mary C., Michael (cancer), Mike M. (surgery
 recovery), Mr. A, Nestor M. (surgery, healing), Pop (cancer), Rick, Sandie B. and mom(stroke),
 Sheri M., Stephanie S., Susan, Tom (surgery), Tom in Tx, Tom W., Vinny

FOR INDIVIDUALS— Angie, Baby Kaylo, Lydiane & RJ, Ben S., Billy, Bonnie, Brennan D., Brian H.,
 Brooklyn D., Bruce, Casey, Cathy, Cecil H., Cope, Darren, David, David L., Debbie M., Debbie E.,
 Ed D. , Emilie, Evan D., Fab, Flo, Gene D., Ghana, Gwen, Harriet B., Janice, Jean, Joann R., Jo-
 anne C., Joe, John, Jon, Josh, Joshua, Julia, Jushua, Judie T., Judy S., Kathie, Kathleen, Katie,
 Kelly, Kurt, Lila, Lilly, Loralie S., Marie (Work), Mary Ann W., Natalie, Nester M., Queenie, Richard R.,
 Rick, Ricky, Robert U., Ron, Rose, Ry, Sam, Samuel, Sonia & Jeff, Tom M., Tom W., Vonne, William L.

FOR FAMILIES— Armani (new life in America, health of baby), Brooks, Buck, Davis, Doner, Dyer,
 Hoffman, Hone, Kincaid, Kirk K. and Family, Milversted, Natalie's Family dealing with her passing,
 Reynolds, Rickett, Shafai, Ted A. and Family, Wilcox , The Working Family, Families divided by Sin to
 unite in HIS peace and forgiveness

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Please greet those around you.

OFFERING

"As the Deer"

1. As the deer pant-eth for the wa-ter, so my
2. You're my friend and You are my broth-er ev-er
3. I want You more than gold or sil-ver, on-ly

soul long-eth af-ter Thee. You a-lone are my
though You are a King. I love You more than
You can sat-isfy. You a-lone are the

heart's de-sire, and I long to wor-ship Thee.
an-yoth-er, So much more than an-y-thing.
real joy-giv-er and the ap-ple of my eye.

You a-lone are my strength, my shield; To You a-lone may my
spir-it yield. You a-lone are my

heart's de-sire, and I long to wor-ship Thee.

Chords: D, A/C#, Bm, Dsus/A, D/A, G, A7sus, A7, D, G/A, A7, D, A/C#, Bm, Dsus/A, D/A, G, A7sus, A7, D, Bm, Bm/A, G, D2/F#, G, Bm/F#, Em, F#sus, F#, D, A/C#, Bm, Dsus/A, D/A, G, A7sus, A7, D

HOLY COMMUNION

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,

that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ,
the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin;
who in dying has destroyed death,
and in rising has brought us to eternal life.
And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the
witnesses of the resurrection,
with earth and sea and all their creatures,
and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

"Holy, Holy"

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry.
Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.