

Messiah Lutheran Church

Christ Lutheran Academy

2026 22ND Avenue, Kenosha, Wisconsin 53140

The Rev. Gregory Grenyo, Vacancy Pastor

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Trinity 7– July 22, 2012

VISITORS WELCOME! – A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after the service, and we pray that you will hear and receive the Word of God with joy in our midst.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: During the offering we ask that you sign the friendship register located at the center aisle of each pew. Please hand the filled in sheet to the usher as you exit. Let the usher know if you don't have a pad in your pew.



OUR COMMUNION PRACTICE : In the fullness of time, the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth. Until the end of time, His grace is still given to us as He promised it in the Lord's Supper. As we receive His gift today, we would ask *guests* who desire to commune to speak with the pastor *before* the service. In joyful obedience to the teaching of Scripture, we practice closed communion.

PRAYER FOR RIGHT RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION: O Lord, our God, in the name of whose only-begotten Son we have been called to be Christians and have been blest with Baptism for the remission of sins, make us, we pray, ready to receive the most holy body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of all our sins and to give thanks with grateful hearts to you, O Father, to your Son, and to the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

FLOWERS: The flowers on the altar are provided by the Metallo family in honor of Chris' birthday.

VACANCY: Pastor Grenyo will be in the office every Sunday from 8:00 to 8:30 am if you need to speak with him. If you have a pastoral emergency, please contact Pastor Karl Luchterhand. His home number is 633-1115 and his cell is 664-3943. His email address is kluchterhand@racinelutheran.org. His office hours at Messiah will be on Saturday mornings from 9 to 11am.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION: Thank you to all of you who donate the Box Tops for Education to CLA. We have raised \$560 for the 2011-2012 school year! If you've never collected the box tops and would like to start then send an e-mail to headmaster@christlutheranacademy.com to find out where to put them. Thank you!

CLA STORE: Purchase your "CLA Gear" or buy other Lutheran gifts at: <http://www.cafepress.com/christlutheranacademy>. All proceeds from the profit of these products go directly to benefit the education of our children at Christ Lutheran Academy.

VBS: Lamb of God will be hosting *An Amazing Desert Journey* August 6-10, from 9-11:45 daily. Children from age 3 through 6th grade are cordially invited to attend. To register your children OR volunteer to help out for a day or for the week, please call Lamb of God at 697-1701 to leave a message. Thanks, Martha Plapp, VBS Coordinator.

CRYSTAL STOLL: Crystal Stoll is at Hospitality Nursing and Rehab. They anticipate she will be there at least through August. Cards, letters, and visits are welcome. She is in room 216. The address is 8633 32nd Ave, Kenosha, WI 53142.

LIVING WELL: Kenosha County is hosting a Living Well Program at St. Catherine Commons. It is a 6 week course starting July 24th at 10:00. Each session is 2.5 hours long. It works with participants to help them feel better, learn to relax, reduce pain and limitations, increase fitness and self-confidence and enjoy being with people like themselves. For more information or to register, go to <https://sites.google.com/site/livingwellinkenoshacounty/> or call Renee Foy at 262-605-6650.

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THE PREPARATION

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THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Introit.....Insert
Kyrie (*Lord, have mercy*)..... 168
Gloria in Excelsis.....170
Collect.....Insert
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This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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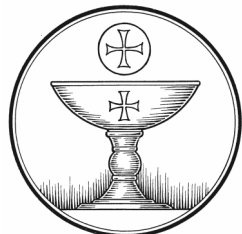
*Please Remain Standing for Final Hymn
Announcements*

In Our Prayers

- For all the children and Christ Lutheran Academy Staff: Debi Tauschek (Headmaster), Karen Moe, Elyse Ahlgrimm, Ruth Mallman, Stephanie Zuehls, Kris Grenyo, & Christa Hegland.
- Exor Padro, Joshua Jacobs, Ted & Katie Hart, Allen Weber, and Lynn Christensen, our members and family members who serve in the armed forces.
- Shut-Ins: Elsie Rintamaki, Arby Tobalsky, Marlene Jeschke, and Lillian Sciortino.
- For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including Dennis Metallo, Joe Kayon, Mary Louise Trapp (mother of Bob Trapp), Richard Cleereman, Cheri Jennings (cancer, CLA parent), John Hrupka, Crystal Stoll, George Metallo, Peter Campagna, Barbara, Karen Griffen (Marilyn Dissen's sister), Elmer Zuehls (Jeff Zuehl's father), Fred Dissen (Bill Dissen's brother), Alison Daughtery (granddaughter of George & Lois Metallo), Parker & Camden Blair, Kathy Shafer (surgery tomorrow), and Richard Lowe (friend of Debi Tauschek).
- For Messiah as we call a new pastor.

Christ's Servants Today

Elder: Don Moe
 Ushers: Keith & Jacob Kentala
 Greeter: Toni Marshman
 Altar Guild: Diane Eisenbraun & Kathy Capriotti
 Organist: Evone Hagerman
 Cookies:



INCOME

Average Budget Income needed in a week \$3,255
 Budget Income received 7/8 \$2,164
 Budget Income received to needed -\$1,091
 Received to Budget YTD 2012 (Deficit) \$

Attendance 7/8: 110 Communed: 83

This Week's Events for Messiah

July 28th CLA 10th Anniversary Celebration at LOG

Future Events for Messiah

July 29th CLA 10th Anniversary Celebration at Messiah

Wedding Anniversaries

7/24 John & Carol Hernandez
 7/25 Richard & Meri Jo Cleereman

Baptism Anniversaries

7/22 Dennis Helmke
 Megan Kueker
 7/23 Troy Kullbacki
 7/25 Alex Weber
 7/27 Krista Vinanskie

Pray for our members

7/22 Jacqueline Tauschek
 7/23 Brent Jiter
 7/24 Kathy Capriotti
 7/25 Jeff Zuehls
 7/26 Kathy Leisten
 7/27 George Rabey
 7/28 Marilyn Dissen

Birthdays

7/22 Kelly Pederson
 7/23 Troy Wohlgefahr
 7/25 Pam Del Frate
 7/26 Lauren Noble
 Robert Zuehls

**Seventh Sunday after Trinity
 July 22, 2012**



Jesus Restores Paradise and Feeds Us Freely

In the Garden of Eden, our first parents received food freely from the gracious hand of God, apart from any burdensome work (Gen 2:7-17). But after the fall, food would be received only through toil and labor. The curse declared, "By the sweat of your face you shall eat bread, till you return to the ground . . ." (Gen. 3:19). In other words, "The wages of sin is death" (Rom. 6:23). But into this wilderness world came Jesus the Messiah to restore creation. Having compassion on the weary multitudes, He renewed the bounty of Eden on the third day, freely granting an abundance of bread to the 4,000 (Mark 8:1-9). So also our Lord Jesus, having endured the burden of our sin, was raised on the third day to bring us back to Paradise. He now miraculously turns the bread of death into the Bread of Life in the Sacrament, giving you His very body and blood for your forgiveness. For "the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Rom. 6:23).