

The Christ Candle October 2024

Inside This Issue

Birthdays / Upcoming Events News / Information Church Council / Finance

> Calendar / Worship Assistant Schedule

CLC Staff

The Reverend Dale M. Zylstra Kelly Seitzinger - Secretary Abigayle Kubiak - Organist

Congregation Council Officers

Nancy Zimmerman - President Don Winston -Vice-President Jan Kopischke- Secretary Kelly Seitzinger - Treasurer Dara Kubiak - Financial Secretary

Council Members

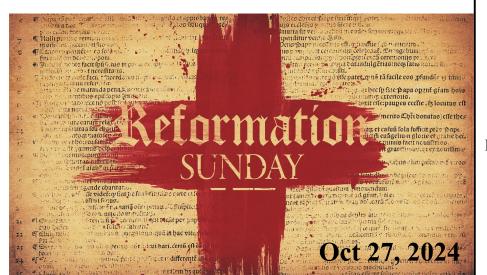
Mike Vidimos Bob Talley Dave Holeman Shirley Whitesell Elden LaHayne Robin Bellamy Art Cimnovski

Ministry Team Leaders

Worship & Music Director— Jan Kopischke Choir Director—Lori Zylstra JuBellation Director—Judy Rodgers Genesis Bells Director— Jan Kopischke

Fellowship - Esther Fuehrer Finance/Stewardship -Social Outreach- Julie Vidimos Property - Don Winston Christian Ed - Robin Bellamy SCS Superintendent - Kelly Seitzinger Visitation - Rosemary Wignall Worship & Music - Judy Rodgers Youth Ministry - Robin Bellamy

**All meetings are open to members of the congregation.
Scheduled meetings are sometimes adjusted based upon the ministry team members schedules.



CHRISTLUTHERANCHURCH

~ An E.L.C.A. Congregation ~ 7051 Indianapolis Blvd, Hammond, IN 46324

The Reverend Dale M. Zylstra

The Reverend James T. Swanson, Pastor Emeritus

Phone: (219) 844-6122 Website: clchammond.com Office Email: office.clch@gmail.com Pastor's Email: pastor.clch@gmail.com

The Christ Candle





Mark Your Calendar Dates to Remember!

- Oct 06 Installation of Musicians
- Oct 27 Confirmation Sunday/ Reformation
- Nov 03 Daylight Savings Time Ends All Saints Sunday
- Dec 01 Advent Begins

+ REFORMATION SUNDAY + Martin Luther

Reformation Day is an important liturgical festival that is celebrated by Lutherans and Christians of many Protestant

denominations. It commemorates Dr. Martin Luther's posting of his *Ninety-five Theses* on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany on October 31, 1517. This act triggered the movement in world history

known as the Reformation. While the historical date for the observance of Reformation is October 31st, most churches celebrate it on the last Sunday in October.



Estuary Group - Oct 2nd

Estuary Group with Pastor Dale meets the 1st Wednesday of every month at 7pm in Byquist Hall.



All Saints Sunday

Nov 3rd is All Saints Sunday. If you wish to add a name to this years list, you will soon find sign up sheets in the Narthex. You may also email the name to the office.



Check out our website. Visit us at: clchammond.com



Go to YouTube.com and Search:

Christ Lutheran Hammond IN





If we haven't found you yet...check us out on Facebook!!! Search: Christ Lutheran Church Hammond Come out for a wonderful music festival and see our own members Lori Zylstra & Jan Kopischke sing with the choir!

Valpo's Lutheran Centennial Hymn Festival

500-Voice Choir Chorale, Kantorei, Bach Choir Chamber Concert Band Symphony Orchestra Organist Julie Grindle '92



PARTICIPATE: Sing with the 500-Voice Choir.



Saturday October 5, 2024 4:00 PM Chapel of the Resurrection Free and open to the public More information at valpo.edu/music

Highland Community Band Fall Concert Thursday October 17, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.

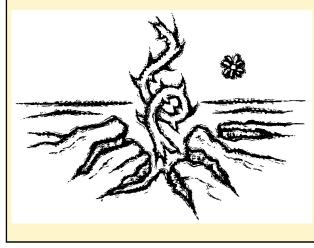


Come join us for a free performance by the Highland Community Band! Performance will be held at the Highland High School auditorium.. Come out and support our members in the band...it's always an amazing concert!

+ SUNDAYS AFTER PENTECOST +

This is the longest stretch of Sundays of the Christian church year known by many Christians as "Ordinary Time," "Time of the Church," or "Time after Pentecost." This time is neither watchful like Advent and Lent, nor celebrative like Christmas and Easter.

The Time After Pentecost relates to the time between the Age of the Apostles and the End of the World -- it relates to *now*, to the Church guided by the Holy Spirit, to our sanctification.



The season of Pentecost is bracketed by two major festival days. The first is *Holy Trinity Sunday* being the first Sunday after the Day of Pentecost. The second is *Christ the King Sunday* being the last Sunday in the season of Pentecost and of the church year. Both Sundays are given the color of white. The long series of Sundays in between are given the color of green representing growth as disciples of Jesus.

Christ Lutheran is signed up for online giving.

You can still give your offering in the plate at church or by mail, this is just another way to give. Simply go to Tithe.ly website or download the app and set up an account. It walks you through a few simple steps and your ready to go!





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 Pentecost 19	30	I	2	3	4	5
9am SCS, Confirmation & Adult Ed			7:00pm Estuary	6:15pm Genesis 7:00pm JuBellation 8:00pm Choir		
10:30am Worship						
6 Pentecost 20	7	8	9	10	11	12
9am SCS, Confirmation & Adult Ed			7:00pm Council	6:15pm Genesis 7:00pm JuBellation 8:00pm Choir		
10:30am Worship 12:00pm Worship						
& Music Mtg.						
I3 Pentecost 2I	14	15	16	17	18	19
9am SCS, Confirmation & Adult Ed			7:00pm Men's Group	7:00pm Highland Community Band Concert		
10:30am Worship						
20 Pentecost 22	21	22	23	24	25	26
9am SCS, Confirmation & Adult Ed				6:15pm Genesis 7:00pm JuBellation 8:00pm Choir		Hall Rental
10:30am Worship						
12:00pm Christian Ed Mtg.						
27 Reformation	28	29	30	31	I	2
9am SCS, Confirmation & Adult Ed				6:15pm Genesis 7:00pm JuBellation 8:00pm Choir		
10:30am Worship						