

**Holy Cross** **GROW**  
**IN FAITH.**  
**SERVE THE LORD.**

**SUNDAY June 24, 2017**  
**HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH ELCA**

**ELCA Youth Gathering**

Twenty three youth and four adult leaders will travel to Houston this week to be part of the ELCA's triennial Youth Gathering. The group will depart on June 26 and return on July 2. They will spend 6 days in Houston worshipping with 30,000 other youth! As young people desire and struggle to find someone to become, somewhere to belong, and something to do, the Gathering seeks to be a ministry that helps define some of that or at least open up pathways of discovery. Ultimately, we want youth to understand the fierce love that God has for them, just as they are.



Please keep the group in your prayers as they finish preparations and embark on the amazing faith journey God has for them. Stay connected to the group in Houston by checking the updates on the Holy Cross Facebook Page and the Crossing on Instagram. The Youth Gathering will be live streaming at [www.elca.org/youthgathering](http://www.elca.org/youthgathering) all evening Mass Gatherings from 7:15 to 9:15 pm as well as Sunday worship at 9:30 am.

The following members will be attending the Gathering:

**Youth Participants:**

- |                   |                              |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Sara Booher       | Lauren Schmitz               |
| Eli Conrad        | Sam Singers                  |
| Connor Day        | Ethen Tretheway              |
| Arisa Ferguson    | Anna Wattenbach              |
| Gracie Gauger     | Tabitha Wechlo               |
| Alex Grennier     | Hayden Wechlo                |
| Ian Hinton        | John Wiesneski               |
| Katherine Kirk    | Kayla Wiesneski              |
| Brandon Montijo   | Lizzie Wozniczka             |
| Miranda Montijo   | <b><u>Adult Leaders:</u></b> |
| Matt Placzek      | Hans Becklin                 |
| Dani Rabay        | Amanda Juedes                |
| McKenna Rasmussen | Rita Wiesneski               |
| Bryan Rothe       |                              |

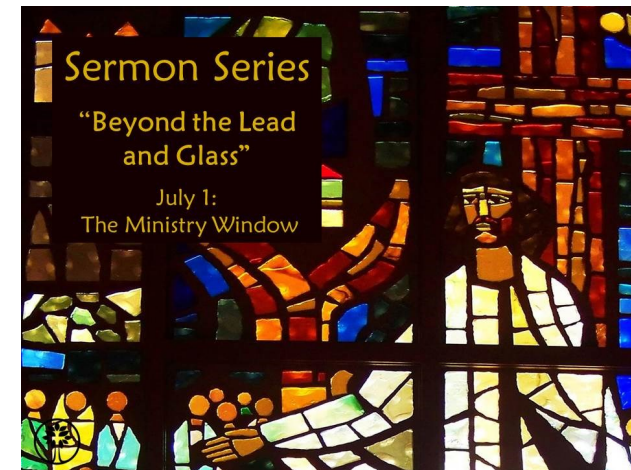
**Prayer Shawls & Pocket Prayer Cloths**

Our Prayer Shawl/Cloth Ministry is a way to care for people who are suffering by comforting them in the prayer and love that is part of each piece that is created. That love then continues during and after the presentation of the shawl/cloth. When the creator starts to crochet or knit, they begin with prayer and go on praying for the recipient, using prayers provided or those of their own.

**How you can help?**

- Volunteer to knit or crochet.
- Furnish the name of an individual who is in need because of a serious illness, grief or in a transition. Request cards are available near the Prayer Box in the Narthex across from the Welcome Desk.
- Make a monetary donation to cover the cost of yarn.

If you would like to know about our Prayer Shawl or Pocket Cloth Ministries, contact Deacon Ellie, Minister of Care and Community at 251-2740 or [cedellie@yahoo.com](mailto:cedellie@yahoo.com).



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To become an electronic giver through checking or savings, go to our website [www.holycrosslutheran.org](http://www.holycrosslutheran.org) to print out a Simply Giving enrollment form or pick one up outside the church office. Through our website you can enroll with the option of using a credit card for your contributions. Please remember that using a credit card carries merchant fees for Holy Cross so using your checking or savings account would always be preferred. If you use a credit card, consider checking the box for an additional contribution to offset fees. Questions? Call 251-2740 or email [bethd@holycrosslutheran.org](mailto:bethd@holycrosslutheran.org)

**PRAYER CONNECTION**

Join the Prayer Chain or submit a request by emailing [prayerchain@holycrosslutheran.org](mailto:prayerchain@holycrosslutheran.org)  
 MEMORIAL CHART

- ~Coffee Hour support is given by Dave & Diane Jewell in honor of Tyler & Steff's 5th anniversary.
- NOISY OFFERING
- ~Scholarships for education in Seela Parish, Tanzania

## EVENT SIGN UP SHEET

Please use this form to sign up for activities/events at Holy Cross. Fill out the form, and include the fee or amount of deposit, if any. Return the form to the church office or drop it in the offering plate. Use a generic envelope if you are adding the fee in church. If the event or activity you are interested in is not listed, write it in the space at the bottom of this sheet and someone will contact you.

### **Ushers Needed**

- I am interested in being an usher at the 10:30 service on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. Please call me with more information.

### **Scrip**

- I would be interested in selling Scrip. I understand my time commitment is approximately 8 times a year. Please call me with more information.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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| <b>AUTHORIZATION FORM</b>  |   |
|--|---|
| Church name: _____   |   |
| Your name: _____   |   |
| Address: _____   |   |
| City, State, Zip: _____  |   |
| Email address: _____   |   |
| I would like to make the following contribution(s):  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Operating Fund      \$ _____  | Date of first contribution: ___/___/___<br><br>Frequency of contribution (check one):<br><input type="checkbox"/> Weekly – Mondays<br><input type="checkbox"/> Semi-monthly – 1 <sup>st</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup><br><input type="checkbox"/> Monthly on the 1 <sup>st</sup><br><input type="checkbox"/> Monthly on the 15 <sup>th</sup> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Fund                      \$ _____   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                      \$ _____   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                      \$ _____   |   |
| <b>Total</b> \$ _____  |   |
| <b>CHECKING / SAVINGS</b> <i>Complete this section if using your checking or savings account</i>   |   |
| Please debit my (check one):   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Checking account—attach voided check <input type="checkbox"/> Savings account—attach voided deposit slip  |   |
| Routing # _____  | Account # _____   |
| <i>Valid routing # must start with 0, 1, 2 or 3</i>  |   |
| I authorize the above organization to process debit entries to the above account. I understand that this authority will remain in effect until I provide reasonable notification to terminate the authorization. |   |
| <b>Authorized signature:</b> _____ Date: ___/___/___   |   |

Website Calendar

Jul 2018 (Central Time)

| Sun   | Mon  | Tue  | Wed   | Thu   | Fri  | Sat   |
|---|--|--|---|---|--|---|
| 1<br>ELCA Youth Gathering @ Offsite<br>7:45am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>8:30am - Scrip Sale @ Gathering<br>9am - Celebration Band @ Choir<br>9am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>10:30am - Worship @ Sanctuary                        | 2  | 3<br>6:30pm - Property Team Meeting  | 4<br>Office Closed  | 5<br>9am - To Do Crew @ Gathering   | 6<br>Church Office Closes At Noon @<br>6pm - Hochmuth/Salfer   | 7<br>1pm - Hochmuth/Salfer Wedding<br>5pm - Worship @ Sanctuary                                     |
| 8<br>7:45am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>8:30am - Blood Pressure<br>8:30am - Mt. Meru Coffee &<br>8:30am - Scrip Sale @ Gathering<br>9am - Celebration Band @ Choir<br>9am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>10:30am - Worship @ Sanctuary | 9  | 10<br>10am - Staff Meeting @ 109<br>6pm - MEB @ Office/Workroom<br>6:30pm - Tweens Bible Science<br>7pm - Baptism Seminar @<br>7pm - Glocal @ 102/103<br>7:15pm - Finance @ Workroom | 11<br>1pm - Martha Circle @ Library<br>6pm - Worship Service @                            | 12<br>9am - To Do Crew @ Gathering<br>5:30pm - Community Banquet @<br>6pm - Stewardship @ Room 109<br>6pm - Worship Team @<br>7pm - Council @ 102/103 | 13<br>Church Office Closes At Noon @<br>5pm - Jankowski/Furrer | 14<br>1pm - Jankowski/Furrer Wedding<br>5pm - Blood Pressure Screening<br>5pm - Worship @ Sanctuary |
| 15<br>7:45am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>8:30am - Scrip Sale @ Gathering<br>9am - Celebration Band @ Choir<br>9am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>10:30am - Worship @ Sanctuary   | 16   | 17<br>6:30pm - Tweens Bible Science  | 18<br>6pm - Worship Service @   | 19  | 20<br>Church Office Closes At Noon @                           | 21<br>7:30am - Men In Mission 2.0 @<br>5pm - Worship @ Sanctuary                                    |
| 22<br>7:45am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>8:30am - Scrip Sale @ Gathering<br>9am - Celebration Band @ Choir<br>9am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>10:30am - Worship @ Sanctuary   | 23<br>9am - Summer Music Camp @<br>6:30pm - Christian Ed @ | 24<br>9am - Summer Music Camp @<br>10am - Staff Meeting @ 109<br>6pm - Evangelism @<br>6:30pm - Tweens Bible Science   | 25<br>9am - Summer Music Camp @<br>5:30pm - Care & Community @<br>6pm - Worship Service @ | 26<br>9am - Summer Music Camp @<br>9am - To Do Crew @ Gathering<br>5:30pm - Community Banquet @   | 27<br>Church Office Closes At Noon @                           | 28<br>Stephen Ministry Blessing @<br>5pm - Worship, SMC @ Sanctuary                                 |
| 29<br>Stephen Ministry Blessing @<br>7:45am - Worship @ Sanctuary<br>8:30am - Scrip Sale @ Gathering<br>9am - Celebration Band @ Choir<br>9am - Worship, SMC @ Sanctuary<br>10:30am - Worship, SMC @                          | 30   | 31<br>10am - Staff Meeting @ 109<br>6:30pm - Tweens Bible Science  | 1   | 2   | 3  | 4   |

## July 2018 Connection

### **Ushers**

#### **June 30 & July 1**

5:00 pm Pat Hansen team  
7:45 am Arlene Mahnke team  
9:00 am Ken Dux team  
10:30 am Andy & Teri Frailing team

#### **July 7 & 8**

5:00 pm Marvin Jacobson team  
7:45 am Ron Jaeger team  
9:00 am Walter Blahnik team  
10:30 am Mark Rothe team

#### **July 14 & 15**

5:00 pm Pat Hansen team  
7:45 am Randy Kressin team  
9:00 am Bill Marohl team  
10:30 am Jason Meier team

#### **July 21 & 22**

5:00 pm David & Janet Blank team  
7:45 am Bev Green team  
9:00 am Glenn & Carolyn Schellhaas team  
10:30 am Mark Hacker team

#### **July 28 & 29**

5:00 pm Lynda & Bob Ferguson team  
7:45 am George & Nanette Hegerty team  
9:00 am Don & Sandy Earnest team  
10:30 am Kim & Jeff Young team

### **Greeters**

#### **June 30 & July 1**

5:00 pm Lee & Judy Paul, Pat Stelzer  
7:45 am Glen & Gail Borchardt, Bruce & Sandy Schwoch, Bob & Deb Stresing  
9:00 am Donna Wechlo, Quentin Redding, Caden Peifer  
10:30 am Mark & Cheryl Schmitz, Dave & Diane Jewell

#### **July 7 & 8**

5:00 pm Lowell & Mary Carl, Wendy Kalland  
7:45 am Patsy Baer, Glenn & Carolyn Schellhaas  
9:00 am Donna James Romano, Avis Dallman, Richard & Donna Hoffman  
10:30 am Susan Gartzke

#### **July 14 & 15**

5:00 pm Barb Berg, Mary Ann Holt  
7:30 am Don & Sandy Earnest, Marilyn Heyde, Sandy & Bob Schlag

9:00 am Bob & Coleen Reshel, Betty Redding  
10:30 am George & Donita Bruder, Darlene Kullmann, Nick & Vicki Montijo

#### **July 21 & 22**

5:00 pm Anne & Paul Lindemann, Kaeley Gensler, Stephanie Truckenmiller  
7:45 am Pete Gullickson, Stan & Carole Grove, George & Betty Klaus  
9:00 am Donna Kennedy, Jill Konicek, Janelle Beckman-Rudolph & Gary Rudolph  
10:30 am Eleonore & Jack Kamoske, Stan & Mary Kay Winarski, Bobbi, Todd & Arabella Fochs

#### **June 28 & 29**

5:00 pm Mary Ann Holt, Arlene Watson  
7:45 am Eileen Corbeille  
9:00 am Kelly & Steve Stapelman, Howard Westfahl  
10:30 am Bob & Lisa Burmeister, Kim & Scott Rasmussen, Betty Redding

### **Worship Assistants**

#### **July 1**

Stan Winarski

#### **July 8**

Deni Naumann

#### **July 15**

Scott Steinke

#### **July 22**

Mark Christiaansen

#### **July 29**

SMC

### **Lectors**

#### **July 30 & July 1**

5:00 pm  
7:45 am Mary Fieldhack  
9:00 am Keri Duce  
10:30 am Michael Burnham

#### **July 7 & 8**

5:00 pm Joan Reinke  
7:45 am Joan Timmerman  
9:00 am Deni Naumann  
10:30 am Arlene Watson

#### **July 11**

6:00 pm Scott Steinke

#### **July 14 & 15**

5:00 pm Wendy Kalland  
7:45 am Ron Jaeger  
9:00 am Bill Winge  
10:30 am Scott Steinke

#### **July 18**

6:00 pm Lisa Kreuziger

#### **July 21 & 22**

5:00 pm Angela Hexom  
7:45 am Cathy Brill  
9:00 am Mark Christiaansen  
10:30 am Phil Smith

#### **July 25**

6:00 pm Doug Dettmers  
**July 28 & 29**  
5:00 pm SMC  
7:45 am Mary Fieldhack  
9:00 am SMC  
10:30 am SMC

#### **August 1**

6:00 pm Jill Konicek

### **Altar Guild**

Barb Berg, Lisa Burchardt, Sandy Lembke, Erika & Ray Sawvell

### **Welcome Center**

#### **June 30 & July 1**

4:40 pm Charlotte & Mason Draeger  
8:30 am Kelly & Steve Stapelman  
10:00 am JoAnn Hegarty

#### **July 7 & 8**

4:40 pm Patti Fetzer  
8:30 am Evangelism  
10:00 am Evangelism

#### **July 14 & 15**

4:40 pm Evangelism  
8:30 am Linda Schmidt  
10:00 am

#### **July 21 & 22**

4:40 pm Mary Ann Holt  
8:30 am Howie Westfahl  
10:00 am Eleonore Kamoske

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## SERVING ON June 30 & July 1

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Worship Schedule: Saturday-5:00 pm,

Sunday-7:45, 9:00 am & 10:30 am



## TODAY

**Reading:** Matthew 2:13-23, 3:13-17

**Worship Asst. & Lectors:** Avis Dallman, Sue Haberman,  
Carolyn Schellhaas, Mark Christiaansen

### Sunday 24

Scrip Sale  
Worship 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am  
Celebration Band 9:00 am

### Monday 25

Stephen Ministry 6:00 pm  
Christian Ed. 6:30 pm

### Tuesday 26

Staff Meeting 10:00 am  
Tweens 6:30 pm

### Wednesday 27

Care & Community 5:30 pm  
Worship 6:00 pm

### Thursday 28

To Do Crew 9:00 am  
Community Dinner 5:30 pm (St. James Catholic Church)

### Friday 29

Church Office Closes At Noon

### Saturday 30

Worship 5:00 pm

### Sunday 1

Scrip Sale  
Worship 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am  
Celebration Band 9:00 am

## ADULTS

~Save the date for the Fall Grief Group on Tuesdays October 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 from 6:30-8:00 pm. We will partner with Unity Lutheran Church at their Christ the King Campus at 4600 Pilgrim Road in Brookfield.

Some of the topics we will share with each other are:

**The Three Ns of Grief** (*"A Time to Grieve"* By Kenneth C, Haugk, *"Journeying through Grief,"* Book One

•"Grief in normal because it is how people respond to a significant loss."

•"Grief is natural in that it's a completely human thing to do."

•"Grief is necessary."

**Stages of Grief** (*"Good Grief"* By Granger E. Westberg, foreword by Dr. Timothy Johnson, M.D.)

- |              |   |
|--------------|---|
| •Stage One   | We Are in a State of Shock                      |
| •Stage Two   | We Express Emotion                              |
| •Stage Three | We Feel Depressed and Very Lonely               |
| •Stage Four  | We May Experience Physical Symptoms of Distress |
| •Stage Five  | We May Become Panicky                           |
| •Stage Six   | We Feel a Sense of Guilt about the Loss         |
| •Stage Seven | We Are Filled with Anger and Resentment         |
| •Stage Eight | We Resist Returning                             |
| •Stage Nine  | Gradually Hope Comes Through                    |
| •Stage Ten   | We Struggle to Affirm Reality                   |

## PRACTICE 7 ENCOURAGE



A kind gesture can reach a wound that only compassion can heal.

Steve Maraboli