



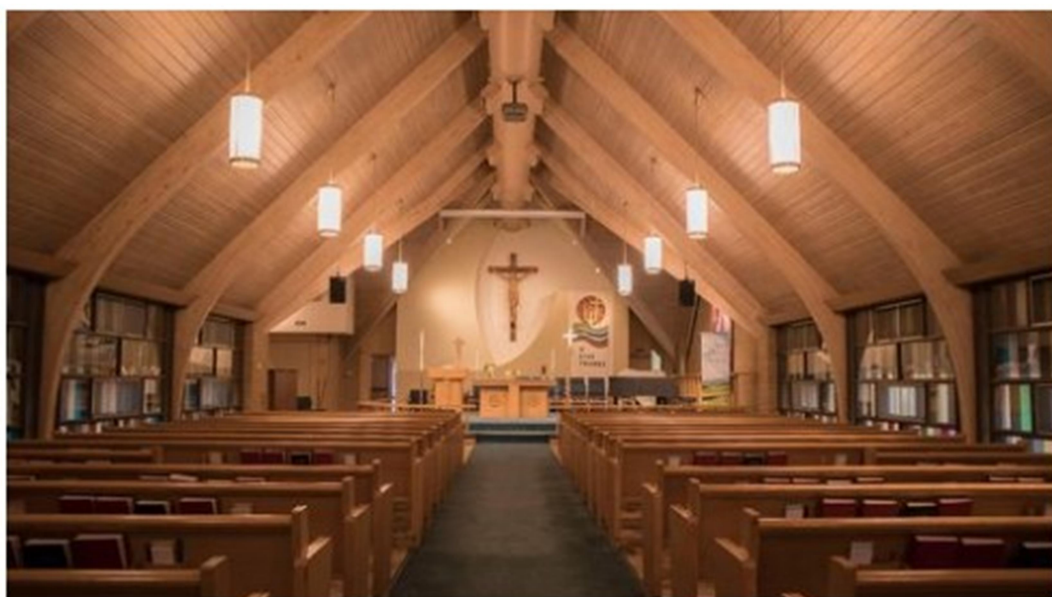
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# THE CLC FALL GAZETTE

Sharing Christ's Love with Neighbors - Growing More Like Jesus

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**Welcome to the Fall/Part II  
edition of the CLC Gazette!**



Our test pilot indoor/in-person worship service was a success.

HOWEVER: Due to the alarming increase in the number of  
Covid cases in our area

**ALL IN-PERSON WORSHIP IS SUSPENDED  
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

Watch your e-mail inboxes for updated information as it becomes available. And look for the Holiday issue of the Gazette which will include our holiday worship schedule, and messages from each of YOU to the congregation!

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**The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. 2 Cor. 13:14**

## WORSHIP

Recognizing that due to our human nature we will seldom, if ever reach 100% agreement; and acting in an abundance of caution to allow for the least amount of risk to the greatest number of people possible, the leadership team that you called and elected to serve Christ Lutheran Church has deemed the following protocols appropriate for our congregation to return to indoor/in-person worship at this time. These protocols are subject to change as the situation warrants.

Thank you for your understanding, patience, and encouragement as we all navigate these uncharted waters together.

**Romans 15:5-6: Now may the God of endurance and comfort give you unity with one another in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

### Sunday Mornings

We are currently offering only one option for Sunday morning worship, beginning at 10:30 a.m. each week.

Live-stream on Facebook: Join us on Facebook as we live-stream the service each Sunday. You will be able to see and hear the service as well as type in greetings and comments.

Go to: [facebook.com/clcpalatine/live](https://facebook.com/clcpalatine/live).

Recordings of the services are also available on our website.

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE SUMMARY

Sundays, Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 beginning at 10:30 a.m. Live-stream on Facebook.

Wednesday, Nov. 25 beginning at 7:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Service. Live-stream on Facebook.

### Weekday Prayers with Pastor Joel

Pastor Joel offers prayers every week, Monday through Friday at Noon and Saturdays at 7:00 p.m. There will be prayers and scripture readings. These short services are live-streamed on Facebook: [facebook.com/clcpalatine](https://facebook.com/clcpalatine).

Post comments, make prayer requests, join us!

**Spirited Women Bible Study:** The Spirited Women are meeting via Zoom every Monday at 7:00 pm. They are exploring the Bible study "Decisions." For more information or a connection invitation, please e-mail Kathy Secora: [ksecora@mc.net](mailto:ksecora@mc.net).

## OTHER NEWS

### Care Committee

A committee has been formed with the express purpose of ensuring that each member and friend of CLC feels cared for and loved during the time of physical distancing. We want you to know that you have NOT been forgotten. You will be contacted by U.S. mail and by e-mail with more information on the committee's goals and plans for the future. Please feel free to reach out to any of the committee members: Bob Magnussen: [bmagnussen@aol.com](mailto:bmagnussen@aol.com)  
Debbie Petersen: [debbiepetersen@msn.com](mailto:debbiepetersen@msn.com)  
Kathy Secora: [ksecora@mc.net](mailto:ksecora@mc.net)  
Susan Vevang: [svevang@aol.com](mailto:svevang@aol.com)  
Let us know how we can walk alongside you. Please continue to read your e-mail (be sure to check your "junk mail" folder for the occasional misdirected missive), our website, and our Facebook page.

### PADS Update

Thank you to everyone who has been so generous with your food donations in support of the PADS program.



Although we are not able to host guests in our building, we are still able to show the love of God to our neighbors.

Here is a list of current needs:

#### November 6 (dinner)

BBQ Sauce  
Baked beans  
Hamburger buns  
November 13 (dinner)  
10 lbs. of ground beef  
Stewed tomatoes  
Cornbread  
Salad fixings  
Dressing  
Dessert

If you would like to donate any of these items, please contact Arlene Schneiss either by e-mail: [arlenescheiss@gmail.com](mailto:arlenescheiss@gmail.com) or by phone: 847-651-1481.

### Thanksgiving Baskets

Our congregation is participating in the Thanksgiving Basket program in association with Palatine Township. This provides help for low income families. Please bring items to church any time between Nov. 1st and Nov. 15th. There will be bins at the top of the ramp on the west side of the building (Rohlwing Road side) where you can drop off your donations.

Suggested Basket Contents:

Canned Vegetables (up to 4 cans)  
Instant Mashed potatoes (1 large box)  
Chicken broth (2 cans)  
Jell-O (2 boxes)  
Coffee/Tea/or Hot Chocolate  
Piecrust Mix  
Pie filling (1 can)  
Cranberry Sauce (1 can)  
Cream of Mushroom Soup (1can)  
Stuffing (1 bag)  
Dessert Mix: Brownies or Cake (2 boxes)  
Turkey Gravy (2 cans)  
Sweet Potatoes (1 large can)  
Evaporated Milk (1 can)  
Fruit (2 cans)

Any extra food will go to the Food Pantry.

Please do not purchase a turkey. We will give the Township a \$25 gift certificate for each basket from the Outreach budget.

### Bike Club Hits the Trail

The CLC Bike Club visited Lanesboro, MN for 3 days during the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of September to ride the trails there. The weather was a bit cold and rainy (Who would expect a high of 52 the week of Labor Day? A 140-year low for that part of MN!), but there was enough dry time to do 2 rides on consecutive days for a total of 42 miles.



## CLOSING THOUGHTS

NOVEMBER IS NATIONAL GRATITUDE MONTH!

Gratitude, when practiced consistently, has powerful physical, psychological and emotional effects, such as an improved overall sense of well-being, a stronger immune system, fewer feelings of isolation, and better sleep. Here are 30 Bible verses; one for each day of November.

Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thess. 5:18	This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24	O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever. Psalm 136:1	And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Col. 3:15	Giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Eph. 5:20	The Lord is my strength and my shield; ...my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him. Psalm 28:7	But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession. 2 Cor. 2:14
Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Psalm 103:1	It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name. Psalm 92:1	The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end. Lam. 3:22	Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and bless his name. Psalm 100:4	Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with thanksgiving. Col. 4:2	But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Cor. 5:57	I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart. I will tell of all your wonderful deeds. Psalm 9:1
Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, Rejoice. Phil. 4:4	I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify him with thanksgiving. Psalm 69:30	Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift! 2 Cor. 9:15	O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples. 1 Chron. 16:8	And whatever you do, ...do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Col. 3:17	I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. Eph. 1:16	Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks. Hebrews 12:28
The Lord is my strength and my shield...with my song I give thanks to him. Psalm 28:7	And they sang...praising and giving thanks to the Lord. Ezra 3:11	To you, O God of my ancestors, I will give thanks and praise. Daniel 2:23	You will be enriched in every way for your generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God. 2 Cor. 9:11	Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving. Psalm 95:2	Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love, for his wonderful works to humankind. Psalm 107:8	Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever. Rev. 7:12
I thank my God every time I remember you. Phil. 1:3	The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift his countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26					