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Weekly Announcements

Week of May 27, 2018

Beginning May 27 – Worship times are 8:30 & 10:15 a.m. No education hour.

Church office is closed on Monday, May 28

Worship

NEW—SUMMER WORSHIP TIMES OF 8:30 & 10:15 A.M. - BEGINS MAY 27

Memorial Day Weekend starts our summer worship times at 8:30 & 10:15 a.m.

NEW—PREPARING FOR WORSHIP – MAY 27

In this world where many gods are worshiped, who is the true god? The Bible teaches us who that true God is – the Triune God, Who has existed throughout eternity. The Scriptures teach us that the true God is a triune God – three co-equal persons – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This is the God who has brought us into an eternal relationship. To prepare for worship, read Galatians 1:1, 3-13 & Matthew 28:18-20.

NEW—CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED, MONDAY, MAY 28

In observance of the Memorial Day holiday, the church office will be closed.

NEW—CALL MEETING SCHEDULED

Thank you to the call committee for your faithful and diligent work. The Vestry is happy to announce that a Call Meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, June 17 at 7 pm in the Sanctuary. Please save this date and time on your calendars.

INSTALLATION & REDEDICATION OF ALL BOARD MEMBERS: SUNDAY, JUNE 3 AT BOTH SERVICES

We are pleased to invite all Vestry, Deacon, Daily Shepherd and Foundation board members to participate in their installation and rededication during Sunday on June 3, taking place at both services!

Bible Study

NEW—TUESDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS

You are invited to join the Tuesday morning Adult Bible Class as it continues on May 29 and throughout the month of June. Class time begins at 10:30 a.m. in the Conference Room. In addition to Tuesday mornings, a Tuesday evening Adult Bible Class has been added. Evening class time is from 7 to 8 p.m. on June 5, 12, 19 & 26. Childcare is available at the evening class. We will look at a current news story and explore how God's word applies to it. All are welcome!

THANK YOU!! EDUCATION HOUR VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to all of those who have helped make this year together such a blessing! We appreciate YOU!

Serve

NEW—HOLY CROSS FOUNDATION JUNE ENVELOPE

You will find an extra envelope in your offering envelope pack in June for the Holy Cross Foundation. Please donate to support the Foundation's ministry: supporting special missions of the Christian church in the community, region, and the world.

NEW—MEL TROTTER & BID2BENEFIT PARTNERSHIP

Spring Cleaning? When you drop off donations at Mel Trotter Ministries (Jenison) or shop at Bid2Benefit Youth Stores, mention "Holy Cross" and our families in need and Youth Missions receive a donation in return! Thank You!

WELCOME OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Vestry: Ryan Atkins, Janet Barnes & Carolyn Hall

Deacons: Karen Fox, Jen Pietrzak, John Stout, Roberta Tasker & Tim Tuinman

Foundation: Adam Dohrmann, Stephanie Fogt & Mike Reilly

Daily Shepherd: Tammy Eichberger & Eric Schimmelmann

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!

Thank you so much to our Board Members that have finished their service.

Vestry: Joel Baker, Jan Loeffler & John Watson

Deacons: Les Bell, Judy VanWieren, Dave Johnston, Pat Mansel & Scott Petzold

Foundation: Valerie Beuschel, Greg Finses & Mark Kennedy

Daily Shepherd: Dennis Dressler & Mike Eichberger

MEN'S MINISTRY WORK DAY – JUNE 2 IN FLINT, MI.

On Saturday June 2nd we are putting a group of men together to go service at Franklin Avenue Mission in Flint, Michigan. We will be helping with the Clean & Green initiative which will involve cleaning up vacant overgrown lots of trash and yard debris. Our plan: Leave Holy Cross at 6:30 am, Work 9am-3 pm and Return at 5 pm. Lunch is provided. Check out this [flyer](#) for more info about Clean & Green or this [video](#). [Sign up here](#) if you would like to participate. For more info contact Jim Hueseman at dcejim@holycrossjenison.org

HAITI MISSION TEAM

Our Haiti mission team is traveling to Haiti June 12-20. Want to be part of the mission? Check out the table in the Narthex. Partner with them in brining blessings to Haiti. They need your help to purchase a piano, bibles and song books to support the church that our missionary, Nora Léon attends.

GET CONNECTED – FIND WHERE YOU FIT!

Did you know it takes approximately 40 volunteers for our Worship Service each Sunday?! Please join us in being part of Sunday Worship Team by joining our team as an Usher, a Door Greeter, Altar Guild, a friendly face at our Welcome Desk, joining our Church Security Team or being part of our Audio/Visual or Hospitality Team. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Kelli McCready at 457-2420 or emailing kmccready@holycrossjenison.org.

Connect

KIDS BIBLE CAMP – REGISTRATION IS OPEN ONLINE!

Sign-up for Kids Bible Camp TODAY – June 18-21, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Our theme this year is **Game On! Gearing up for life's big game.** This week will be filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences for kids 3 years old to entering 6th grade to see, hear, touch, and even taste! Sign up to volunteer or register your kids online at holycrossjenison.org/kbc. Contact Heather Pytlowanyj, Children's Ministry Coordinator with any questions, heatherp@holycrossjenison.org.

MEN'S MINISTRY – WHITECAPS' BASEBALL GAME – JULY 12

On Thursday July 12, men of Holy Cross will be going to a minor league baseball game and enjoying good fellowship with one another! Tickets for the game are \$12.50 for reserved box seating, which also includes discounts on concessions. Men are encouraged to bring their high school sons and friends. **Sign up here** by June 10th to reserve your ticket! Questions, contact Jim Hueseman at dcejim@holycrossjenison.org.

YOUNG ADULT LIFE GROUP

We have a newly formed Life Group for young adults at Holy Cross! This group is just getting started, and always looking to add new people! We will be meeting the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month to share a meal, life's challenges, and a bible study together. Contact Tyler Osmun for more information at Tosmun@holycrossjenison.org

For Your Information

NEW—CUSTODIAN TEAM UPDATE

Welcome Ethan Aniszko as our new Custodian. Thank you to Zach Woolford for your service on our custodial team. God's blessings to you both as you continue in His service.

NEW—LIKE US ON FACEBOOK

Stay up-to-date on all things Holy Cross by liking us on Facebook. Search "Holy Cross Jenison" on Facebook or go to facebook.com/holycrossjenison

NEW—SUPPORT GOD'S MISSION THROUGH AMAZONSMILE

Do you use Amazon? You can now support the Holy Cross Foundation with your Amazon purchases through Amazon Smile. It's easy. Instead of shopping at Amazon.com, go to <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/38-2800099>. Amazon will donate 0.5% of your purchases to Holy Cross Foundation. Make sure to bookmark this site and return every time you use Amazon. *Important note:* while you can add items to your cart from any Amazon experience (website, app, Alexa, etc.), your purchase only counts for AmazonSmile if you checkout through the AmazonSmile website.

THANK YOU FROM KAROLYN & DALE STREED

Dale and I would like to thank Holy Cross prayer warriors for ALL the prayers for both of my knee replacement surgeries. We truly give thanks and appreciation for the phone calls, food, cards, visits to the hospital and to our home. We will be forever grateful! Many thanks as well to our two AWESOME Pastors, our AWESOME small group, Shawn, the church staff, and prayer chain for their prayers before and after surgery. Dale and I are thanking God, the doctor has released me and I don't have to see him for 1 year because I am doing so well in my recovery, he was truly amazed. We attribute and give God the Glory for all the great healing progress. We give thanks, that He our Lord, led us to Holy Cross and their caring love and mighty prayer warriors! Sincerely friends and prayers in Christ, Karolyn Streed

CAMP CONCORDIA GOLF OUTING – JUNE 9

GOLF - PLAY the sport - SUPPORT the cause - CAUSE change in kids' lives! Sign up and join CAMP CONCORDIA supporters on Saturday, June 9th, for a round of golf! Prizes for winning team, special shots and more! Hole in One contests at Candlestone Golf Resort (just 17 miles south of Camp Concordia). Shot Gun start at 9:45am! Early Bird registration before May 31. For details, registration form, or online registration go to <http://www.campconcordia.org/golf.html> or call 616-754-3785.

MICHIGAN IN TOUCH ONLINE

The LCMS – Michigan In Touch Online Supplement is available to read online. Go to michiganintouch.com to read May's supplement.

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND NEWS

Planting a seed is all it takes. Each and every seed" invested with the Church Extension Fund (CEF) serves a ministry purpose. These funds help ministries and church workers in the Michigan District while providing financial opportunities for our investors. Learn how you can invest in CEF, contact Mike Reed 460-3933 golfermike@mail.com, call 800.242.3944 or visit www.mi-cef.org.

E – GIVING

Electronic Giving is a blessing to many who are trying to stay on top of their church offerings. If you would be blessed by this, consider using the e-giving options provided **here** on our website. If you connect your e-giving directly through your bank account, there are no fees charged to the church. You should know, however, if you use a debit or credit card, the church is charged a \$.45 per transaction fee and 2.75% of the donation. For example, if you make a \$100 contribution through e-giving using a debit or credit card, the church receives \$96.80.