

UPCOMING

JOIN US FOR OUR CELEBRATION OF MISSION AND MINISTRY. THE 170TH ANNUAL METTING OF CHISAGO LAKE LUTHERAN CHURCH WILL BE *TODAY*, SUNDAY JANUARY 28TH AT 10:15 AM.

Join us as we celebrate and give thanks for our 170th year of mission and ministry here at CLLC, immediately following worship on Sunday, January 28 in the Fellowship Hall. Come see what God has done through CLLC over the past year and help chart the next chapter as we elect new leaders for the Church Council and our various ministry committees/teams. We invite everyone to "Come and See" the "New thing" God is doing in our midst in this next season of mission and ministry! Swedish treats will be served along with other refreshments.

Annual reports are available in the Narthex and will also be available at the meeting. You can also get the report on the website or with this QR code.



Lasagna To-Go! The youth will again be offering a **Lasagna Dinner Fundraiser** on **Saturday, February 10th from 4-6:00pm**. It will be served To-Go style from the lower parking lot. It includes a full meal of lasagna, breadstick, fruit cup and dessert with a suggested price of \$8/ meal or \$25/family. Proceeds will go toward youth and summer camping experiences. Reservations are appreciated but not required. There is a signup in church or contact the office to reserve; 651-257-6300 or office@chisagolakelutheran.org! There is also a signup if you'd like to contribute brownies.



Grumpy Old Men Worship Service is coming back! Sunday, February 11th, at 9:00am we will again be holding a "Grumpy Old Men" themed worship service. Dig out your flannel (not required!) and join us for a little fun during worship service!



SOUPER BOWL OF CARING began in 1990, with a simple prayer from a single youth group: "Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those without a bowl of soup to eat."

Since then, more than \$174 million has been generated for local charities across the country through Souper Bowl of Caring. It has become a powerful movement that transforms the time around the Big Game into the nation's largest celebration of giving and caring for those in need. Through this mission, people learn they can make a positive difference in the world as they collect food, raise money and serve at hunger-relief charities and show caring and compassion in local communities across the country. Share in God's love for our neighbors in need and give generously on Souper Bowl Sunday.

A Noisy Offering will be collected on Sunday, February 11th, and will go directly to our Tackle Hunger Charity of Choice: *Family Pathways Food Shelf*.



MICHILU FAT TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER: Back by popular demand!! Join us for the Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper on **Tues, Feb.13th** at Chisago Lake Lutheran Church! This event is hosted by MiChiLu (Middle Chisago Lutherans). Dinner is served from **4-6pm**. Live music and crafts for kids! Join the fun!

Volunteers from the member churches of MiChiLu (Immanuel, First Luth in TF, Trinity, Zion and CLLC) will be here putting on this event!
We are looking for 4 volunteers from CLLC to help out in the kitchen for this event. It has always been a fun evening with the opportunity to work alongside others in the community! Please, let the office know if this is something you would be interested in being a part of!

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

LASAGNA DINNER! Youth will be making and serving a Lasagna To-Go Dinner on February 10th (during the Celebration of the Lakes). There is a need for meal assemblers, runners bringing food from the kitchen to the lower level and deliverers bringing food out to vehicles. And of course, clean-up crew!! There is a sheet for youth and parents to sign up to help out. Contact Stacy if you have any questions.

Thank you to those who donated, the youth who helped assemble, and Pastor Brian for delivering **Joy Baskets** for Christmas. Those who received them expressed sincere gratitude for the treats, small gifts, and the visit!

Faith Formation

- **Sunday School:** Classes are Sundays following worship, at **10:15am** for children from 3 years old to 5th grade. Anyone is welcome to join in fun and learning! We meet in the classrooms in the "Kid's Zone" downstairs. For more information contact Stacy.
- **6th Grade Youth & 7th- 8th Grade Confirmation** meet on **Wednesdays, 6pm to 7:30pm**. We begin with a meal together at 6pm, followed by 6th graders meet as a youth group for activities/learning with Stacy and 7th & 8th graders meet for **Confirmation** classes with Pastor Brian. *Non-members and guests are always welcome!*

OPPORTUNITIES

SEEKING CANTORS & MUSICIANS!! Looking for persons to share their musical talents during worship! This includes leading the congregation in singing and/or sharing other musical talents instrumentally. All ages are welcome to participate! Contact Myrna: mwesten7@yahoo.com or the office if interested!



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE PART OF A CHIME CHOIR?!!



A chime choir is like a bell choir. CLLC has a set of beautiful hand chimes that should get heard more often! The commitment is low, we'd meet for few rehearsals in Feb and March to prepare 2-3 special music pieces for Palm Sunday or Easter. No special skills or talents required; we'll learn as a group. If interested, please contact Rod Strenke (email: rod.strenke@gmail .com phone: 651-442-1748) or Myrna Westen.

WORSHIP, STUDIES AND FELLOWSHIP

Weekly

- **Sunday Worship Service, 9:00am.** Communion on First and Third Sundays. Services are streamed on our Facebook and YouTube pages.
- **“TAKE TWO” WORSHIP ON TUESDAYS:** Unable to worship on Sunday mornings or looking for a more **contemporary/relaxed worship** experience? Join us **6:00-6:30pm on Tuesday evenings!** This is an informal “Service of the Word” featuring contemporary music centered around the key lesson and sermon from the previous Sunday.
- **A Journey Through the Gospels: Sundays at 10:15am.** Featuring the *Drive Thru History* series and the *Bible Project*. Grab some refreshments after worship and join Pastor Brian in the Green Room. (***Not meeting today due to Annual Meeting***)
- **Men’s/Women’s Bible Study: Mondays at Noon.** This is an informal gathering to delve deeper into the upcoming readings for the next Sunday. Feel free to join us for your lunch break and bring your lunch with you.
- **Men’s Breakfast, Thursdays at 8am** at the Swedish Inn in Lindstrom.



NEW MEMBER CLASSES BEGIN AGAIN IN FEBRUARY! Our Chisago Lake Lutheran Family has been rapidly growing over the past year and if you are interested in becoming a more active and integral part of our family in faith, we invite you to join us for our next round of New Member classes (Three total) on **Sunday, Feb. 18 and 25 and March 3 from 10:15-11:15 am** in the Green Room. Contact the Church Office at 651-257-6300 or at office @chisagolakelutheran.org if interested. Pastor Brian leads each of these informal, fun, and engaging classes! 😊

***God is doing some amazing work through
the ministry of Chisago Lake Lutheran Church.
This is a great time to invite your
friends, neighbors, co-workers
and family members
to join us in worship!***

TAKE THE PASTOR'S CHALLENGE!

God gives us 168 hours each week to live our lives to the fullest as a precious gift. Why not respond to God's grace by giving back in the form of **at least**:

- **one hour each week in public worship** (so that you might encourage and connect with other believers and followers of Jesus);
 - **one hour each week in Bible study** (so that you might grow in your understanding of God's Word and God's will for your life)
 - **one hour each week in dedicated Christian service to others** (so that you might use your blessings to be a blessing to others).
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THE CLLC QUILTING GROUP continues to meet on Mondays. Bring a sack lunch and meet in the Undercroft from 9 AM to 2 PM. All are welcome to help out & join us!

COFFEE SERVERS: Looking for hosts and hostesses to serve coffee after Worship on Sundays. This is an easy and fulfilling way to connect and serve! Contact the office if you have dates that will work or write your name on the board by the kitchen door!

