



CELIC Weekly Gospel in Action Moments

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church



**For the week of Sunday,
February 5, 2023**

Welcome to Worship

✚ **We are happy to have you with us** and wish you a warm welcome. If you would like more information about our church and its ministries, please contact our church office, 440-933-6263.

✚ **Attention families:** We encourage you to have your children participate in worship. They learn about worship and faith by being involved. If you or your children need a break, we have Wiggle Beach off to the left of the sanctuary. If you need assistance, an usher will happily direct you.

✚ **We honor our military among us.** Please lift in prayer all who serve in the military, past and present, along with their loved ones. Currently serving: Marty Koch, Coast Guard; and Dylan Lysefski, Army.

Prayers

✚ **For prayer requests** please fill out a prayer request form found in the gathering area and place it in the offering plate during the service, contact Sharon Davidson at 440-933-3923, skid440@yahoo.com or contact the church office.

Congregation News

✚ **Celebrating CELIC's 75th Anniversary in 2023.** We were established on February 10, 1948. We will have a recognition of this anniversary on Sunday, February 5. Along with a celebration on Sunday, April 30. Please See Ryan Smarsh for more information.

✚ **2023 VBS is coming soon!** It's never too early to think about Vacation Bible School. We will be using the "Stellar" curriculum prepared by Group Publishing. VBS will be held June 12-16 (tentatively). We need volunteers to make this mission possible. Please prayerfully consider how you will support this amazing outreach. Please find a volunteer sign up sheet in the gather area near the communication corner.

✚ **Do you have a student in 3rd through 6th grade? Have they received a Bible from our congregation?** If not, please look for a signup sheet in the communication corner and sign your child up for the Beginning Bible Class. Students will learn how to use the Bible and

receive their very own Bible. The class will be held during Sunday School on February 12. The Bibles will be presented to the students during the worship service that day. Please sign up by February 5 so we can ensure we have enough Bibles for everyone.

✚ **Please place your giving envelopes** in the offering plates found in the back of the sanctuary. For the time being the plates are not being passed in the pews. If you need help locating the offering plates, please ask an usher for direction.

Worship Assistants and Volunteers Needed

✚ Please consider volunteering your time to help in a variety of ways during the service and around the church. Little to no training needed. Your time and talents could help in many areas. Please contact the church office for more information.

Thank You's

✚ **The Gift of Hospitality is Alive at CELIC.** Thank you to all who are volunteering to take part in hosting the Northeast Ohio Synod Council on Saturday, March 25. Bill Higgins is hosting the breakfast. Julie Pressnell is coordinating the volunteers for the lunch. Thank you, Bill, Julie and all!

Property News

✚ **Calling all current and future lawn maintenance volunteers.** There will be a short meeting on Wednesday, March 1 at 7 p.m. to discuss the upcoming lawn cutting season and any updated information needed to be shared. Please contact Bob Olds at 440-522-2615 or olds109@gmail.com.

Congregation Calendar

Sunday, February 5

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Holy Worship

Monday, February 6

6:30 p.m. Council

Wednesday, February 8

6:15 p.m. Bells

Friday, February 10

CELIC 75th Anniversary

Pastor's day off

Sunday, February 12

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Holy Worship

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

Christ Lutheran Preschool

Monday-Friday 9a.m.-3p.m.

Good Kids Childcare Calendar

Monday-Friday 7a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Worship Assistants and Volunteers

February 5

Usher: Chip Crout

Lector: Bob Olds

Cantor: Anita Hlava

Live Stream: Ryan Smarsh

Altar Care: Nadine Carlson

Bulletin Folding: Nadine Carlson

February 12

Usher: Brian Knip

Lector: Bob Olds

Cantor: Johanna Markko

Counter: Brenda Crout

Live Stream: Barb McCain

Altar Care: Nadine Carlson

Bulletin Folding: Nadine Carlson

February 19

Usher: Ryan Smarsh

Lector: Beth Lecorchick

Cantor: Sue Frantz

Live Stream: Ryan Smarsh

Altar Care: Nadine Carlson

Bulletin Folding: Nadine Carlson

February 26

Usher: Eric Mohny

Lector: Laura Knight

Cantor: Rob Pedersen

Counter: Julie Skaggs

Live Stream: Bill Higgins

Altar Care: Nadine Carlson

Bulletin Folding: Nadine Carlson

March 5

Usher: Chip Crout

Lector: Sharon Davidson

Cantor: Michelle Young

Live Stream: Barb McCain

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle

Bulletin Folding: Katie Koch

March 12

Usher: Bob Olds

Lector: Bob Olds

Cantor: Julie Pressnell

Live Stream: Bill Higgins

Counter: Eric Mohny

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle

Bulletin Folding: Katie Koch

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Lector: Tim Gottshall

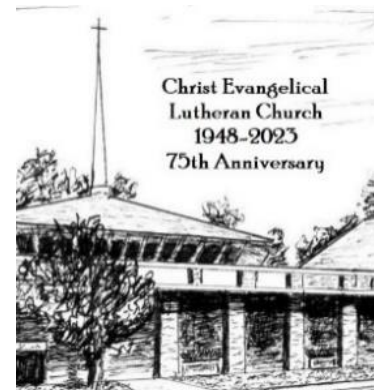
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