



CELC Weekly Gospel in Action Moments

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church



**For the week of
Sunday, March 3, 2024**

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.

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.

CELC Call Committee Update

✚ **Our Call Committee continues to work together**, spending much time along with our Church Administrator, Heather, and our Council members, in providing documents helpful for the discernment of a call to our church. Thank you to all who have devoted much time in doing so. Let us all continue uniting in prayer as the discernment process continues.

Congregation News

✚ **Christ Lutheran church will be hosting an Easter egg hunt** for the kids of good kids childcare and Christ Lutheran preschool on Friday, March 22nd from 6pm-7pm. If you are interested in volunteering to fill eggs please come Wednesday night March 13th at 5pm. If you are interested in volunteering for the event or participating with your

family please sign up on the outreach board entering the preschool area. Any questions- contact Kristen Luciano, Kristen.a.Luciano@gmail.com

✚ **CELC Council is looking for three members to join the nominating committee.** The nominating committee will prayerfully consider other church members to nominate and to serve as the next council President and financial chair. Currently Ryan Smarsh has been serving as the Council President and Eric Mohney has been serving as the financial chair. If interested in serving on the nominating committee, please see any member of church council. Elections will be held May 5 at the Spring Congregational Meeting.

✚ **The CELC Council is looking for two representatives** from our church to attend the annual Northeast Ohio Synod Assembly. This year, Synod Assembly will be held Saturday June 1 at the John S. Knight Center in Akron. Please see any member of church council if interested.

CELC Preschool News

✚ **The PRESCHOOL ART SHOW is coming!** Make sure that your calendar has Friday, March 22 from 5:00-7:00 pm. You can help by donating a wrapped prize basket or donating a gift card to an area restaurant, store, or business. The gift cards will be used to make gift card raffle baskets. Please drop your donations off in the church office before March 8. Contact Teri Pienoski, the preschool administrator, at 440-933-6714 with any questions. More info about the ART SHOW and how you can purchase raffle tickets will be sent out at a later date.

2024 Lent Schedule

Palm Sunday- 10 A.M. March 24th

Maundy Thursday- 5:30 P.M. March 28th
Children, youth, and their families are invited to bake bread before the service. Gather at 5:30 and meet in the kitchen.

Maundy Thursday- 7 P.M. March 28th

Good Friday Cross walk- 5 P.M. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church 32929 Lake Rd.

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

Good Friday- 7 P.M. March 29th

Easter Morning- 10 A.M. March 31st Bring cut flowers from your yard or purchase some cut flowers to be used to decorate the flowering cross! Bring them to the cross in front of the Altar by 9:45 on Easter morning to be included for the service.

Healing Service- 10 A.M. March 10th prayers of healing will be available during our regular service.

Sunday Mornings Feb 18th- March 24th 9 AM Special Lent activities for all ages! Each week will include: Breakfast treats and drinks. A bible verse to meditate on, memorize and questions to discuss. An activity, craft or art to work on.

Congregation Calendar

Sunday, March 3

9:00 a.m. Special Lent Activity
10:00 a.m. Holy Worship
10:00 a.m. Prek-6 Grade Sunday School
11:15 a.m. Choir Practice

Wednesday, March 6

6:15 p.m. Bells
8:26 p.m. Unite in Prayer

Friday, March 8

Pastor's day off

Sunday, March 10 *Healing Service*

9:00 a.m. Special Lent Activity
10:00 a.m. Holy Worship/ Choir Sing
10:00 a.m. Prek-6 Grade Sunday School

Christ Lutheran Preschool

Monday-Friday 9 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.

Good Kids Childcare Calendar

Monday-Friday 7a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Worship Assistants and Volunteers

March 3

Greeters:

Usher: Chip Crout
Lector: Eric Klenz
Cantor: Julie Pressnell
Live Stream: Barb McCain
Altar Care: Jan Wunderle
Bulletin Folding: Nadine Carlson

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker: Supplied

March 10

Greeters:

Usher: Betsy Floyd
Lector: Betsy Floyd

Cantor:

Live Stream: Bill Higgins
Counter: Chuck Heindrichs
Altar Care: Jan Wunderle
Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Culler

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker: Supplied

March 17

Greeters:

Usher: Brian Knip
Lector: Laura Knight
Cantor: Johanna Markko

Live Stream:

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle
Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Culler

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker: Laura Knight

March 24 Palm Sunday

Greeters:

Usher: Ryan Smarsh and Eric Mohney
Lector: Marilyn Culler
Cantor: Julie Pressnell
Live Stream: Bill Higgins
Altar Care: Jan Wunderle

Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Culler

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker:

March 28 Maundy Thursday

Greeters:

Usher: Betsy Floyd
Lector:

Cantor: Rob Pedersen

Live Stream:

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle
Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Culler

Bread Maker:

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Interim Pastor: Rev. Laura Kuntz

Office Administrator: Heather Nordman

Organist: Randi Smarsh **Custodians:** Bill Higgins and Beth Lecorchick

March 29 Good Friday

Greeters:

Usher:

Lector:

Cantor:

Live Stream:

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle

Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Cullers

March 31 Easter Sunday

Greeters:

Usher: Chip Crout and Brian Knip

Lector: Ron Jantz

Cantor: Angela Pedersen

Live Stream: Bill Higgins

Counter: Julie Skaggs

Altar Care: Jan Wunderle

Bulletin Folding: Marilyn Culler

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker:

April 7

Greeters:

Usher: Eric Mohney

Lector:

Cantor:

Live Stream:

Altar Care: Marilyn Culler

Bulletin Folding:

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker:

April 14

Greeters:

Usher: Betsy Floyd

Lector: Betsy Floyd

Cantor: Rob Pedersen

Live Stream: Bill Higgins

Counter: Erik Klenz

Altar Care: Marilyn Culler

Bulletin Folding:

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker:

April 21

Greeters:

Usher: Brian Knip

Lector:

Cantor: Angela Pedersen

Live Stream:

Altar Care: Marilyn Culler

Bulletin Folding:

SS Teachers:

Bread Maker:

April 28

Greeters:

Usher: Ryan Smarsh

Lector: Marilyn Culler

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Live Stream: Bill Higgins

Counter: Brenda Crout

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