



Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church

JUNE 6, 2018

6:30 PM

An abstract painting with horizontal bands of color, including deep blues, vibrant oranges, yellows, and purples, with visible brushstrokes and a textured surface. The word 'Messy' is written in a large, white, cursive font across the middle of the painting.

Messy

a Sermon Series on 1 Corinthians

Messy Love

Welcome to Our Visitors!

Please sign the guest book in the gathering area and come back and worship with us soon!
Please pick up a copy of our newsletter, *The Crownical*, on the kiosk in the gathering area.

Available Services:

- **Restrooms** are in the coatroom area and in the parents' room.
- **Hearing Assistive Devices** are available from an usher.
- **Large print bulletins** are available from an usher.
- Parents may use the **parents' room** adjacent to the sanctuary.
- **Diaper changing stations** are in each of our restrooms.

Worship Services: Join us again for one of our weekly worship services!

- **Saturday at 5:00 pm**
- **Sunday at 8:00 am & 10:30 am**
- **Monday at 7:00 pm**
- **Wednesday at 12:00 & 6:30 pm**

Christ Kids is offered for children ages 3-8 during our Wednesday evening worship services. During the song before the sermon the children will be invited to accompany our Christ Kids teacher to the library where they will have a Bible lesson, activities, and crafts until the end of the service, when they can be picked up by their parents.

The 19-Minute Bible Study is offered following both of our Wednesday services. Beginning at approximately 12:45 and 7:45 pm we will meet for 19 minutes in the library to grow in our faith and knowledge of God's Word together.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the church office or anyone on our church staff listed on the last page of this bulletin.

Worship Leader: Pastor Thomas Engelbrecht

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

“Beautiful Savior”



- 1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion,
- 2 Fair are the mead - ows, Fair are the wood - lands,
- 3 Fair is the sun - shine, Fair is the moon - light,
- 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,



Son of God and Son of Man!
Robed in flow'rs of bloom - ing spring;
Bright the spar - kling stars on high;
Son of God and Son of Man!



Tru - ly I'd love thee, Tru - ly I'd serve thee,
Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er;
Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er,
Glo - ry and hon - or, Praise, ad - o - ra - tion



Light of my soul, my Joy, my Crown.
He makes our sor - r'wing spir - it sing.
Than all the an - gels in the sky.
Now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

INVOCATION

P: We worship in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

CONFESSION OF SINS AND FORGIVENESS

P: Dear friends, let us approach God with true hearts and confess our sins, asking in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

C: **Lord of life, I confess that I am by nature dead in sin. For faithless worrying and selfish pride, for sins of habit and sins of choice, for the evil I have done and for the good I have failed to do, you should cast me away from your presence forever. O Lord, I am sorry for my sins. Forgive me, for Jesus' sake.**

P: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. In his great mercy, God made us alive in Christ even when we were dead in our sins. Hear these words through his called servant: I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

LORD, HAVE MERCY

P: We pray for the well-being of people everywhere, that they may receive from you all they need to sustain body and life, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

P: For the spread of your life-giving gospel throughout the world, that all who are lost in sin may be brought to faith in you, hear our prayer, O Christ.

C: Christ, have mercy.

P: For patience and perseverance in this life, that we may not lose the hope of heaven as we await your return, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

P: Risen Lord, live in us that we may live for you.

C: Amen.

GOSPEL LESSON *John 15: 9-17*

“As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command. I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master’s business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. This is my command: Love each other.”

“Fruitful Trees, the Spirit’s Sowing”

**Fruitful trees, the Spirit’s sowing,
May we ripen and increase,
Fruit to life eternal growing,
Rich in love and joy and peace.**

**Laden branches freely bearing
Gift the Giver loves to bless;**

**Here is fruit that grows by sharing:
Patience, kindness, gentleness.**

**Rooted deep in Christ our Master,
Christ our pattern and our goal,
Teach us, as the years fly faster,
Goodness, faith, and self-control.**

**Fruitful trees, the Spirit's tending,
May we grow till harvests cease;
Till we taste, in life unending,
Heaven's love and joy and peace.**

CHRIST KIDS

SERMON TEXT *1 Corinthians 13:1-13*

If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. For we know in part and we prophesy in part, but when completeness comes, what is in part disappears. When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put the ways of childhood behind me. For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

SERMON THEME **The Greatest Is Love**

GATHERING OF THE THANKOFFERING

“My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness” (soloist)

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who bore my pain;
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace and gave me life again.
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me in his light
And wrote his law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who walks beside;
Who floods my weaknesses with strength and causes fears to fly.
Whose every promise is enough for every step I take;
Sustaining me with arms of love and crowning me with grace.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who reigns above;
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose every thought is love.
For every day I have on earth is given by the King.
So I will give my life, my all, to love and follow him.

PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

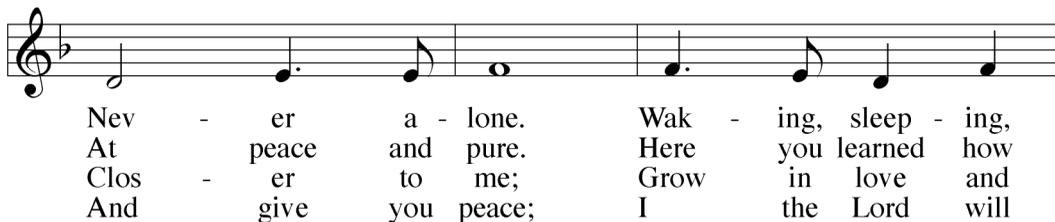
P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look on you with favor and (†) give you peace.

C: Amen.

“Go, My Children, with My Blessing”



1	Go,	my	chil - dren,	with	my	bles - ing,
2	Go,	my	chil - dren,	sins	for - giv - en,	
3	Go,	my	chil - dren,	fed	and nour - ished,	
4	I	the	Lord	will	bles	and keep you



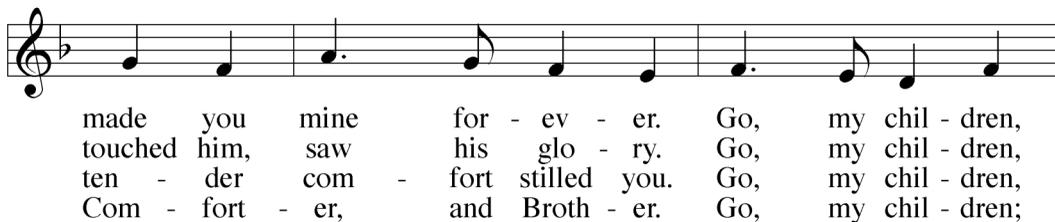
Nev - er a - lone. Wak - ing, sleep - ing,
 At peace and pure. Here you learned how
 Clos - er to me; Grow in love and
 And give you peace; I the Lord will



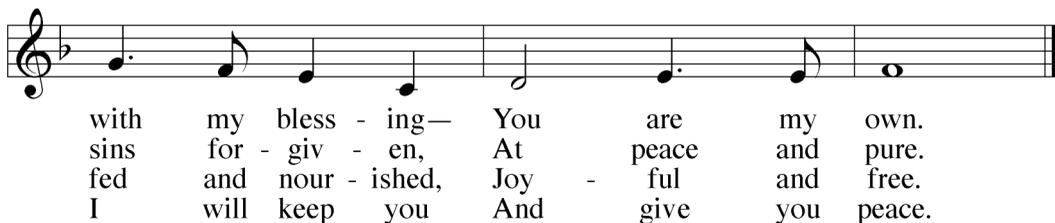
I am with you; You are my own.
 much I love you, What I can cure.
 love by serv - ing, Joy - ful and free.
 smile up - on you And give you peace;



In my love's bap - tis - mal riv - er I have
 Here you heard my dear Son's sto - ry; Here you
 Here my Spir - it's pow - er filled you; Here his
 I the Lord will be your Fa - ther, Sav - ior,



made you mine for - ev - er. Go, my chil - dren,
 touched him, saw his glo - ry. Go, my chil - dren,
 ten - der com - fort stilled you. Go, my chil - dren,
 Com - fort - er, and Broth - er. Go, my chil - dren;



with my bless - ing - You are my own.
 sins for - giv - en, At peace and pure.
 fed and nour - ished, Joy - ful and free.
 I will keep you And give you peace.

SILENT PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Week at Christ Lutheran

- Today:** Prayer Partners 10:00 am & 6:00 pm
Worship Services 12:00 & 6:30 pm
19-minute Bible Study 12:45 & 7:30 pm
Bible Information Class 5:30 pm
- Thursday:** Enduring Word Bible Study 9:00 am
Building & Grounds Meeting 5:30 pm
Men's Softball League at Nettessheim Park 7:00 pm
- Friday:** Heritage Lake Country Worship Service 10:30 am
- Saturday:** Bible Information Class 3:30 pm
Worship Service with Lord's Supper 5:00 pm
- Sunday:** Worship Service 8:00 am
"John" Adult Bible Class 9:10 am
Bible Information Class 9:10 am
BIC 201 Hope Grows Adult Bible Class 9:10 am
Outdoor Worship Service 10:30 am
Church Picnic & Family Activities 11:45 am
Worship Service at Erin 5:00 pm
- Monday:** Lambs of Christ Summer Camp Begins
Mission Creek Worship Service 10:30 am
Bible Information Class 5:30 pm
Preschool Operations Committee 6:30 pm
Worship Service with Lord's Supper 7:00 pm
- Tuesday:** Southeastern Wisconsin District Convention (at WLC)
Early Risers Bible Study 8:00 am
- Wednesday:** Southeastern Wisconsin District Convention (at WLC)
Worship Services with Lord's Supper 12:00 & 6:30 pm
19-minute Bible Study 12:45 & 7:30 pm
Farmers Market 3:30-7:00 pm
Bible Information Class 5:30 pm
Board of Elders 7:30 pm

News & Events

Bakers & Servers Needed! We are looking for people to help bring and serve treats after our Wednesday evening worship services. Please contact Pastor Engelbrecht if you are willing to help serve in this way.

Join us for our Church Picnic on Sunday, June 10! That day our 10:30 am service will be held outdoors in the lower parking lot and will feature our worship band. Bring lawn chairs and/or blankets; some tents and chairs will be available. There will be a picnic lunch and outdoor activities, including a bouncy house and games, after the worship service and picnic lunch. Please sign up in the gathering area if you plan to attend, and bring a dish to share. Please also consider signing up to help with setup, cleanup, food preparation, or family activities!

The Pewaukee Farmers Market will be held on our campus every Wednesday, June 13 through August 29, from 3:30 – 7:00 pm. We are looking for a number of volunteers who can help with setup, our church booth, connect with vendors, and welcome shoppers. Please sign up in the gathering area. Contact Pastor Warnecke for more information. Feel free to **pick up a yard sign** for the farmers market from the church entry today!

Volunteers are needed to assist our International Friendship Center with children's activities at Liberty Park in Pewaukee this June and July. Simple activities are being planned for one day per week with the South Asian children living in the apartments nearby. The volunteers will help befriend their parents during their activities. Anyone who can help for two hours for one week or several would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Carol Koelpin at carol.koelpin@gmail.com or 262-844-9586 if you are willing to help.

Register Online Today for Vacation Bible School! VBS will be offered Monday-Thursday, July 16-19, 9:00-11:30 am. Visit our church website www.christpewaukee.org, scroll down to the VBS link, and click to register today! You may register your child(ren), age 3 through those entering 6th grade. Please share with your family, friends, and neighbors! Volunteers can also register online. There are many opportunities for teens and adults to be leaders and helpers in various areas. Check out the volunteer registration link for more information, or contact Jackie Engelbrecht at jengelbrecht@christpewaukee.org or 262-993-6434.

A Trip to Israel, hosted by Pastor & Sibylle Krause, is planned for March 2019. More information is available on the kiosk in the gathering area, or contact Pastor Krause.

Golf Outing: Save the date for our annual golf outing on Sunday, August 19! Eight tee times, starting at 1:26 pm have been reserved at Wanaki Golf course. Immediately following the golf outing a cookout will be held at the Tessmanns' home. Please sign up in the gathering area soon, and note whether you'll be able to attend the cookout.

Outreach in Erin: If you have been wondering how to get involved with outreach to the lost through our congregation, join us as we reach out in Erin! Not only is establishing a new mission location challenging, but it is also rewarding! You also might find the 5:00 pm Sunday worship time convenient for your busy summer schedule. If you are interested, or if you any questions, contact Pastor Engelbrecht or Pastor Warnecke.

Erin Worship: On Sunday, July 1 we will be moving our Christ-Erin worship from the elementary school to the Erin Town Hall. This is located at 1846 Hwy. 83, Hartford, WI. Erin Elementary is closing off access for a few days in order to wax the halls. We will take the opportunity to worship at 5:00 pm at Erin Town Hall. So, we have decided to invite the community not just to worship but to a special picnic afterwards with games and activities for all. We will need your help to set up, serve, and clean up. Look for future announcements as to how you can volunteer to serve. And don't forget to invite your family, friends, neighbors and associates to join us on a very special Sunday.

Lambs of Christ Teachers Needed: We are looking to hire teachers for our 2018-19 school year! We are searching for individuals who are enthusiastic about working with Christ's little lambs. We are a state licensed preschool and need teachers with a background in education. If you're interested in learning more and applying, please contact Molly Brooks in the LCLC office at mbrooks@christpewaukee.org or 262-691-0720 ext. 150.

Bible Studies

The 19-Minute Bible Study is offered following both of our Wednesday services. Beginning at approximately 12:45 and 7:45 pm we will meet for 19 minutes in the library to grow in our faith and knowledge of God's Word together.

Bible Information Class: Review the fundamental teachings of the Christian faith as revealed in the Bible. This is an excellent class for anyone interested in becoming a member of our church and a good refresher course for members. Class meets weekly on Saturdays at 3:30 pm, Sundays at 9:10 am, Mondays at 5:30 pm, and Wednesdays at 5:30 pm. Please contact Pastor Warnecke if you have any questions.

Summer School with Christ

A Worship Series

Join us this summer for a worship adaptation of a Bible Information Class. During this worship series we will get to KNOW Jesus, CONNECT with Jesus, and LIVE for Jesus. Invite your friends and loved ones to introduce them to Christ — our Savior and this church! This Summer School worship series will help you review and enhance your understanding of the Christian faith and help you put it into practice. The series begins June 13 in Pewaukee and June 17 at Erin Elementary School. Christ Kids — a children’s church opportunity — will be held during the Wednesday evening service in Pewaukee (for ages 3-8 years old) and during the Sunday evening service at Erin (for ages 3-8th grade).



The Gospel of John Bible Study is held on Sundays at 9:10 am in the downstairs fellowship hall. We start with a Bible-based video and then discuss that section of scripture.

BIC 201 “Hope Grows” Adult Bible Study will begin on Sunday, June 10 at 9:10 am in the library. This Sunday morning Bible study is open to everyone, but is especially appropriate for those who have recently finished Pastor Warnecke’s Bible Information Class (BIC 101).

The Early Risers Bible Study is studying “God Still Reigns” (1 Kings). Over time God’s Word was neglected, and wicked kings and false prophets tolerated and supported false worship. Yet some kings were faithful, and true prophets called people back to worship in truth. All are welcome to join us on Tuesdays at 8:00 am in the library.

The Enduring Word Bible Study is held on Thursdays at 9:00 am in the library. They are studying the Gospel of Matthew—God’s Promises Realized! Not a single word spoken by Matthew is recorded, not in the Gospel he wrote nor in any other book of the Bible. But the words Matthew wrote comprise one of the greatest, most powerful, and most widely read books ever written. Join us to increase your appreciation for all that God has done and still is doing for you through his Son, Jesus, the Savior of the world.

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