

## † THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST †

**Rose Sunday**

**June 13, 2010**

### **WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

- *The order of worship for each of our three weekend services is indicated in the bulletin and the hymnal, “Lutheran Service Book” (LSB), is located in the pew racks in front of you.*
- *We extend a special word of welcome to first-time visitors and invite you to take a welcome kit located by the Jesus Fountain in the church entrance.*
- *To register member and visitor attendance, provide updates or other information, or to submit comments/requests to the pastors or church office, please use the **Welcome Card with Sign-Up/Information Sheet** in the bulletin. Church offerings, welcome cards and any other information will be collected during the offering time or may be left in the wicker basket by the Jesus Fountain after the service.*

### **COMMUNION STATEMENT**

- *The congregation of Village Lutheran Church welcomes to Holy Communion those baptized Christians who: †Know Jesus Christ as their Savior (John 20:31); †Recognize that the body and blood of Christ are truly present in the bread and wine (1 Cor. 11:29); †Are able to examine themselves and repent of their sins (1 Cor. 11:28); and †Look to God’s Holy Spirit for help in living the Christian life (Col. 1:10). Persons not receiving Communion may come forward to receive a blessing.*
- *Non-Alcoholic Fruit of the Vine: Persons who are sensitive to alcohol are welcome to receive the blood of Christ in the sacrament using non-alcoholic grape juice. The juice is located in the center circle of each individual tray and is lighter in color. Wine is always available with the Common Cup or Individual Cups.*
- *Gluten-free consecrated hosts (the bread of Holy Communion) are available for all those with allergies or intolerance to gluten. Simply say “Gluten-Free” to the minister or bring your bulletin forward and point to the Gluten-Free symbol prior to receiving the bread.*
- *Communion may be brought to those with limited mobility. Please alert a Pastor or usher if you wish to commune in this way.*



### **TO KNOW LIVE AND SHARE THE LOVE OF CHRIST**

- *Under the blessing of God, the mission of Village Lutheran Church is a ministry of the Word and Sacraments. This ministry gives opportunities for mission, witness, nurture, fellowship, stewardship, and service. It focuses on the specific needs of individuals and groups within the congregation and extends to the church-at-large, the community, and the world.*
- *The Chapel School is an integral part of the congregation’s ministry directed specifically to children. It provides a distinctive Christian education enabling children to evidence a Christian lifestyle and to achieve academic success.*

**TO GOD ALONE BE GLORY**

**SATURDAY - 5:30 p.m.**  
Spoken Divine Service

**PRELUDE**

Partita on In Dulci Jubilo  
Haan

- Raymond

**INVOCATION and CONFESSION** (*Congregation rising*)

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, that we may prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mystery of the Lord's Supper.

*(A brief pause for silence follows)*

P: Have mercy on us, O Lord,

**C: for we have sinned against You.**

P: Show us, O Lord, Your mercy;

**C: and grant us Your salvation.**

P: May almighty God have mercy on us and lead us, with our sins forgiven, to eternal life.

**C: Amen. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

**ENTRANCE HYMN**

Go Tell It On the Mountain

LSB Hymn #388

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray:

**C: O God, throughout the ages You judge Your people with mercy, and You inspire us to speak Your truth. By Your Spirit, anoint us for lives of faith and service, and bring all people into Your forgiveness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

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*(The Gospel is read)*

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## **HYMN OF THE DAY**

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

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## **SERMON**

“You Have Everything”

Vicar Christopher Kollmann

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

A: Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

## **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **OFFERING/VOLUNTARY**

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

- Flor Peeters

### **OFFERTORY** (*Congregation rising*)

(LSB Hymn #361, v. 4)

O holy Child of Bethlehem, descend to us, we pray;

Cast out our sin, and enter in, be born in us today.

We hear the Christmas angels the great glad tidings tell;

O come to us, abide with us, our Lord Immanuel!

### **+HOLY COMMUNION+**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and

magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

**C: Holy, holy, holy Lord. God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

### **THE WORDS OF OUR LORD and MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

P: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

**C: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

P: Through Him, with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is Yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.

**C: Amen.**

### **LORD'S PRAYER**

P: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

### **SIGN OF PEACE**

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ said to His apostles: "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.

**C: Lord, have mercy upon us and grant us peace.**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

### **DISTRIBUTION**

#### **NUNC DIMITTIS** (*Luke 2:29-31*)

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you to life everlasting. Depart in peace. Amen.

**C: Sovereign Lord, as You have promised, You now dismiss Your servant peace. For my eyes have seen Your salvation, which You have prepared in the sight of all people, a light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glory to Your people Israel.**

### **BENEDICTION**

#### **CLOSING HYMN**

Joy to the World

LSB Hymn #387

#### **SILENT MEDITATION** (*Congregation seated*)

POSTLUDE

Now Sing We, Now Rejoice

- Paul Manz

**SUNDAY - 9:00 a.m.**  
Service of Hymnic Holy Communion

CALL TO WORSHIP

Advent Prayer  
*High School Choir*

- Patrick Liebergen

ENTRANCE HYMN (*Congregation rising*)  
Go Tell It On the Mountain

LSB Hymn #388

INVOCATION and INTROIT (*from Psalm 103*)

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being praise His holy name.

C: **Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits –**

P: who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases,

C: **who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion.**

P: The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.

C: **He made known His ways to Moses, His deeds to the people of Israel:**

P: The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.

C: **He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.**

P: For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who fear Him;

C: **As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us.**

♪ **KYRIE** (*sung to the hymn “Amazing Grace”*)

Have mercy on Your people, Lord. Have mercy, Christ, our King.

Renew us by Your mercy, Lord; accept the prayers we bring.

♪ **GLORIA** (*sung to the hymn “Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”*)

“Glory be to God on high!” This is now our joyful cry.

Peace to all who live on earth, grace and favor for new birth.

You we praise and glorify, worship You, O Lord most high.

Gracious Father, heav’nly King, to Your name alone we sing:

Praise the glory of Your name, now and evermore the same!

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

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P: Let us pray:

**C: O God, throughout the ages You judge Your people with mercy, and You inspire us to speak Your truth. By Your Spirit, anoint us for lives of faith and service, and bring all people into Your forgiveness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**YOUTH CHOIR ANTHEM**

Sing a Jubilant Song

- Dale Peterson

*Sing a song of His birth and angels singing; sing a wonderful, jubilant song.*

*Sing gloria in excelsis deo. Sing a song of the cross and His love for us.*

*Sing of His resurrection, sing of the empty grave.*

*Sing of His love o'ercoming death, sing of His power to save!*

*Sing a song of the Lord an all he has done, sing a wonderful, jubilant song.*

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**CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM**

What is This Fragrance?

- John Huston

*What is this fragrance softly blowing, shepherds, what is this wondrous thing,*

*filling the night with rarest beauty like fields abloom with flow'rs in spring?*

*What is this light so clear, so dazzling, bright'ning the night before our eyes?*

*Bright as the day it journeys onward; never were seen such radiant skies!*

*In Bethlehem, in manger lowly lies our Redeemer, Savior, Lord.*

*Come, let us go and kneel before Him; give Him our hearts with one accord.*

**ALLELUIA VERSE (Congregation rising)**

P: Alleluia. A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse; from his roots a Branch will bear fruit. (*Isaiah 11:1*)

**C: "And you are to give Him the name Jesus, because He will save His people from their sins." Alleluia. (Matt. 1:21)**

**GOSPEL**

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## HANDBELL GOSPEL CANTICLE

Es ist ein Ros'

- John Klein

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*(After the message, children and teachers in Grades 3-6 go to their Sunday School classes)*

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- Douglas Wagner

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## ADMONITION TO COMMUNICANTS and LORD'S PRAYER

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Service of Word and Sacrament

**HANDBELL PRELUDE**

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**RITE OF HOLY BAPTISM**

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Vom Himmel hoch

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## VLC NEWS AND NOTES

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Richard Allen from Johanna Kmetz.

**FLOWERS ON THE CHANCEL WALL** are given to the Glory of God and in honor of our mother/grandmother Edna Schloton on her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday, from her family.

**ROSES ON THE CHANCEL WALL** are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Richard Allen from his wife Carlette.

**Altar flowers may be given** in honor or memory of a loved one or a special occasion. The cost is \$35.00 per week and flowers may be taken home after the 10:45 a.m. service. Please sign up on the chart by the Jesus Fountain or contact the church office at 914-337-0207, ext. 1003.

**PLEASE JOIN US IN THE MULTIPURPOSE ROOM** after the 9:00 a.m. worship service for cake, coffee and fellowship. Thanks to the Eisenberg family for providing the refreshments.

**PRAYER LINE:** Please remember those members or friends who are hospitalized or recovering from an illness especially Joan Bevers, Rosemarie Boecker, Dave Bruce, Dawn Galloway, Cara Kealy, Mitchell Lunog, Julie Ann Moroch, Manny O'Balde, Marty Pettinati. Also keep our shut-in/ homebound members & friends in your prayers. **Names are listed for 3 weeks.**

**PASTORAL VISITS TO THE SICK:** HIPAA legislation prohibits hospitals from sharing names of those receiving care, even to clergy. If you are hospitalized or learn of a fellow VLC member who is hospitalized, please call the church office at 914-337-0207 x 1003, so a visit can be made.

**BEREAVEMENT PRAYER LINE:** We include in our prayers all those in our community that have recently lost a loved one, especially: The family of David Just, uncle of Deborah Reiss, who passed away on May 27, 2010. The family of Ralph Palumbo Jr., husband & father of Nelly, Ralph-Michael and Rachel, who passed away on May 16, 2010. The family of the Rev. Dr. Alan Steinberg, former Concordia professor and Atlantic District pastor, who passed away on May 16, 2010. Share information on the tear-off sheet in the bulletin or call the church office 337-0207x1003.

**Let us continue** to pray for the soldiers, Marines, airmen, sailors and special forces who put their lives in harm's way, especially Joshua Alvarado AFSOS, Maj. Daniel Cahill, Sgt. Marco Cerbone, James Evans, Chris Finocchio, Andrew Flink AFSOS, Bill Kavanagh, Chris Lena, Nick Lion, Olivia Lion, Ben Millarch, Dan Miller, Gregory Olsen, Michael Porter, Maj. Bradley Rakov, LCDR Christopher Rakov, Brent Smith, Aaron Tiso.

### CHURCH NEWS

**Congratulations to Vicar Christopher J. Kollmann**, our preacher for this weekend. Chris was assigned to First Lutheran Church in Gainesville, FL for his year-long internship. Many of you know Chris, a Chapel School alumnus and son of the congregation, who has just completed his 2nd year at St. Louis Seminary. The call service for his vicarage assignment was held on Tuesday, April 27. Check out Chris's new vicarage congregation at <http://www.flcgainesville.org/>. Chris is the son of Herbert and Marcia Kollmann of Eastchester, NY. Chris is also getting married to Stephanie Michelle Hohl on June 25 at Messiah Lutheran Church in Florida (Stephanie's home congregation). To have a son of the congregation study for the ministry is very exciting and we keep Chris in our prayers during this formative and exciting time in his ministry training .

**We welcome Arnold and Gloria Mayer to our congregation on Sunday at 10:45 a.m.** They will be joining through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. Mr. & Mrs. Mayer are the parents of Deacon Intern Morris Mayer. May God bless Arnold and Gloria as they profess their faith and receive the gift of the Holy Spirit, faith and new life in Jesus their Savior.

**MAYER, Arnold & Gloria**

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**ROSE SUNDAY** is a long-standing VLC tradition when we get to have a little taste of Christmas in June. The message of Christmas can sometimes get lost amid all the cultural traditions and busy-ness of the season, so this weekend gives us a moment to reflect on the truth that Jesus was born to suffer and die for our us. He was the promised Messiah, for whom the world had long been waiting. Joy to the world!

**Concordia College and Village Lutheran Church have partnered to bring an Associate Pastor/Campus Pastor** to our community for the fall. The new position (supported by both Concordia and the VLC) will assist us in filling some of the ministry tasks coordinated by Pastor Taylor (such as preaching and worship leadership). The position is different from Pastor Taylor's position in that this Associate Pastor/Campus Pastor was designed to be very intentional about seeking to include and serve the students at Concordia through our VLC ministries and also utilize the talents and skills of Concordia students in support of our ministry. VLC has a desire to be in ministry and partnership with our closest neighbor and we are looking forward to this new and exciting partnership. Although it will be new and we will need to grow in understanding this new position, it is a very exciting opportunity for this community. To that end Concordia has issued a call to Pastor Roy Minnix from St. Mark's in Hudson, NY. Roy is the grandson of sainted VLC member Frank Tiedemann and is a Concordia graduate. Interestingly, Roy's father is a LCMS pastor who serves at Village Lutheran Church in Lanoka Harbor, NJ, a congregation which was started by two former Concordia professors who gave a nod to our own congregation through the church's name. Please pray for Pastor Minnix and his wife and three children as they consider this ministry opportunity. Should Pastor Minnix be led to accept the call, he would likely be in place and beginning his ministry by late July or early August.

**VLC MUSIC MINISTRY:** This is the final weekend of the choir season, and we extend special thanks to all who have participated in our music ministry throughout the year. It is such a blessing to have God's Word proclaimed through music! **If you would be interested in singing or playing a solo over the summer**, please sign up on the bulletin insert or contact Minister of Music Deb Reiss at 914-337-0207, x1018 or [DREISS@VLC-NY.ORG](mailto:DREISS@VLC-NY.ORG).

**Wednesday morning Bible Study** will meet on **June 16** at 10:45 a.m. for the final session before summer break. We will complete our study of the fourth and final "servant song" in chapters 52-53 of Isaiah.

**Update on Vacation Bible School:** VBS now has a link on our Village Lutheran Church and The Chapel School website. On this you can sign-up for specific volunteer assignments or register as a volunteer or student for VBS. Everyone is urged to use this. Contact Deacon Ann Terenzio at 914-337-0207 x 1112 or [ATERENZIO@thechapelschool.org](mailto:ATERENZIO@thechapelschool.org) for more information.

**PRAYER SERVICES** are held regularly on the last Saturday of the month. Beginning at 6:30 p.m. (after the regular Saturday service), these brief moments for meditation & prayer offer personal prayers at the altar and the ancient tradition of anointing with oil. **The next service is Sat., June 26, at 6:30 p.m.**

The next **Good News Christian Coffee House** will be held at VLC on **Saturday, July 10, 2010**, featuring Psalm 96. The Coffee House opens at 7 p.m. with gourmet coffee and pastries, and the concert begins at 7:30 p.m. Cost is 5/Adult,

Seniors, Students. Children \$2 (ages 5-12). A love offering will be taken to offset expenses.

**Join our PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY.** A Prayer Shawl is knitted or crocheted and given to persons who are ill, have suffered a loss, or are in the midst of a crisis. For information, please contact Shawl Coordinator, Erika Doherty, at 914-337-1080 or see the pamphlets in the Tract Rack, in the Narthex of the church.

**Summer Children's Story** - This summer (from July 11 - September 5) we are looking for men or women to read a Bible story for children in worship at the 9 a.m. service. We will be reading from The Children's Bible. The reader only needs to read the story and say a prayer. The church office will send the story and the prayer in advance. Children will be invited forward at the Children's Bible Story Time by the Pastor and the guest reader will read the story and say the prayer. The children will receive a coloring activity packet with crayons and return to their seats. This is great for Sunday School teachers, school teachers, moms or dads, aunts or uncles, grandmas or grandpas or anyone who loves to read to children. If interested, choose a date on the sign-up sheet.

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

From *Life's Little Book of Wisdom For Kids* (Barbour Publishing, www.barbourbooks.com). This week, remind that special child in your life: **Something that looks good isn't always the best choice.**

### **STEWARDSHIP NEWS**

With some financial success comes the question of how to invest the money. Should we put it in mutual funds, stocks, certificates of deposit, or real estate? As God's people, bought "*with the precious blood of Christ*" (1 Peter 1:19), we understand that the greatest investment we can make is the gifts we offer to the Lord. Jesus said, "*Store up for yourselves treasures in heaven.*" That is an investment that never depreciates and cannot be destroyed by moths or rust nor stolen by thieves (Matthew 6:20).

**Stewardship Appeal 2010 - 2011: The Lifestyle of Faithful Stewards.** A life of stewardship is a life characterized by receiving God's grace through Word & Sacraments and then freely sharing what God has first given us. Prayerfully consider how you might live the lifestyle of a faithful steward for the praise and glory of our Lord. Bring your Commitment Form with you to church on **Commitment Weekend, June 12-13**, drop it off in the church office or return it in the envelope enclosed in the Stewardship Appeal you received by mail.

**The Simply Giving Program** - Just as you rely upon receiving income on a regular basis, Village Lutheran Church relies upon your regular contributions. Village Lutheran Church deeply appreciates the efforts of congregation members to make consistent donations throughout the year. To assist you, the church provides a convenient electronic giving option for setting up regular contributions: This program is offered by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. Contact Jeanette Van Duyne (914) 337-0207, x1040.

### **PARISH HEALTH NEWS**

**Health tip from your Parish Health Practitioner Joy Elwell** - Toss a memory-booster into your smoothie and a cancer-fighter into your cereal. When it comes to berries, it's true: Good things do come in small packages. And the summer months are the perfect time to add these naturally sweet, nutritional super foods to your diet.

**St. Monica's Circle:** St. Monica (b.333, d.387), the mother of St. Augustine, is a patron saint of mothers. A caring initiative for families growing through childbirth and adoption, St. Monica's Circle will provide 5 meals to benefit the growing family.

**If you are expecting a child through pregnancy or adoption**, please notify the church office at 337-0207 when your child is expected to come home, so that we may coordinate volunteers.

**AED:** Village Lutheran Church and The Chapel School have three **Automated External Defibrillators** (AED) located on each level of our campus: by the lunchroom, outside the gym and outside the sanctuary (in the closet marked AED) in the Friendship Room. These life saving devices are easy to use in the event that someone on our campus experiences distress and their heart stops beating.

**Yoga** is held on **Mondays at 7 p.m.** in the Multi-Purpose Rm. Cost \$10. If you need more information call Faith Forliano 725-8035. No pre-registration required.

**Lutheran Counseling Center** provides caring, Christian professional counseling right on our campus. Under LCC's Membership Assistance Program (MAP), VLC members & friends can access these services at the rate of only \$25 per session (for up to 4 sessions). Major health care insurance companies reimburse for LCC services and LCC uses a sliding scale. Call Pastor Hartwell at 337-0207 (1022).

### **SOCIAL MINISTRY NEWS**

The **Blessing Basket** collection will continue under the piano in the Friendship Room. Non-perishable items will be taken to ECAP.

### **YOUTH NEWS**

**Voyagers (3rd-6th)** - Meetings are held in the Multi-Purpose Room 6 - 7 p.m. on Thursdays. The next meeting will be held on **June 17, 2010. We will be welcoming the incoming 3<sup>rd</sup> graders!** Questions, call Erika (914)395-1954 or e-mail [tyandbash@aol.com](mailto:tyandbash@aol.com).

**Lifers (7th-8th)** - Please visit our VLC website under the youth section for more information. Contact Kate Porter at [Kporter@VLC-NY.org](mailto:Kporter@VLC-NY.org) or at 914-337-0207 for more information.

**Crusaders (9th-12th) - Singing for A Cure Band Bash:** Autism Speaks will be a beneficiary of the upcoming Singing For A Cure, an autism diabetes awareness concert sponsored by the Crusader Youth Group of Village Lutheran Church on **June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010 , at 6 p.m.** at VLC in Bronxville, NY. Tickets are \$11. Contact [Kporter@VLC-NY.org](mailto:Kporter@VLC-NY.org) or at 914-337-0207 for more information.

### **CHAPEL SCHOOL NEWS**

*You are cordially invited* to a Service of Celebration and Graduation honoring The Chapel School Class of 2010 on **Saturday, June 19, 2010 at 2:00 p.m.**

**Summer Program** brochures are now available on the tract rack or from the school office. Mad Science will also be on site this summer. Offering 9 weeks of flexible scheduling and classes with many of our own teachers, The Chapel School summer program is a great opportunity for your family and friends with children.

### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**The Osilas Gallery at Concordia College invites you to a special FLAG DAY EVENT. Monday, June 14, 2010, Flag Day at 7 p.m.** The American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars will sponsor a Flag Disposal ceremony in the front quad of Concordia. All flags that are torn or stained that citizens would like to have destroyed may be brought to Bronxville, Eastchester or Tuckahoe Town Hall for pick up and burning, in a proper ceremony for the disposal of the American Flag. This event is in conjunction with the Exhibition "The Hero Next Door: Stories of Courage in Wartime" featuring a collection of personal stories of more than 70 Bronxville, Eastchester & Tuckahoe men and women who died in the service of our Country in wars of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Also included - large model planes, recruiting posters from the Eastchester Historical Society, newspaper pages from World War II, maps and American Flags from the collection of Eastchester Councilwoman Sheila Marcotte. Free and open to the public. No reservation necessary. Refreshments will be served after the ceremony.

**Bronxville Career Network** - Brian Fetherstonhaugh "Building a Career Brand" **Wednesday, June 16, 2010 from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. at The Reformed Church of Bronxville** in the Edwards Room. Brian will share his experiences on how to build a career brand through his discussion on: The three major stages of a career and Building meaningful momentum at each stage. For more information call Pat Drew at (914) 588-8243.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**, located at 25 Crane Road in Scarsdale, will hold its **Vacation Bible School from Sunday, June 20, 2010 - Thursday, June 24, 2010 from 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.** Dinner will be served. Pre-school children from ages 4 up to the 6<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to attend. For more information contact Pastor Rehm at (914) 723-2144 or Sandra Coffey at (914) 949-8067.

**Eastchester Senior Citizens** Cruising on the Italian lines ship "Poesia" from New York on **Wednesday, September 22 through Saturday, October 2, 2010**. Port of calls - Sydney Canada, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Halifax & Newport. Cabins range \$1430 - \$1880. Including cancellation insurance. Complete itinerary available at the Senior Center at Lake Isle. For more information call (914) 337-0390.

**Travel and Learn with Concordia College-New York** In the Footsteps of St. Paul...travel to Greece and Turkey (**October 19-29**). For more information call Rev. Greg Dwyer at 914-337-9300 x 2198 or e-mail [gregory.dwyer@concordia-ny.edu](mailto:gregory.dwyer@concordia-ny.edu).

**Concordia Student Jessica Wollberg** (who frequently worships with us at the 10:45 a.m. service) will be serving as a short-term missionary this July and August with LCMS World Mission. Jessica will be traveling to Jiangmen, Guang Dong, China (Mainland). Plans call for Jessica to be in mainland China teaching various age groups at the Concordia English Center in Jiangmen. This mission field here is building relationships with the students and being an example of Christ. Village Lutheran Church is interested in supporting Jessica's missionary work. If you would like to give a gift of any amount, mark it "Discretionary Fund - Jessica" and the funds will be sent to support her mission work. Please also keep Jessica and her trip in your prayers as she lives out the example of Christ's call to love.

**The Lutheran Church and School of our Savior** (1734 Williamsbridge Rd. in the Bronx) is looking to fill the following positions for the 2010-2011 school year. Both positions are part-time and ideal for a retired individual who would like to provide meaningful service to a Lutheran ministry in their retirement years. Please contact Pastor Paul Saur at 718-792-5665 or [oslpaul@aol.com](mailto:oslpaul@aol.com) for a full listing of job responsibilities and salary package. Our Savior is looking for a lunch room supervisor for grades K-6. Duties would include supervising the school children in each grade as they eat their lunches. Hours of work would be 10-1, Monday through Friday during the school year. Our Savior is also looking for a part-time Science teacher for the High School. Specific subjects, number of classes taught and hours of employment are negotiable based on the area of interest and expertise of the applicant.

**PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICES**

Assisting Ministers:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Chuck Horvath
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Deacon Wendy Haddad
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	George Heath
Organist:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Marcia Kollmann
	<b>9:00 a.m. &amp; 10:45 a.m.</b>	Deborah Reiss
Lectors:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Patrick Durkin
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Andrea Maxeiner
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	Deacon Intern Morris Mayer
Comm. Assts:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Patrick Durkin
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Andrea Maxeiner, Anton DeRosa, Mark Blanco, James Maxeiner
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	Deacon Intern Morris Mayer
Youth Wor. Assts:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Sean Durkin
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Andrew Snyder
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	Stefanie Introcaso
Ushers:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Chuck Horvath, Matthew Callanan
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Ralph Schoene, Dan Chao, Robert Waldmann, John Divi
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	Mickie Hover, Carol Raff, Sylvia Essington, Ed Vidal
Altar Guild:	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	Deacon Ann Terenzio
	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Molly Nagel, Marion Scaramuzzino
	<b>10:45 a.m.</b>	Joan Deery, Deacon Betty Roberts
Altar Flowers:		Kim Rapillo
Childcare:		Amy Heath
Sexton:		Alex Hartwell

**NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP**

*SAT., June 19, 2010*      *5:30 p.m.* Spoken Divine Service  
*SUN., June 20, 2010*      *9:00 a.m.* Total Family Worship  
   *10:45 a.m.* Worship Service with Holy Communion

LESSONS:    Isaiah 65:1-9  
                  Galatians 3:23-29  
                  Luke 8:26-39

**Stewardship Update**

Amount received last week: \$7,651  
Amount received to date: \$321,035  
Amount needed to date: \$325,115  
\$6,635 average weekly need to meet our 09-10 commitment

**2010 -2011 Stewardship Pledge Report**

**25 pledges totaling \$49,555.00 Received to Date!**

Remember this weekend is Stewardship weekend. Please hand you Stewardship Pledge card to the usher during the offering or you may place it in the wicker basket by the Jesus Fountain as we dedicate our commitments to God. Additional Pledge cards are available at the Tract Rack.

## 2 Samuel 11:26 – 12:10, 13-15

**11** <sup>26</sup>When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. <sup>27</sup>When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife, and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the Lord, **12** <sup>1</sup>and the Lord sent Nathan to David. He came to him, and said to him, “There were two men in a certain city, the one rich and the other poor. <sup>2</sup>The rich man had very many flocks and herds; <sup>3</sup>but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb, which he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and with his children; it used to eat of his meager fare, and drink from his cup, and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. <sup>4</sup>Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man’s lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him.” <sup>5</sup>Then David’s anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, “As the Lord lives, the man who has done this deserves to die; <sup>6</sup>he shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity.” <sup>7</sup>Nathan said to David, “You are the man! Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: I anointed you king over Israel, and I rescued you from the hand of Saul; <sup>8</sup>I gave you your master’s house, and your master’s wives into your bosom, and gave you the house of Israel and of Judah; and if that had been too little, I would have added as much more. <sup>9</sup>Why have you despised the word of the Lord, to do what is evil in his sight? You have struck down Uriah the Hittite with the sword, and have taken his wife to be your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the Ammonites. <sup>10</sup>Now therefore the sword shall never depart from your house, for you have despised me, and have taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be your wife... <sup>13</sup>David said to Nathan, “I have sinned against the Lord.” Nathan said to David, “Now the Lord has put away your sin; you shall not die. <sup>14</sup>Nevertheless, because by this deed you have utterly scorned the Lord, the child that is born to you shall die.” <sup>15</sup>Then Nathan went to his house. The Lord struck the child that Uriah’s wife bore to David, and it became very ill.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## Galatians 2:15-21

<sup>15</sup>We ourselves are Jews by birth and not Gentile sinners; <sup>16</sup>yet we know that a person is justified not by the works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ. And we have come to believe in Christ Jesus, so that we might be justified by faith in Christ, and not by doing the works of the law, because no one will be justified by the works of the law. <sup>17</sup>But if, in our effort to be justified in

Christ, we ourselves have been found to be sinners, is Christ then a servant of sin? Certainly not! <sup>18</sup>But if I build up again the very things that I once tore down, then I demonstrate that I am a transgressor. <sup>19</sup>For through the law I died to the law, so that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; <sup>20</sup>and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. <sup>21</sup>I do not nullify the grace of God; for if justification comes through the law, then Christ died for nothing.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## Luke 7:36-50

**7** <sup>36</sup>One of the Pharisees asked Jesus to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee’s house and took his place at the table. <sup>37</sup>And a woman in the city, who was a sinner, having learned that he was eating in the Pharisee’s house, brought an alabaster jar of ointment. <sup>38</sup>She stood behind him at his feet, weeping, and began to bathe his feet with her tears and to dry them with her hair. Then she continued kissing his feet and anointing them with the ointment. <sup>39</sup>Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself, “If this man were a prophet, he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him – that she is a sinner.” <sup>40</sup>Jesus spoke up and said to him, “Simon, I have something to say to you.” “Teacher,” he replied, “Speak.” <sup>41</sup>“A certain creditor had two debtors; one owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. <sup>42</sup>When they could not pay, he canceled the debts for both of them. Now which of them will love him more?” <sup>43</sup>Simon answered, “I suppose the one for whom he canceled the greater debt.” And Jesus said to him, “You have judged rightly.” <sup>44</sup>Then turning toward the woman, he said to Simon, “Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave me no water for my feet, but she has bathed my feet with her tears and dried them with her hair. <sup>45</sup>You gave me no kiss, but from the time I came in she has not stopped kissing my feet. <sup>46</sup>You did not anoint my head with oil, but she has anointed my feet with ointment. <sup>47</sup>Therefore, I tell you, her sins, which were many, have been forgiven; hence she has shown great love. But the one to whom little is forgiven, loves little.” <sup>48</sup>Then he said to her, “Your sins are forgiven.” <sup>49</sup>But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves, “Who is this who even forgives sins?” <sup>50</sup>And he said to the woman, “Your faith has saved you; go in peace.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to You, O Christ.**