

The Chi-Rho
May 2024

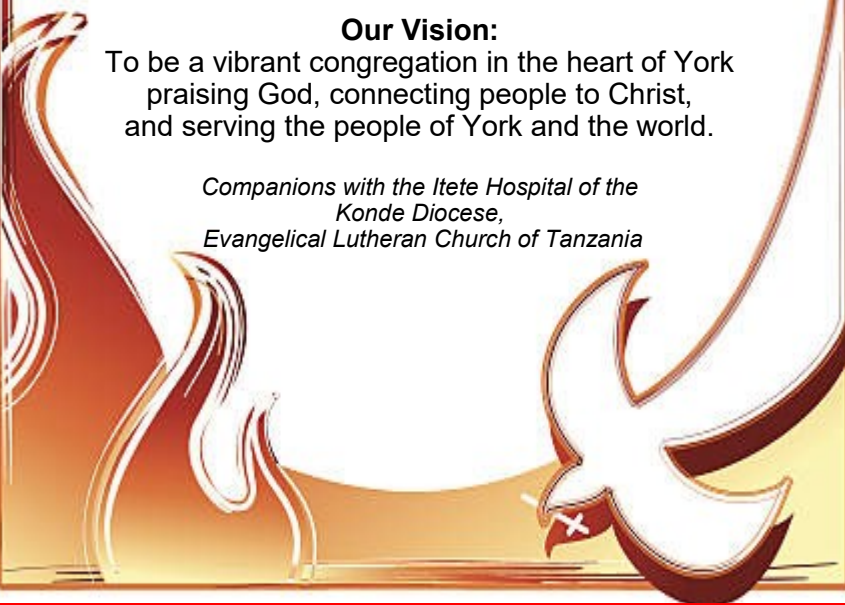


Christ Lutheran Church
29 S. George Street, York, Pa. 17401

Our Mission:
Reflect God's love in the heart of York.

Our Vision:
To be a vibrant congregation in the heart of York
praising God, connecting people to Christ,
and serving the people of York and the world.

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May Readings

May 5

Easter 6

Acts 10:44-48

Psalms 98

1 John 5:1-6

John 15:19-17

May 12

Ascension of Our Lord

Acts 1:1-11

Psalm 47

Ephesians 1:15-23

Luke 24:44-53

May 19

Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:2-21

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Romans 8:22-27

John 15:26-27;16:4b-15

May 26

The Holy Trinity

Isaiah 6:1-8

Psalm 29

Romans 8:12-17

John 3:1-17





Youth Sunday
Sunday, May 5

Blood Pressure Checks
Sunday, May 5 after worship

Finance Meeting
Monday, May 13, 7:00pm

Guys Night Out
Tuesday, May 14, 6:00pm

Ladies Fellowship
Saturday, May 18, 10:00am

Council Meeting
Monday, May 20, 7:00pm

Community Meal
Sunday, 26, 12:00pm

Easter Greetings,

We continue to celebrate the season of Easter for the next three Sundays!

The month begins with Youth Sunday on May 5, when the Youth and Young Adults of Christ Church will lead us in all facets of the worship service. Special music is being prepared by our Youth and Adult Choir. Do please join us for this special Sunday and encourage our young people as they grow in their faith! The Easter season concludes on Sunday, May 19, with Pentecost when we welcome anew the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Just a reminder that we will continue to accept donations for the purchase of Evangelical Lutheran Worship (ELW) hymnals through Pentecost. Do consider giving a hymnal to further enrich the worship life at Christ Church and remember or honor a loved one while we make a joyful noise unto the Lord.

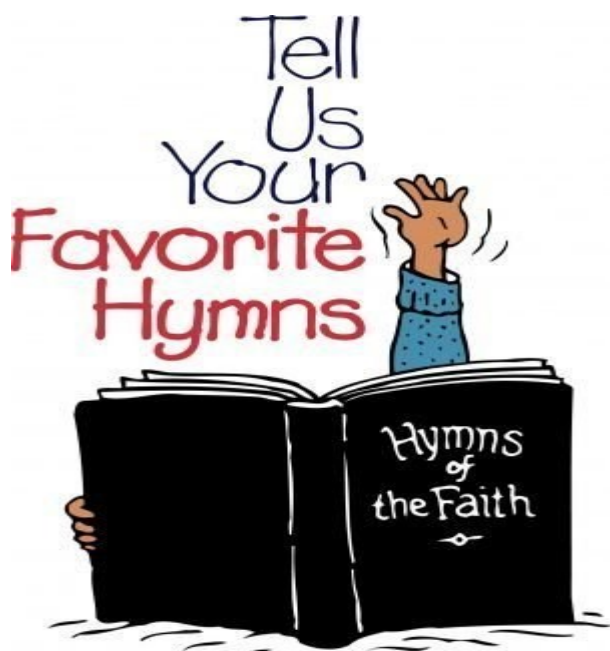
Look forward to seeing all of you at our May services!

Soli Deo Gloria,

Marc Gross

Chair of Worship & Music Committee





Are there some hymns that you find yourself singing around the house that you wish you could sing in church?

Beginning on June 2, we will be including hymns of the congregation's choice for several parts of each worship service!

Be on the lookout for a small sheet where you can write your choices for the hymns you hope to have included in the service. There will also an online option to include these hymns (TBA!).

We will begin collecting your selections on Pentecost Sunday and will continue to until the middle of June.

Looking forward to hearing your selections!

Scott Crowne



Don't miss our youth participating in the worship service next Sunday, May 5th!

They will be greeters, ushers, readers, prayer readers, choir, and assisting ministers!

Come and support them in their new roles!

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get hoppin' to the event of the summer!

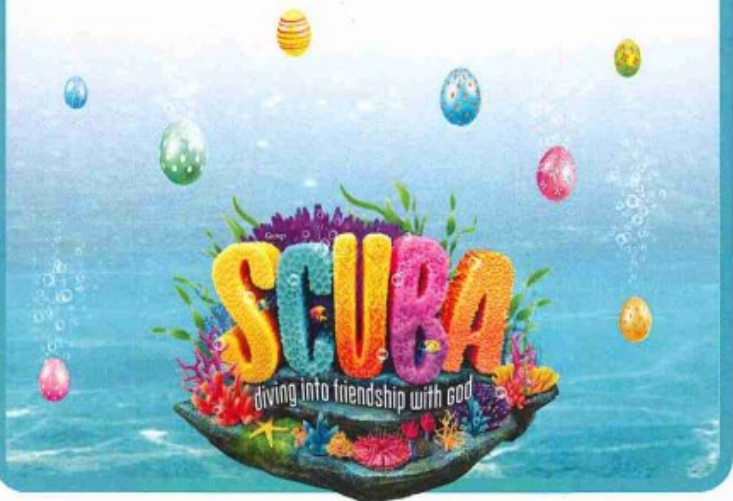
Dive in to an egg-cellent adventure that
goes DEEP into faith-building fun.

Register at: <https://www.myvbs.org/christlutheranchurchyork/>

VBS dates: **06/9-06/13**

VBS times: **6:00-8:00pm**

For more information, call: **717-854-5589**



Sunday School Summer Break!

The last day of Sunday School before summer starts is May 19th!

The Sunday School kids will be celebrating with a party in the Sunday school rooms. I am sure it will be fantastically fun!

Adult education will also end for the summer on May 19.

Have a great summer! Hope to see you at worship!



This month our child spotlight is on Elsie! Elsie is transitioning into our older toddler room and has been with our child-care program since she was an infant. She loves playing with baby dolls, building with blocks, and putting puzzles together. Her teachers say that she loves to be a classroom helper and is a good friend to the other children.

At this time, we are in need of snack items. Some items that we are specifically looking for are whole grain goldfish, whole grain cheezits, whole grain saltines, wheat thins, SunChips, and graham crackers. Thank you to those who have made such generous donations. We appreciate your support of our center!



END OF MONTH GIVING REPORT

March 2024 Report

Actual envelope giving for the month	35,404
<u>Budgeted envelope giving for the month</u>	<u>27,500</u>
Monthly surplus in envelope giving	7,904
YTD actual envelope giving	80,669
<u>YTD budgeted envelope giving</u>	<u>82,500</u>
YTD deficit in envelope giving	-1,831



**Pentecost Flowers
Deadline to order:
Sunday, May 12th.**

Complete the form below and place it in the offering plate or call the church office, 854-5589. The flowers will decorate the Nave and Lower Narthex for Pentecost

No. of plants ____ @ \$6.50 \$_____

Envelope # _____

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