



SEPTEMBER 2016

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 5:30 PM BLENDED
 SUNDAY 8:00 AM TRADITIONAL
 SUNDAY 9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY
 SUNDAY 11:00 AM BLENDED

STAFFED NURSERY PROVIDED

Pastor.....David Drach-Meinel
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 Pastor.....Diane Drach-Meinel
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 Administrative Minister.....Jean Raymond
 Music Minister Instrumental.....Lisa Fiorenza
 Music Minister Vocal.....Pastor Rolfe Johnstad
 Music Minister Percussion.....Matt Murphy
 Music Minister Piano.....Dan Dziedzick
 Facilities Minister.....Alex Montague
 School Coordinator.....Kelly Everly
 Preschool Teachers.....Kelly Everly
Julie Gilmer
Keegan Walsh
 Mommy and Me.....Keegan Walsh
 Bookkeeper.....Claudia Arias
 Preschool Phone.....(702) 914-8782
 Nursery.....Janice Graff
Lilliana Heidtman, Kellie Olson
 Youth Ministry.....Rob & Lara McGoldrick
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END OF SUMMER WORSHIP CELEBRATION

AUGUST 28 AT 9:30 AND 11:00



Join us as we celebrate the end of our summer season. We feature our Worship Band as they lead us in Concert Worship Celebration. We will also bid farewell to faithful worship band guitarist Gloria Nam as she leaves us to begin her college experience at the University of Michigan.

Worship Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 a.m. will proceed as usual this weekend.

SNO CONES!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

FALL SEASON STARTS SEPTEMBER 4, 9:30 AM



Sunday School Fall Session begins Sunday, September 4 in worship at 9:30 and then moving to classes after the Kid's Talk. Our favorite Sno Cone Truck will be here starting at 10:30.

MEXICO MISSION 2016

SEPTEMBER 24 & 25 ALL WORSHIP SERVICES

The 15th Annual Mexico Mission Trip was a success once again! We will celebrate their success at all worship services September 24 & 25 featuring the 2016 Mexico Documentary Video.



We look forward to worshipping with you.



Blessings,
Pastor David & Pastor Diane

If you need emergency attention and cannot reach anyone at the church office, please use our Emergency Cell Phone 702-525-6955.

BIBLE STUDY
TUESDAYS AT 9:30 AM
FELLOWSHIP HALL

The book of Acts tells us the beginnings of Christianity. Peter, Paul and many others share the good news of Jesus Christ moving from Jerusalem all the way to Rome.



This brief seminar is for all families and individuals planning a baptism in the near future. Call the church office to sign up for this seminar, 702-263-0802.



HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH

SUNDAYS: WORSHIP TOGETHER AT 9:30 AM
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 3:00 – 5:00 PM



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
8:00 AM SUNRISE CAFE

Sunrise Café, 8975 S. Eastern in the Las Vegas Athletic Club corner at 215 and Eastern. The Sunrise Café has a great breakfast menu. We will enjoy fellowship and inspiration.

Servant Stitchers

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

We will knit, crochet, sew, cut, glue and maybe even quilt. If you have many years of experience or are a beginner, you are invited to join us for this time of fellowship and creativity. Bring your unfinished projects to work on. If you have any questions, please call Diane Clem 702-263-0395.

ASSISTED LIVING WORSHIP

PRESTIGE AT MIRA LOMA
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 10:00 AM

We lead worship on the third Sunday of every month at Prestige, 2520 Wigwam. Worship is over by 10:30 a.m.

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH

SUNDAYS, BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 4
9:30 AM
COMMUNITY HALL

We are beginning a new resource this year called “re:form Ancestors and New Testament” which is very interactive and hands-on. Middle School meet at 9:30 a.m. in Community Hall for a group activities and key themes using



WHERE IS YOUR HEART?

colorful Anti-Workbooks. On the first Sunday of the month, everyone will go to worship together at 9:30 a.m. Each month there will be a special activity like bowling, rock climbing, or service event.

WELCOME BACK MIDDLE SCHOOL
FAMILY BRUNCH

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
10:30 AM, COMMUNITY HALL



Parents and brothers and sisters, come join the Middle School Youth in your family for some breakfast goodies, and get the scoop on everything coming up this year with a new, active-learning resource. We will share in some games, show off the resources, and get you up to speed about the focus for this year.

WOMEN'S FALL DAY RETREAT

“SWEET LIFE CAFE”
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

FRIDAY FOLDERS

FRIDAYS AT 8:00 AM

Help prepare printed materials by folding bulletins each Friday morning. Join us for a time of serving and fellowship every Friday in the Fellowship Hall.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

The Fall session of Sunday School will be starting again soon, and we have many teacher positions available. Our goal is to have three teachers for every grade so that we can create a rotation schedule. By doing this, a teacher will only be responsible to teach once every three Sundays, assist once every three Sundays, and then have a Sunday off from teaching. Therefore, a teacher only teaches once or twice a month!



Curriculum and Sunday School craft supplies will be provided. We still need teachers for most grades. Prayerfully consider being a Sunday School teacher! Sunday School will be held every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. beginning September 4.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

In John 15:12, Jesus says, “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.” Loving and caring for one another is not just the pastor’s job—it’s something Jesus calls us all to do! Stephen Ministry is a ministry in which people with special gifts for caring ministry can put those gifts to use in an organized way, bringing Jesus’ love and care to those who most need it.

If you know someone who is going through a difficult time, contact one of our Stephen Leaders: Pastor Diane, Liz Baldizan, or Jane Dow about Stephen Ministry. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to provide focused, confidential, one-to-one Christian care—to help that person experience the healing power of Christ’s love.

SOAP FOR HOPE

LSSN PERSONAL HYGIENE SUPPLIES

You may donate travel-sized items any time. Just look for the "Soap for Hope" donation station in the Church lobby.

CSLC'S LIBERIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH MINISTRY

Current local needs continue for food as well as the following: used computers; adult and children's shoes; boys' and girls' bicycles; chairs and other furniture; school materials, backpacks, books, paper, etc. We are also in need of people who have trucks or vans and can deliver these items based on your availability.

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES

URGENT LSSN PANTRY NEEDS

The kids are heading back to school, and all of us can look forward (hopefully) to cooler weather arriving soon! Lutheran Social Services of Nevada's food pantry serves about 200 households per week, and we've helped many families with children this summer. If you could add a few extra items to your grocery list in the next few weeks, your donations will make a difference for our families. Here are some suggestions for nonperishable items (please consider low-salt varieties whenever possible): Canned tuna and chicken; peanut butter and jelly; canned vegetables (all varieties); low-salt potato and tortilla chips; canned or dry beans; brown and white rice; broth and soups; Jello and pudding mixes; iced tea and/or 100 percent juice boxes. And we have a special request from a Nutrition Kitchen volunteer: She could use some spices, particularly garlic powder, curry powder and cinnamon, for the recipes she prepares on Mondays for pantry clients. Thank you to our generous partner churches for helping us keep the shelves stocked! LSSN's food pantry is open from 8-11 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, with Wednesdays reserved for seniors with appointments. Volunteer opportunities are always available. Contact Derrick Felder at derrick@lssnv.org.

ALMOST BACK TO SCHOOL TIME

It will be August 29 (first day of the new school year) before you know it, and LSSN is collecting back-to-school supplies to help our families equip their kids for school. We particularly need backpacks and supplies for elementary and middle school students. Notebooks, pens, pencils, markers (washable!), crayons, erasers, glue sticks and colored pencils are still the preferred items for both groups of students. Watch for sales, drop off donations at church and we'll pick them up. Thank you!

ATTENTION SMITH'S SHOPPERS

When you shop at Smith's with your Community Rewards Card, LSSN can receive a donation. It's easy to choose us! Just go to www.smithsfoodanddrug.com and click on Community. When enrolling, LSSN's NPO number is 81780. Thank you, shoppers!

MARTIN'S MART THRIFT SHOP

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The shop is run completely with volunteers and supported by the Lutheran Churches in the valley for 40 years. They have given over a quarter of a million dollars to Lutheran and other local agencies through the years. If you can volunteer or donate clothing or other goods to support this shop please contact them at 702-382-9344. Martin's Mart Thrift Shop is located at 1219 S. Main St. 1½ blocks south of Charleston Blvd.

BABY BASKINETTES

We are in need of **rectangular laundry baskets, baby bottles with nipples and sleepers**. We can also use new or gently used one piece outfits with or without feet (sleepers, rompers etc), onesies, baby items and towels and washcloths. *If you are interested in helping this ministry and do not have time to shop you may give a donation or a gift card with Baby Baskinettes noted on the envelope.* Nancy Sovocool is always in need of items and has been so generous in buying the items when needed. A list of other items that are needed is available in the lobby. Please drop your donations off at the church.

FLOWER CALENDAR

The Flower Calendar is on the wall by the office. Make sure you sign up for your special week. Please make note of the \$35 amount.

AUTOMATIC ELECTRONIC GIVING

We thank everyone who has supported Christ the Servant this past year with their time, talent and financial contributions and look forward to your support in the year ahead. If you need a convenient way to make regular offerings or if you plan to make additional gifts at any time, we encourage you to check out our electronic giving options. As the pace of life speeds up, you may find electronic giving a most welcome way to make contributions.

Visit www.cslconline.org or contact the church office for more information.

If you prefer to give your offering online, just scan this code and you can give one time or even set up an automatic recurring offering with a credit card.



WE ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS

Many have already made use of our direct deposit services in giving regularly recurring offerings. You may now give your offering or other donation or pay for Preschool tuition or ministry events in the church office or online at cslconline.org using your credit card. This is in response to requests and also the general declining use of checks as a method of making payments. Thank you for all your continuing offerings in support of Christ the Servant.

THRIVENT FINANCIAL CHOICE DOLLARS

Thrivent Financial is now giving back to its eligible benefit members. You can participate by choosing where Thrivent Financial distributes part of its charitable funds among thousands of Lutheran organizations, including our congregation. For more information log on to Thrivent.com/choicedollars or call 1-800-847-4836.

THANK YOU TO...

...Our Cookie Patrol Bakers for July: Diane Clem, Marylee Frank, Annalisa Brewer, Bette Anderson.

...Our Friday Folders: Dale Anderson, Esther Benning, Barb Staron, John Biggs, Bruce Lundquist, Terry & Mabel Hughes.

...Our Summer Sunday School teachers for August: Sherah Bartlett & girls, Sandy Gandy, Katie Montague.



REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2016/2017 Is Now!

Christ the Servant Lutheran Preschool is a Christian school. We provide educational and creative learning experiences for children for ages 3-5. We are able to offer Christian education, small class sizes, and parental involvement

CLASS SCHEDULE AND TUITION

3 year olds: T/Th 9:00-11:30 AM

(3 years old by 9/30/16 and potty trained)

Registration Fee: \$125 Tuition: \$170 per month

4 year olds: MWF 9:00 AM -NOON

(4 years old by 9/30/16 and potty trained)

Registration Fee: \$125 Tuition: \$235 per month

Parent & Me classes offered Wednesdays during the school year. Tuition: \$50 per month

TWELVE STEP & SUPPORT GROUPS

Christ the Servant now hosts seven support groups. Monday: Alcoholics Anonymous at 9:30 AM, Gamblers Anonymous at 12:30 PM, Bridge to Our Angel's Grief Group at 4:00 PM, PAL at 7:30 PM. Tuesday: Narcotics Anonymous at 5:30 PM. Wednesday: Narcotics Anonymous 6:30 AM. Thursday: CODA Noon, Gamblers Anonymous 12:30 PM. Friday: Alcoholics Anonymous 7:00 AM. Saturday: Women's Alcoholics Anonymous (with nursery available) at 9:30 AM, Narcotics Anonymous at 7:30 PM. Sunday: Narcotics Anonymous at 7:30 PM. This is one more way Christ the Servant serves all people.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Shara Brisbon.....09/02	Ron Barrette..... 09/11	Colton Little09/23
Marsha Holland.....09/02	Christopher Gandy..... 09/11	Christina Pierson09/23
Ed Pool.....09/03	Jonah Hamelmann 09/12	Melissa Reed09/23
Richard Hanson.....09/04	Elmae Johnson..... 09/12	Elizabeth Schienman.....09/23
Carsynn Meyer.....09/05	Sal Tiberio 09/12	Paul Delmonico.....09/24
Julie Wagner09/05	Kelly Everly..... 09/13	Fred Dilger09/24
Kylee Bestenlehner09/06	Debra Aschenbrenner 09/14	Aaron Jones.....09/25
Robert Cannioto09/06	Kayla Everly 09/14	Jennifer Mills09/25
Jason DeGeorge09/06	Ronald LaPointe 09/14	Howard Helms09/28
Ashtyn Wick09/07	Mabel Hughes..... 09/15	Jane Dow09/29
Gerlinde Doom.....09/08	Ursula Licon 09/16	Kencie Ely09/29
Zoe Gandy.....09/08	Paul Nelson..... 09/18	Matthew West09/29
Colby Fetzer.....09/10	Margaret Johnstad 09/19	Victor Thomas.....09/30
Zhena Omojola.....09/10	Tina Chute 90/23	

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Loren & Betty Behm..... 09/01	Rhoda Ebersole 09/09
James & Gail Raffel..... 09/01	Lance & Marisa Hendron..... 09/12
John & Patricia Biggs 09/02	Mike & Kelly Everly 09/15
Betty Otto..... 09/02	Greg & Trinity Reich 09/24
Elizabeth & Arash Ghaneian Hubartt 09/04	Robert & Michelle Cannioto..... 09/25
Linda Sorensen..... 09/07	David & Betty Fornes 09/26