



NEWSLETTER OF COLLEGE HILL LUTHERAN CHURCH AND BRAMMER STUDENT CENTER

A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR

WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!

Dear Family in Christ,

Let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. Hebrews 10:24-25

Here we are again! The start of another school year is here! As a campus ministry, we get the joy of having several young men and women join us for the Divine Service on Sundays who come from other LCMS congregations from all over Iowa and even other states! It's great! The pews fill up even more and the strong voices of faith sing and confess Christ! Perhaps one of the best ways we can welcome them to our church is simply by filling the pews.

Primarily, we go to church on Sundays to receive Christ's gifts to us in His Word and Sacrament. It is where our Lord feeds us and gives us the forgiveness that we so desperately need in this broken and fallen world. But, there is another great benefit to attending church! We get to see our Christian family and confess our faith together. We build each other up and encourage one another to love and do good works.

When students come to our church, they are not just coming to an empty, life-less building. They are meeting together with other Christians who confess the same faith they have been brought up in at their home congregations. They come to a church that has people of all ages and backgrounds, but the same faith. This makes them bold to stand firm in their faith during college.

On Sunday, August 21st, please help us welcome the students back to campus and join us for the Divine Service at 10 a.m. It will be a blessing for them to see you!

Ever in Christ,

Pastor Wegener

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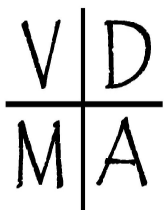
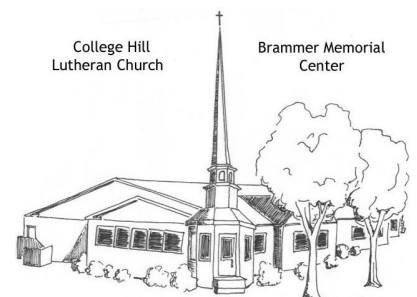
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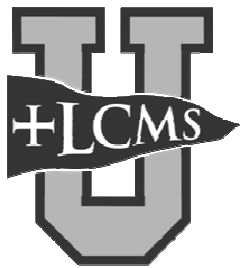
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The Word of the Lord Remains Forever- 1 Peter 1:25



# THE STUDENT SECTION

## LCMS U SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR AUGUST 2022

**Sunday, August 21st: Welcome Back Sunday and Parking Lot Party**

**Monday, August 22nd Fall Semester Begins**

**Friday, August 26th: Party at Pastor's**

### WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!

Sunday, August 21st is the day before the start of the Fall Semester at UNI. Let's give the students a warm welcome to our church!

### ADOPT A STUDENT

The adopt a student program is a great way for you to help a student feel at home! You simply sign up and are placed with a new student. You may invite the student to your home, take them out to eat, give them little gifts, help them with laundry, transportation, or whatever. The amount of time and activities you do with your student is completely up to you. If you would like to participate in our "Adopt a Student" program, please let Pastor or Deaconess Swenson know that you are interested.

### FALL RETREAT

The annual Fall Retreat for the students will be the weekend of Sept. 24-26 at Camp Iodisca. This has become a wonderful event for students to get to know each other better and have a ton of fun! Stay tuned for more information.

### THEOLOGICAL STUDY WEEKEND 2022!

Mark your calendar! The Rev. Dr. John Bombaro will be our guest speaker on Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> for our annual study weekend at College Hill Lutheran Church. He will be speaking on humanism. Dr. Bombaro will also serve as our guest teacher in Bible Study and preacher in the Divine Service on Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>.

### WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

This year students will be studying objections to Christianity and how to respond using the book "Objections Overruled: Answering Arguments Against Christianity."

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## CHURCH NEWS

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### PARISH EDUCATION

Beginning September 7th at 6 p.m. and continuing throughout the academic year on Wednesday evenings, we will be providing an opportunity for our whole congregation and guests to study the Holy Scriptures together. Please come and join us whenever you can. ***Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night.— Psalm 1:1-2***

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### WEDNESDAY VESPERS

Vespers resumes Wednesday, August 24th at 7:00 p.m. “*Vespers*, meaning ‘evening’ (from the Latin *vespera*), was originally known as *lucernarium*, as candles or lamps were lit in the course of its liturgy. Vespers was originally part of the night office, but by the time of St. Benedict (ca. AD 480-543), it was transferred to the early evening or late afternoon. Along with Matins, Luther retained Vespers as a daily office of preaching, praise, and prayer. In structure, Vespers is very similar to Matins, as both services provide for praise of God in psalmody, hymns, and canticles; the opportunity for the reading and proclamation of God’s Word; and space for the prayers of the faithful.” (*Treasury of Daily Prayer*, p. 0-11)

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### DAILY CHAPEL RESUMES

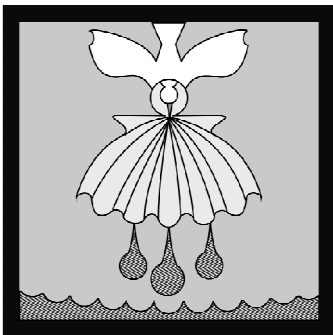
Morning chapel will resume on Tuesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> and will be offered every day Tuesday through Friday at 9 a.m. Anyone is welcome to attend any time. Chapel usually includes readings from the *Treasury of Daily Prayer* and prayers for each day following the pattern of daily and weekly prayer on page 294 in the *Lutheran Service Book*.

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### FALL WORSHIP SCHEDULE RESUMES

Mark your calendars. We return to our regular worship schedule on Sunday, August 21st . The schedule will be as follows:

- 9:00 a.m.. Bible Study and Sunday School
  - 10:00 a.m. Divine Service
  - 11:15 a.m. Refreshments
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### COLLEGE HILL LUTHERAN CHURCH CAMP

Mark your calendars! College Hill Lutheran Church Camp is coming August 1-4 from 6-7:30 pm. This year’s theme will be “I am Christian”. During this time, we will also have Service Projects that need to be done around the church for the adults to work on. Look for sign-up sheets on the table in the Social Hall.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### RED CROSS BLOOD APPRECIATION

The Red Cross deeply appreciates the congregation opening its doors for blood drives. Our next drive is scheduled for Tuesday, August 23rd from 12-4 p.m.

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A GREAT BIG THANK YOU!!! For all the donations that were collected in June for Orphan Grain Train. We greatly appreciate your generosity. We also want to THANK Tim and Deanne Tjarks for delivering all the donations to Orphan Grain Train in Clemons, Iowa. As you have blessed us with your gifts, may our Lord continue to richly bless you. Again, thank you so much! God's Blessings to all of you.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

August 1-4- Church Camp 6:00-7:30 p.m.

August 12- End of Summer BBQ at Pastor and Heidi's

September 11- Rally Day-Fall start of Sunday School

October 28- Bonfire at DeVries farm

November-Thanksgiving meal for family, Thanksgiving cards and Angel Tree Ornaments

December 4- Christmas Caroling and Cookies

December 18- Christmas Program

January 21- Pool Party at UNI, Sledding

February- Snowshoeing/Sledding

March-Game night, Easter cards

April- Easter meal for family

April 5- Easter Egg Hunt

May- Bike Ride

June 21- Church Picnic

June/July-Camp Iodiseca

August- Church Camp

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## YOUTH GROUP NEWS

**August 1-4**- Church Camp 6:00-7:30 p.m.

**August 12**- End of the Summer BBQ at Pastor and Heidi's

**August 14**- Youth Group with Pastor 6:00-8:00 p.m.

**September 11**-Escape room and then Youth Group with Pastor

**October 2**-Youth Group with Pastor

**October 15**- UNI Football game

**October 28**- Bonfire at DeVries farm

**November 19**-Raking leaves fundraiser ending at Pastor's house for Youth Group

**November 30**- Soup supper fundraisers begin

**December 4**- Caroling and cookies

**January 8**-Youth Group with Pastor

**January 21**- High School Weekend

**February 5**- Youth Group with Pastor

**February 12**-After church Super (B)owl fundraiser

**March 1**- Soup Suppers begin

**March 5**- Youth Group with Pastor

**April 8**- Setup and prepare for Easter Breakfast

**April 9**- Serve Easter Breakfast (fundraiser)

**May 7**- Youth Group with Pastor

**May 14**- Possible corsage fundraiser for Mother's Day

**June/July**- Possible carwash fundraiser

**June 21**- Church picnic

**August**- Church Camp

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### **LITTLE BACH'S**

I'm a little ahead of the game on this, but I am out of town for the next few days, so thought I'd shoot you all an email! We will have Little Bach's on Thursday, August 4, at 10 AM. Hope to see you there! Little Bach's resumes to twice a month in September starting September 1. Please spread the word! I'd love to see more families join us!

## CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?

I have already received three calendars for 2023. As you receive advertising calendars in the mail and do not want to use them.....please bring them to the church and put them in the box marked "CALENDARS" in the social hall. As you will remember, we strive to collect sixty five calendars, one for each resident at the Lutheran home in Vinton. Thanks for your help with this project.

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### **AUGUST VOLUNTEERS**

#### **GREETERS**

- 7 Kurt and Rachel Krueger
- 14 Zach & Cherisse Wilson family
- 21 Tammy and Abi Nicholson
- 28 Tim Gamble

#### **USHERS**

- 7 Tim Gamble
- 14 Kurt Krueger
- 21 Douglas Lilleskov
- 28 Keller Wilson

#### **LIVE STREAM OPERATOR**

- 7 Keller Wilson
- 14 Douglas Lilleskov
- 21 Sam Kleiss
- 28 Casey Roegner

#### **ORGANIST**

- 7 Kolleen Hosford
- 14 Rachel Krueger
- 21 Simeon Hasselbrook
- 28 TBD

#### **ACOLYTES**

- 7 Jalen Haugen
- 14 Michael Wegener
- 21 Julien Haugen
- 28 Javan Wegener

#### **COMMUNION ASSISTANT**

Kevin DeVries


#### **ALTAR GUILD**

- 7 Danielle Feldt/Aleah Wegener
- 14 Brandi Sharkey
- 21 Penni Lilleskov
- 28 Cherisse Wilson

## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS AND WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

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|----------------------|------------------|--|
| 3 Cooper Fort        | 10 Louise Dawson |  |
| 4 Christopher Rogahn | 22 Jason Dove    |  |
| 6 Cindy Howard       |                  |  |

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| 4 Colin & Kendra Lobdell   | 4 years  |  |
| 6 Wilson & Stephanie Rojas | 6 years  |  |
| 8 Pastor & Heidi Wegener   | 24 years |  |
| 10 Sheri & Clint Orth      | 59 years |  |
| 26 Dan & Charla Hanus      | 5 years  |  |
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
	1 CHLC CAMP 6-7:30 p.m.	2 CHLC CAMP 6-7:30 p.m.	3 Joanna, Mary, and Salome CHLC CAMP 6-7:30 p.m.	4 CHLC CAMP 6-7:30 p.m.	5	6	
<b>TRINITY 10</b> 9:00 a.m. Divine Service-Live Stream 10:00 a.m. Bible Study 10:15 a.m. Refreshments	8	9	10 Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr	11	12 BBQ at Pastor and Heidi's	13 Peer Leader Training	
<b>TRINITY 11</b> 9:00 a.m. Divine Service-Live Stream – 10:00 a.m. Bible Study 10:15 a.m. Refreshments 10:30 a.m. Evening Guild Meeting Peer Leader Training	15 St. Mary, Mother of Our Lord	16 Isaac 7 pm Board Meeting	17 Johann Gerhard, Theologian	18 Evangelism Meeting	19 Bernard of Clair Vaux, Hymn writer and Theologian	20 Samuel	
<b>TRINITY 12</b> 9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Divine Service -Live Stream 11:15 a.m. Potluck 4:00 p.m. LCMSU Parking Lot Party 	22 UNI Starts	23 9:00 am Chapel Blood Drive 12-4	24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle 9:00 am Chapel 7:00 p.m. Vespers 7:30 p.m. Halfy Hour 8:00 p.m. LCMSU Bible Study	25 9:00 am Chapel Noon Table Talk	26 9:00 am Chapel LCMSU Party at Pastor's	27 Monica, Mother of Augustine	
<b>TRINITY 13</b> Augustine of Hippo, Pastor and Theologian 9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Divine Service -Live Stream 11:00 a.m. Refreshments	29 Martyrdom of John the Baptist	30 9:00 am Chapel	31 9:00 am Chapel 7:00 p.m. Vespers 7:30 p.m. Halfy Hour 8:00 p.m. LCMSU Bible Study	<b>August 2022</b>			