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Confirmation Sunday

Contemporary
Celebration of Holy Communion

August 30, 2026



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WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN'S PROVIDENCE CAMPUS

If you would like to learn more about the church, contact Kathy Hofmann, our Guest & Hospitality Director
khofmann@christelca.org

-or-

Fill out one of the Connect cards located in the pew racks in front of you, and place in the offering plate.

OFFERING

Place cash or checks in Give envelopes, located in the pew racks, and drop in offering plate. For online giving, text "PRAISE" to 73256 or scan QR Code on envelope.

CHRISTKIDS

During the sermon, children ages 3 through 2nd grade are invited to rooms M241/242 for a special ChristKids children's message.

COMMUNION

All baptized Christians instructed in the sacrament are invited to commune. Young children will receive a blessing. Welcome to God's table!



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Contemporary Order of Worship

GATHERING SONG

Let Revival Come

arr. Walker

Rob Chase, solo

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG (stand)

Praise Him Forever

arr. Brown

Bobby Mauney, worship leader

GREETING & SHARING THE PEACE

Please greet those around you with the peace of the Lord.

SONG OF PREP

Set Me Ablaze

arr: Kerr

Kristin Glaeser-Cavazos, worship leader

PRAYER

READINGS (sit)

Exodus 24:15-17 (NIV) read by Landon Stark

Hebrews 12:28-29 (NIV) read by Sawyer Teel

Matthew 28:16-20 (NIV) read by Landon Stark

CHRISTKIDS DISMISSAL

MESSAGE

Wild Fire of Faith
Confirmation Class of 2026

Speakers: Ainsley Brown, Joseph Waskom, Chloe Williams

RITE OF CONFIRMATION

2026 Confirmands: (Contemporary Service) Ainsley Olivia Brown, Jordan Elizabeth Melton, Logan Dean Petrie, Ronan James Petrie, Landon Alexander Stark, Ryder Nelson Teel, Sawyer Norman Teel, Joseph Matthew Waskom, Chloe Marie Williams. (Traditional Service) Damon Michael Contreras, William Joseph DePalma, Connor Murray Huot, Trey Thomas Parker, Logan Pauline Stine.

MUSICAL OFFERING

Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me

arr. Galbraith

SONG OF PRAYER (stand)

Set a Fire

Reagan

PRAYERS & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION (sit)

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

The Blessing

arr. Phillips, Nitz, Crider

Jacob Parker, Annabelle Price, worship leaders

BLESSING & POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (stand)

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

Praise Him Forever (reprise)

arr. Brown

Bobby Mauney, worship leader

DISMISSAL & POSTLUDE

FALL KICKOFF

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

NEW WORSHIP TIMES

8:45 a.m. Traditional • 11:00 a.m. Contemporary

Adult Classes Resume • 10–10:45 a.m.

Youth/Children SS Open House • 10–10:45 a.m.



LUNCH 10:45 a.m. – 1 p.m. (free)

MINISTRY FAIR & ACTIVITIES

9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.



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WEDNESDAYS ABLAZE

ENJOY A COOKOUT OF
BBQ RIBS & CHICKEN
ON SEPTEMBER 16

Dinner 5:00-6:00 p.m.

in Fellowship Hall (\$8 adults/\$6 child/\$30 family max)

To speed up your check-in, prepay for dinner in Realm

Activities & Classes 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Starts September 16th!!

LEARN MORE & RSVP FOR DINNERS:

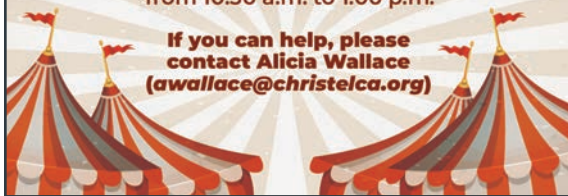
christelca.org/wednesdays-ablaze



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

As part of our Fall Kickoff activities, Mike & Alicia need 6 volunteers to help serve food on Sept. 13 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

If you can help, please
contact Alicia Wallace
(awallace@christelca.org)



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located between
the Ministry Center
& Lower Commons

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Our Regular Store Hours Resume Sept. 1!

SUN | TUE | WED | THU
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

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Centering Prayer

Centering Prayer meetings will take a break from August 10th through Labor Day. We are exploring ways for our meetings to become more Christ-centered and are also looking at changing the date and time that we meet.

Stay tuned for updates!

MORE INFO:

Laura Tang (Lltang@earthlink.net)

Third THURSDAY

for adults of all ages

September 17

11:45 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the Pit

Join us for an exciting afternoon of Latin ballroom dancing led by Donna Emmans & National Ballroom Dance Champion Emily Guthrie.

No prior dance experience or partner required. Lunch is included!

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some things

FELLOWSHIP EVENTS
FOR YOUNG ADULTS
IN THEIR 20s & 30s

Bible Study

**Meets every other Thursday
6:30 p.m. in the Pit**

Young adults are invited to join with others in their 20s-30s for a time in the Word.

UPCOMING DATES:

Sept. 3 • Sept. 17 • Oct. 1 • Oct. 15 • Oct. 29

ADULT 40+ Open Court Basketball

Find your old high-tops & join us for some exercise, fun & fellowship. Throughout the summer months, Spirit Hall will be open

Wednesdays • 7-9 p.m.

for adults 40+ to shoot, play a game of horse or join a pick-up game. Join in to relive the glory days & remember—no dunking allowed.



PIE-MAKING CONTEST

As part of our Fall Kickoff activities on Sept. 13, there will be a blue ribbon Pie making contest. Dropoff your homemade pies in Fellowship Hall by 9:00 a.m. for judging at 10:00 a.m. Winners announced at 11:00 a.m.!!



Registration is under Fall Kickoff Lunch, just indicate that you'll be bringing a pie!



NEW MEMBER CLASS

**Sunday, September 27
and Sunday, October 4**

12:15 - 2:30 p.m. in the Forum

Join us for our upcoming New Member class! This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with our pastors & staff while delving into the Lutheran faith & the history of CLC. Lunch will be provided.

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MORE INFO: khofmann@christelca.org
or mparker@christelca.org



CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING

RESCHEDULED DATE

**Monday, September 14 • 6–8 p.m.
in the Forum**

This training is mandatory for anyone who is interested in assisting children and youth with CLC or McPIE during the 2026-27 school year. The training will review our Child Protection Policy and provide information about updates. Dinner will be provided.

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Psalm 8: Eco-Friendly

Saturday, September 12

8:45–10:30 a.m. (meet in the circular drive in front of Ministry Center)

We will be cleaning up Providence Rd. from Sharon Amity to Olde Providence. Bring your own gloves & we will provide trash bags, grabbers and safety vests.

More info: Gordon Miller (gmiller9535@aol.com)

Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study

meets weekly from 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
in Forum A&B



If you've hit a wall in your faith walk, join this Bible study that journeys through Genesis & John in pursuit of a God who restores our faith in his love & fills us with the wonder of his beauty. **Starts September 17th!!**

MORE INFO: julia.edelson@gmail.com

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Action Teams

For more information:

Dee Dee Petronis (dpetronis@christelca.org)

Re-Membering Event

**Sunday, September 20
12:15–1:30 p.m. in Forum A&B**

If you have joined CLC within the past few years, we invite you to a special lunch to connect with others and share how your journey has been so far.

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Online Study Guide

This online resource is a collection of Bible studies and sermons that you will find useful for enriching your spiritual life, on your own or in a group.



christelca.org/online-study-guide



Family Nights at McClintock
every Tuesday from 5:30 - 7:15 p.m.

STARTS SEPTEMBER 29

To get involved, contact Sara:
srentmeester@christelca.org

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SOUP KITCHEN

3rd SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH
at Roof Above

Serve up a warm meal
for those in need!
Limited volunteer capacity.

To get involved, contact:
Liza Snow (704) 806-0064

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Quilters FOR CHRIST

Wednesdays • 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
at Christ Providence (Center Six)

If you can not make the Wednesday mornings, you
can still be part of this ministry by cutting out or
sewing squares at home. No experience necessary.

MORE INFO:
Lois Witham (lowitham@carolina.rr.com)

NEW CLASS STARTS SEPT. 16!!

Mother Daughter Bible Study

Wednesdays • 6:00 p.m.
in W163 (near Center 6)

This fall, we are launching a brand
new Mother Daughter Bible Study
as part Wednesdays Ablaze.

This study is designed for mothers &
daughters in middle & high school.

Interested? E-mail Pastor Adrienne
to learn more (aladd@christelca.org)



For more on our latest news, events & other announcements: christelca.org/latest-news



Coffee
with the
YOUTH DIRECTOR

Sept. 1 • Sept. 15 • Oct. 6 • Oct. 13

**On Various Tuesdays
4:00–5:30 p.m.**

Highschoolers, come have coffee with Tyler! Check out the Signup Genius to see if any of the timeslots work for you & your friends.

Scan/Click to Sign up
or go to <https://t.ly/YLgKi>




**NATIONAL ELCA
YOUTH GATHERING**

June 26 – July 2, 2027

All 8th-12th grade students are invited to join us in Minnesota for the 2027 Nat'l Youth Gathering. We will spend a week in Minneapolis, worshipping & serving God with 20,000 of our closest friends.

Scan/Click for More Info & RSVP



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YOUTHQUAKE

Youthquake is a gathering for 3rd–5th graders from across the NC Synod for learning, service and worship. This year's theme is what it means to be the church and what a synod is.

Cost: \$22/person (includes lunch & a tshirt!)

All adults attending must have Safe Gathering Certification or provide proof of other background check and training approved by the church.

Location: First Lutheran Church
3600 W. Friendly Ave., Greensboro, NC 27410

Questions? E-mail covercash@nclutheran.org

Saturday, September 26 • 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

Middle School MESSY HIGH SCHOOL

GAME NIGHT

**Sunday, September 13
4–8 p.m. in the Pit**

THIS IS YOUTH GROUP.

It's time for our annual kickoff event of Messy Games! Bring your friends & dress for the mess! Dinner included.

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To learn more, contact Natalya
(nlegvold@christelca.org)



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**HIGH SCHOOL
BIBLE STUDY**

Meets Weekly

**Mondays • 6–8 p.m.
in the Pit**

Join us for a weekly Bible Study during the school year. This will be a time of diving into the word in a laid-back, conversation-based environment. Dinner provided. Bring your Bible and an open heart.

MORE INFO: Tyler Weller
(tweller@christelca.org)



**HOW CAN
WE PRAY
FOR YOU?**

 christelca.org/prayer-request




Prayers

- † National, state and local leaders
 - † People of Russia and Ukraine
 - † Conflicts in the Middle East
 - † Kristi Ausrud
 - † Delaney Martin
 - † Jackie Misenheimer's mother, Mildred Wells
 - † Sonny Parker
 - † Bill Porter
 - † Fred Reddel
 - † Perfecta Modesto
 - † Renee Cerwin's grandson, Archie
 - † Meghan Cole's grandfather, Paul Hoffman
 - † Chris Simmons
 - † Alicia and Mike Wallace's nephew, Stephen Wallace
 - † Ann Marie Ott
 - † Beth Harper
 - † Mary Clark
 - † Lynn Fabian
 - † Marcia Pfeifer
- Hospice List**
- † Ed Cazal
 - † Rajah Chacko's mother, Yo



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WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

August 23, 2026

Traditional: 310

Contemporary: 331

Christ Online: 340 (Sun - Tue)