

**Welcome to Christ Lutheran
Announcements for May 18, 2025
Happy Syttende Mai**

Welcome to worship! May the Holy Spirit bless and nourish us as we worship together. We hope that you come again soon! If you are worshipping with us for the first time and would like more information about our congregation, please ask Pastor Paula.

Nursery items needed! Clothes to play dress-up, small doll accessories, pretend doctor or vet kits, dinosaurs and animal figures, storage baskets, board books hot wheels and magnetic drawing pads. New or gently used items are acceptable. See Sierra for more information.

High School and College GRADUATIONS are rapidly approaching. Perhaps you would like to give your 2025 graduate a personalized card with their name on the front. It could include a symbol of one of their interests such as music, theater, track, football, etc. Cards cost \$3.00 each. 100% of the money goes towards Scholarships or the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. Please talk to Sandy Grant or Jean Johnson in the office. A custom-made card for less than most you find in the store!

Please join us today for our Syttende Mai Brunch and Bake Sale! You can enjoy meatballs, herring, cucumber salad, red cabbage, rice pudding, rømmegrøt, fresh fruit, Norwegian goodies and plenty of coffee and milk. **Alle er velkommen!**

We will Honor our Graduates at the **Baccalaureate Service** next Sunday, **May 25th at 9:00 a.m.** In addition to honoring our graduates we will be handing out scholarships. **All Graduates must submit Bio information to Jenny by today!!**

Summer Worship Hours begin next Sunday. With one service per week at 9:00 a.m.

Church Middle School Lock-In- Friday, May 30th 7:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m. The Cost is \$20 (Kids that helped at the Sock Hop or the Syttende Mai Brunch, will not have to pay this fee? So, sign up in the Narthex). Activities include pizza, games in the gym, time to sit and hang out with friends, a nerf gun war, a camp out in the back yard with a fire (weather permitting) and more. You can invite a friend! All 5th through 8th graders are welcome. Sleep is optional. Breakfast will be served at 6:30 a.m. on Saturday. Parents pick up is at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday.

Ladies Night Out is on Thursday June 26th from 3:00 to 9:00pm. **Tickets go on Sale on June 3rd** from 9:00a.m. to 4:30p.m.

Over 30 Business Stops and over 70 Raffle Prizes. Funds raised are for Start, Seniors in Need and Stoughton Resettlement. **Please note, 2 for 1 tickets go on sale Tuesday June 3rd** (the date was incorrect in the Ambassador)

The CLC Crafters Club will meet on Sunday June 29th from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Large Youth Room. We will be making a Patriotic wall hanging and a fun shelf sitter. The crafts we are making are on display in the Narthex with the sign-up sheet. The cost will be \$15.

What a Mess VBS is the theme this year for **Vacation Bible School**. VBS runs for 4 consecutive Wednesday Evenings from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. starting on **July 30th** and continuing **August 6th, 13th and 20th**. Kids will get together to learn about how God loves messy people. Kids will share a meal with their family and friends. Each week there will be a short skit, kids will make messy snacks and messy crafts and play messy games. Each week has a dress up theme and competition. Kids can join for all or some of the weeks. **All are Welcome! You do not need to be a member to join us. So have your kids invite a friend**

Boundary Waters Canoe Trip 2025- Monday, July 14th - Sunday, July 20th. Youth in Grades 7-12 and ALL INTERESTED ADULTS – The cost is \$450 (\$400 after \$50 campership). Please see the Ambassador for more information.

Sandy Grant is looking for a **Double Krum Kake Iron**. If you have one please reach out to Sandy.