

St. John's Gathering Place

Community Dinner -A free meal for those in need is served from 5:15 - 6:15 p.m. every Monday. It is sponsored by and located at St. John's, Chaska, 300 Fourth Street West.

Prayer Request Opportunity

Let Us Support You with Our Prayers

If you are in need of prayer, please contact Carolyn Wetzell at 952-448-4447 or fill out a prayer card in the pew. Prayer requests can also be sent via email to mnflowerchild@gmail.com.



Sunday School 2009-2010

Registration is open for the 2010-2011 school year. Forms are available on the counter in the lobby. Completed forms can be dropped off in the church office, in secretary's "in box" above the copier. All children ages 2-14 are welcome! If you have questions, please contact Andrea Wackerfuss at andrewackerfuss@yahoo.com or at 952-479-7025.



Vacation Bible School (VBS)

August 3 - 5 from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

This summer we're setting sail for Vacation Bible School on the HIGH SEAS! Kids will feel the sea spray on their face as sails snap overhead. They'll experience the deep rolling waters of God's love. Don't miss the ship - plan now to be a part of this High Seas Expedition VBS! **To register**, go to www.groupvbsspro.com/vbs/cz/YouthVictorious. Everyone from 3 years old to those entering 5th grade is welcome! Bring a friend, bring a neighbor; fun will be had by all!

Vacation Bible School Volunteers Needed

Please consider helping spread the good news of Jesus to the children and volunteer your time and your talents. VBS volunteer sign-up forms are available on the information counter. Return completed forms to the locked box by the nursery. If you would like more information on VBS or volunteering, please contact Earin Friedbauer at 952-448-6037 or youthteam@christvictorious.org.

Get Involved in Bible Study

Drop-ins always welcome.

Sundays

Adult Bible Study

The 9:30 a.m. study will resume in the fall.



Wednesdays

Women's Bible Study

"Psalms, Conversations with God" is the topic of the study. They meet every Wednesday from 9:00-10:00 a.m. at Christ Victorious. For information contact Linda Krantz at 952-443-3411.

Thursdays

Men's Bible Study

This study will resume in the fall. For more information contact Craig at 952-937-5849, Chip at 952-443-1890 or Eric at 612-644-2328.

Saturdays

Saturday Adult Bible Study

Will resume in the fall.

Christ Victorious Nursery

Available for infants and toddlers through age four. Adults are always welcome to volunteer—contact Renee at 952-443-2993, ext. 228 / rjopp@christvictorious.org.

Email Addresses

Governing Board:

governingboard@christvictorious.org

Board of Elders:

boe@christvictorious.org

Youth:

youthteam@christvictorious.org

The Lutheran Hour

The Lutheran Hour is broadcast each Sunday on the following radio stations:

6:05 am	WCCO	AM 830
12:30 pm	KDUZ	AM 1260

WORSHIP THIS WEEK Blended Worship: 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship: 10:30 a.m. Monday Worship: 7:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Pastoral Call

Our Voters Assembly extended a Call as Senior Pastor to Rev. Paul Biebighauser, Little Rock, AR. Please include Pastor Biebighauser and his family in your prayers as he considers our Pastoral Call.

Thank You!

Today is Rev. Monte Meyer's last Sunday preaching at Christ Victorious. He will be serving a pastoral vacancy at Vernon Center. We extend our sincere thanks to Pastor Monte for his preaching and teaching assistance during our vacancy.

Praise Festival - Chaska River City Days

Today members from our praise band along with the praise team from Living Christ Lutheran Church in Chanhassen will be joining forces to participate in the Praise Festival sponsored by Love, Inc. This event coincides with Chaska's River City Days, and there will be bands playing throughout the morning in the park on 4th Street. We will be playing from 12:30 -1:00 p.m. All are invited.

LWML Mites

One way in which you can support missions is through mites. It's easy – just pick up a mite box (available on the lobby counter) and set it in a visible place at home. Throughout the month place your coins into the mite box. Then on the first Sunday of each month, bring your mites to church and empty into the large "Mite Box" on table in lobby. These mites are used for various outreach mission projects throughout the world. Mites will be collected on Sunday, August 1st.

Additional Announcements

Baltic Mission Trip

Pastor Peter Meier and his wife Kathy will travel to the Baltic States for a Mission trip. The Meier's will cover their own trip expenses, but help is needed to provide for the seminars. If you would like to help financially, please use the special yellow envelopes at the information counter or mark your own envelope "Baltic Mission Trip." Checks are payable to Christ Victorious with "Baltic Mission" noted on the memo line. Place your donation in the box by the nursery or in the offering plate. Please support this mission trip with your prayers.

Ministry to Unemployed and Hurting

Are you or is someone in your family unemployed? Is it a struggle just to make ends meet? Has a life event happened in your family that has resulted in a challenging financial situation? Help is available! Your church family wants to help those who are in need by providing Target gift cards for "Back-To-School" supplies. Please contact Pastor Heggen (443-2993, ext. 222) or Renee Jopp (443-2993, ext. 228) on or before July 31st if you are in need of assistance. This information will be kept confidential.

Sharing Christ's Love

Please consider helping those in need! An opportunity is available for you to donate a **TARGET GIFT CARD**, in any denomination, to assist unemployed / families in need from our congregation with purchasing **Back-To-School supplies**. Please write the value on the gift card and turn it in to Renee Jopp or Pastor Heggen anytime on or before July 31. If you have any questions, please contact Renee at 952-443-2993, ext. 228/rjopp@christvictorious.org.

Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministers fulfill a role of walking alongside a person who is hurting; sharing and being Christ's love and compassion, making a significant difference in the suffering person's life...remembering God is the cure giver. If you or someone you know could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister, contact Chris Good at 952-556-5822 / chris@mceegood.com.