

Welcome to Central Lutheran!



One Congregation Two Locations

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Our Mission Statement

"We are a Spirit-filled community of loving and caring, light-hearted people who joyfully invite all to share, through the Gospel, the love of Christ."

Order Of Service

Welcome

Confession

Sharing of the Peace

Song: *Jesus Loves Me, This I know*

ELW 595 All Verses

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Readings

Song: *Word of God Speak*

Bart Millard; Pete Kipley

Sermon (Pastor Doug)

Song: *What A Friend*

Apostles Creed

Offering:

Prayer

Song: *We are an offering*

Prayers of Intercession

Communion: All Welcome:

Grape Juice and Gluten free bread available

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Distribution: Songs, Sanctuary, One Bread, One Body ELW 496

Prayer

Benediction

Song: *Crazy People*

Dismissal

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Prayer Requests

Prayer requests can be made online or by using the attendance pads.

ATTENDANCE

Last Sunday

N/A Attendance AC

57 Attendance CG

3 Live Stream Households

60 Total Attendance

May 22, 2022 6th Sunday of Easter

Today's Scriptures (NIV)

Epistle: Philippians 1:1-18a

Gospel: Luke 9:46-4

Service Assistants Today in Arizona City:

Lector: Elaine Zeckmann

Ushers: Open Opportunity

AV Operator: Karen Debold

Altar Care: Donna Erickson, Joyce Clarin

Communion: Kathy Richards & Ina Johnson

Service Assistants Today in Casa Grande:

Lector: N/A

Ushers: N/A

AV Operator: N/A

Altar Care: N/A

Communion: N/A



Announcements!

FREE HOT LUNCH MISSION The Eloy Hot Lunch program is up and running and needs our help. We need desserts for each Wednesday. Can you bake or buy treats for the hot lunch? Treats do not need to be individually wrapped, but they do need to be “finger food”. In Casa Grande or AZ City stick your treats with a “hot lunch” tag in the church fridge or freezer (plate, bags or boxed) for the ladies to deliver to the program site (just let them know they are there). We need enough for 18 each week. Ideally we would like to stock our freezer with treats for the program! Questions? See Sandy Christopher or Judy Smith.

PASTOR OFFICE HOURS For the summer months, there will be no office hours in Arizona City.

DOWNLOAD OUR APP Keep connected, read newsletters, watch worship, give, see the worship slides, message us and use electronic giving. <https://faithlife.com/clc-az/app> Click on home and then Worship Slides. During the live worship, you will be able to follow along all the slides, including the music lyrics.

DATABASE UPDATE We really need your help to update our database. Going forward, all we can do is use the information provided by each of you as our member, associate member database. We have very little records to rebuild the data. We CANNOT stress how important this is. Several email have been sent with links. But as of this date, only 36 people responded. Since we worship more than that, there must be many missing people from the potential Database Update. If you need help to fill this out, please let someone on council know. Here is the link. <https://forms.gle/DJTgepdpCkguscbt6>

SUMMER WORSHIP 5/29 is in Casa Grande and is Prayers Around the Cross, followed by a salad lunch & fellowship. See Lois Irvin about the Salad Lunch.

BIBLE WOMEN Join Kris Dill in Casa Grande on Tuesdays at 6 pm for a study that starts May 10. The book used will be: Bible Women, All their words and why they matter. If you like, the book can be purchased on Amazona.

GOSPEL BIBLE STUDY Come and Join Pr. Bob for a time of discussion and learning as he walks through the Gospels. Wednesdays start @ 6 pm in Arizona City. Bring your Bibles to class.

THRIVENT UPDATE A representative from Thrivent will be coming onsite. Two dates are possible. The date will be May 21st. We will meet in Arizona City at 10:30 am. A zoom link will be provided to those who email pastor Doug at: pastordoug@CentralLutheranAZ.org

PRAYER REQUESTS Please keep the following people in your prayers: Please keep the following people in your prayers: Arlan B, Asher, Azure, Casa Grande Schools, Carole K, Gary L, "Ginny" L, Joe S, Kimber, Neil S, Rayne, Sandy S. You can add names to the pew pads or via the website. <https://centrallutheranaz.org/prayers>

FOOD DROP OFF Did you know we have food bins at both sites? Pastor Doug will take the food in the bins to Arizona City, where Rick Hagen will then transfer the food to the Food Bank.

PRAYER SHAWL/PATCH MINISTRY Do you knit or crochet? I know you all have heard about the prayer shawl ministries. I would like to re-start or start one here at Central Lutheran. Please come join me! If you are a winter guest, you can still participate and bring what you completed upon your return in the winter! First Saturday of each month, from 9-11 am. Meeting in the Casa Grande Lounging area. Kris Dill, contact her at kdill@centrallutheranaz.org or 630-903-9892.

SUPPORT MISSIONS Please give each week. In person, online, via our app or text. You can scan the QR code as well. Please consider signing up for automated giving. Knowing that CLC can count on your support, helps us do mission.



Next Week (5/29) (NIV)

Philippians 2:1-13

Luke 6:43-45

Service Assistants Next in Arizona City: 6/5

Lector: Jill Lui

Ushers: Open Opportunity

AV Operator: Jarrod Iversen

Altar Care: Donna Erickson, Joyce Clarin

Communion: Kathy Richards & Ina Johnson

Service Assistants Next in Casa Grande: 6/12

Lector: Open Opportunity

Usher: Open Opportunity **Greeter:** Open Opportunity

AV Operator: Karen Debold

Altar Care: Kara Cooper

Communion: Open Opportunity, Open Opportunity

**Jesus Loves Me, This I know
ELW 595**

Verse 1, Chorus, Verse 2, Chorus, Verse 3, Chorus

CHORUS

Yes, Jesus loves me!

Yes, Jesus loves me!

--

Yes, Jesus loves me!

The Bible tells me so.

VERSE 1

Jesus loves me! This I know,

For the Bible tells me so;

--

Little ones to Him belong;

They are weak, but He

is strong.

VERSE 2

Jesus loves me! He who died

Heaven's gate to open wide;

--

He will wash away my sin,

Let His little child come in.

VERSE 3

Jesus loves me! he will stay

close beside me all the way;

--

when at last I come to die,

he will take me home on high

Word of God Speak

Bart Millard; Pete Kipley

Verse 1, Chorus 1, Blank, Verse 2, Chorus 1, Chorus 1, Ending

Verse 1

I'm finding myself at a loss

for words

And the funny thing is

it's okay

--

The last thing I need is

to be heard

But to hear what You

would say

Chorus 1

Word of God speak

Would You pour down

like rain

Washing my eyes to see

Your majesty

--

To be still and know

That You're in this place

Please let me stay and rest

In Your holiness

Word of God speak

Verse 2

I'm finding myself in the

midst of You

Beyond the music beyond
the noise

--

All that I need is to be
with You
And in the quiet hear
Your voice

Ending
I'm finding myself at a
loss for words
And the funny thing is
it's okay

What A Friend We Have in Jesus
Abbie Parker; Adam Palmer; Matt Maher; Matthew Hein
Verse 1, Verse 2, Verse 3

VERSE 1

What a Friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear;
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!

--

O what peace we often forfeit,
O what need-less pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer.

VERSE 2

Have we trials and temptations?

Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

--

Can we find a friend so faithful,
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

VERSE 3

Are we weak and heavy laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

--

Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.

We are an offering

Verse 1,2

Verse 1

We lift our voices,
we lift our hands,
we lift our lives up to you;
we are an offering.

--

Lord, use our voices,
Lord, use our hands,

Verse 2

Lord, use our lives,
they are yours:
we are an offering.

--

All that we have, all that we
are, all that we hope to be,
we give to you, we give to
you.

--

We lift our voices,
we lift our hands,
we lift our lives up to you:

--

we are an offering,
we are an offering.

Sanctuary

Verse 1 x 3

Verse 1

Lord prepare me
to be a sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true

--

with thanksgiving,
I'll be a living sanctuary for you

One Bread, One Body

ELW 496

Refrain, Verse 1, Refrain, Verse 2, Refrain, Verse 3, Refrain

Refrain

One bread, one body,
one Lord of all;
one cup of blessing
which we bless,

--

and we, though many
throughout the earth,
we are one body in
this one Lord.

Verse 1

Gentile or Jew, servant
or free,
woman or man, no more.

Verse 2

Many the gifts, many
the works,
one in the Lord of all.

Verse 3

Grain for the fields,
scattered and grown,
gathered to one for all.

Crazy People

Mark Hall, Matthew West, Seth Mosely

Verse 1, Chorus, Verse 2, Chorus, Refrain, Bridge, Chorus, Outro 1, Outro 2

Verse 1

Who builds a boat
With no clouds in sight

--

Who walks up to a giant
And picks the fight

--

Who turns
A lion's den
Into a petting zoo

--

Who can have a church
In the fire of furnace
Well I'll tell you

Chorus

Crazy people trust in Jesus
Following Him wherever
He leads us

--

Kingdom seekers walk
By faith believers

--

Here's the church here's
the steeple
Here's to all God's crazy people

Verse 2

Who brings a Bible

Into a public school

--

Who shares a gospel
Even when the world call's
Them a fool

--

And who's not afraid
To go against the floor

--

Well cancel me and call me
One of those
'Cause I'm one of those

Refrain

I'm one of
Those crazy people

Bridge

Who sees the world as
A mission field
Crazy

--

Who talks to Jesus like
He's real
Crazy

--

Who believes the words
in red
Crazy

--

Who says He's coming
back again

Crazy

Outro 1

People

His crazy people

Outro 2

I'm one of

Those crazy people