### **Christ Lutheran Church**

Germantown, Maryland

Epistle To The Saints

March 2023

Sunday School at 9:30 AM

Service at 10:30 AM each Sunday

Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>-Daylight Savings Time (clocks forward 1 hour)

Sunday, March 19th-Church Council Meeting

Monday, March 20th-First Day of Spring





"Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning."
-lamentations 3:23

### Welcome!

To view the livestream of our services, go to the church Facebook page (Christ Lutheran Church AALC) or go to our website (christlutheranofgermantown.org) and click the link at the bottom of the first page. Once on the FB page click the "videos" tab. Bulletins for our services are on the website.

#### PRAYER AND PRAISE

**FAMILY OF JAN GLADHILL:** Father we ask that you be with Bruce, John, Kate, Lisa, Michael, and their families during this difficult time. Jan was a faithful servant whose life genuinely touched many, many lives. Thank you, Lord, for allowing us the honor of knowing and loving Jan.

**MERYL BENENATI:** Thank you Father for a successful surgery. We pray for continued healing as she goes through treatment.

**BOB PETERSEN:** Father, we praise you for watching over Bob. We ask that you continue to heal him.

**PASTOR EMERITUS IRVIN STAPF:** Thank you Lord for watching over Pastor Stapf. We ask that you hold him close as he continues to heal.

**REVEREND DR. CAREY LARSON:** Father, we thank you for Reverend Larson. We pray that you will keep him in your care and bless his work in Your name.

**PASTOR SCOTT YOUNT:** Lord we ask that you bless Pastor Yount and his wife, Lena, as they faithfully serve you and spread the word of the Lord.

**FOR OUR CONGREGATION:** Father, we ask your merciful goodness in providing us with the wisdom, discernment and courage to do Your will.

**FOR OUR CHILDREN:** Lord, keep each of them strong in You each day. Protect them and guide them in the plan that You have for each of them.

**FOR OUR PASTORS:** By the power and presence of the Holy Spirit, please uphold and help them stand firm in the truth of Your gracious word.

**FOR OUR SEMINARY STUDENTS:** Father we ask that you be with Chris Clarke, Kris Johnson and Cameron Swanson as they prepare to join the ministry.

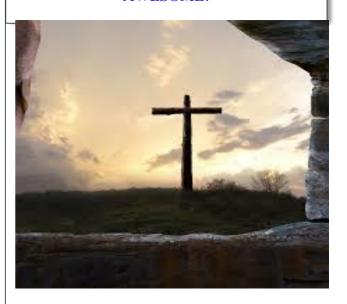
**FOR THOSE SERVING AWAY FROM HOME:** Father, please guide them in Your mercy and bless them with the fullness of Your love.



# Like us on Facebook! Christ Lutheran Church AALC

Our Facebook page is looking great! Lots of wonderful information about our church, congregation, and news.

Every week the service's video is posted. AWESOME!



For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

-Jeremiah 29:11

### christlutheranofgermantown.org

We encourage you to provide Jeane with your comments and things that you think would add additional value to the site.



# March Birthdays 5<sup>th</sup>-Rebekah Stapf 6<sup>th</sup>-Chris Clarke 8<sup>th</sup>-Mia Ali 12<sup>th</sup>-MJ Vallarino 13<sup>th</sup>-Rodney Perini 26<sup>th</sup>-Will Stapf

27th-Lottie Gibson 31st-Kit Gibson

March Baptisms
10<sup>th</sup>-Remi Stapf
18<sup>th</sup>-Frank Benenati
26<sup>th</sup>-Joe Flesch



This year we did not have an Ash Wednesday service. Instead, on the first Sunday of Lent, we had the Imposition of Ashes.

Thank you to Joe Flesch for preaching the sermon, Chris Clarke for performing the Imposition of Ashes, and Jeane Flesch for giving the Children's Sermon.





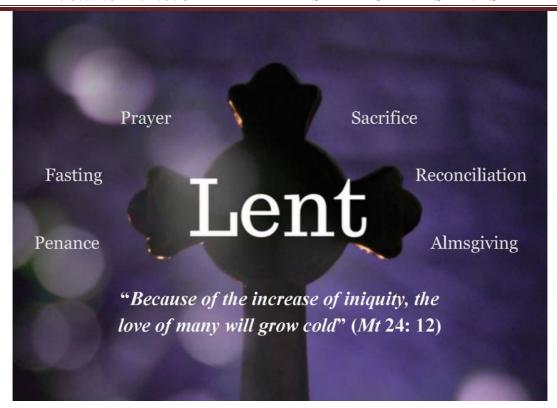






As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him; for he knows how we are formed, he remembers that we are dust.

-Psalm 103:13-14





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