



From Pastor Jon

Y'all have been through a lot of change these past couple of years, and are about to undergo your most significant staff change in close to three decades. Three decades! Pastor Chris has not only been an excellent Campus Pastor, he's also been the continuity through three different Parish Pastors. This was a dynamic I was cognizant of when going through the call process, and Pastor Chris and I have talked freely about it.

So, in Martin Luther's words, "What does this mean?" It means that you will soon be saying goodbye to a beloved person who has played a special role in your life.

In Pastor Chris' own words:

"It is helpful, at the time of a resignation, to remind ourselves of the nature of the relationship between Pastor and Congregant. It is a sacred relationship. It is a functional relationship. A pastor serves a function, for the sake of the Church and on behalf of the Christ whom we worship. The sacred aspects of one's relationship with their Pastor are folded into those functional roles. One is "pastor" when one functions as such. I will forever remain your brother, your friend, a fellow disciple. But on August 16, 2019 I will no longer be your pastor. Therefore, I will not be available for baptisms, weddings, funerals or other pastoral acts. I will no doubt see you at the grocery store, on-campus lectures, and hopefully at more than a few gatherings of the wider Church. We do not need to avoid each other, or fail to share events in our lives. We simply must remember that God has called us to new relationships and that these new relationships deserve our greater dedication."

One of my most significant responsibilities I identified to Council a few years ago was to assist in the transition for the next Campus Pastor. This includes saying goodbye well to Pastor Chris, and creating enough space for Pastor Josh to work with the Student Leaders, students, LCM Directing committee and congregation in writing the next chapter for LCM.

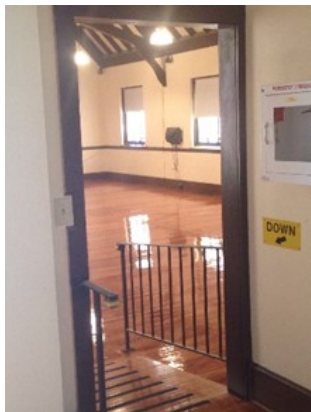
Please text or call me at 843-304-5664, email me at pastorjon12@gmail.com or drop by the office if you have any questions, concerns or simply want to have a conversation.

God's peace & hope,
Pastor Jon



Pig Pickin' for PC!

All are invited to celebrate the ministry of Pastor Chris on **Sunday, July 28 following the second service.** There will be BBQ and sides. If you are able to provide some fruit or dessert, please let Cheryl Summers know, 653-5790 (call or text).



Fellowship Hall Floor Refinishing

The floor has been sanded, stained, and now has its first coat of polyurethane on. To allow the floor to fully cure we ask that

no one walks on it until after Sunday, July 14.

Thanks to the Property Committee for coordinating this work and in removing the furniture! Please contact John Fulmer at johnfulmer@gmail.com if you'd like to lend a hand when they reset the room.

Neighbors
Helping
Neighbors
help themselves

Clemson Community Care

Did you know?
In 2018 CCC served

3,008 families (7,652 individuals)
245,270 pounds of food. Of that total,
227,284 pounds (valued at \$393,374)
were donated while 18,383 pounds
(valued at \$16,767) were purchased.

Your contributions count!!

Clemson Community Care currently has a shortage of the following food items:

**oatmeal, grits, cereal, crackers,
pork and beans, juice, canned meat,
dry pasta.**

Our clients have a greater need for food during the summer months because their children are not in school.

Non-food items that are always needed are toiletries and laundry detergent.

We greatly appreciate all donations!



“For almost 80 years, Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service has been a champion for migrants and refugees from around the globe. Our legacy of courageous and compassionate service has made a difference in the lives of hundreds of thousands of people who have sought safety and hope in America’s communities. Our history reflects American Lutherans’ deep immigrant roots and passionate commitment to welcoming newcomers, especially those who are most in need.

In partnership with community-based legal and social service providers nationwide, LIRS has helped over 500,000 migrants and refugees rebuild their lives in America.”

Their website <https://www.lirs.org> is a great source of information and describes actions we can take when we may feel helpless in the face of what we see on television or the internet.

*For I was hungry and you gave me food,
I was thirsty and you gave me drink,
I was a stranger and you welcomed me ... Matthew 25:35*

CHRISMON WORKSHOP & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

On **Monday, July 22 from 6:30-8:00 p.m.**, the Evening Circle of the Women of the ELCA will sponsor a Chrismon Workshop/Ice Cream Social.

We will be making the beautiful gold and white beaded Christ Monograms that decorate the tree during the Christmas season.

Our Chrismon Guru, Diana Vetter, has a new project for us.

Experience isn’t necessary—expert help is available.

We will also be celebrating summer with our annual Ice Cream Social.

If you would like to try your hand at a gratifying project and enjoy some cool ice cream and warm fellowship, we encourage you to join us on **Monday, July 22 in the Fellowship Hall.**

All women of the congregation are invited!

UniLu Watering Volunteers Needed

It's that time of year when volunteers are needed to help water plants in the Fellowship Hall flower bed.

The main plants that need to be watered are the newly planted Star Zinnias, especially along the sidewalk area where plants get lots of sun and tend to dry out the fastest. The azaleas and the Walker Low Catmint are OK and do not need to be watered unless we go more than 1 week without rain.

Please let everyone know via my email address if you're available to water on a certain date. Thanks!

Jean Askew; jaskew@nctv.com

Approximate dates volunteers are needed:

Wednesday, July 10 - John Blackmon

Sunday, July 14 - Katie Healy

Wednesday, July 17 - Susanne Lemcke

Sunday, July 21 - John Blackmon

Wednesday, July 24 - John Blackmon



**Sunday Worship
at 8:30am and 11am**

**Sunday School
at 9:45am**

Council President

Marion Fisher
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Church Office Hours
The church office is open
Monday through Friday
9am-12noon and
1pm-4pm.

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**DEADLINE for
NEWSLETTER:
Please have your
information to
unilusecretary@gmail.com
by Tuesday at 3 pm.**

Miss a service?

The recorded church sermons, audio and video, are posted weekly to the website: www.uniluclemson.org and to the University Lutheran Facebook page.

UniLu Web Site
www.uniluclemsom.org

Staff Listing

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Mission Statement

University Lutheran is a family of faith, called by the Holy Spirit to be one ministry serving both our community and university. The Spirit calls us to make known, by word and deed, the story of God's love in Jesus. Our worship together empowers us to grow as disciples as we receive, celebrate, and share God's gifts with all of God's creation and created ones.

Serving this Sunday - Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Preaching/Presiding	Pastor Jon Heiliger
Assisting Minister at 8:30	Rebecca Quesada
Assisting Minister at 11:00	Jim Keogh
Communion Assistant at 8:30	Cheryl Summers
Communion Assistant at 11:00	Jan Fritz
Altar Guild	Aija & Michael Seflic; Jackie Broadwell; Jim & Diana Vetter
Minister of Music	Judi Key
Lector at 8:30	John Broadwell
Lector at 11:00	Renee Heiliger
Cantor at 8:30	Rebecca Quesada
Cantor at 11:00	Gary Smith
Greeters at 8:30	Cheryl Summers & Erika Summers
Greeters at 11:00	Harold & Linda Holt
Ushers at 8:30	Rick Blob & Nora Espinoza
Ushers at 11:00	Jim & Diana Vetter
Acolyte at 8:30	Bella Rockow
Acolyte at 11:00	
Tellers	Gary & Patty Smith
A/V Team Members at 8:30/11:00	Ethan Severance/Jim Keogh

PRAYER CONCERNS for University Lutheran Members, Family and Friends: Marvin Doerr; Wayne Gilchrist; Gail Paul; Emma Piazza; Pat Wagner; Rosalyn Flanigan; George Harris; Tony Quesada; Gene Copenhaver; Randy Gilchrist; Larry Bock; Joyce Lillehamer; George Rasula; Katie Healy's friend, Anne; Monte Bedford's sister, Shelley; Jim Keogh's brother, John.

BIRTHDAYS THIS COMING WEEK: Reed Severance; Ethan Severance; Tammy McGinney; Martin Stewart; Martha Lee; Anita Edge; Rosalyn Flanigan; Patrick Mero; Sandra Severance; Tiffany Vetter.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE last Sunday was 78 at 8:30am and 67 at 11am.



Calendar

PARISH

THIS SUNDAY, JULY 14

LCM

Worship at 8:30 and 11am
Sunday School and Coffee 9:45am
Senior Youth Meeting 12pm
Education Meeting 12:30pm
Pastor Chris attending Wild Goose Festival

Monday, July 15

Staff Meeting 1:00pm

Tuesday, July 16

Wednesday, July 17

Bible Conversation 10am

Thursday, July 18

Friday, July 19

Saturday, July 20

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 21st: Worship at 8:30 and 11am
Sunday School and Coffee 9:45am

Prayer Fellowship

The following is a list of people for whom prayer has been requested. If you know of anyone in need of prayer, please email unilusecretary@gmail.com with their name, address if you'd like a card sent to them, and the reason for the request if it is not confidential. Please also let us know if they improve and need to be removed.

Dana Beville, Friend of Marie Lynn

Marge Butler, Sister of John Wagner

Kathy Francis, Friend of the Wagners

Lee Honeycutt, Brother of Frank Honeycutt

Theo Hurst, Grandson of Michael and Aija Seflic

Bob & Faye Lawson, Friends of the Sanders

Ilse & Eberhard Lemcke, Parents of Susanne Lemcke

Barbara Lemcke, Sister of Susanne Lemcke

Billie Mentz, Aunt of Kerry Smith

Kay Powers, Friend of Patty Hudson

Abby Roe, Friend of the Lusk Family

Linda Smith, Friend of Rosalyn Flanigan

Gavin Todd, Son of Cindy Donnan

Robert Washabau, Brother-in-law of Ada Lou Steirer

Berneice Holt

Ben Polfus, relative of Rosalyn Flanigan

Richard Kenerly, Pat Wagner's brother-in-law

Doug Douglas, Husband of Friend of Rebecca Quesada



PRAYER OF THE DAY for Upcoming Sunday

O Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.