



# Cross Talk

Growing Together in Christ's Love, Reaching Out as His Disciples

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## Facing Complacency

Proverbs 1:32 *"For the waywardness of the simple will kill them, and the complacency of fools will destroy them."*

Amos 6:1 *"Woe to you who are complacent in Zion, and to you who feel secure on Mount Samaria."*

Zephaniah 1:12 *"At that time I will search Jerusalem with lamps and punish those who are complacent, who are like wine left on its dregs, who think, 'The Lord will do nothing, either good or bad.'"*

One of the biggest temptations that leaders face – and that churches face – is they stop thinking (dreaming) big! (They become complacent.) After a taste of success, even the best leaders suddenly start to think complacently. When a company or church gets on a roll, many times leaders begin to tighten up and begin playing it safe. (They stop working to win – and begin to plan and play to lose.) Where they once thought big and new, now they begin to think survival – how can we just keep going with what we have?

This temptation is a reality with a lot of sports teams. How many times have we seen teams lose their momentum and they lose the game or lose the season, after starting off big: because, instead of playing to win, they begin to play NOT to lose. They get ahead, but then they pull back and stop playing with the intensity that earned them the lead.

The same temptation traps the church and church leaders. With the organization exceeding expectations and gaining members, the leadership gets excited. The church appears to be cruising toward the best year ever, when all of a sudden the focus shifts from gaining momentum to sustaining momentum. The minute the leadership changes focus, momentum vanishes.

Some experts have described "momentum" as the great "exaggerator." When you have it, people think you're better than you are. You're on a roll and everybody is amazed by your success. When you lose momentum, people think you're worse than you are. Momentum magnifies your performance, and positive momentum can be a potent force to push you forward.

When things are on a roll, don't sit on the ball – run up the score! In other words, when you've got momentum going for you, put the pedal to the metal. Take off. Ignite momentum. Listen to this quote: "We are today where our thoughts and prayers brought us, and we will be tomorrow where our thoughts and prayers take us." When we stop thinking "big" as leaders and dwell upon protecting past successes, we start to think conservatively and small. The big thoughts that gave a big year are replaced by conservative thoughts which will give a mediocre year.

Allow me to share four strategies that should keep your momentum moving in the right direction:

1. **When you are doing well, go shopping!** When you're doing well, instead of patting yourself on the back, go shopping. Look around for someone who is bigger, better, faster, and smarter than you are. Study their success and benchmark your results against theirs. I did this as a younger, more energetic pastor, but it is easy to become complacent. We, as a church need to "go shopping." See what God wants us to become, instead of being satisfied with what we are and where we are.
2. **Stir up inspirational dissatisfaction.** Inspirational dissatisfaction does not mean you are never pleased or satisfied. Nor is it a license to beat yourself up or come down on other people. Instead, it is a creative awareness that you can do better! You can do more to improve personally and to invest exhaustively in the growth of your organization. This state of mind takes you out of your comfort zone and prompts you to keep on stretching.
3. **Develop a daily dose of paranoia.** There's a big difference between a daily dose and an overdose of paranoia. An overdose makes you and everyone around you miserable. A daily dose is an inner rustling – a pebble in the shoe – that creates just enough discomfort to keep you continually alert and engaged, and moving forward.
4. **Continue to set goals that stretch your leadership team and congregation.** If you can reach your goals with a "business as usual" approach, then your goals are too small! A goal is only effective when it forces changes, bigger decisions, and bold action!

**And, the thinking of the leaders is contagious to the whole church!** As leaders, we need to broadcast (as a unity) our way of thinking to the whole congregation, and the people will pick up on it, and get excited about what is being planned. We cannot focus our attention on "survival" – "if we can just make it through the year" attitude. We cannot become a "maintenance" church – "if we can just hold on to what we have, then it will be okay." We must focus our thinking on continual progress – continually moving forward!

If we have become a church that concentrates more on "holding our own" – than "moving forward" – then it is time to seize the offensive. God does not want us to settle for what "conditions" force upon us. God wants us as a congregation to step out and build His Church, His Kingdom, by continually bringing people into a "living, growing, maturing relationship with Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior," through the wonderful leading and guiding of the Holy Spirit.

Holy Cross will soon be 50 years old – and we will celebrate that milestone. But, don't begin to think: "Fifty years old – that's getting up there for a church; or, look what we have accomplished in fifty years – we're doing pretty good! Don't go there. Because 50 years in God's sight is just the blink of an eye; and we haven't done anything – it's God who has worked wonderful things – in and through us as His servants. And, it isn't time to sit down and relax – God daily calls us to get up, be rejuvenated in His Word and Sacraments, and continue the work that He has called us to do! I believe God is calling Holy Cross to be a leader in the Kearney community, and that we need to set the example for other churches for moving out in "faith" and "confidence." To show that we truly believe that God is leading us and that God is walking with us! That we take to heart Jesus promise of Matthew 28 – where He promises: "I will be with you always, even to the end of the world." "With God nothing is impossible, and with God everything is possible!"

God is still in control of this world – and He is calling us to continue in the work that He has called Holy Cross to – "to make disciples of all nations," and to get excited about that call and to think "big" things, because God is a "BIG GOD!" So, let's step out – think big – and dare to risk for the Kingdom of God. And, especially, people of God, let's not become complacent and lazy! God, is calling us to go to work. Let's answer that call. Let's retire the debt and move on to those exciting things that God has in store for Holy Cross!

-- Pastor Duley

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### ACTS 2:45 INITIATIVE

#### More Than a Garage Sale!

What exactly is the Acts 2:45 Initiative? In Acts 2:45 we're told that when the early church was faced with a need: "They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need" (NLT). As we considered what that might look like today, we did think it sounded a lot like a garage sale. But it's also more than just a garage sale! By living out Acts 2:45, we have an opportunity to sell our possessions and give all of what we raise (100%) to help meet needs in our community.

So this is outreach? We think so. It's a way for us to live out our new mission statement that says we will grow together in Christ's love AND reach out as His disciples.

What can I do? Everyone has an opportunity to participate! Wanting to be out in the community where the people are, members of the church are needed in offering their home as a host site for the garage sale. THIS IS OUR BIG NEED RIGHT NOW. We've divided Kearney into eight strategic locations, and we would like to have a garage sale in each of those locations (including any other communities outside of Kearney that would like to participate). In the days leading up to the garage sale, members will be invited to bring items to the host site closest to their home. Some items will probably be very easy to part with. But we're also hoping that some will be more of a sacrifice, knowing it's going to help someone in need. On the day of the garage sale we'd like to be able to provide water bottles and food items for the community (at no cost to them) as a way to create avenues for communication to occur and relationships to begin to grow. So, members will be needed to help bake and gather items, as well as serve at the various sites. We also plan on having reusable bags to hand to shoppers with The Acts 2:45 Initiative and church logo on it (in addition to contact information). This will also allow members to share what we're doing in a natural, non-threatening way. And then after the garage sale is complete, members will be needed to help deliver any remaining items to other organizations in town that could benefit from them.

What's the date again? The dates for the Acts 2:45 Initiative are Friday and Saturday, July 19-20, 2013.

So now what? The first thing we would ask is that you pray. Pray about how you can be involved. Pray for the leaders helping organize the initiative. Pray for our community and the needs that are out there. Pray for God's Spirit to move and for us to follow. Pray that we be motivated by Christ's love. And pray that as we come alongside of others in our community, they will want to know about the hope we have. And then let us know how you would like to participate. Again, our BIG NEED right now is identifying our eight host sites in Kearney (as well as any others who would like to host a garage sale outside of Kearney). To learn more, or to get plugged in, contact Pastor Dustin by phone at 308-627-0055 or by email at dlappe@hclk.org. - Pastor Dustin Lappe



#### Retiring The Debt At Holy Cross

After the Voters' Meeting I was doing some thinking out loud concerning the debt of about \$327,000 dollars at Holy Cross. If we keep up the payments of a little over \$7,000 per month – in two years that adds up to about \$168,000 dollars. If 400 giving units would use the retire the debt envelopes in the envelope boxes - giving an extra \$20.00 per month, in two years that would add up to about \$192,000. Add the two together and you get about \$360,000 – paying off the debt in two years and adding some to a future building fund. Wouldn't it be great if in two years or less, Holy Cross could pay off its debt and begin working towards the next project that God has in mind for us?

--Pastor Duley



## 2013 Summer Worship Schedule Switch

On Sunday, June 9, our summer worship schedule began. So if you haven't marked it on your calendar, please keep in mind our new service times on Sundays. Worship services are at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m., with a dedicated Sunday School (Educational) Hour at 9:45 a.m. The Saturday, 5:30 p.m. worship service stays the same. On Sunday, August 18, we will return to the regular schedule of three services on Sunday morning.

## Summer Sunday School 2013 – Education For ALL Ages!

Attention All Detectives! God's children of ALL ages (3-year-olds to adults) are invited to join us for Summer Sunday School! We are gathering around the theme: "I Spy Salvation's Story." Summer Sunday School will meet for a total of ten consecutive weeks, which began June 9, and will end August 11. Please feel free to contact Andrew Rohwer (293-3796/ arohwer@hcl.org) or Teresa & Todd Dahlke (238-0217/dahlketr@hotmail.com) with any questions.

## Women's Bible Study---"Time of Your Life" by Andy Stanley

What time is it? Where did all the time go? Does time really fly when you're having fun? Maybe we think about time so much because there never seems to be enough of it. Maybe there's only one question we need to ask. What am I doing with my time? Simple question? Easy answer? It's time you found out. In this 5-part series, "Time of Your Life," Andy Stanley will help you discover that answer. Don't waste another second. This 5-week DVD-based study will be led by Kerri Pearson and will meet on Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., from July 11 through August 8! No book or homework! Look for the signup sheet at the Ministry Center!

## Join us for Sunday Adult Bible Studies This Summer

Pastor Duley and Pastor Lappe are both leading Sunday Bible classes over the summer months. The studies began on June 9, but you can still join in. Pastor Duley is leading a study on the Old Testament passages concerning "The Angel of the Lord," and Pastor Lappe is leading Bible studies that parallel the Children's Sunday School stories, ex. the Tower of Babel, Birth of Moses, Hannah's Prayer, King Josiah, etc. Join us on Sundays at 9:45 a.m. this summer for one of these studies in the Friendship Hall or in Rooms 12 and 13.

## Summer Travel Plans?

Summer is a time for travel and vacation. We pray that as you travel, God will bless you with a safe journey, rest and recreation wherever you go. But please make plans to worship and remain connected to the Vine during your travels. If you know where you are going to be on the Lord's Day, contact the church office and we will provide you with the location and worship times of the nearest LCMS congregation. Or simply look them up in the phone book as you travel. Thankfully God never goes on vacation – even though we do!

## Women in Mission Potluck Picnic Planned for July 9

Our next meeting will be the annual summer picnic on Tuesday, July 9. Please bring your spouse and/or guest to the Friendship Hall at Holy Cross by 6:00 p.m. Members are encouraged to bring a hot dish, and a salad/or dessert. Please join us then!

## Congratulations to the Recipients of the Mitchell Scholarship!

Congratulations to the following individuals who have been selected to receive a Mitchell Scholarship to assist with their education: Kayla Bamesberger, Victoria (Tori) Crook, Courtney Hayden, Blair Hild, Taylor Kitzelman, Emily Koski, Macy Kovarik, Rebecca Swenseth and Ryan Swenson. The funds for the Mitchell Scholarship are from the estate of Holy Cross members Leland and Clara Mitchell. Their gift provides financial assistance to further the education of Holy Cross members. Contributions made to this scholarship will be used for future Mitchell scholarships.

## Sermon Themes for June and July

### June 1 and 2

*Second Sunday after Pentecost*  
Galatians 1:1-12  
"Something Big"

### June 8 and 9

*Third Sunday after Pentecost*  
Galatians 1:11-24  
"How God Calls And Uses His Pastors!"

### June 15 and 16

*Fourth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Galatians 2:15-21; 3:10-14  
"Making Things Right"

### June 22 and 23

*Fifth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Luke 8:26-39  
"Demons, Pigs, And Jesus!"

### June 29 and 30

*Sixth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Luke 9:51-62  
Getting Ready for  
The Fourth of July Celebration  
"Freedom!"

### July 6 and 7

*Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*  
Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18  
"Be a Somebody"

### July 13 and 14

*Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Luke 10:25-37  
"The Main Thing Is To Keep The Main Thing  
The Main Thing!"

### July 20 and 21

*Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Colossians 1:21-29  
"The Wonderful Mystery – Christ In Us!"

### July 27 and 28

*Tenth Sunday after Pentecost*  
Luke 11:1-13  
"Boldly Seeking God"

**SHINE**  
This Summer



### Orphan Grain Train Information

Interested in learning more about Orphan Grain Train? Would you like to receive information that can keep you up to date on drop off hours and opportunities to help out? Lavern Deke will be glad to add you to the email list to do just that. Please leave your email address in his church mailbox if this is something you would like to receive.

### Accepting Old Flags

Boy Scout Troop 139 will be retiring old, tattered or torn flags in several respectful ceremonies this summer. If you've got a flag that needs disposed of, please leave it in the tote provided under the front office window in the narthex. Any questions, please contact Dana Ernst at 440-0201.



### Holy Cross Walking Group

You are invited to join the Walking Group every Monday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. We meet on the Walking Trail at the former Upper Room location on 30th Ave. All walkers are welcome. Please wear a comfortable pair of walking shoes and a hat if you need it—and of course sun screen. It's also a good idea to bring along some water. We'll meet every Monday until September 30. Please contact Rita Kaul Parish Nurse if you are interested: 308-293-2397 or [rakaul@charter.net](mailto:rakaul@charter.net).

### Adult Mentors Needed - Men and Women

There is a need for a male mentor role model to meet with a fifteen-year old young man, once or twice a week for an hour. If you are interested in serving as a role model, please contact Pastor Duley.

### Members and Friends of Holy Cross Invited to Assist in Worship

On the fourth Sunday of each month, Holy Cross leads the Sunday afternoon worship service at St. John's Nursing Home (3410 Central Avenue) beginning at 4:30 p.m. The residents really do enjoy our members coming and helping them worship and visiting with them. Our next worship services for the summer will be on June 23 and July 28, so please consider joining us!

### Hospital Notification

If you are hospitalized and would like a visit from Pastor Heck, Pastor Duley or Pastor Lappe, please call the church office and let us know! With the HIPPA laws, information on patients at the hospital is available only on a limited basis. Thank you.

### Time to Update Your Contact Information

Holy Cross is definitely a congregation on the move. This is why it is so important to take some time to update your personal contact information with the church office. Many members have dropped their phone land lines and are using cell phones only. If this is the case for you, please let us know. Maybe you have moved and still need to let us know your new address. Rest assured that we do not share your information with anyone outside membership and your address and phone numbers are for church use only. Feel free to call the church office or just send us an e-mail with your information updates to [holycross@hclk.org](mailto:holycross@hclk.org).



mornings  
with the Lord



**We began Tuesday morning, June 11,  
but it's not too late to join us!  
Holy Cross Lutheran Church  
from 10 - 11:00 a.m.**

**A New Women's Bible Study begins.....  
"Coffee With the Savior" by Kristen Myers  
(Led by Sheryl Hansen)**

Have you ever thought about what you want in a friend?

The innate yearning for relationship is not an accident. God designed us for a relationship with Him and with those He places in our lives.

The purpose of this study is to help you see Jesus as your best Friend. You will learn about Moses and his relationship to God as one of His chosen people.

This eight-week study comes from CPH and requires a study book that is less than \$10.00.

(Scholarships are available for the book.)

There is a sign up sheet at the Ministry Center.

Don't let your walk with God go on vacation all summer. Come have Coffee with the Savior!!! (Or Tea, or water.....) If you have questions please call .....Sheryl Hansen 236-8603 or 627-5350.

### LCMS Synodical Convention National Offering

Check your church mailbox for a flyer for the upcoming Synodical Convention national offering. If you would like to make a donation in the form of a check, please make it out to Holy Cross and we will send one check with Craig Wietjes who is our representative to the convention.

### NACC Scholarship Awarded to Kayla James

Kayla James, a student at Concordia University-Seward and a member of Holy Cross, was awarded the annual Nebraska Association of Congregations for Concordia scholarship. The amount of the scholarship is \$800 per year for full-time student. NACC was established in 1981 and now has a membership of 135 Nebraska congregations. The primary objectives of NACC are to encourage regular and fervent prayers on behalf of Concordia, to recruit students for service to God and His people and to provide scholarships to student members of NACC congregations who attend Concordia.

### Thank you from the Reinertsons

We wish to thank everyone for the special cards, visits and prayers during Reinert's illness. The prayers were certainly answered because Reinert made a full recovery and is back to his old self. God's blessings to you.

- Reinert & Carolyn Reinertson

### Thank You from Fran Howard

My thanks to Pastor Heck for his visits while I was in the hospital and after I returned home. The prayers said for me by Pastor Duley, Pastor Lappe and the congregation, along with the cards I received, are all appreciated.

In God's name,  
- Fran Howard

## Music Corner

### Adult Bell Choir – “Polish and Pizza” Party

• Tuesday, June 18 - 6 p.m.

Adult bell ringers, we have lots of bells to polish! Afterward, we will reward ourselves with pizza, and talk about next year's goals for our bell choir! Be sure to bring your calendars/planners so we can schedule small bell ensembles for summer worship. Many hands will make for light work, so please plan to attend!

### Coming in June – Barbershoppers!

• Sunday, June 30 - 8:30 a.m. worship

Early-morning worshipers will have a special treat in June! The 1733 Kearney Area Barbershop Chorus will share their special music at our 8:30 a.m. service! Look closely; you will recognize several familiar Holy Cross faces in this group. So remember: Set your alarm clocks early for June 30. We look forward to hearing the Barbershoppers' special offerings of praise to our Lord! (Guys .... Would you like to sing with this group on June 30? Please read on for a special opportunity .....)

### Guys: Fun Opportunity to Sing on June 30!

Check this out! The 1733 Kearney Area Barbershop Chorus invites men who like to sing for Jesus to join them for this special Sunday! They practice on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. at the Countryside Christian Church (3203 - 8th Ave .... just west of the Harmon Pool .... top of the hill). Just attend their Monday rehearsals, and then come sing with the chorus at Holy Cross' 8:30 a.m. service. What a great opportunity to sing with “the guys!”

### Coming Soon: Small Bell Ensembles!

Bell ringers, do you want to keep your bell-ringing skills sharp over the summer? We are gathering small ensembles to enhance our summer worship of the Lord. If interested, please contact Robin so we have music parts ready for each ringer. Our July group practices July 16 and 23 at 6 p.m., and rings for worship on July 28. Our August group practices August 13 and 20 at 6 p.m., and rings for worship on August 25. You are welcome to help with one or both groups, as your summer schedule allows. Please come and ring with us!

### Needed: Just a Few More Singers for Jesus!

God has blessed us with Worship Team Leaders for all but three of our summer Sundays! Thank you, Lord! Would you like to gather singers to lead music at our 11 a.m. service for JUST ONE of the Sundays in August? Summer music selections are simple! Just find one or more friends to sing with you, attend the Praise Team rehearsal on the preceding Wednesday at 6 p.m., and then lead Sunday worship singing at 11 a.m.! (If you'd like to lead worship at two services, there's still an open spot on August 25, when we offer worship at both 9:30 and 11 a.m.) Interested? Please contact Robin! Thank you for helping us lead summer praises to our Lord!

### It's Summer! Try Something New!

Have you always wanted to sing or play an instrument for church? Summer is a great time to explore new opportunities!

- ♪ Saturday 5:30 p.m. Song Leaders
- ♪ Sunday 8:30 a.m. Hymn Leaders
- ♪ Sunday 11 a.m. Worship Team Singers
- ♪ Sunday 11 a.m. Praise Bands
- ♪ Special Music: Vocal Ensembles, Bell Ensembles, Brass Ensembles
- ♪ Special Music: Vocal or Instrumental Solos / Duets
- ♪ Special Music: FAMILY Groups!

Need more info? Would you like to help? Please contact Music Director Robin at 237-2944 or rboell@hcl.org

JOIN US in praising Him with His gift of music!



### Invite Friends and CoWorkers to Worship with New Video

Do you have friends, new coworkers or family who you would like to invite to worship at Holy Cross? A new video is available on DVD, the Holy Cross Facebook page and the Holy Cross website (www.hcl.org on the About Us page), for you to share with friends who may be interested in joining a new church. This four-minute video tells the story of the faith, family and fun that we share at Holy Cross, along with the ministries available for all ages, from children to seniors.

Please encourage family and friends who may be interested in visiting or joining Holy Cross to view the video, and if you have a Facebook page, share it on your status for your friends to view!

The Welcome video was created by the Stewardship Board and features many familiar faces from Holy Cross. We thank everyone who helped make the video a reality.

### Idol Lies Women's Bible Study

Women's summer Bible study, "Idol Lies", will begin on Wednesday, June 12, from 7-8 p.m. for 10 weeks. Deep down, every woman longs to feel loved and secure. We may think we look to God for these things, but in reality we often run to food, FaceBook, or friendship first. Worshiping God's gifts is idolatry. And idolatry destroys intimacy with God and steals our joy. Author Dee Brestin brings unfailing principles and vivid testimonies—from Scripture, her own life, and the lives of women who have tested these truths and are excited to tell about their transformation. Join us for a step-by-step guide to freedom and a life changing intimacy with the True Lover of your soul.





## Life Groups

*"Living, Growing, Maturing, Caring"*

The mission of Life Groups at Holy Cross:

*For all to have a living, growing, maturing and caring relationship with Jesus Christ and with one another.*

### What is a Life Group?

Life Groups are a fellowship of **6 to 12 people** who gather outside of the church to study God's Word, pray, serve, have FUN and share their faith journeys with others.

### Is this another Bible study?

No. The purpose of a Life Group at Holy Cross is to live in **Biblical community** with fellow believers, grow and mature in our faith by building **authentic relationships** with others and caring for people both inside and outside of God's church. Life Groups are about studying God's Word, yes, but they are also about having fun together, caring for each other and sharing our lives and faith!

### How often do we meet?

We encourage Holy Cross Life Groups to meet **twice-monthly** from September through May. However, the frequency of getting together is up to the Life Group!

### How long will we be in this group?

**Multiplication** of Life Groups takes place two years after the group begins.

**Confidentiality** is an essential part of each Life Group. "What is said in the group, stays in the group." God wants to us to be in relationships with others that are grounded in faith and which strengthen our connection to Him.

### We all need Life Groups! God did not make us to live our lives alone!

By sharing our lives and our faith with others, we are doing the very thing God called us to do:  
**Love Him and Love our Neighbor.**

**Interested? Don't wait to sign up!**

**NEW GROUPS FORMING THIS FALL!**

Sign up through Michelle Bombeck or through our website at  
**[www.hclk.org/ministries/lifegroups](http://www.hclk.org/ministries/lifegroups)**

### Summer Schedule:

#### Nursery still available!

Need a place for your child to be cared for while you worship? The Nursery is available on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour at 9:45 AND the 11:00 a.m. service! Caregivers are members of Holy Cross who volunteer their time to care for your children while you worship. If you are interested in volunteering by helping in the nursery, please let us know! We also have stocked items available to parents of young ones located in the nursery. Some of these items include extra diapers and wipes, books and toys. Come check us out!

### Whoot! Whoot!

#### Get on the Prayer Chain!

Is your prayer life strong and you are looking for a new way to get involved at Holy Cross? Look no further, get on the prayer chain! How does it work? At the beginning of each week, the prayer chain requests for that week will be organized and emailed out to the prayer chain. When the email is received, we ask that you take time that week to intentionally pray for the individuals who are listed. As there are updates throughout the week, the facilitator of the prayer chain will relay those on to the group. If this sounds like a ministry of which you would like to be involved, please let us know! Sign up by emailing the prayer chain directly at: [prayerholycross@gmail.com](mailto:prayerholycross@gmail.com). Any questions? Please contact Assimilation Director, Michelle Bombeck.

### Greeters and Ministry Center Volunteers

Greeters serve as our "first impression" at Holy Cross, providing smiles and warm wishes to visitors, letting them know we are glad they are here! If you have a warm, inviting personality and would love to welcome members and visitors as they enter our doors, greeting is for you. You can "take a door" on your own, or make it a family affair!

Ministry Center Volunteers "man" the Ministry Center – pointing people in the right direction should they have questions or helping them sign up for classes should they so desire. You don't have to know everything that is going on at Holy Cross, just a willingness to help others find the answers they need.

If you are interested in either of these volunteer opportunities, or have questions about them, please contact Michelle Bombeck at 224-4616 or [mbombeck@hclk.org](mailto:mbombeck@hclk.org).

### Ready And Willing, But How Can I Serve?

Looking for a way to serve your fellow man (or woman)? Have gifts to share, but aren't sure how to share them or where? Call me! I am looking for anyone who is fired up about Jesus and ready to share that joy. Stop in and see me in my office or give me a call. There are so many exciting ways to use your gifts to the glory of God. What can you do to further God's Kingdom today?

With excitement and joy in Jesus Christ our Savior, Michelle Bombeck, Director of Assimilation 224-4616 or [mbombeck@hclk.org](mailto:mbombeck@hclk.org)



**Are You Able?**



## Summer Sunday School 2013 – Education For ALL Ages! "I Spy Salvation's Story"



Attention All Detectives! We would like to invite God's Children of ALL ages to join us for Summer Sunday School! We are gathering around the theme: "I Spy Salvation's Story." Participants will gather clues, dig into the Bible, and put all the pieces together to unearth God's plan of salvation. We are taking a fresh look at some familiar (and maybe not so familiar) Bible stories by gathering, reading, studying and discovering the meaning of God's word for our lives!

This summer, we are offering six (6) sections each Sunday to accommodate all ages:

- Section #1 3 year old – Pre Kindergarten
- Section #2 Kindergarten – 2nd grade
- Section #3 3rd Grade – 5th Grade
- Section #4 6th Grade – 7th Grade
- Section #5 High School
- Section #6 Adults



### Summer Sunday School Schedule

Throughout the summer we are looking at the following "Cases":

#### June 16, Week #2

The Case of the Scarlet Cord  
Rahab Believes  
Joshua 2

#### June 23, Week #3

The Case of the Little Coat  
Hannah's Prayer  
1 Samuel 1:1-2:21

#### June 30, Week #4

The Case of the Torn Robe  
Isaiah Sees the Lord  
Isaiah 6: 1-13

#### July 7, Week #5

The Case of the Missing Scroll  
King Josiah  
2 Kings 22:1-20

#### July 14, Week #6

The Case of the Old Bed  
Jesus Heals at Bethesda  
John 5:1-15

#### July 21, Week #7

The Case of the Worn Broom  
Jesus with Mary and Martha  
Luke 10:38-42

#### July 28, Week #8

The Case of the Bloody Sword  
Jesus in the Garden  
Luke 24:13-35

#### August 4, Week #9

The Case of the Broken Bread  
Road to Emmaus  
Luke 24:13-35

#### August 11, Week #10

The Case of the Wind and Fire  
God Sends the Holy Spirit  
Acts 2:1-21, 37-47

8/18\* – NO Sunday School

8/25\* – NO Sunday School

9/1\* – NO Sunday School – Labor Day Weekend

9/8\* – Rally Day –

Regular Sunday School Resumes

### Sunday School Offerings for Missions

Our Sunday School students have been designating their weekly offerings to various missions this past year. Altogether they have donated \$1,892.54 to eight different mission groups.

September 2012

HOG

\$298.32

October 2012

Habitat for Humanity

\$256.66

November 2012

Megan Kincaid

\$204.26

December 2012

Gideon International

\$182.43

January 2013

Red Cross-Hurricane Sandy

\$286.13

February 2013

Holy Cross Preschool

\$247.10

March 2013

Feed My Starving Children

\$200.77

April 2013

Lutheran World Relief - 2 Goats!

\$216.87



## “Growing Together in Christ’s Love and Reaching Out as His Disciples”

### The Mission Statement of Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Kearney, Nebraska

#### ***“Growing Together in Christ’s Love and Reaching Out as His Disciples”***

What does this mean for us? The mission of Holy Cross Lutheran Church is founded upon the Holy Scriptures and is defined in four underlying principles:

**Growing Together:** Jesus prayed that His disciples would be one, just as He and His Father are one (John 17:21). That’s Christ’s desire for us – to grow together in faith and love. It’s why we come together in worship and praise of our one true God. It’s why we make the most of the opportunities He gives us each day to love Him along with those He’s placed in our life (Matthew 22:37-40). Living together as a community of grace, we are devoted to the study of God’s Word, to fellowship, to sharing in meals, and to prayer (Acts 2:42). And as we serve and care for each other as family, we each have a part in helping each other grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love (Ephesians 4:15-16).

**In Christ’s Love:** God loved the world so much that He gave His one and only Son, that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but will have eternal life (John 3:16). This is real love - not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love one another (1 John 4:10-11). For it is Jesus’ ‘Great Command’ that we love God with all of our heart, soul,

strength, and mind; and that we love our neighbors as ourselves (Mark 12:29-31). This is what shapes our mission and life as God’s people. Growing together and reaching out in Christ’s love.

seek tangible ways to serve others as we meet the needs of our community through acts of compassion and mercy (Micah 6:8). For it’s in partnering with God where He is already at work that we intentionally reach

into our community and world with the love of Jesus (John 12:26).

**As His Disciples:** Jesus said that students are not greater than their teacher. But the student who is fully trained will become like the teacher (Luke 6:40). As His disciples, we want to grow in every way more and more like Christ (Ephesians 4:15). Finding our identity in Him (2 Corinthians 5:14-17). And learning to love as He first loved us (1 John 4:19). According to Jesus, it’s by this love that others will know we are His disciples (John 13:35). It’s therefore not a surprise that His love motivates us to provide multiple ways in which people of all ages learn what it means to follow

Jesus. For where Baptism begins this new life by the power of the Holy Spirit at work in the lives of infants and adults, it’s through the study of God’s Word that we learn to love Him, along with the people He has placed in our life (2 Timothy 3:14-17). It’s why we are committed to providing Christian education as a means by which His disciples can live and grow and mature.



Growing Together in Christ's Love

Reaching Out as His Disciples

**Reaching Out:** In the ‘Great Commission’ we are charged by our Savior Jesus Christ to go and make disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:18-20). This means that instead of waiting for people who don’t know Jesus to come to us, we need to go to them; to reach out to the many that are in search for the Truth (Acts 1:7-8). Joining in fellowship with other believers we together invite our family, friends, neighbors, and coworkers to experience life with us (1 Thessalonians 2:8). And as we work to expand God’s Kingdom here on earth, we



# Youth News

## June/July Senior High Events

### Summer Youth Group Schedule Begins

\*Please Note New Wednesday Night Meeting Time  
(8:00-9:30 p.m.)

#### Sunday, June 16

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Scarlet Cord" -  
Rahab Believes - Joshua 2

#### Wednesday, June 19

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #3  
Youth House

Be Aware - Teens face a lot of money myths: My parents will always take care of me. One day, I'll have as much money as my parents do now. Teens don't need to budget. Money isn't spiritual. I shouldn't give if I don't have money. This lesson debunks these myths and gives students a new mindset for their money.

#### Sunday, June 23

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Little Coat"-  
Hannah's Prayer - 1 Samuel 1:1-2:21

#### Wednesday, June 26

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #4  
Youth House

Do the Details - A budget is the key to winning with money—even for teens! This lesson teaches basic budgeting, including Dave's cash envelope system and debit card strategies. Plus, students will tackle the subject of wants versus needs.

#### Sunday, June 30

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Torn Robe" -  
Isaiah Sees the Lord - Isaiah 6: 1-13

#### Wednesday, July 3

NO Senior High Youth Group –  
National Youth Gathering in San Antonio

#### Sunday, July 7

NO Senior High Youth Bible Class –  
National Youth Gathering in San Antonio

#### Wednesday, July 10

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #5  
Youth House

Do the Math - Math isn't fun. This lesson is. Teens will learn how to prioritize saving over spending and how to save for big things like a car and college. They'll also learn how compound interest works, the basics of mutual funds, and why having an emergency fund is such a big deal.

#### Sunday, July 14

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Old Bed" -  
Jesus Heals at Bethesda - John 5:1-15

#### Wednesday, July 17

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #6  
Youth House

Do Your Part - What made the Good Samaritan so good? It was his attitude about giving. In this lesson, Dave and Rachel explore the meaning of stewardship. Topics include giving both time and money, understanding the tithe, giving beyond the tithe through offerings, and how teens can make an impact on the world today!

#### Sunday, July 21

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Worn Broom" -  
Jesus with Mary and Martha - Luke 10:38-42

#### Wednesday, July 24

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #7  
Youth House

Go Debt Free - What makes debt so dangerous? This eye-opening lesson reveals the truth about debt, from credit cards to student loans, along with strategies for living a debt-free life. Students also learn how a credit score works and why it's no measure of winning with money

#### Sunday, July 28

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Senior High Youth Bible Study  
Youth House

"The Case of the Bloody Sword"-  
Jesus in the Garden - Luke 24:13-35

#### Wednesday, July 31

8:00 – 9:30 p.m.

"Generation Change Study" Session #8  
Youth House

Go to Work - In this lesson, Jon Acuff helps teens start to figure out their purpose in life and how to choose a college major that fits. They'll also learn how to set big goals, create a winning resume, and ace a job interview.

## Youth Birthdays

### Middle School Birthdays

Adyson Otte	6/19
Cole Cromer	6/22
Mariah Dillon	6/27
Jolynn Broweleit	6/30
Kapria Alvarado	7/4
Joshua Pierson	7/4
Randy Judd	7/15
Laura Scamehorn	7/22
Hailey Bernard	7/24
Koebby Bonner	7/28
Riley Herian	7/29
Chloe Smith	7/29
Jaydin Schake	7/30

### High School Birthdays

Drake Wilkerson	6/2
Bobby Judd	6/6
Blake Judd	6/9
Hunter Bosard	6/11
Nicole Harvey	6/11
Lane Salts	6/11
Trevor Ohlrich	6/14
Jessica Saltzman	6/14
Ethan Abramson	6/18
Chance Anderson	6/20
Megan DeLaet	6/21
Macy Kovarik	6/24
Jaxson Arehart	6/25
Dakota Poff	6/25
Tristan Crook	6/26
Akaela Lieth	6/26
Cameron Schlender	7/2
Stephanie Munch	7/7
Madison Wright	7/8
Taryn Hawks	7/9
Alex Harbols	7/10
Javin Klingelhoef	7/12
Nick Theis	7/20
Joe Swenson	7/21
Austin Axtell	7/27
Austin McCoy	7/29
Jacob Rosse	7/29

## New Members Welcomed to Holy Cross in March & April

Holy Cross Family: Please introduce yourselves to our new members and welcome them into our church family!



### Paul, Lisa, Hailey, Theison & Treydon Anderson

The Anderson family lives in Ravenna. Paul is the Principal and Activities Director at Ravenna Elementary. He enjoys golfing and attending his children's sporting events. Lisa works with ESU 10 as a Special Language Pathologist. Paul and Lisa have four children: Nicole, Theison, Hailey and Treydan. Nicole is married and lives in Lincoln. Theison attends college at UNL. Hailey is a Sophomore at Ravenna and Treydan is in 3rd grade.



### Gary Dornhoff

Gary is a retired farmer. He is married to Patricia and together they have 2 daughters: Christina and Tami. He enjoys listening to music, going for drives, and shop work.



### Sarah Gierhan

Sarah is a nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital. She and her husband, Jonathan, are newlyweds.

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### Jeff, Jamie, Avery and Malina Lange

Jeff is a counselor at Berke and Associates and Jamie works as a dental hygienist at Eagle Dental. They have two daughters: Avery who is 2 and their newborn, Malina. They enjoy anything outside: swimming, hiking, and going to the park.



### Kyle, Lindsay, Colton and Nolan Larson

Kyle works at NMC Caterpillar selling heavy equipment and Lindsay stays at home with the exception of working 1 day per week at Studio B as a designer. Colton is in preschool and Nolan is two. They are expecting their third child this summer. They love doing anything outside as a family.



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### Nick, Kaleigh and Carter Johnson

Nick works at Johnson Imperial Homes as a general contractor and enjoys golfing and hockey. Kaleigh works at Family Practice as a nurse. She enjoys reading and they both keep busy with Carter! They just celebrated their son, Carter's first birthday.

### Mark, Meredith and Brooks McLaughlin

Mark is a 1st Grade teacher and football coach at Gibbon Public Schools. Meredith teaches 4th grade at Meadowlark in Kearney. They have a newborn baby boy named Brooks.



### James, Paula, Jay and Sarah Richards

James and Paula are retired. James Jr is a Junior and Sarah a Freshman in Minden. Paula enjoys all sorts of art projects and various volunteer work. James Jr and Sarah both play on the golf team as well as speech team. James enjoys reading, chess, golf, hunting and fishing. James is originally from Western Nebraska, Paula from Georgia; they met in the Atlanta airport. Most of James's working career has been over seas. The family and I moved to Saudi Arabia in 1980 retiring in 2004; James Jr. and Sarah both were born there. James was employed by Aramco, the Saudi national oil company. They moved to Minden in 2004 looking for good schools and a safe environment in which to raise the children. They feel so fortunate to have found, and been accepted into the Holy Cross family for their spiritual growth.



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### **Dustin, Trudi, Trinity, Skylar, Sydona and Lincoln Lappe**

Pastor Dustin is the Associate Pastor here at Holy Cross. His hobbies include golf and movies. Trudi is a homemaker and her hobbies include scrapbooking, reading, and Mary Kay. Dustin is excited about preaching, Men's Ministry, and Life Groups to name a few areas of involvement! Trudi is excited about starting What's for Dinner? Cooking Club, Music Ministry, Children's Ministry/VBS, and Care Team (Meal Provision).

"As we settle in to life in Kearney and at Holy Cross, we are grateful that God has given us this opportunity to come alongside you in mission! May He guide us to live and love boldly in our homes, neighborhoods, community, state, nation & world!"



### **Mandy Hinrichs**

Mandy works at NTV as an assistant producer. She enjoys hockey, pinterest, journalism, reading and shopping. She and her husband, Spencer are newlyweds.



## Active Duty Military Personnel

### Holy Cross Members in the Military:

Deb Andersen  
Lance Fredrickson - Son of Scott and Lynn  
Matthew Taylor - Son of Diane Taylor (Buethe)  
Mark Klein - Son of Ivan Klein

### Family and Loved Ones of Holy Cross

#### Members:

Jon Pearson - Cousin of Jori Pearson  
Corey Thompson - Grandson of Everett and Mildred Kuebler  
Tim Ullman - Son in law of Dan and Lynn Treadway  
Trent Johnson - Son of Charlene Dam, grandson of Kenneth and Elaine Weber  
Paul Hoefs - Friend and co-worker of Mark Crumm  
Amber R Balbach - Granddaughter of HC member Marcella Young, G-G-daughter of HC Wilma Carmann  
Brian Schmidt - Grandson of HC member Hildegard Pohl  
Cory - Friend of HC members Tim and Peg Jones  
Daryl Harvey - Brother of HC member Rashawn  
David Lehman  
Dustin Schutt - Nephew of HC members Joe, Pam and Jackie Schutt  
John Christensen - Cousin of HC member Beth Reid  
Michael McBride - Relative of HC member LaVeda Schroeder  
Mike McNulty - Friend of the Johnsons  
John Boehnke - Friend of the Rathjens  
Ryan Huls - Nephew of DeeDee Aschwege  
Tyler Huls - Nephew of DeeDee Aschwege  
Matt Andersen - Son of Tom and Deb Andersen  
Randy Margrit - Son of Leroyce and Cynthia Margrit  
Cody, Mark and Sean Carlson - Relatives of the Aschweges  
Ben Cornelius - Nephew of Linda Muhlbach  
Michael Machmuller  
Joshua Crawford - Grandson of Henry and Norma Schlattmann  
Paul Swenson  
Travis Reiss  
Stacia Kluever  
Brandon Bennett  
Michael Shaffer - Grandson of Lavern and Jean Deke  
Reed Theifoltdt

Please keep us up-to-date on your military status.



### Anniversaries

Kirby & Ronda Andersen	6/1/1980	33
Craig & Kim Capellen	6/1/1996	17
Mike & Amy Koski	6/1/1991	22
Collin & Amie Nabity	6/1/1996	17
Jerome & Norine Bydalek	6/2/1957	56
Brad & Shelly Dimmitt	6/2/1990	23
Allan & Ruth Hahn	6/2/1957	56
Scott & Lisa Hoffman	6/2/1984	29
Stan & Marge Hillius	6/3/1966	47
Brent & Dawn Schake	6/3/1989	24
Michael & Angela Kreutzer	6/4/2011	2
Rodney & Rhonda Peters	6/4/1976	37
Dean & Rose Ringlein	6/4/1967	46
Jerry & Michele Anderson	6/5/2004	9
Jeremy & Chelsea Feusner	6/5/2004	9
Ryan & Jackie Kohtz	6/5/1999	14
Todd & Sara Trampe	6/5/1993	20
Doug & Connie Weissert	6/5/1977	36
Greg & Jayne Werner	6/5/1982	31
Gary & Fiona Roubicek	6/6/1970	43
Al & Val Smith	6/6/1975	38
Lonnie & Stephanie Else	6/7/1975	38
Dennis & Jo Nachtigal	6/7/1970	43
Dan & Kathy Steinhauser	6/7/1969	44
JJ & Heather Hall	6/9/2001	12
Sean & Jamie Kohl	6/9/1995	18
Greg & Geri Rehms	6/9/1974	39
Drew & Patty Runnels	6/9/1991	22
Scott & Angie Runnels	6/9/1991	22
Brandon & Andrea Shoemaker	6/9/2012	1
Nathan & Michelle Bombeck	6/10/2000	13
John & Christine Arkle	6/11/1988	25
Bob & Jewell Scarborough	6/11/1988	25
Larry & Cheryl Bressington	6/12/1997	16
Joel & Jennifer McReynolds	6/12/1998	15
Aaron & Becky Axtell	6/13/1992	21
Jay & Kim Staehr	6/14/2003	10
Steve & Debbie Todd	6/14/1980	33
Paul & Darlene Bartels	6/16/1951	62
Michael & Kathe Cox	6/16/1984	29
Mark & Beth Reid	6/16/1990	23
Matt & Barbara Bamesberger	6/17/1989	24
Scott & Lynn Fredrickson	6/17/1973	40
Shane & Melissa Hatcher	6/17/2000	13
Roan & Kristin Howard	6/17/2000	13
Mike & Kyla Kaslon	6/17/1978	35
Allen & Amanda Stones	6/18/2011	2
Craig & Julene Nutter	6/19/1965	48
Gary & Susan Puckett	6/19/1993	20
Jeremy & Shannon Haussermann	6/21/2003	10
David & Lori Klone	6/21/1970	43
Ryan & Nicole Krantz	6/21/2008	5
Jeff & Jamie Lange	6/21/2002	11
Reinert & Carolyn Reinertson	6/21/1968	45
Ron & Lois Burns	6/22/2002	11
Matthew & Alicia Walter	6/23/2012	1
Tim & Peggy Jones	6/24/1989	24
Rich & Kay Lush	6/24/1962	51
Nate & Tara Schwanebeck	6/24/2006	7
Bryce & Erin Abbey	6/25/2005	8
Ron & Amanda Denny	6/25/2004	9
Ron & Joyce Lieske	6/25/1964	49
James & Laura Lucas	6/25/2011	2
Darrell & Darla Morris	6/25/1994	19
Joe & Pam Schutt	6/25/1983	30
Thomas & Sally Bernard	6/26/1993	20
Marty & Talana Roy	6/26/1976	37
Paul & Lisa Anderson	6/27/1987	26
Jason & Alecia Boyd	6/27/1998	15
Russ & Melanie Bergsten	6/28/2003	10

Doyle & Kay Lavene	6/28/1969	44
Bernard & Edna Wimmer	6/28/1944	69
Erich & Stacy Meyer	6/29/1996	17
Sam & Michelle Widger	6/29/1991	22
Brent & LaRene Beebout	6/30/1972	41
Steve & Kari Garrelts	6/30/2001	12
Travis & Kaylene Hawkins	6/30/2012	1
Eric & Dee Dee Kitzelman	6/30/1990	23
Jeff & Rachel Kohler	6/30/2007	6
Byron & Elaine Wiseman	6/30/1961	52
Todd & Teresa Dahlke	7/1/1995	18
Tim & Michelle Garth	7/1/2006	7
Matt & Kelsey Reints	7/2/2005	8
Jace & Ally Robinson	7/2/2011	2
Bob & Lynn Tank	7/2/1988	25
Aaron & Becky Dimock	7/3/1999	14
Jack & Charlene Heck	7/3/1951	62
Bob & Summer Judd	7/4/2005	8
Travis & Melissa Buckshire	7/7/2007	6
Blake & Hannah Hild	7/7/2012	1
Dan & Jesi Scoville II	7/8/2004	9
Nick & Heather Sutko	7/8/2005	8
Jarod & Kaylinda De Turk	7/10/2010	3
Duane & Dianne Duley	7/10/1976	37
Stan & Helen Roemmich	7/10/1982	31
Scott & Melissa Franzen	7/11/1998	15
Ron & Jan Von Seggern	7/11/1965	48
Mark & Meredith McLaughlin	7/12/2008	5
Bob & Gloria Travis	7/12/1964	49
Shea & Jennifer Wilkins	7/12/2005	8
Jim & Sherri Flanagan	7/14/1984	29
Greg & Marlene DeLaet	7/15/1989	24
John & Ann Macrander	7/15/1989	24
Jeremy & JoAnna Ringlein	7/15/2004	9
Dan & Deanna Sleicher	7/15/1989	24
Rich & Amy Walters	7/15/2000	13
Gregg & Kristen Dahlgren	7/16/1994	19
Scott & Annie Molring	7/16/2005	8
Jason & Sarah Borchers	7/17/2010	3
Ryan & Kerri Teter	7/17/2004	9
David & Kathy Crook	7/18/1992	21
Monty & Brenda Splitter	7/18/1998	15
Jerry & Margaret McCollough	7/19/1970	43
Matt & Mikki Cosson	7/20/1996	17
Dick & Susan Kincaid	7/20/1985	28
David & Rita Kaul	7/21/1973	40
Scott & Sheila Rasmussen	7/21/1984	29
Gary & Pat Dornhoff	7/22/1945	68
Roy & Jane Hulsey	7/23/1982	31
Shane & Jennifer Warren	7/23/2005	8
Norm & Lorraine Heiden	7/24/1976	37
Brett & Sara Kluever	7/24/2010	3
Robert & Tova Shaffer	7/24/1999	14
Jeff & Molly Walbrun	7/24/2004	9
Paul & Lanna Bishop	7/25/1970	43
Dennis & Sue Hartner	7/26/1980	33
Ricardo & Kelly Varguez	7/26/2003	10
Scott & Tammy Hayden	7/27/1991	22
Steve & Johna Munch	7/27/1985	28
Ron & Jackie Trampe	7/27/1991	22
Bryan & Abbey Wroblewski	7/27/2002	11
Eric & Jean Mandernach	7/28/2001	12
Mark & Mary Stute	7/28/1995	18
Mark & Robyn Bowman	7/29/1990	23
Rashawn & Jennifer Harvey	7/29/2000	13
Rick & Kimberly Sheldon	7/29/1989	24
Ryan & Lexi Zinnel	7/30/2011	2
Kevin & Kristy Kusek	7/31/2004	9
Ronald & Carolyn Priebe	7/31/1966	47
Neal & Misty Steffen	7/31/1999	14
James & Kim Wedige	7/31/1999	14



### Birthday and Anniversary Greetings

Holy Cross members celebrating birthdays and anniversaries in the month of June and July include the following individuals. When you see one of these fellow members, please be sure to give them your best wishes! If your birthday is incorrect or not listed, please update your information with the church office at 237-2944. May God bless your special day!

Jerry Anderson	6/1	Jeremy Ringlein	6/13	Raylon Tallent	6/23	Joshua Pierson	7/4	Mark Huntley	7/15	Tyler McNitt	7/24
Morgan Anderson	6/1	Barrett Roessler	6/13	Macy Kovarik	6/24	Bill Timm	7/4	Randy Judd	7/15	Jacen Osterholt	7/24
Randy Kahle	6/1	Brittany Vos	6/13	Lois Milks	6/24	Judy Wellman	7/4	Jenney Peterson	7/15	Kathryn Peterson	7/24
Dwana Stromberg	6/1	Jase Blattner	6/14	Randy Peterson	6/24	Kylee Bosard	7/5	Rick Johnson	7/16	Isabelle Warrington	7/24
Carolyn Warner	6/1	Jeremy Feusner	6/14	Byron Wiseman	6/24	Mitch Daake	7/5	Dave Jones	7/16	Ronda Andersen	7/25
Jaelyn Dierberger	6/2	Christie Pittz	6/14	Debra Andersen	6/25	Trista Eichelberger	7/5	Chelsey Oltman	7/16	Racy Bauer	7/25
Danielle Hoffmann	6/2	Nathan Fox	6/14	Jaxson Arehart	6/25	Joshua Hidy	7/5	Harper Robinson	7/16	Bryce Crist	7/25
Drake Wilkerson	6/2	Johna Munch	6/14	Matthew Dahlke	6/25	Sam Ninegar	7/5	Karen Rohwer	7/16	Brad Dimmitt	7/25
Fiona Roubicek	6/3	Trevor Ohlrich	6/14	Tia Epley	6/25	Sydney Rohwer	7/5	Connie Weissert	7/16	Julie Finke	7/25
Allan Hahn	6/4	Janelle Pittz	6/14	Molly Kincaid	6/25	Garrett Trampe	7/5	Chelsea Feusner	7/17	Maci Hazard	7/25
Micah Howsden	6/4	Peter Rasmussen	6/14	Anthony Munch	6/25	Erin Abbey	7/6	Trisha Kroll	7/17	Derek Hoffmann	7/25
Leane Palmer	6/4	Jessica Saltzman	6/14	Dakota Poff	6/25	Landon Fangmeyer	7/6	Lucee McCollough	7/17	Dale Janssen	7/25
Macy Ringlein	6/4	Cody Schriner	6/14	Danica Praeuner	6/25	Matt Giesler	7/6	Matthias Okerlund	7/17	Rachel Newell	7/25
Pam Bales	6/5	Kathy Steinhauser	6/14	Kristin Prill	6/25	Stacy Goddard	7/6	Butch Orgiesen	7/17	Emily Nixon	7/25
Karen Baye	6/5	Craig Wietjes	6/14	Kit Schrock	6/25	Nancy Goodban	7/6	Tristan Southwell	7/17	Lyle Burger	7/26
Adysen McCarter	6/5	Evan Darling	6/15	Robyn Weismann	6/25	Delores Wietjes	7/6	Richard Tonniges	7/17	Greg Goodner	7/26
Marilyn Rathjen	6/5	Aibrey Mandernach	6/15	Faith Wilkins	6/25	Robyn Bowman	7/7	Becky Axtell	7/18	Stacey Hromadka	7/26
Dennis Roper	6/5	Jenny Potter	6/15	Mary Aupperle	6/26	Stephanie Munch	7/7	Kristi Grint	7/18	Jacey McReynolds	7/26
Kayla Barnesberger	6/6	Angie Runnels	6/15	Tristan Crook	6/26	Steve Munch	7/7	Emmalynn Larson	7/18	Austin Axtell	7/27
Ruth Holl	6/6	Norma Schutte	6/15	Akaela Lieth	6/26	Trevor Peterson	7/7	LaVeda Schroeder	7/18	David Capps	7/27
Bobby Judd	6/6	Megan Szafrajda	6/15	Melissa Macrander	6/26	Ron Sothan	7/7	Megan Cherry	7/19	Kristen Dahlgren	7/27
Jacki Lewis	6/6	Nick Bowman	6/16	Lori Miller	6/26	Kim Staehr	7/7	Kirsten Faessler	7/19	Mandy Hinrichs	7/27
Michael Miller	6/6	Cassie Dimmitt	6/16	Thomas Slechta	6/26	Molly Walbrun	7/7	Ian Hewitt	7/19	Anna Howard	7/27
Colin Mues	6/6	Candace Green	6/16	Mariah Dillon	6/27	Ashlyn Dealey	7/8	Bonnie McMullen	7/19	Mandy McNeil	7/27
Jared Riggert	6/6	Michele Harvey	6/16	Alyssa Hoffart	6/27	Anna Fryda	7/8	Ryan Dahlke	7/20	Jason Achterberg	7/28
Perry Roper	6/6	Laura Pierce	6/16	Lindsay Plambeck	6/27	Rose Ringlein	7/8	Cathy Kahle	7/20	Koebby Bonner	7/28
Travis Roper	6/6	Emaleigh Rosse	6/16	Rachel Thron	6/27	Kristen Slechta	7/8	LeAnn Klein	7/20	Melissa Franzen	7/28
Theison Anderson	6/7	Andrew Stade	6/16	Wyatt Debban	6/28	Madison Wright	7/8	Ken Larson	7/20	Madison Lush	7/28
Nancy Bunger	6/8	Bernard Wimmer	6/16	Brock McCarter	6/28	Delaney Denny	7/9	Terry Lieth	7/20	Dani McNeil	7/28
Bob De Turk	6/8	Lavern Deke	6/17	Linda Burchell	6/29	Lance Fredrickson	7/9	Marcy Meyer	7/20	Ashley Ruff	7/28
Nathan Hoffman	6/8	Joel Frickey	6/17	Art Heins	6/29	Taryn Hawks	7/9	Kaden Nabity	7/20	Natalee Wright	7/28
Harper Krantz	6/8	Gary Goelz	6/17	Ellise Mehlin	6/29	Eli Nixon	7/9	Marvion Reichert	7/20	Riley Herian	7/29
Chase Madsen	6/8	Kristie Lammers	6/17	Carolyn Priebe	6/29	Cara Orgiesen	7/9	Leia Rumsey	7/20	Austin McCoy	7/29
Glen Milks	6/8	Bob Travis	6/17	Alicia Walter	6/29	Ashton Peterson	7/9	Bryant Schipporeit	7/20	Bryce Nelson	7/29
Laura Neubauer	6/8	Delsia Wilcoxson	6/17	Angela Blank	6/30	Chance Rash	7/9	Zach Seaton	7/20	Clarence Noltensmeier	7/29
Conrad Nerverve	6/8	Ethan Abramson	6/18	Jolynn Broweleit	6/30	Michelle Smith	7/9	Quinten Shaffer	7/20	Stacy Ringlein	7/29
Kelsey Reints	6/8	Joseph Graf	6/18	Brittney Casper	6/30	Rozalyn Warrington	7/9	Kathy Smidt	7/20	Jacob Rosse	7/29
Patty Runnels	6/8	Hunter Madsen	6/18	Jason Fryda	6/30	Mike Bennett	7/10	Nick Theis	7/20	Chloe Smith	7/29
Peter Stout	6/8	Julie McClary	6/18	Emma Lewis	6/30	Steven Hansen	7/10	David Anderson	7/21	Craig Capellen	7/30
Chad Taubenheim	6/8	Kami Moffett	6/18	Eileen Debban	7/1	Alex Harbols	7/10	Alecia Boyd	7/21	Shawna Klute	7/30
Cody Heinrich	6/9	Bill Robinson	6/18	Myka Fielder	7/1	Kyle Poff	7/10	Susan Kincaid	7/21	Kyle Kuebler	7/30
Blake Judd	6/9	Dorothy Simmon	6/18	Susan Heider	7/1	Dennis Schardt	7/10	Joseph Kusek	7/21	Dillon Olson	7/30
Meghan Dahlke	6/10	Beth Sothan	6/18	Howard Kreutzer	7/1	Chris Anderson	7/11	Courtney Rathe	7/21	Jaydin Schake	7/30
Rosie Goos	6/10	Jeff Lange	6/19	Garth Kuhlmann	7/1	Malory Eklund	7/11	Storm Rathe	7/21	Cindy Campbell	7/31
Maci Valenti	6/10	Adyson Otte	6/19	Casey Ohlrich	7/1	Ryan Lavanger	7/11	Valerie Rathe	7/21	Lonny Reeder	7/31
Rich Walters	6/10	Gary Stickney	6/19	Mark Simonson	7/1	Rich Lush	7/11	Joe Swenson	7/21	Luke Richmond	7/31
Hunter Bosard	6/11	Chance Anderson	6/20	Charlotte Green	7/2	David Macrander	7/11	Teresa Cordes	7/22	Nate Schwanebeck	7/31
Kim Dart	6/11	DeeDee Aschwege	6/20	AJ Klute	7/2	Ellyson Schleusener	7/11	Tim Dealey	7/22		
Nicole Harvey	6/11	Jeanne Orgiesen	6/20	Darrell Morris	7/2	Sandy Brehmer	7/12	Shawna Erbsen	7/22		
Kara Johnson	6/11	Tom Bennett	6/21	Andrew Pagel	7/2	Terry Dierberger	7/12	Natalie Hart	7/22		
Lane Salts	6/11	Megan DeLaet	6/21	Cameron Schlender	7/2	Erica Hromas	7/12	Troy Harvey	7/22		
Ashlyn Smidt	6/11	Philip Klein	6/21	Mikayla Tank	7/2	Tammy Hynes	7/12	Shane Hatcher	7/22		
Jeff Calvin	6/12	Katie Nightingale	6/21	Reggie Bosshamer	7/3	Javin Klingelhoef	7/12	Scott Hayden	7/22		
Kyle Davison	6/12	Cole Cromer	6/22	Becca Crowley	7/3	Lois Pagel	7/12	Blake Hild	7/22		
Dustin Limbach	6/12	Jane Hulsey	6/22	Dave Lewis	7/3	Brodie Peterson	7/12	Laura Scamehorn	7/22		
Pam Nelson	6/12	Kay Lush	6/22	Traci Oddy	7/3	Corbyn Robinson	7/12	Marisa Sinclair	7/22		
Deanna Sleicher	6/12	Diana Marlatt	6/22	Tiffany Rubenthaler	7/3	Jeff Smith	7/12	Dione Steinbrink	7/22		
Bragan Zastrow	6/12	Markcus Taylor	6/22	Del Abels	7/4	Haley Larson	7/13	Shane Wegner	7/22		
Emilee Anderson	6/13	Natalie Broadfoot	6/23	Kapria Alvarado	7/4	Sandy Rosse	7/13	Gilbert Hubert	7/23		
Steve Baye	6/13	Paul Epley	6/23	Travis Anderson	7/4	Bernie Hascall	7/14	Patricia Jones	7/23		
Marian Fisher	6/13	Margaret Haarberg	6/23	Sandy Herren	7/4	Amanda Rash	7/14	Peg McCollough	7/23		
Brandon Green	6/13	Hannah Hild	6/23	Gloria Kulhanek	7/4	Aubree Rash	7/14	Hailey Bernard	7/24		
Kelsey Hatcher	6/13	Amie Nabity	6/23	Joshua Madsen	7/4	Karl Broekemeier	7/15	Steve Berndt	7/24		
Ron Kahle	6/13	Sandy Oltman	6/23	Monty McCollough	7/4	Kris Haack	7/15	Lauren Harbols	7/24		



# SHARING OUR TIME AND TALENTS

	June 1 and 2			June 8 and 9		June 15 and 16		June 22 and 23		June 29 and 30	
	8 am	9:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am
<b>Acolytes</b>	Jackie Aschwege		Kaylee Andersen	Jordyn Kohtz	Steven Boldt	Michael Huebner	Mia Sorgenfrei	Madison Sherbeck	Collin Dorszynski	Matthew Stute	Lee Herrington
<b>Ushers</b>	Mark Bartels Lyle Burger Keith Kuebler Dan Zinnel		Betty Jo Gehring Micah Howsden Jerry McColough Mike McColough Tony Munch	Larry Pittz Doug Boell Rick Meyer	Bob Daake Ron Lieske Dan Slawski Jo Slawski	Larry Achterberg Bob Kuhlmann Jori Pearson Doug Peterson Byron Wiseman	Greg Balfany Sue Balfany Gene Beerbohm Katie, Mike, Mitch, and MacKenzie Mathews	Paul Bartels Allan Hahn Norm Heiden Charles Kreutzer	Larry Achterberg Steve Kahle Dan Scamehorn Dennis Schardt	Larry Pittz Doug Boell Rick Meyer	Bob Daake Ron Lieske Dan Slawski Jo Slawski
<b>Hymn Leader/ Praise Band/ Worship Team/ Special Music</b>	Sat. 5:30 Kyla Kaslon Laura Lucas  Vocal Solo	Praise Band A/Worship Team Michelle Widger Vocal Solos		Sat. 5:30 Michelle Widger Russ Rathjen Organ-Piano Duets Flute/Trumpet	Praise Band B/ Worship Team Nancy Newman VBS Children's Choir Flute/Trumpet	Sat. 5:30 Janelle Pittz Julie Lewis	Praise Band C/ Worship Team Shelly Dimmitt	Sat. 5:30 Julie Lewis Paul Wice	Praise Band D/ Worship Team Kyla Kaslon	Sat. 5:30 Patty Henry Laura Pierce  1733 Barbershop Chorus	Praise Band E/ Worship Team Janelle Pittz
<b>Organist/ Pianist</b>	Sat. 5:30 Laura Pierce Pam Schutt	Robin Boell		Sat. 5:30 Megan Widger Kathryn Peterson	Deanna Kitzelman	Sat. 5:30 Carol Larson Laura Pierce	Deanna Kitzelman	Sat. 5:30 Pam Schutt Lorraine Heiden	Lorraine Heiden	Sat. 5:30 Laura Pierce Pam Schutt	Lorraine Heiden
<b>Audio-grapher</b>	Steve Lewis			Michael Erbsen		Mark Reid		Angela and Travis Flies		Michael Erbsen	
<b>Video-grapher</b>	Bobby Heiden				Zach Seaton	Phil Wellman	Sue Seaton	Kay Kreutzer	Linda Helms	Michael Erbsen	Sue Seaton
<b>Sound/Screen Tech</b>			Matt Bamesberger		Monty McColough		Monty McColough		Zach Seaton		Zach Seaton
<b>Greeters</b>	Dick and Alice Mercer		Howard and Clara Kreutzer, David and Lori Klone, Linda Schwartz	Don and Doris Envik, Doug and Connie Weissert	Pam Balcom, Marv and Barb Muth, Dorothy DeLaet	Paul and Darlene Bartels, Verleen Kuhlmann	Judy McDonald, Mandy Hinrichs	Darlene Bartels, Mark and Lori Bartels, Ruth Hahn	Marilyn Buttler, Karin Scamehorn Ron and Joyce Lieske	Byron and Elaine Wiseman	
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Sue Seaton, Norma Schutte, Brenda Splitter, Nancy Kort					Sue Seaton, Norma Schutte, Brenda Splitter, Nancy Kort					



## WELCOME SUNDAY

June 23, 2013 - 11:00 a.m. service

July 28, 2013 - 11:00 a.m. service

This will formally introduce and welcome new members to Holy Cross.  
If you know someone interested in becoming a member please contact:  
**Director of Assimilation,**  
**Michelle Bombeck**  
at 224-4616 or [mbombeck@hclkc.org](mailto:mbombeck@hclkc.org).  
Please join the staff in welcoming the newest members of Holy Cross!



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**ME YOU THEM**  
**RELATIONSHIPS**  
**FAMILY FRIENDS**

## SHARING OUR TIME AND TALENTS

	July 6 and 7		July 13 and 14		July 20 and 21		July 27 and 28	
	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am	8:30 am	11 am
<b>Acolytes</b>	Riley Herian	Brooklyn Fiddelke	Colton Trampe	Noelle Lieth	Brandon Warnke	Alexandra Dusky	Carsyn Manary	Emily Palmer
<b>Ushers</b>	Mark Bartels Lyle Burger Keith Kuebler Dan Zinnel	Betty Jo Shaw Micah Howsden Jerry McCollough Mike McCollough Tony Munch	Larry Pittz Doug Boell Rick Meyer	Bob Daake Ron Lieske Dan Slawski Jo Slawski	Larry Achterberg Bob Kuhlmann Jori Pearson Doug Peterson Byron Wiseman	Greg Balfany Sue Balfany Gene Beerbohm Katie, Mike, Miltch, and MacKenzie Mathews	Paul Bartels Allan Hahn Norm Heiden Charles Kreutzer	Larry Achterberg Steve Kahle Dan Scamehorn Dennis Schardt
<b>Hymn Leader/Praise Band/ Worship Team/ Special Music</b>	Sat. 5:30 Kyla Kaslon Laura Lucas	Praise Band A/ Worship Team Heiden Family	Sat. 5:30 Michelle Widger Russ Rathjen	Praise Band B/ Worship Team Liz Stout	Sat. 5:30 Janelle Pittz Julie Lewis	Praise Band C/ Worship Team Tammy Hayden  French Horn Solo	Sat. 5:30 Julie Lewis Paul Wice	Praise Band D/ Worship Team Patty Henry  July Bell Ensemble
			Organ-Piano Duets					
<b>Organist/Pianist</b>	Sat. 5:30 Laura Pierce Laura Pierce	Carol Larson	Sat. 5:30 Megan Widger Kathryn Peterson	Deanna Kitzelman	Sat. 5:30 Carol Larson Lorraine Heiden	Robin Boell	Sat. 5:30 Pam Schutt Robin Boell	Lorraine Heiden
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<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dione Steinbrink, Janet Asche, Kimber Bonner, Clara Kreutzer, Beth Reid				Dione Steinbrink, Janet Asche, Kimber Bonner, Clara Kreutzer, Beth Reid			



### Thanks to these May Volunteer Musicians

Holy Cross Ages 3-K Sunday School Choir  
 Holy Cross Adult Bell Choir  
 Holy Cross Senior High Praise Team  
 Julie Lewis  
 Russ Rathjen  
 Kyla Kaslon  
 Michelle Widger  
 Janelle Pittz  
 Laura Pierce  
 Laura Lucas  
 Paul Wice  
 Kathryn Peterson  
 Sydney Reid  
 Jordan Baker

Spencer Hinrichs  
 Preston Van Amburg  
 Megan Widger  
 Cole Kovarik  
 Alex Harbols  
 Nate Priebe  
 Aaron Lewien  
 Jordan Kitzelman  
 Tenaya Howsden  
 Alton Kahle  
 Brett Kluever  
 Lianna Prill  
 Deanna Kitzelman  
 Sue Seaton  
 Dianne Duley  
 Sharyn Neben

Dawn Schroeder  
 Nancy Newman  
 Jolene Berke  
 Emelie Berke  
 Katherine Berke  
 Sarah Berke  
 Sandy Rosse  
 Emaleigh Rosse  
 Angie Sostad  
 Michelle Theis





# June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<b>1</b> 3:30 pm Rasumussen Wedding 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship/ Communion
<b>2</b> 8 am Worship/ Communion 9:30 am <b>NO</b> Sunday School 9:30 am Worship/ Communion 11 am Worship/ Communion	<b>3</b> 9:30 am Staff Meeting 5:30 pm Walking Group	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 6:30 pm Life Group Leadership Meeting	<b>7</b> 6:30 am Men's Bible Study	<b>8</b> 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship
Kingdom Rock Vacation Bible School 6 - 8:30 p.m.						
<b>9</b> <b>NEW SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE</b> 8 am Blood Pressure Clinic 8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Sunday School and Adult Bible Studies 9:30 am BASICS 11 am Worship	<b>10</b> 5:30 pm Parish Life 5:30 pm Stewardship 5:30 pm Walking Group	<b>11</b> 10 am Coffee with the Savior Bible Study	<b>12</b> 6 pm Praise Band C/ Worship Team 8 pm Youth Group 7 pm Idol Lies Bible Study	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 6:30 am Men's Bible Study 9 am Kitchen Cleaning Crew 6 pm Wedding Rehearsal 	<b>15</b> 3:30 pm Peters/ Whitefoot Wedding 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship/ Communion
<b>16</b> 8:30 am Worship/ Communion 9:45 am Sunday School and Adult Bible Studies 11 am Worship/ Communion	<b>17</b> 9:30 am Staff Meeting 5:30 pm Walking Group 6:30 pm Board of Education	<b>18</b> 10 am Coffee with the Savior Bible Study 6 pm Adult Bells Polish & Pizza Party 7 pm Prayer Shawl	<b>19</b> 6 pm Praise Band D/ Worship Team 8 pm Youth Group 7 pm Idol Lies Bible Study	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 6:30 am Men's Bible Study 5 pm Wedding Rehearsal	<b>22</b> 3:30 pm Matson/ Nightingale Wedding 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship
<b>23</b> <b>WELCOME SUNDAY</b> 8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Adult Bible Studies 11 am Worship 4:30 pm St. John's Worship	<b>24</b> 9:30 am Staff Meeting 5:30 pm Walking Group 6:30 pm Church Council	<b>25</b> 10 am Coffee with the Savior Bible Study	<b>26</b> 6 pm Praise Band E/ Worship Team 7 pm Idol Lies Bible Study 8 pm Youth Group	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 6:30 am Men's Bible Study <div>National Youth Gathering San Antonio, TX</div>	<b>29</b> 2 pm Bridal Shower 3 pm Gehring/Shaw Wedding 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship
<b>30</b> 8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Adult Bible Studies 11 am Worship 12 pm Baptism Reception <div>National Youth Gathering San Antonio, TX</div>						

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# July



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> 9:30 am Staff Meeting 5:30 pm Walking Group 5:30 pm After Work Bible Study 6:30 pm Trustees 7 pm Elders	<b>2</b> 10 am Coffee with the Savior Bible Study 7 pm Prayer Shawl	<b>3</b> 9:30 am Mom's Life Group 7 pm Idol Lies Bible Study	<b>4</b> Independence Day CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED 	<b>5</b> 6:30 am Men's Bible Study	<b>6</b> 4:45 pm Song Leader Rehearsal 5:30 pm Worship/ Communion
	National Youth Gathering San Antonio, TX					
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## **SUMMER SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service**

**9:45 a.m. Sunday School Education Hour**

**11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service**

**(There are no changes for the Saturday, 5:30 p.m.  
worship service.) Our regular worship times  
will revert back on Sunday, August 18.**

