



Holy Cross Weekly News

THIS WEEK AT HOLY CROSS: 6/23/24 ————— 6/30/24

SUNDAY-

PENTECOST 5

- 8:30AM - Praise Service
- 9:45AM - Sunday School / Membership Class
- 10:45AM - Praise Service
- 12:30PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel (Sanctuary)

MONDAY-

TUESDAY-

- 11:00AM - Graveside Service

WEDNESDAY-10:00AM - Summer Bible Study (ASSR)

- 12:30PM - Prayer in the Parlor
- 6:30PM - Staff Meeting
- 7:00PM - P & G I (Choir/Youth)
- 7:30PM - AA (TR)

THURSDAY-

- 12:00N - AA (TR)

FRIDAY-

- 10:00AM - Bulletin Brigade (Ofc)
- 4:00PM - Prayer Walking
- 5:30PM - P & G I (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY-

- 7:30PM - AA (TR)

SUNDAY-

PENTECOST 6 | New Beginnings Celebration

- 8:30AM - Communion Service
- 9:45AM - 5th Sunday Brunch
- 10:30AM - Praise Time
- 10:45AM - Communion Service
- 12:30PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel (Sanctuary)

Pastor David: Wednesday (all day),
Friday (morning, afternoon) & by Appt.

Office Secretary: Monday & Tuesday (evening), W (all day), F 10-2

Bookkeeper: by appointment

Attendance: 6/9/24: 38 (29+9) 6/16/24: 44 (22+22)

SERVANTS OF THE LORD FOR NEXT SUNDAY (6/30/2024)

COMMUNION SERVERS: 8:30-Patty S / 10:45-Marianne S

GREETER: 8:30-Adam B / 10:45-Sharon B

SOUND: 8:30-Josh M / 10:45-Ken Y

SONG LEADER: 8:30-Bella Z

LITURGIST: 8:30-Patty S / 10:45-Marianne S

LECTOR: 8:30-Jim F / 10:45-Marianne S

USHER: 8:30-Jan S / 10:45-Sharon B

PHONETREE: *Volunteer needed*

GRASS (6/24-29): Sam G, Rich S

ALTAR: Alyce & Patty S

SEXTON: *Volunteer needed*

LIVESTREAM: 8:30-Jan S

COUNTERS: Karen B, Jan S

CHILDREN: Ruthann K

PRAYERS: Mike Z

PRAYER CARE: Jan S

**WEEKLY
SCRIPTURE
MEMORY
VERSE**
What happened
on the cross:
Removing the
charges against us
- Colossians
2:13-14

Scriptures for NEXT SUNDAY (6/30/24): Psalm 30

Lamentations 3:22-33 2 Corinthians 8:1-15 Mark 5:21-43

Holy Cross Prayer List

6/23/24 — 6/30/24

PRAYER CHAIN

If you need prayer, call any number below to activate the prayer chain.

Pat Gilbert 610-867-7759

Yvonne Frankenfield 610-691-1960

Darlene Treisner 610-866-3824

Sally Stein 610-867-6599

Home Bound/Nursing Home

*Linda Jo Albertson Marty Erney
Alan Gilbert Marilyn Harding
Sally Lerch Bob & Shirley Stuber
Marlene Thomas Wendi Wonderly*

Praying For You:

*Bob & Shirley Stuber
Jeff & Brittany Taylor
Marlene Thomas
Ed & Bettie Tkacik*

Mission District:

*Emanuel Lutheran Church,
Elmer NJ*

Missionary:

*Bible Reading Marathon
(Mike O'Hara)*

Schools:

*School administrators
& summer planning*

Serving in Armed Forces:

*A1C Ryan Stein
1st Lt Jennifer Dolak (Stryker)
Sgt Keaton Westwood (Wonderly)
Meg Brown (Brown)
Lt Col Colin Schneck (Stenhouse)
Thanks to all veterans who served.*

If you'll be hospitalized or would like a pastoral visit, please call the church (610-867-6231).

Ill. Accidents, Surgery, Hospitalized

Jesse & Ryan Albertson-salvation/healing
Linda Jo Albertson-pain (Heritage Point, Doylestown)
Kathy & Ron Ballek-healing
Jeff, Ryan & Joel Beilfuss (Brown)-healing
Sharon Branigan-healing severe back and hip pain
Chuck Branigan III-healing
Colleen-support & guidance with new life changes
Lois Crooks-healing (rotator cuff)
Cynthia (Brown)-healing
Dan-guidance in new job
Marie Eshbach-pain relief & successful treatment
Claire Farkas' Daughter-financial wisdom/priorities
Mary Fernandez-eye surgery
Don & Yvonne Frankenfield -healing
Rev. Michael Frost-recovering from surgery
Gary Graham-healing
Bob & Dora Groscup (Brown)-healing
Barb & Ed Gubich-healing
Eleanor Gunkle-moving to Nursing Home
Vince-physical healing & the Lord's provision
Alice Hahn-COPD
Bob Haines (Sands)-comfort and healing
Marilyn Harding-guidance, healing, finance
+The family of Jennifer Hero-peace & comfort
Irene Horvath & family-strengthen faith & body
Rich Hulock-healing
Sydney, Malaki & Lincoln (Hulock)-protection
Kayleen (Glasmire)-healing from addiction
Kelly (Glasmire)-healing from addiction
Ann Keefer (Dawn S)-healing & medical guidance
Doug Kelley (Jan S)-melanoma treatment
Larry Kelley (Jan S)-recovery from stroke
Carter Knowlton (Dawn S)-healing
Sharon Koch (STP)-healing
Sandra Krisanda-healing
Sharon Miller (Wonderly)-healing from surgery
Marie Mueller-guidance & healing
Ted Nowark (Wonderly)-healing
Dave Ori and family-guidance & healing
Laura Peters-peace
Rosalie-Healing and Guidance
Joe Reeser-healing
Carson Reinhard-Lymphoma
Glade Schroeter-healing (home)
Gail & Earl Stein-healing & rehab
Bob & Shirley Stuber-healing (Phoebe, Allentown)
Bettie Tkacik-PTL for healing!
Wanda-guidance & healing

***New addition | +UPDATE**

Other Concerns: Our AA Guests
Church Council-wisdom, discernment & unity
President, Nation's Leaders & Military,
Judges, State & Local Official

Help Needed

SEXTON - This is a paid position. Please let us know if you are interested in the position or if you can be part of a team of volunteers to cover things until we find a replacement

TREASURER - Council elected officers for 2024, but we haven't found anyone to serve as Treasurer. The Treasurer does not do the day-to-day accounting (the Bookkeeper does that) and does not need to be on Council. The Treasurer needs to be able to read financial reports, but doesn't need to generate them. Please consider whether God is calling you to serve in this capacity. Contact an Executive Committee member if interested.

Ongoing & Upcoming Events

HOLY CROSS CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL is enrolling students for the 2024-25 school year. If you know anyone interested, look for the brochures in the rack in the Gathering Place.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS - Speak to Pastor David if you are interested in becoming a member of Holy Cross.

Giving Opportunities

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN has ended! Please return your bottle. Thanks to all who participated!

VBS SPONSORSHIPS - We are seeking donations to help cover the cost of VBS 2024. Children's t-shirts are \$5.50, staff shirts \$12, and \$20 will fill a backpack for a disadvantaged child in the DC area. Simply mark your envelope "VBS".

PANTRY DONATIONS sought - With school out, food pantry needs generally rise. Let's fill our cart for Everlasting Life Ministries, aiding those less fortunate.

JUNE 23, 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SERMON: *"Finding Jesus in the Storm"*

A. The Storms of Life

1. Common to All
2. Give Rise to Fear
3. Humble Us
4. Move Us to Seek God

B. Jesus and the Disciples Encounter a Storm

1. The Disciples Took Jesus "As He Was"

2. Jesus Doesn't Wake Up
3. Doesn't Jesus Care?
4. What Did They Want Jesus To Do?
5. Jesus Rebukes the Storm
6. Jesus Rebukes the Disciples

C. Job Encounters Multiple Storms

1. From Most Blessed to Most Cursed
2. Did Job Do Something to Deserve this?
3. Job is Angry, but Doesn't Lose Faith
4. Job Encounters God

D. Why Does God Allow Storms?

1. Because He is God, We Don't Always Know Why
2. God Wants to Test Your Faith
3. God Wants to Purify You
4. God Doesn't Want You to Get Too Comfortable
5. God Wants Us to Reach out for Him

E. Disciples Encounter Jesus in the Storm

1. Jesus Demonstrates Total Authority
2. The Disciples Are Terrified
3. We Should Fear Jesus
4. Fear and Love Come Together
5. Jesus' Promise
6. Seeking Jesus