# ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

**The Chancel Flowers** today are presented with gratitude to God in celebration of the 34th wedding anniversary of Robin & Eric Shafer and the 45th wedding anniversary of Joni & Barry Robison.

**TODAY** is the last day to place your Summer Salad Order! This healthy lunch or dinner includes lettuce, strawberries, blueberries, mandarin oranges and pineapple with a sweet poppyseed dressing. Pick up will be Tuesday, August 26th, from 11:30am-3:30pm (if you need a later pick up time, please contact the church office).

**Back to School Meal & Ice Cream Social TODAY!** - As the children/young adults prepare to go back to school, they are faced with many emotions and blanketing them with prayer only seems fitting. **Join us TODAY from 5:00-7:00pm.** Ice cream will be served after a carry in meal. Ice cream, toppings and drinks will be provided by the C.O.O.L. Family Ministry. We hope to see you there!

**Update on Yard Sale Donation Room - Our New Yard Sale Donation Drop Off Room is #33** located in our Children's Sunday School Wing. The easiest access to this room is to use the former outside preschool entrance for drop off. Please contact the church office for access to this new donation area.

4th Day Friends will meet on Monday, August 18th, at 6:00pm in the classroom off the Fellowship Hall. Devotions, Prayers, Song and Agape Making. Open to all who have attended a Chrysalis, Emmaus, Kairos, or Tres Dias Walk.

Upcoming Meetings: 4th Day Friends - August 18th @ 6:00pm Missions Committee - August 18th @ 7:00pm Ad Council - September 4th @ 6:00pm Busy Bees - September 8th @ 10:00am

Reminder - Music Ministry Practices resume on Tuesday, August 26th. We are always looking for new volunteers to play or sing with us! Is God calling you to be part of a music ministry?

- ~Prince of Peace Handbell Choir 5:45pm
- ~Chancel Choir 6:45pm
- ~Praise Team at this time, the Praise Team is rehearsing as needed. Contact Liz to find out more.

Ham Loaf Sale - The Busy Bees are selling Ham Loaves! Ham Loaves are available in 1-lb. for \$7.50 and 2-lb. for \$15.00. They are also selling Pickled Cabbage for \$6.00. The deadline to order is Sunday, September 7th. No orders will be accepted after this date. Pick up is Monday, September 15th, from 1:00-5:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Extra order forms are available to take orders from friends, family, and co-workers.

**Gideons Offering** - An offering plate has been placed, for your convenience, at the back of the sanctuary if you would like to give a monetary gift to the Gideons to help them share the Gospel with others. Save on postage by using the envelope provided in your bulletin and placing in this

special offering plate. You may also add a donation for the Gideons to your regular offering envelope and we will forward it to them.

Join us for Tuesday Morning Prayer Time from 9:00-10:00am, in the lounge, room 20.

**If you have a prayer request**, call Barb Inch, Delores Kauffman, or the church office. You may also fill out a prayer card located at the entrance to the sanctuary and on the Welcome Desk in the Narthex and place in the prayer box.

**To order flowers** in honor of a birthday, anniversary, etc., or in memory of loved ones, please contact Stephanie Rauch.

**FYI** - The Yard Sale was a huge success, so we are planning to make this a yearly event! We have designated **room** #33 to be a yard sale donation room that is open all year. So no matter if you're changing clothing in your closet according to the season or going through items in your basement, attic, etc., this room will be available to drop off donations at any time.

#### THIS WEEK AT CHRIST COMMUNITY

Please pray daily for the following:

## **Today 8/17**

5:00 P.M.-7:00 P.M. Back to School Carry in Meal and Ice Cream Social

### Monday 8/18

6:00 P.M. 4th Day Friends

7:00 P.M. Missions Committee Meeting

#### Tuesday 8/19

9:00 A.M. Prayer Time 4:00 P.M. Youth Hangout

#### Friday 8/22

4:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M. Fellowship Hall

In Use

#### Saturday 8/23

12Noon - 3:00 P.M. Service for Autumn Auman (Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary In Use)

## Sunday 8/24

8:30 A.M. Worship

9:45 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Worship