

“Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.” Galatians 6:26

kuwaa mission

Apu Seyenkulo, youngest BOD member, is currently compiling photos of the dedications of Church & School for Dick & Doris Thompson. Apu has outstanding computer & design skills. We currently agreed on an updated logo, we have a new P.O. Box for donations due to death of our treasurer, and have a wealth of photos to put into a thumb drive. Pray that all will be ready for our presentation on May 20th. Apu lives in North Carolina and is the daughter of Rev. J Seyenkulo, our COO. kuwaamission.org

mites for missions

Sharing God’s Love and Changing Lives of Families, Camp Restore, Detroit, Michigan. \$81,313 grant. Camp Restore is an offshoot of Camp Restore in New Orleans after Katrina. The area around Mt Calvary, Detroit needed help. Volunteers and community work together to clear land, repair houses, assist those in community needing housing & meals. Many volunteers are needed and housing is provided. Care to help? My Calvary needs you!!

living word mission

We thank the Lord for the 201 students who are enrolled in 10 classes in 6 Bible Schools in the Kaironk Valley Living Word Bible School district. There are 98 girls and 103 boys attending these Bible Schools which are located throughout the Kaironk Valley district at Ainonk, Bulum, Dusin, Furban, Sangova, and Wowo.

Please pray for these students, and their teachers—Mark Jambal teaching at Ainong, Sepeniah Amap teaching at Bulum, Dikson Kameng teaching class 1 at Dusin, Angelin Namb teaching class 2 at Dusin, Lemech Chank teaching class 1 and also class 2 at Furban, Brian Urubu teaching class 1 at Sangova, Roger Rally teaching class 2 at Sangova, and Mathew Adoma teaching class 1 at Wowo.

mission india

Almighty God, may your name be made famous in the state of Tripura. May thousands hear your name for the first time.

world gospel outreach

Please continue to pray for the mission work of World Gospel Outreach through their serve teams, ranch for displaced kids, and their staff. To learn more, register for a future trip, or to sign up for a WGO Coffee Club Membership please contact Evan Kittelsen: even.kittelsen@christcm.org Next Serve team date: July 18-25, 2026

Christ CM & HB PRAYERS

The prayer list will refresh monthly. If your request is ongoing, please resubmit it and let us know.

Alice Schwene
Anthony DePaoli
Anthony Dutrow
Ariana
Baby Chloe Lee
Barbara Betz
Barbara & Edward Roth
Brianna
Bridgette
Bob
Bridgette Nichols
Carolyn Van Sant
Cherri Penne-Myers
Chris
Danny Fowlie
Debra Valenzuela
DePaoli’s family
Dianne Lohan
Dr. Barbara Morton
Dr. Graeme Ross
Dr. Steven Ris
Ellie G
Emilee Hattan
Erwin Schauwecker

Family of Christina
Family of Dale Edwards
Family of Elga Elicker
Friend of Cherri Penne-Myers
Gary Harju
George Force
George Jessup
Greg Busch
Hersh Hibbard
Inese Svalbe
Jackie Olstad
Janey Gouhin
Janey Lee
Jim Studdard
Jim Tucker
Joanie White
Judy Beck
Julie Parrish
Laurie Spencer
Levi
Lucy “Bebe” Blackwell
Marilyn Thompson
Mary & Brian Maurer
Melanie

3 ways to submit a prayer request:

- fill out a **prayer card** during worship on Sunday
- scan the QR code in this bulletin to **submit online**
- **Contact the church office** via phone or email

Pray for our country, state, leaders & military

PRAYERS of the church

equipping hour

costa mesa

Science on our Side
Sundays | 9:20-10:20 am | Rm 114
Led by Dr. Larry V

Join us for a new season of how scripture and the massive wave of new findings from science and academia intertwine to support our Christian faith.

Sermon-Based Bible Study
Sundays | 9:20-10:20 am | Rm 112
Led by Christ Costa Mesa Elders

Come be a part of a very lively discussion each week about how to employ today’s sermon lesson into your comings and goings this week. Let’s talk about how scripture might inform you/us about being the best parent, grandparent, son/daughter, or workmate. This group likes to share ideas and opinions, best practices, and helpful hints.

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huntington beach

Sunday Morning Bible Study
Sundays | 10:45 am “A Study of James”
Led by Pastor Jack Brouwer

Wednesday Morning Bible Study
Wednesdays | 10:00 am Led by Wayne Ancher

Join our weekly Bible Study at Christ HB!
We are studying Isaiah. He was noted as the first and greatest of the four major prophets. The writings in this book had and continue to have, a major impact on Jewish and Christian theology. Many hymns you may know were written from the words of this book. The main point of this book was to call the nation of Judah back to God and teach of the salvation of the people through the coming of a Messiah.

It is a very interesting study and will provide a good foundation for the New Testament.

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contribution REPORT

CHURCH BUDGET	5/10/26
IN-PERSON WORSHIP ATTENDANCE	267
ONLINE WORSHIP ATTENDANCE	82
WEEKLY OFFERING RECEIVED \$	21,424
WEEKLY OFFERING BUDGET \$	26,142
WEEKLY OFFERING VARIANCE \$	-4,718
BUDGETED YTD \$	1,176,390
OFFERINGS YTD \$	1,255,027
YTD OFFERING VARIANCE \$	+78,637

3 WAYS TO give



TEXT TO GIVE (844) 242-2513
Type dollar amount, one space, then type “Church” (example: \$100 Church, then hit send)



GIVE ONLINE
Use an e-check, debit card, or credit card for a single gift or automatic recurring gifts.



GIVE BY MAIL
Check, cash, or money order to:
760 Victoria Street
Costa Mesa, CA 92627

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‘THE UNKNOWN GOD’ WHO MAKES ALL THINGS KNOWN

ACTS 17:16-31

Sunday, May 17, 2026



sunday worship

Costa Mesa | 8:00 & 10:30 am
Huntington Beach | 9:30 am

a congregation of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

what's happening

SHINING A LIGHT ON WHO JESUS REALLY IS

ILLUMINATION STATION

JOHN 8:12

JUNE 15-18 9 AM-12 PM
(MONDAY - THURSDAY)

AGES 5-10

VBS 2026

COST: (INCLUDES T-SHIRT) \$55

REGISTER HERE!



SAC AVAILABLE AFTER 12PM (IF SAC IS NEEDED, REGISTER FOR SAC ONLY)

CHURCH.CHRISTCM.ORG



PRIME TIMERS LUNCHEON

Wednesday May 20 | 11:30am | Costa Mesa campus

Come and enjoy great food, a great time, and great fellowship!

rsvp HERE: church.christcm.org/prime-timers
or email tracy.croson@christcm.org



INTERESTED IN SERVING INTERNATIONALLY WITH CHRIST LUTHERAN?

Scan the QR code (or visit church.christcm.org/global2026) to learn about our upcoming mission trips!

Honduras Mission Trip with WGO
July 18-25, 2026

Questions? Contact even.kittelsen@christcm.org



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- View upcoming events
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- Check in for events
- Receive important updates
- Grow in your faith journey



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Simple. Easy. Always with you.

Wherever you are in your journey, you're invited to take your next step with us. | CHRIST LUTHERAN



VOTER'S ASSEMBLY MEETING SUNDAY JUNE 7

Sunday, June 7 | 12PM | Costa Mesa Campus

If you are a voting member of Christ Lutheran, please plan to attend the Voter's Assembly meeting on Sunday June 7 at noon!

Costa Mesa Campus
Sunday worship | 8:00 & 10:30 am
760 Victoria Street
Costa Mesa, CA 92627

Huntington Beach Campus
Sunday worship | 9:30 am
8200 Ellis Avenue
Huntington Beach, CA 92646

Community Connections



Christ Lutheran Church & School
Community Business Directory:
For us, by us.

or visit:
christsocial.org/communityconnections

CHRISTKIDS
Preschool through 4th grade
(potty trained 3 year olds)

Available at 10:30am worship service
Kids are dismissed before sermon
Room 105

Youth Groups are BACK!

Middle School: Weekly WED 6-7:30 PM
High School: 2nd & 4th SUN 6-8 PM

Director of Youth Ministry:
Even Kittelsen even.kittelsen@christcm.org



Worship Attendance
We're so glad to worship with you! Scan the QR code to download the App and 'check in' to the service.



Need more info? Have a prayer request?
Scan this QR code to connect with us!