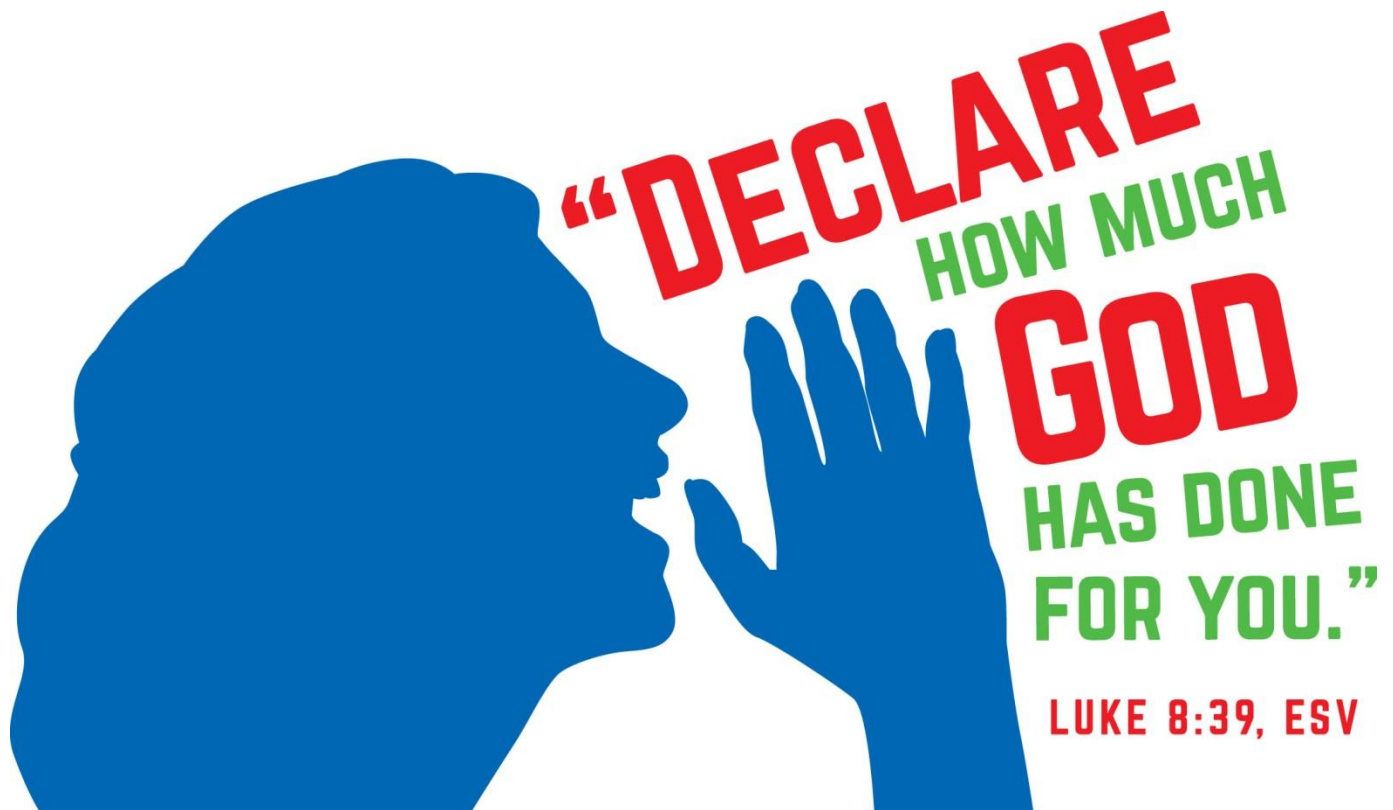


# The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

June 19 & 20, 2016



## Holy Cross Evangelical Lutheran Church

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“By God’s grace, the members of Holy Cross Evangelical Lutheran Church will be a caring, vibrant diverse community of blessed believers, lovingly reaching out with the message of Jesus Christ.” - *Vision Statement 2010*

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8:30 & 11:00 am - Holy Communion Services

9:45 am - Sunday School, and Bible Classes for All Ages

10:30 am - Sunday School Teacher Appreciation

Monday, 7:00 pm - Evening Communion Service

**Order of Service:** Divine Service Setting Four, LSB page 203

**Hymns:** 570, 533, [528, 657], 849

**Readings:** Isaiah 65:1-9 (Pew Bible, Page 727)  
Galatians 3:23-4:7 (Pew Bible, Page 1130)  
St. Luke 8:26-39 (Pew Bible, Page 1002)

**Anthem:** "Firm Foundation Medley" (*by Camp Kirland*) by Caitlin Pritchard

**Sermon:** St. Luke 8:26-39

## "WHEN PIGS FLY"

**Special Music:** Jonathan Astley (*French horn*)

**Serving in God's House Today:** Pastor Nolan Astley (*Preacher*), Pastor Roland Syens (*Officiant*), Pastor Wentzlaff (*8:30 Communion Assistant*), Earl Famme & Dieter Kays (*11:00 Communion Assistants*), Jennifer Massicotte (*Sunday Organist*), Paul Walrath (*Monday Organist*), Emily Steinman (*8:30 Acolyte*), Emma Sommer (*11:00 Acolyte*), Marty Stanfel (*8:30 Sound Operator*), Claude Massicotte (*11:00 Sound Operator*).

**Prayer Concerns:** We thank the Lord for the birth of **Callum Frédéric Massicotte** to Philip & Natasha Massicotte new brother to Leighton & Gracen and grandson to Claude & Jennifer; For the **gift of education** as another school year comes to a close; for **teachers & volunteers** in our schools; for our **Sunday School teachers & volunteers** who have helped this past year; for the faithful service of **Rick & Liz Jolivet, Marty Stanfel** and **teacher Joan** who are retiring this year. We ask for God's blessing upon our **Vacation Bible School, it's staff, volunteers and students**. We pray for all **who mourn the loss of loved ones** in tragedies this past week; for the persecuted church as Christians here and around the world are persecuted for their faith in Jesus; for those struggling with **depression, cancer** and **other illness** – **Paul VanderGriendt** as he continues to recover at St Michaels in Toronto, **Walter Wentzlaff** at Free Port, **Mary Coleman, Kim Bulpitt** and others as they continue with cancer treatment. We thank the Lord for His mercies that are new every morning.

## Coming Events...

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**LAST VBS Registration is *Thursday, June 23 from 6:30 to 8 p.m.*** Come to the parlour to sign up for *Cave Quest VBS!* Our program runs Monday, July 4 to Friday, July 8 from 9 a.m. to noon, for kids born in 2012 (JK) through Grade 7. Can't make it on Thursday? Visit our website [www.holycrosskitchener.org](http://www.holycrosskitchener.org) to the form and email it in to the office. Don't miss out!

**Youth Golf Tournament** Mark your calendars! ***Sunday, June 26 at 12:30pm*** Join us for this last fundraiser before the NYG! Not a golfer? Tickets available for Supper. Sign Up on the Welcome Centre. Prize donations can be given to Krysti Beckett or Arnold Drung.

**The Libraries** will be partially dismantled and both spaces will be used for VBS after June 26. It would be helpful, if all materials you are done with from the downstairs and upstairs libraries would be returned by June 26 so that we can process them before the VBS set-up. For July and August, the downstairs library will operate without helpers present on Sunday mornings. The Books and CD's in both libraries may be signed out and returned as usual over the summer months. See you in the library!

**Summer schedule** begins next week, ***Sunday, June 26 at 9:30 a.m.*** and continues through to September 4.

**VBS Set-up Night** is ***Wednesday, June 29.*** We need strong helpers at 6:30 p.m. to move tables and chairs. Others can arrive at 7:30 p.m. to "paper" tables and decorate rooms.

## Please Note...

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**V.B.S. Cookie Call** - Yes it is that time of year again and we will be needing lots of ***nut free cookies*** for the week of *July 4th to 8th.* Homemade or store bought cookies are appreciated. If you are purchasing from a store please read the list of ingredients to insure they are nut free. You can drop off cookies anytime and leave on the counter in the kitchen. Thank you for supporting our V.B.S. children's ministry in this way.

**VBS craft items needed:** The JK department is in need of empty kleenex boxes and 500 ml clear glass jars (small mason jars or similar). Please place in the box provided at the parking lot entrance.

## Today's Education Hour...

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**Sunday School Opening will be short & sweet!** Students will then have a quick lesson. At 10:25 grades 5 – 7 will go to the kitchen to help serve food & drinks to our Staff for the Appreciation time and the Nursery to Grade 4 will enjoy popsicle & piñata party!

**Youth** will be partying in the Youth room to wrap up this year's Sunday School time together.

**YABS** gather for a “Good Finish & New Beginnings!”

**Adult Bible Class** we will conclude our Study on the Holy Spirit by examining the Fruit of the Spirit.

## Last Week at Holy Cross...

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<b>Sunday Attendance:</b>	114 & 151 & 31	Total 296	(’15 – 300)
<b>Adult Bible Class:</b>	Pupils: 33 Staff: 1	Total 34	(’15 – 44)
<b>Youth Bible Class:</b>	Pupils: 6 Staff: 1	Total 7	(’15 – 6)
<b>Sunday School:</b>	Pupils: 28 Staff: 14	Total 42	(’15 – 44)

**Thankoffering:** In honour of **MATTHEW & ANNABELLE KETKO’s** Wedding Anniversary to the Organ Fund from Verica Ketko.

**Memorials:** In memory of **DON FIELDING** to the Board of Evangelism from Dan & Ede Marshall. To the Unified Church Budget from Howard & Catherine Schneider, Norbert & Audrey Bunte, Ray & Marg West, Gerry & Ila Wentzlaff, Jean McKay, Cliff & Sherry Swartz-Hill, Karin Toolsie. In memory of **HELEN MACKENZIE** to the Lutheran Hour from Heidi Freure. To Missions from Bob & Ruth Ann Paetz, Kay Stauch, Bernie & Helga Drung. To Youth Ministry from Pastor Konny & Doris Hahn. To the Unified Church Budget from Howard & Catherine Schneider. In loving memory of **GEORGE KETKO** to Lutheran Bible Translators from Verica Ketko.

## Weekly Calendar

Monday, June 20 to Sunday, June 26, 2016

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<b>Monday</b>	Evening Communion Service, <i>Church</i> .....	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	Open Play Group, <i>Gym</i> .....	<b>12:30 p.m.</b>
	ESL, <i>Historic St. Paul’s</i> .....	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	Board of Elders, <i>Confirmation Classroom</i> .....	<b>7:30 p.m.</b>
	Board of Evangelism, <i>Parlour</i> .....	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	Beginnings, <i>Riverside Park, Cambridge</i> .....	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>
	Prayer Group, <i>Triple Bible Classroom</i> .....	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>
	VBS Community Registration #2, <i>Parlour</i> .....	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Friday</b>	‘This House’, <i>Parlour</i> .....	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
	Youth Activities, <i>Youth Room</i> .....	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	
	<b>Divine Service</b> , <i>Church</i> .....	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>
	Youth Golf Tournament, <i>Grand Valley Golf &amp; Country Club</i> .....	<b>12:30 p.m.</b>

# Christian Education Workers -2015/2016

## **Parish Life Coordinator**

Henrietta Schafer

## **Sunday School Supervisors**

Richard Jolivet, Senior

Marty Stanfel, Junior

## **Nursery**

Joan Lautenschlager - Teacher

Annette Collins – Helper

Pat Famme – Helper

## **JK/SK**

Liz Jolivet - Teacher

Caitlin Pritchard - Teacher

Christa Hallman – Helper

Alycia Kehn – Helper

Emily Pritchard – Helper

## **Grade 1 & 2**

Tania Kuhlman– Teacher

Christine Fergin –Teacher

Rachel Fergin – Helper

Missy Manuel – Helper

Sean Newport – Helper

## **Grade 3 & 4**

Kathy Wilson – Teacher

Mable Wentzlaff – Teacher

Val Kehn – Helper

Denise Newport – Helper

## **Grade 5**

Erik Bohl – Teacher

Anthony Lavender - Teacher

Jennifer Leppek – Teacher

## **Grade 6/7**

Karen Campbell – Teacher

Colin Palmer – Teacher

Curtis Schafer – Helper

Henri Schafer - Helper

## **Sunday School Specials**

Valerie Kehn

Heather Schein

Cheri Drung

## **Openings**

Richard Jolivet

Curtis Wentzlaff – Helper

Kaitlyn Neustaedter - Pianist

## **Set-Up Team**

Mike Hildebrand

Tim Leyes

Cory Manuel

Larry Pereira

## **Offerings/Envelopes**

Diane & Brenda Longstaff

## **Bulletin Board Displays**

Denise Newport

## **Supply Teachers/Helpers**

Diann & Hailey Helliwell

Wilma Rickert

Laurie Watson

## **Youth (Grades 8-12)**

Krysti Beckett

Nicole Chernukhin

Michelle Palmer

Marjorie Sutherland

## **YABS (Young Adult Bible Study)**

Oleg Chernukhin

Emmanuel George

Curtis Schafer

Melanie Toolsie

## **Adult Bible Class**

Pastor Nolan Astley

Pastor Roland Syens