

serving today

Organist	Kathy Marten	
Preacher	Pastor Tim Gauger	
Liturgist	Pastor Steve Hahm	
Off. Counters	Rick Schrader	
	Bonnie Schrader	
Altar Guild	Ruth Getzen	
	Pam Oehring	
	Rebekah Becker	
	Jill Weber	
	8:30 am	10:00 am
Lectors	Mark DeWitt	Derek Rummel
Altar Assistants	Mark DeWitt	Derek Rummel
	Cleve Kasper	Bil Rowe
Ushers	Kurt Holzheuter	Jason Baldwin
	Dave Perry	Gavin Baldwin
	Rick Schrader	
	Glen Beers	
Acolytes	Natalie Becker	Nicholas Stemmler
Coffee Set Up	Arlene Walski	
	Ken Walski	
	Joyce Ketchum	
	Mike Ketchum	
Nursery	Leslie Ruppel	
	Katie Gale	
Coffee Clean Up	Tom Marten	
Follow Up	Derek Rummel	

this week @ COS

Sunday, May 27	8:30 am	Worship
	10:00 am	Worship
Monday, May 28		Memorial Day Office Closed
Tuesday, May 29	6:30 pm	New Life In Christ Class
Wednesday, May 30		
Thursday, May 31	6:30 pm	Worship
Friday, June 1		
Saturday, June 2		
Sunday, May June 3	8:30 am	Worship
	10:00 am	Worship
	4:00 pm	Youth Group Summer Kickoff*

*meets offsite

Pentecost | First Sunday

May 24 & 27, 2018

Nursery

Nursery care during the 10:00 am service is in Room 101. Drop off either before the start of worship or after the children's message. Children are welcome to stay in the service too. Quiet Bags and Children's Bulletins are available at the Welcome Center.

Kids Church

Kids Church meets today in Rooms 100-104 after the children's message until the end of the 10:00 am service. It is for children preschool-4th grade.

Hearing Assistance

The sanctuary is equipped with Williams Hearing Assist technology. Personal receivers are at the AV console in the rear of the sanctuary.

Restrooms

Restrooms are down the hallway. Both are equipped with changing tables.

Coffee & Donuts

You are invited to visit with one another in the narthex before and after Sunday services.

Life Passages

Find information, church policies, application forms for baptism, marriage, funerals, membership at cosrock.org/worship/life-passages.

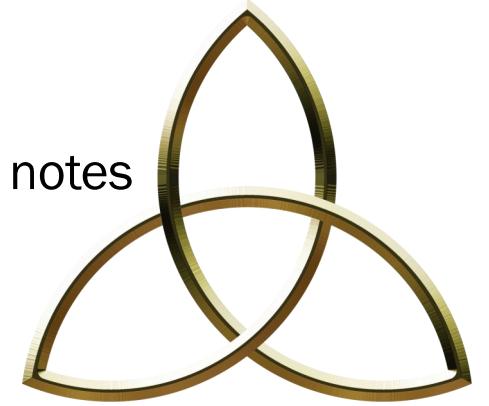
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worship notes



Today we enter the second half of the church year and its long "after Pentecost" season. The emphasis of worship shifts from the work of Christ for us to the results of his working in us through the Word. Today's result is faith in the mystery of God being three persons yet one being.

Liturgy

Evening Devotion, p. 153 (Thursday)
Service of Word & Sacrament p. 26 (Sunday)

Scriptures

Isaiah 6:1-8
Romans 8:14-17
John 3:1-17

Athanasian Creed

pp. 132-133

Hymns

195 *Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty*
278 *Holy God We Praise Your Name*
260 *Let All Things Now Living*

Holy Communion

Reception of the Sacrament at COS is restricted to those who share our confession of the doctrines of Holy Scripture. Our New Life in Christ seminar teaches those doctrines to newcomers desiring to commune here. Speak with Pastor Hahm about enrolling in the next seminar.



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Vacation Bible School



June 18-21, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

It's time to register your five year-old through current fourth grader at cosrock.org/learn/children/vbs. This year's theme comes from the 500th anniversary of the Reformation: "Mighty Fortress—In Jesus, the Victory Is Won!"

Late Service Time Change

Sundays, 10:00 am, May 27 - September 2

The late service start time has switched to 10:00 am through Labor Day weekend. The 6:30 pm Thursday services and the 8:30 am Sunday services remain unchanged.

Middle School / High School Youth Summer Kickoff

Sunday, June 3, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

All COS youth entering middle school and high school in the fall of 2018 are invited to a summer kickoff at the Hahm house (8060 Tillicum Grove NE). We will literally kick off the summer with a game of kickball on the neighborhood baseball diamond followed by a cookout back at the Hahms. This event is great way for next school year's youth group members to get a little taste of the fun and friendship-building activities they have an opportunity to be a part of. Please sign up in the hallway or on the COS Rock app.

Summer Romans Bible Study Registration

Mondays, 6:30 pm, June 18 - August 20

There will be an in-depth Bible study on the book of Romans led by Pastor Gauger this summer. It's "in-depth" because participants will be asked to prepare for each class by reading assigned verses and filling out worksheets at home. Class time will be for discussing and elaborating on the material covered by the homework. Register by the sign-up sheet on the hallway bulletin board.

Summer Thursdays

Thursdays, 6:30 pm, May 24 - August 30

To spend summer in Michigan is a blessing. Wonderful weather, lots of things to do, and many places to go. It would be a shame not to take advantage of "the joys of summer in this part of [God's] world." Therefore, our congregation offers a weekly 6:30 pm Thursday worship option. So, if you've got plans for Sunday morning, then come to church on Thursday before the weekend begins. Same sermon, Scriptures, prayers, Sacrament schedule, etc as Sunday.

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Grounds Crew

We are looking for volunteers to keep the weeds pulled in the planting beds around the building and sign during the growing season. A schedule with a map of the beds to concentrate on will be sent out to volunteers. See the bulletin board for sign up sheet.

CMO Update

Our Congregational Mission Offering (CMO) to the WELS, when combined with those of sister WELS congregations, provides for mission work in 60+ countries around the globe, the planting of new churches in North America, the training of the next generation of clergy, and ministry support services for WELS congregations. COS members contribute directly to our CMO by designating gifts for "missions" either online or via their offering envelopes. Fiscal year to date (FYTD) mission offerings are \$21,803 in comparison to \$14,325 last FYTD.

Preschool Substitute List

Our preschool would like to lengthen the list of those willing and able to help out in the classroom when a staff member is unable to come in on a particular day next school year. If you are interested and would like more information contact Linda Gauger, the preschool director, (lindagauger@live.com).

In Our Prayers

Prayer requests for inclusion in the worship services' Prayers of the Church are made via the Prayer Page at the Welcome Center in the narthex. The prayer list below is updated by the pastoral staff based on the information they have at the time of publication.

For Ministries

- COS Youth Group
- COS Weddings this summer

For Missions

- Apache Mission 125 years

For Our Shut-ins

- Marcia Oliver
- Bob & Judi Nickelsburg
- Roberta Wolden
- Betty Brailey

In Thanks to God

- For another year of grace to Faith Markham on the occasion of her birthday

- For those military personnel who died in defense of our nation

For Health & God's Care

- Daniel Stanhope
- Lillean June Vankalker
- Stuart Saatkamp
- Daniel Phan
- Nancy Buchanan
- Ezra Eggert
- John Kamrad
- Dave Perry

For Those Who Mourn

- Berniece Schinske, grandmother of Heather Hahm

Pastoral Care

When in need of pastoral care, please call the church office 866-1881 or contact a pastor directly.

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