



WEEKLY CALENDAR

**THIS WEEKLY CALENDAR IS THE MOST
UPDATED INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK.**

SATURDAY, September 19, 2026

5PM Holy Communion
+ Candy & Nut Sale (Ladies Guild)

SUNDAY, September 20, 2026

Candy & Nut Sale (Ladies Guild)

8AM Holy Communion
9:30AM Education Hour
+ Midweek Teacher Training
10:45AM Holy Communion

MONDAY, September 21, 2026

9AM TOPS
11AM Line Dancing
6:30PM Handbells

TUESDAY, September 22, 2026

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9AM TO 11AM

9AM Preschool Chapel
9AM Quilting
12:30PM Staff Meeting
2PM Grace Guild Executive Board
6:30PM Adult Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, September 23, 2026

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9AM TO 11:30AM

9AM Preschool Chapel
10AM LWML St. Charles Zone Executive
Board meeting (Welcome Center)
10:30AM Preschool 4s Dad's Day (gym)
6:00PM Beginning Bells + Children's Choir
6:30PM Confirmation
+ Midweek: PreK to 6th Grade
6:45PM Adult Choir

THURSDAY, September 24, 2026

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9AM TO 11:30AM

8AM NEWS&NOTES DEADLINE

10:30AM Preschool 3s Dad's Day (gym)
6:30PM 20s&30s&40s Bible Study

FRIDAY, September 25, 2026

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9AM TO 11:30AM

10AM KOINONIA MAILING

SATURDAY, September 26, 2026

8AM TO NOON: LWML St. Charles Zone Rally
at Immanuel St. Charles
11:30AM-3PM Swing-A-Round Fun Town,
3rd-5h grade
5PM Holy Communion
+ Candy & Nut Sale (Ladies Guild)

SUNDAY, September 27, 2026

Candy & Nut Sale (Ladies Guild)

8AM Holy Communion + Children's Choir
9:30AM Education Hour
10:45AM Holy Communion
12:30PM Altar Guild

CHURCH ATTENDANCE: September 12 & 13, 2026

Service	Attendance	Communion
5PM	56	49
8AM	109	88
10:45AM	148	94
TOTAL	313	231

Bible Class Attendance Week of September 13, 2026 NA=not applicable; NR=not reported; C= cancelled		Offerings: Sept. 7-13, 2026	
Little Lambs, Sunday	0	General Fund	\$ 13,210.87
Sunday School: PreK to Gr 5	18	Endowment	\$ 0.00
Sunday School: Gr. 6-12	11	Building Fund	\$ 50.00
Sunday Adult Bible Class	56	Missions Weekly	\$ 95.02
Baptism Birthday Celebration	10	Missions Total Fiscal Yr Pt 1 2026-2027	\$ 3,670.10
Tuesday Women's 10AM	11	Year-To-Date: 07.31.2026	
Tuesday Evening, 6:30PM	NA		
Men's Breakfast & Bible	NA		
Wednesday AM Bible Class	32	Income	\$ 447,876.77
Wednesday Nights	39	Expenses	\$ 464,294.56
20s&30s Thursday		Deficit	\$ (16,417.79)

HOLY CROSS LADIES GUILD collects packaged and canned **food** and all types of **soap** for the Concordia Seminary Food Bank. Most needed: **soap — all types; gluten-free items; canned soup, toothpaste, canned vegetables. Thank you for filling those bins!**

MITES: Pick up a Mite box from the LWML table to collect change for LWML grants to missions around the world.

STAMP COLLECTION: Ladies Guild collects canceled postage stamps to raise money for missions. Cut stamps from envelopes with about half an inch of paper left all around. Collection baskets are on the Welcome Center bookshelf and above the coat rack by the kitchen.

ELDER COMMUNICATION

HEARING ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE: Those with hearing aids can download and use a smartphone or tablet app which broadcasts the service to your hearing aids (Bluetooth connection required).

Instructions for its use are provided in the Welcome Center and on the inside cover of the service bulletin.

CONTACT AN ELDER: Their pictures are displayed in the Welcome Center, so contact them if you have questions or concerns regarding services, policies, procedures, personal or other issues. You may also contact either Pastor. Personal issues will be kept confidential.

PORTALS OF PRAYER for (NEW) **October to December 2026** and new issues of **Lutheran Witness** are on the Welcome Center table.

MISSION BOARD provides **fresh fruits and vegetables** to **Concordia Seminary students**. Write your check to Holy Cross with a memo line for *Mission Board Fresh Foods to the Seminary*.

HOPE Ministries food bank donations are accepted in the bin **beneath the Mission Board bulletin board in the Welcome Center**. Requested food: *Mashed Potatoes, Corn Muffin Mix, Rice-a-Roni, Spaghetti Noodles, Pasta Sauce, Gravy Packets*.

H.O.P.E. FOOD MINISTRIES: Weekly Totals: September 16, 2026
Families: 86 Individuals: 277 New Families: 7

ALTAR FLOWERS this weekend are placed to the glory of God by Larry Williams in memory of his wife Laura's birthday and their wedding anniversary.

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS: Evangelism

Beginning Sun., Sept. 13, a 6-week Bible study on witnessing will be offered. It will include the what, why, where, when, who, and to whom of witnessing. More importantly, discussion will include different approaches to being faithful witnesses to our faith.

USHERS & ACOLYTES: Sign up **today** if you plan to serve next weekend or in the near future, at the Information Table in the Welcome Center (near the windows). Elders are already signed up for their service for next month. Thanks!

WHERE IS YOUR NAME TAG? We have two new field workers at Holy Cross this fall. Have you met them? Their names are Kyle Beckstrom and Clyde Diercks. You have just two names to learn. They have hundreds. How about we help them by wearing our name tags for the next several months? If you have never received one or have misplaced yours, you can sign up for a new one at the information desk in the Welcome Center.

CANDY AND NUT SALE Ladies Guild is holding its Annual CANDY AND NUT SALE. Orders will be taken this weekend and continue through Oct. 4. Pay in cash or by check when you place your order. Visit the table in the Welcome Center to see the wide variety of delicious treats available. Get a head start on your holiday shopping! Orders will be delivered before Thanksgiving. Proceeds from the sale will benefit Marcy's Project, which helps families in our area with food, meals, clothing, and household goods.

THE GRACE GUILD CRAFT EXPO is Nov. 7, 2026, from 9AM to 3PM at the Holy Cross gym. Vendors will feature custom art, woodworking, handcrafted jewelry, Christmas items, and many other items. Mark you calendar!

WE PRAY for Active Military Members & Relatives:
Dominic Bisesi, Andrew Chema, Jack Estill, Jacob Franke, Josh Linn, Doug Mundt, Justin Quinn, Joshua Rainwater, Austin Rasche, Devon Ruffin, Jesse Smith.



Swing-A-Round Fun Town
September 26, 2026
11:30-3pm
3rd-5th grade only!
Drop-off and pick-up
at Holy Cross
Chaperones are
Chris & Jayme Price

Bring \$13 per person and a friend.
Pizza Lunch at Holy Cross
Kids will get a \$26 game card



Family Christmas Service
December 5, 2026
Followed by dinner and
service project

Sign up to participate
by Oct 15

Costume Fittings Nov 1 & 4
Practices Nov 22, Dec 2 & 5



Craft Expo
November 7, 2026
9:00 – 3:00

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
8945 Veterans Memorial Parkway
O'Fallon, MO 63366

Featuring Custom Art, Woodworking,
Handcrafted Jewelry, Christmas Items
and so much more...

Worship Time Change

Starting Oct. 3,
the Saturday Worship Service
will move to 3PM.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

If you have moved, changed email address or
phone number, please notify the church office
and update your contact information:
secretary@hcross.com

WONDERFUL COUNSELOR
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2026
8:00 A.M – 12:30 P.M.
Light Breakfast Provided



Chapel of the Cross

LUTHERAN CHURCH & PRESCHOOL

636-928-5885
907 JUNGEMANN RD
ST PETERS, MO 63376
(LOCATED BEHIND WALGREENS)

<https://chapelstpeters.org/?p=3142>



Free Event
Register Here
by Sun Sept 20th

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Lori Snyder LCSW

Jennie Williamson

mental

health

awareness

Come to the 2nd annual Wonderful Counselor conference on Saturday September 26th! At this free event you will hear from some of the top expert counselors gifted in helping people towards healthy mental and emotional health. Bring a friend. We will start with breakfast followed by three sessions on a variety of topics.



Jennie Williamson
God is Great Concert

Saturday
September 26, 2026
6:00pm

10 YEARS Legacy
Grandparenting
Summit • 2026

The only national conference on Christian grandparenting

October 10, 2026 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Lutheran High School - St. Peters, MO



Wisdom + Hope
Learn from an
incredible lineup of
general session
speakers



Practical Resources
Discover resources
and tools to help on
your grandparenting
journey



Community
Gather with other
Christian grandparents
who want to build their
spiritual legacy



LARRY
FOWLER



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LORITTS



ARLENE
PELLICANE



JOSH
MULVIHILL



HARVEY
CAREY



CHRISTOPHER
YUAN



BETH
GUCKENBERGER



JIM
BURNS



DAVE & ANN
WILSON



DAVID
E ATON



CISSIE
GRAHAM-LYNCH

Don't wait! Register today by scanning the QR code
or by visiting:

<https://brushfire.com/legacycoalition/simulcast/631609>

Questions? Contact Karen Braddy @ 636-578-9760



Lutheran High School Annual Fundraising Auction

*A Night for
Blue & White*

FRIDAY,
OCTOBER 23,
2026



OLD HICKORY GOLF CLUB
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM
COCKTAIL ATTIRE

Open Bar, Dinner, Dancing & Entertainment | Live & Silent Auction

Join LHS for **A Night for Blue & White** on
Fri., Oct. 23, at Old Hickory Golf Club!
More than an auction, this special evening
celebrates our LHS community—a night of
fellowship and generosity in making a lasting
impact on our students and school.
Tickets are now available! Visit the QR Code
below to reserve your spot. We can't wait to
celebrate with you! **Purchase Tickets by
scanning the QR Code!**



Auction Tickets



Lutheran High School
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PRESENTS

Based on the book by E.B. White

Charlotte's Web

Adapted by
Joseph Robinette

6:00 p.m.
LHS Commons

September 24-26,
2026



Tickets available
by scanning QR code



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FUTURE COUGARS, we can't wait to welcome you to Future
Freshman Day on Fri., Oct. 9!
We'll kick things off at 8AM with registration, tours, and refresh-
ments! Questions? Please email Micah Braddy at mbraddy@lhssc.org. If your student attends an Association school,
they are already registered through their school, so no additional
registration is needed. Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/FFD2031>