

# sunday times

Fourth Sunday After Pentecost  
June 12, 2016



**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**  
God's work. Our hands.

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Brothers and sisters in Christ, how good it is to gather to praise our God and hear his Word for us today! May God bless you during your time here.

If you are visiting with us today, please fill out one of the yellow "Welcome Friend" forms located in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.



During the worship service today, **Noah Adam Linn Pfeifer**, son of Robert and Elizabeth Pfeifer, will be received into Christ's Church by the sacrament of Baptism. His sponsors are Robert Seavy & Sarah Kanach.

**DONATE BLOOD ON JUNE 14<sup>th</sup>, 3pm-9pm  
AT THE TEMPLE BETH EL MEKOR CHAYIM  
BLOODDRIVE SPONSORED BY THE  
CRANFORD CLERGY COUNCIL**

**Heather**  
had a malignancy at age 5 that ultimately required the removal of several organs. She had extensive blood transfusions to support her surgeries.

**DONATE  
BLOOD  
NOW...**

*people can't live without it.*

Date: **June 14, 2016** Time: **3:00p- 9:00p**

Place: **Temple Beth El Mekor Chayim; 338 Walnut Ave., Cranford**

Contact: **Temple Office - (908) 276-9231 / office@tbemc.org**

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**New Jersey Blood Services**  
A Division of New York Blood Center  
**1-800-933-BLOOD (2566)**  
[www.nybloodcenter.org](http://www.nybloodcenter.org)



**Coincidentally, June 14 is also  
World Blood Donor Day with the theme,  
"Blood connects us all."  
This is a divine appointment!**

## Pastoral Prayers, Joys & Concerns

- ✠ Thomas Goga (55) died on May 31 after a very brief battle with cancer. A Memorial Service was held for him in the Calvary sanctuary on Thursday. Let us keep his family in our prayers at this very difficult time: his children, Elliott and Kyra, his mother, Carol, his brother and sister, Michael and Sondra and other family members and friends who are mourning his rather sudden death.
- ✠ The flowers on the altar today are in honor of Noah Adam Linn Pfeifer's baptism this morning.
- ✠ We received word this week that Pastor Michael Linderman's father, The Rev. George Richard Linderman, died on May 5 following a stroke. We would appreciate your prayers for the Linderman family. A Memorial Service for Pastor Linderman will be held in Ardmore, PA on July 9. (Pastor Michael Linderman served at Calvary in 2011 during Pastor Carol's medical disability.)

**~ ONE TOWN, ONE MESSAGE ~**

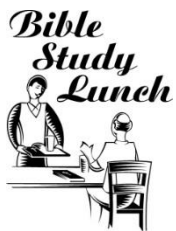


This month, as prom and graduation are here, the Cranford Clergy Council is asking people from every house of worship to spend time in intentional prayer for our young people. The Council's "fervent prayer is that all of our youth in Cranford will be able to grow up free from the influence of drugs and alcohol."

### **ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

Our annual congregational meeting will be held on **Sunday, June 26th after the 9:30am** worship service. Please help us by being present as we elect new council members.

ANNUAL REPORTS FOR THE JUNE 26  
CONGREGATIONAL MEETING ARE NOW  
AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX.



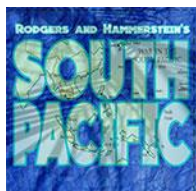
**BIBLE STUDY LUNCHEON** The Women's Bible Study will be lunching at the Chestnut Chateau in Union on **Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 P.M.** All are invited... call June Kaiser 908-276-2546.

## CROSS ROADS CAMP AND RETREAT CENTER

**SUMMER CAMP - WEEKS AVAILABLE IN JULY AND AUGUST:** Don't you want to give your kid(s) the best summer experience possible? Summer is fast approaching, so sign them up for summer camp today before it's too late! July is Bring-A-Friend-Month, so bring a friend who has never been to Cross Roads Summer Camp before and you'll both get \$25 OFF! Click here to [learn more](#). Or go to [www.crossroadsretreat.com/summer-programs/Classic-Summer-Camp](http://www.crossroadsretreat.com/summer-programs/Classic-Summer-Camp)

### Annual Bishop's Cup Golf Outing Monday, June 20

Cross Roads' annual golf outing fundraiser at the Copper Hill Country Club in Ringoes, NJ subsidizes the cost of camp for everyone, and provides camperships for those families who need a little extra help affording our modest prices. Golfers of all ages and skill levels welcome! [More here](#). Interested in sponsoring a hole or becoming a Cross Roads partner? [Click here for more information](#).



**PLAYS IN THE PARK: SOUTH PACIFIC, Friday, July 29** The Connect Committee invites Calvary members and friends to enjoy an "enchanted evening" with the

classic musical "South Pacific" on Friday evening July 29th at Roosevelt Park in Edison. The play starts at 8:30 pm and costs \$7 per person. Those over 60 cost \$5 and children under 12 are free. We plan on gathering before hand to enjoy a picnic dinner in the park. Carpooling and rides will be available for those who require transportation. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex for those who are interested. For further information contact any Connect committee member or Robin Marko at [rdmarko@verizon.net](mailto:rdmarko@verizon.net) or 908-789-0379.



**TAKE US OUT TO THE BALLGAME, Friday, August 12** The Connect Ministry is organizing a night at the Somerset Patriots on Friday, August 12th. The game starts at

7:05 pm and is followed by spectacular fireworks!!! Tickets are \$10.50 for upper box seats. Sign-ups will be available in the narthex starting in early June. The Patriots play at TD Bank Stadium in Bridgewater and is easily accessible by car or by NJ Transit.



### THOSE SERVING TODAY

**9:30am**

Asst. Min. Meg Spatz  
Comm. Asst. TBD  
Ushers Jim Seavy (C)  
Judy Seavy  
Chris Wendel  
Cathy Wendel  
Desiree Santos  
Glenda Huff

Acolyte  
Altar Guild

### THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

**Sun 06/12** *Fourth Sunday After Pentecost*  
9:30am Single Service of Worship with Holy Communion  
10:45am Youth Leadership Team

**Tue 06/14**  
7:30pm Church Council Meeting

**Thu 06/16**  
1:15 pm Midweek Worship w/Holy Communion

**Sun 06/19** *Fifth Sunday After Pentecost*  
9:30am Confirmation Sunday with Holy Communion

#### Our office hours are:

Mon, Wed, Fri: 9:00am – 4:00pm  
Tues and Thurs: 10:30am – 5:30pm

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Kathleen Jacinto, Parish Manager  
Jeanne Elmuccio, Music Director  
Tyler Simko, Associate Organist  
Sean McGinity, Contemporary Musician  
Marsha Stoltz, Council President

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