



MISSION STATEMENT

Walking with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person

TO ALL CALLED BY ALMIGHTY GOD TO FOLLOW JESUS INTO MISSION:

“A GOAL WITHOUT A PLAN IS JUST A WISH”

OUR VISION STATEMENT AS A CONGREGATION

“WALKING WITH JESUS TO BRING NEW LIFE AND HOPE TO EVERY PERSON!”

During 2023, we have accomplished important goals:

New Bible Studies have been added, more people are engaged in Bible Study.

New small scale entry points for serving have been added.

People who had not returned to worship after covid have been contacted.

To improve the quality of our live stream, the Audio-Visual system recommended by a consultant was installed and fully paid for.

During 2024, we will continue to share the vision for sharing Jesus in our area as 216 homes are built south of our church, along with another 800+ homes already approved to be built. We will be working on mission expansion and outreach to people of all ages, especially including children and youth.

Recently, during worship, I asked people to raise their hands if they came to know Jesus as a child...about every hand went up! Reaching the children of the area is not an option, it is what we are called to do!

Those who came before us made sure we had faith as children...and if we intend to be faithful, we must do the same for the children of this area!

May God help us all to generously respond to God's vision for GdC!

Pastor Bill Timm

FROM THE PRESIDENT



In 2021 I shared with you the next step of our “seed planting”. Now in 2023 the seeds are popping up not only with promise but signs of new, expanded growth. It is easy to think that Gloria de Cristo just popped up on the desert floor, do you realize GDC first arrived on the scene in 1989, first meeting in a home, then office and school wherever they could find space. Turning the first shovel in Feb. 1999 and the first worship service Dec. 1999 (without electricity). Breaking ground for the addition of the fellowship hall in 2013. If you were a part of that act of love and faith thank you! Those of us here now, have an obligation to the pioneers of GDC to continue the growth, supporting the mission of this Lutheran Church.

The pioneers before us have left opportunities not dreamed of 20 years ago. Just look beyond our parking lot and see the development of over 200 new homes. A new mission field! The other two developers are approved for some 800 homes in the near future. This growth is a call for each of us to live our vision statement “WALKING WITH JESUS TO BRING NEW LIFE AND HOPE TO EVERY PERSON”. This is our chance to be next generation pioneers. The opportunities are many; we worship in a beautiful church with 300 plus friends because of pioneers 34 years ago, what will people say about us?

We are only limited by our level of compliancy, our resistance to change. Growth takes time and energy, living what we say when we proclaim our love, faith and trust in the God we worship every service.

Remember ***“IF YOU ARE NOT DEAD...YOU ARE NOT DONE!”***

The above article was published in the annual report....

I wanted to share one of my passions that we seem to be spinning our wheels on. **NAME TAGS**, now these little additions to your Sunday outfit, will not clash with the colors you are wearing, nor put holes in your attire. What they will do, is give people a chance to call you by name. This may sound foolish; let me share John and my experience a few weeks ago as we were ushers. Four different people came through the front door and as I greeted them they said “Good morning Sharon”, now I know my name, and actually it made me feel good but I didn’t know theirs. They had no name tag. These are people I see often; forgetting is one of the gifts of old age.

Please, use the communion slip in the pew box to request a name tag. If you worship with us as a member, assoc. member or visitor we want to know your name! Your name tag will be in the narthex next weekend.

From the desk of Dr. Shirley....

From the desk of Dr. Shirley . . .Just think

*You're here not by chance,
But by God's choosing
His hand formed you and made you the person you are.
He compares you to no one else—you are one of a kind.
You lack nothing that His grace can't give you.
He has allowed you to be here at this time in history to fulfill His special purpose for this generation.*

Nadya Beren Selasor

This quote from Nadya Beren Selasor applies not only to individuals like you and me, it also applies to our Gloria de Cristo family.

When Pastor invited me to be a part of the vision team last year, little did I know that it would be a year-long, sometimes intense, journey to distill a compact mission statement and specific values from all that comprises Gloria de Cristo Lutheran Church.

“Walking with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person”
is our Mandate—our Mission—what we are doing!

The Vision Team articulated five (5) values (motives)—why we are doing this mission.
Our values speak to our identity.

Authentic Community—“for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶ I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me” (Matthew 25:35-36)

Relationships: Have I sought out someone this week who needs new life and hope?

Compassionate Generosity—“Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not regretfully or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver” (2 Corinthians 9:7), “Some give freely yet grow all the richer;

others withhold what is due and only suffer want” (Proverbs 11:24), and “He looked up and saw rich people putting their gifts into the treasury; ² he also saw a poor widow put in two small copper coins. ³ He said, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them, ⁴ for all of them have contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in all she had to live on” (Luke 21:1-4).

Generosity: Am I generous with my time, talent, and treasure in support of God's work?

Engaging Worship—“For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.” (Matthew 18:20).

Worship: Does my worship time extend throughout the week?

Genuine Welcome— “When the Son of Man comes in his glory and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. ³² All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, ³³ and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. ³⁴ Then the king will say to those at his right hand,

the foundation of the world, ³⁵ for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶ I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' ³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ³⁸ And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹ And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' ⁴⁰ And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it to me.' (Matthew 25:31-40), "Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God" (Romans 15:7).

Serving: Have I brought hope to someone through my service this week?

Inspired Teaching—" They were astounded at his teaching because he spoke with authority" (.Luke 4:32),

"All scripture is inspired by God and is ^[a] useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the person of God may be proficient, equipped for every good work" (2 Timothy 3:16-17).

Word/Study: Did God's Word connect with my life this week?

Strategies, Choices, Implementation

Looking at our stated mission and values, I look at my current pattern of involvement. Is my environment pattern under-involved or over-involved? I conclude that there are still values where I am under-involved and resolve to use these definitions as tools for myself and for inviting others toward church involvement at GdC.

I choose to use music and Bible study opportunities as my primary environments for developing strategies for Walking with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person. In the past 90 days God was pleased to allow me to lead a Bible study on "Worship Matters" and to welcome some new musicians into singing, ringing, and playing praises to His holy name. With the rest of you, I celebrate God's provision in continued technology growth that makes worshipping both in-house and on-line more clear as we walk with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person today, tomorrow, and until we are privileged to see Him face-to-face.

YOUTH AND EDUCATION



Cyndi Warner was here at the end of January. When writing this, the event had not happened yet. However, we had a good response with sign-up sheets and should have about the same number of attendees as in previous years. As always we look forward to an insightful three days of delving into this year's topic; Be-Attitudes.

Diane Lee, Chairperson



GLORIOUS QUILTERS

January really flew by and we're headed into February 2024. Gosh it's been a month and I still can't get used to 2024. The group has been battling several out with colds, flu (no not covid) and a few with injuries. None of which is a good thing given our ages. For those who came to quilting our assembly line was in full force, and that's great when we're working with aprox. 16 Ladies. We have again been given fabric, fleece, notions and a couple projects started but not finished. We are So GRATEFUL for any and all donations.

It's a new year and a new day so again we invite you to come visit, see what fun we have and maybe just maybe you'll decide to return.

Carol Schock



LADIES LUNCHEON

FROM LINDA KASIN....

We are excited about our upcoming Ladies Inspirational Luncheon on March 16th.

This year our theme is "Caring and Sharing". We're so pleased our speaker will be Myra Garlit, Chief Executive Officer of Crossroads Mission. Tickets will go on sale the first part of

March. More Information to come!



FELLOWSHIP

Since I have been gone most of January, I have had to depend on helpers to take care of all the duties. So many wonderful people have stepped up to take care of responsibilities.

I understand the potluck in January was well attended, and Lynette and others helped set up, serve and clean up after.

Several people have signed up to take care of the Sunday morning fellowship time. Mary Marsh is setting up the goodies and there are people signed up to take care of the clean up afterwards. And a special thank you to Dave Donaldson for continuing to make the coffee on Sunday mornings.

I am looking forward to seeing you all in late January and in February. I will be back in time for the Adult Vacation Bible School and the annual meeting.

I hope many of you will attend the Fellowship Committee meeting, to be held the second Monday at 2 PM. We have the proceeds from the Bazaar and I would like inputs of items needed to be purchased.

In Fellowship,
Cheryl Preul, chairman

HEALTH & WELLNESS MINISTRY

Importance of a Strong Social Life as We Get Older

A Sweet Friendship Refreshes the Soul - Proverbs 27:9

Therefore...clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. - Colossians 3:12-13 NIV

We are so fortunate to be getting older at this time when so much more is known about aging healthfully. Research shows us the many physical and mental benefits of staying social as we get older. And, that there are a multitude of ways to stay active socially in our older years.

The Mental Benefits Staying Active Socially

- Visiting with friends almost daily can reduce the risk of dementia by 12%
- According to one study of 1100 seniors over a 12 year time period showed that those with frequent social contact were 70% less likely to show cognitive decline than those with low social activity.
- The National Institute on Aging has found that social isolation and loneliness are linked with a higher likelihood of depression, cognitive decline and Alzheimer's disease.

Greater self-esteem.

Being social in our older years gives our mental health a huge boost. Positive social interactions on a consistent basis keep us stimulated, mentally sharp, and intellectually engaged.

We experience less stress

Greater self-esteem

The Physical benefits of staying socially active as we get older

According to the National Institute on Aging, remaining social reduces blood pressure, heart disease, & obesity

A longer lifespan

Better fitness because social people tend to be more active.

Better immune system

As you can imagine, social isolation can result in the opposite effects. The National Council on Aging reports that social isolation and feelings of loneliness can increase one's risk of dying by 50%. That means that social isolation is worse than obesity and alcohol abuse.

There are a Wide Variety of Ways to Have a Vibrant Social Life

The University College London research discovered that contact with friends was even better for one's wellbeing according to Andrew Sommerlad, PhD

Interacting with family of different generations. Remembering birthdays and special occasions.

Spending time with friends.

Making new friends. According to the Cleveland Clinic, taking the risk to make new friends is a wonderful way to reduce social isolation and stimulate the brain. To make a friend, we have to reach out and be a friend to them. It probably depends on the qualities of the relationships

Do volunteer work (such as Glorious Quilters and Days for Girls), work as an aid in the classroom with children

Get involved in your church.

Get involved with your community and make use of community resources

Move to a retirement community.

Ask a friend to teach you their hobby

Take classes like art, learn to dance, stretch and balance classes, learn to do water color painting

Play games with others such as cards, bingo or board games

Join a book club at a library

Care for a pet or visit animals as a volunteer at the Humane Society

Go on walks or hikes with friends

Join the Yuma Active Seniors group that meets at La Dona on Thursdays

Help someone who is less mobile than yourself (pick up groceries for them, etc)

Join a Bible Study or Prayer Group

Join a committee at church or where you live.

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We are social beings, so it only makes sense that keeping in touch with friends and family as well as making new friends enriches our lives in our older years. Strong relationships with others improves our longevity, mental and physical health. As the National Council on Aging says, "We believe EVERY person deserves to age well.

Next month we will look at the importance of sleep as we get older.

Resources:

Area Agency on Aging | WACOG www.wacog.com › [area-agency-on-aging](http://area-agency-on-aging.com)

National Council on Aging

<https://www.ncoa.org/older-adults>

The American Society on Aging (ASA) www.asaging.org

National Institute on Aging www.nia.nih.gov

Gerontological Society of America – GSA www.geron.org

Alliance for Aging Research www.agingresearch.org

Introduction to Social Issues Affecting Older People <https://www.msmanuals.com/home/older-people%E2%80%99s-health-issues/social-issues-affecting-older-people/introduction-to-social-issues-affecting-older-people>

Why Intimacy Is Important in Elderly Adults <https://www.ncoa.org/article/why-is-intimacy-important-in-older-adults>

SOCIAL CONCERNS

The new year is upon us and this month we plan a plan a "Go See" tour to Amberley's Place. Most Yuman's are familiar with this non-profit organization but as a refresher, Amberley's place is an organization assisting with victims of child abuse, domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking. Our tour will be February 28, 2024. They can only accommodate 10-15 persons so we will have interested members sign-up the last 2 weekends of February.

The committee continues to do birthday parties for Rose Garden Assisted Living Residents. If you would like to participate, contact me, Carol Schock or Barb Blank. We are looking for others to assist us in helping with this ministry. It can be a one-time experience or longer if you desire. It has really brightened the day of these deserving folks.

I'm happy to report we collected \$1,205.00 for Good Gifts (ELCA missions). Thanks, you for your generosity.

We continue to collect pill bottles, travel kits, eye glasses, greeting cards, aluminum tabs, printer cartridges.

In January we delivered 178 lb. of food. Food assistance fills a critical need . "Feed my lambs, tend my sheep."

Blessings,

Evelyn Trone, Chairperson

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1 Peter 4:10 (ESV)

As each received a gift, use it to serve one another, as stewards of God's varied gifts.



PROPERTY



A number of things occurred during the year 2023. A huge effort was made to spruce up the property and I think it is in pretty good shape. Cleaning up the old straw bales helped a lot. We were able to landscape the entryway. Thanks to the volunteers who helped to accomplish the work. I want to thank the many volunteers that helped with the beautification of the property.

Two major projects that were accomplished this year were the new sound system and the resurfacing of the parking lot. You may have noticed the table in the back corner of the Sanctuary with all the new equipment. Before the new could be installed the old system had to go and be disposed of. This was a major undertaking. The garage sale folks should be delighted, they got all the electronics to sell at the sale this spring. The last pew in the back had to be lifted and moved about ten feet in order to accommodate the table and allow walking space. Pews are heavy.

The parking lot resurfacing went well and we were able to level most of the high spots that caused tripping. A new surface coat and new striping was applied.

There were several other projects accomplished such as the floor in the fellowship hall was cleaned and coated. It needed it so bad. Thanks to volunteers for accomplishing that. Recently the windows in the sanctuary were washed. The floor in the kitchen was steam cleaned. Thanks to the volunteers who did that as well.

Gloria de Cristo is blessed with people who take pride in the church and the property. The Lord's blessing on each and everyone.



February brings in the beginning of the Lenten Season. Ash Wednesday is February 14th, and for the next five weeks we will have Wednesday evening worship at 6:00 pm. On February 28th, March 6th, 13th & 20th we will have Soup Suppers from 4:30-5:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. The various groups of GDC have graciously agreed to prepare soup, so come join us for fellowship and food before hearing teachings under the theme: "You Meant It For Evil, But God Meant It for Good!" based on the gospel of Luke.

For all who are reading this, know that I am in need of Ushers, Greeters and Readers for these Wednesday evening services. If you can help, please let me know.

Char Schomisch, Co-Chair

Joanne Ausing, Co-Chair

STEWARDSHIP

By the time you get this Evangel, you will probably already have read the Annual Report for 2023 where I indicated a “generosity project” for Amberly’s Place would be conducted in the spring. On Saturday, March 2 and Sunday, March 3, I will be collecting toiletries and diapers for Amberly’s Place.

Amberly’s Place is the only family advocacy center in Yuma County available to provide assistance to victims of child abuse and domestic violence. It is a non-profit organization funded primarily through the generosity of the community. In the weeks ahead you will receive more information about the purpose and mission of Amberly’s Place in your worship bulletins.

I am asking for your “cheerful generosity” one more time. So, as you make your routine stops at WalMart, the various dollar and grocery stores, PLEASE keep in mind the needs of Amberly’s Place. I will collect your generous gifts as you enter the church at all three services March 2 and 3.

Disposable Diapers, sizes 5 and 6.....shampoo, conditioner, deodorant and toothpaste
I know nothing about diapers, but they specified those sizes...toiletries are normal size
containers you purchase for your home.....

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BUY ALL THE ITEMS....

Thank you in advance, if you have questions, please do not hesitate to ask me. I promise this will be the last one for quite a while.

Pastor Timm’s teaching of Jan 20 and 21 mentioned the large number of housing plots that have been approved around Gloria de Cristo and the need for us to expand our mission and outreach as those houses are built and occupied. A couple months back council agreed that the church “start” a separate and designated Building Fund. In the weeks ahead, separate Building Fund offering envelopes will be added to the pews. Feel free to use these envelopes as your conscience suggests. Please add you name or “envelope number”. Our present system only designates building maintenance, not building for the future.

Guess I got kind of “windy”....

Thanks, more to come, Gary

NEW MEMBERS

Pam Carter

Associate Member

12325 S. Frontage Rd, 85367

Pam was born in Dubuque, Iowa. She was baptized and raised Lutheran. After graduating from Dana College in Blair, NE., she returned to Roundup, Mt and has been there ever since. She married in 1985 to a ready-made family of three girls. Pam worked for the State of Montana, Public Assistance for 28 1/2 years. She loves music and enjoys all the music opportunities here at Gloria de Cristo.

Lisa Fink

Associate Member

9351 E. 28th Street #199, 85365

Lisa was born in 1962 at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, WA. She has lived in North Dakota, Colorado, Montana, and currently lives with her husband, Scott, in his hometown of Lovell, Wyoming in the summer. Lisa was baptized, confirmed, and married in the ELCA. She joined her husband in retirement in 2023 following 38 years managing and consulting in hospital medical records departments. Lisa and Scott have a daughter and a son in their 30's, no grandchildren, yet! They moved to Yuma in 2023 following 10 years wintering in Casa Grande.

Gary & Karel Titus

Associate Members

10650 S. Avenida Compadres #43, 85365

Gary was born in Enderlin, ND. He was baptized and raised Methodist. Graduated from Enderlin High School in 1957 and immediately joined the US Navy. Married Karel Herman September 9, 1961 at Elim Luther Church, Fargo, ND and started college at North Dakota State University. Graduated with BSEE in 1965 and started career with IBM in Rochester, Mn. We have 4 grown boys, 12 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. We still live in Zumbrota, Mn in the summer and have wintered in Yuma for the last 7 years where we have attended Gloria de Cristo.

Karel Herman Titus was born in Veblen SD. Graduated from Milnor, ND High School in 1959. Went one year to business school at Wahpeton State School of Science. Took a secretarial job in Fargo, ND. Took adult education and was baptized at Elim Lutheran Church in 1960. Married Gary Titus in 1961. I worked as a stay at home mom and volunteered until starting a 20-year career as a church secretary. I enjoy time with our 4 grown boys and their families. I enjoy spending my winters in Yuma and attending Gloria de Cristo and returning to Mn. for the summer.



WELCA HAPPENINGS

February is filled with our Church activities including the Dinner Theater and the Yard Sale, both of which require a lot of time and work. As usual, Gloria de Cristo's congregation steps up to help wherever it is needed.

Originally, a Gather Dinner was planned for February, but has been canceled since it has the potential to overwhelm the church's calendar. The Gather Dinner is now scheduled for Tuesday, March 12th. The Executive Director of Healing Journey, Estrella Fitch, will share her organization's work with victims of human trafficking, and how we, as a Christian community, may help.

Relative to the topic, WELCA plans to partner with our Social Concerns committee for a movie night in the Fellowship Hall. Many of you have already seen *The Sound of Freedom*, and will be able to help lead a discussion after the showing. Tentatively, the movie night will take place in April.

WELCA continues to hold monthly planning meetings, the next two are February 7th and March 6th, both on Wednesdays at 1 pm in the Nursery. You are encouraged to attend to help with the above activities as well as the Lenten Soup Supper and the Easter Breakfast.

Donna Brown



Mens' Breakfast will meet on the first Saturday of the month at 8am at Daybreakers. Please join us for a time of food and fellowship!!

The next date is February 3, 2024

FEBRUARY 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1				1 7:00am-9:00am TOPS 4 pm Bible Study 5:00 pm TOPS	2 8:00am TOPS 10:30 am Spanish/English Conversation 1:00 pm Foothills Social	3 8:00 am- Men's Breakfast at Day-breakers 4:00 pm Worship
4 Worship 7:45 & 9:30 Potluck following 9:30 Collection of Food for Food Pantry 12:00 pm GriefShare Fellowship Classroom 1:00 pm Foothills Social	5 9:00 am Glorious Quilters 10 am GriefShare Class, FC 12:00 pm Worship Mtg. 12:30 & 3:00 pm Bible Study, Pastor's home	6 7:00am-9:00am TOPS 1:00 pm Foothills Social 4:00 pm Mental Health Ministry	7 9:30-12 pm Stephen Ministry Class 1:00 & 2:30 pm Chair balancing & Stretching 4:45 pm Bells of Glory 6:00 pm Choir	8 7:00am TOPS 1:00 pm Yard Sale Mtg 4 pm Bible Study 5:00 pm TOPS	9 8:00am TOPS 10:30 am Spanish/English Conversation 1:00 pm Foothills Social 6:00 pm Women's AA	10 4:00 pm Worship
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ALTAR FLOWERS FOR JANUARY

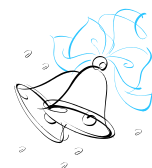
The 2024 Flower Calendar is now up on the wall in the Narthex for those who wish to purchase the Altar Flowers during the year for various reasons. You can find the envelopes to put your money in below the calendar which is located on the west wall. Cost of the flowers thus far remains at \$25.00 for one vase and \$50.00 for both vases. When adding your name to the calendar please print and also put what you would like printed in the bulletin and Evangel beside your name. Thank You for your support!!



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

1	Tony Gingras	13	Shirley Ehler	21	Donna Staudemier
2	Jackie Neely	14	Sunnee Rodgers	22	Dennis Peterson
2	Sandy Weidling	16	Dan Murphy	24	Logan Johnson
3	John MacPherson	16	Sherrie Wehrer	25	Dave Hubenthal
9	JoAnn Warnke	18	Linda Bryant	25	George Reisnaur
11	Sandra Arceneaux	18	Bob Hall		

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES



4	John & Jean Gerfen
14	Tony & Kathy Hoffman
16	Bob & Judy Zeiss

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