

Holy Cross Lutheran Church - 1500 Hooper Avenue, Toms River, NJ 08753 - 732/255-4455

Worship Services - Saturday at 5:30 pm / Sunday at 10:00 am  
Sunday School - 9:45 am September through May (preK-6th grade)



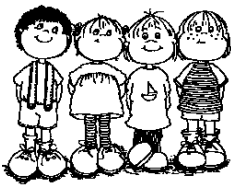
## Upcoming October Events Put these on your calendars now!



Fall Vendor/Craft Fair  
October 20th, 9:00—3:00.

There is still indoor and outdoor space available.

Vendors, crafters, marketing and kitchen volunteers needed! You can contact Lisa Fobian at 732/245-8070 or [hcyouthfundraising@aol.com](mailto:hcyouthfundraising@aol.com)



### Looking for deals and discounts?

Support our nursery school  
with the purchase of a

"KidStuff" coupon book. Books  
will be on sale until Wednesday, October 10th.  
The cost is \$25. You can preview and/or purchase a book in the main office. (Our school receives 50% of the profit and most of the coupons are good for 16 months!)



The youth are looking for bakers for our October 20th Craft and Vendor Fair. Some ideas are cookies (wrapped in groups of 3), brownies (wrapped individually) or full cakes. Contact Lisa for info or to sign up at [hcyouthfundraising@aol.com](mailto:hcyouthfundraising@aol.com)



*We welcome the newly baptized -*

***HALEIGH ELIZABETH HUNT***

*on September 30, 2018*

*Daughter of Taylor Mize and Christopher Hunt*

*We rejoice with you in the life of baptism. Together we will give thanks and praise to God and proclaim the good news to all the world.*

### **Just a reminder—**

The church office will be closed on  
**Monday, October 8th**  
for the Columbus Day holiday.



Confirmation Classes  
for 7th and 8th grades  
begin...

Sunday, October 21

If you have not already done so,  
please contact the church to  
register by Sunday, Oct. 7th



1st meeting of the year!

**Sr. High Youth Group**  
(for 9th through 12th graders)

**Tuesday, October 16**  
**6:30 - 8:00 pm**

Any ?s - see Lisa Fobian

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**Jr. High Youth Group**  
(for all 6th, 7th and 8th graders)

**Next meeting:**  
**Tuesday, November 6**  
**6:30 - 8:00 pm**

Any ?s - see Diane McCabe



Caregiver Volunteers  
of Central Jersey

Special Event

Wednesday,  
October 10th  
1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

For all CVCJ Volunteers,  
Care Receivers, and every-  
one who is interested in  
learning about the free ser-  
vices provided by CVCJ and  
more than 20 other organi-  
zations and agencies availa-  
ble to our Ocean County  
residents. The event will be  
held at: St. Maximilian Kolbe  
Parish Hall, 137 St. Maximili-  
an Lane, Toms River. There  
is no charge, but please  
RSVP to 732-505-2273.

Holy Cross

Prayer Group

October 14 and 28 at  
9:00 am in  
Classroom 12  
(meets every 2nd and  
4th fourth Sundays.)



Part-time paid position

We're looking for people as substitutes for  
our housekeeper. *This is a paid position.*  
Contact Beverly Hirseman for details at

732/270-2590 or hirseman@comcast.net.



**YES! I/We will be attending Oktoberfest!**

**OCTOBER 28**

12:00 PM-2:30 PM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

# of people \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I can help set up      \_\_\_ I can help clean up

*Pot-luck - please sign-up on the bulletin board what you will bring.*

*Beverages will be provided.*

*Chicken nuggets and mac 'n cheese will be provided for children.*

*Please put this in basket in narthex - please RSVP by October 21.*



Say hello to...

Amanda Ellis, our  
new housekeeper!  
Amanda is a native  
of California who  
now lives in Toms  
River with her hus-  
band and children.  
Welcome to Holy  
Cross, Amanda!!

## What's happening in Nursery School...



We are in the process of installing a new piece of playground equipment, which was purchased from the proceeds of our fundraisers. Thank you to all who have supported our fundraisers in the past!

Back to School Night is Tuesday, October 17th. This will be a time for parents to see what their children have been up to since the beginning of school.

At the end of the month, we will have our annual Halloween parade, parties and Trunk or Treat. It's a fun time for children (and adults) to wear their Halloween costumes (and get some candy!).



## The HOPE Center

8th Annual  
**Chef's Night**

**Monday, October 22**

**6:00—9:00 pm**

**Tickets—\$40**

(\$45 at the door)

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## Operation BBQ Relief

**Saturday, November 3**

**12:00—3:00 pm**

**FREE MEALS** will be donated and served to our neighbors in need.

*See fliers on bulletin board for more info for both events.*

## SNEAK PEEK FOR NOVEMBER

### Church Women United

2018 World Community Day.  
"Reaching for Wholeness"

Friday, November 2  
10:00 am in the Parish Center.

For more info, see Cindy Williams.



### SENIOR MINISTRY

You're invited!

Adult / Senior Brunch  
Saturday, Nov. 10th  
10:00 am in the Parish Center.

For more info, see Grace and Al Jacobsen.

This is a new ministry for those over 55.  
Please join us!



## Among the Wolves

NJ Synod Middle School Retreat  
November 16-18, 2018

Sign-up sheet is on the Family Faith Formation Ministry bulletin board.

?s - see Janis Provost