

# We're glad you're here!

# 8:00am Worship for the Week of April 14th, 2024

Our Purpose: "Know Christ. Make Christ known."

Our Vision: "Making Christ-Centered, Emotionally Healthy Disciples of Jesus, One Life at a Time." Our Mission: "Reach and serve our local community, Equip their hearts, minds and souls, and Release them into the world to share God's love."

# WELCOME TO RED HILL LUTHERAN CHURCH!

If you are worshiping with us this morning, please visit redhillchurch.org and scroll down to the "Connections Card".

Also, so that we may ensure you are receiving news about the life of our church, please let us know if you have moved or changed your contact information by emailing any updates to info@redhillchurch.org.

# Sunday Morning Schedule:

•8:00 to 9:00 am Classical worship

•9:15 to 10:00 am Bible studies and groups for all ages ("DiscipleU")

•10:15-11:15 am Contemporary worship

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# **RED HILL LUTHERAN CHURCH** 8:00 a.m. - Third Sunday of Easter

Rev. Dr. Seth Britton, Senior Pastor

#### PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

"If we have truly looked at God then we are different—there is a difference for always...My eyes, my eyes have seen the King. My eyes, my eyes have seen the King. The visions of His beauty has pierced me deep within; to whom else can I go?" – John Skinner

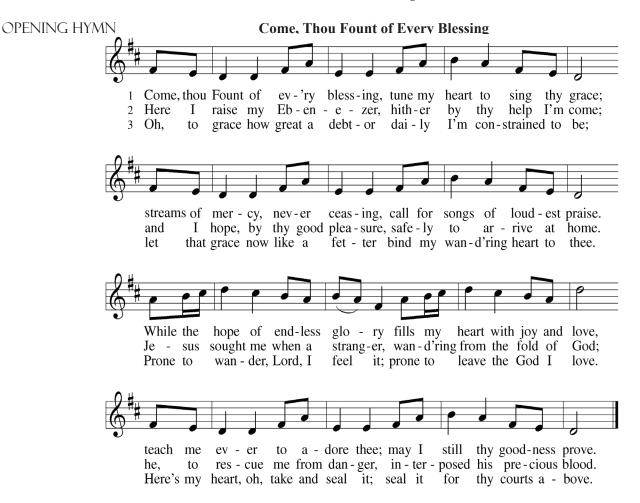
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#### +GATHERING+

PRELUDE

#### Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing Dr. Linda Brown, organ

Albert L. Travis



#### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19; [18:20] Amen. Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Amen.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1: 8-9

# Most merciful God,

we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

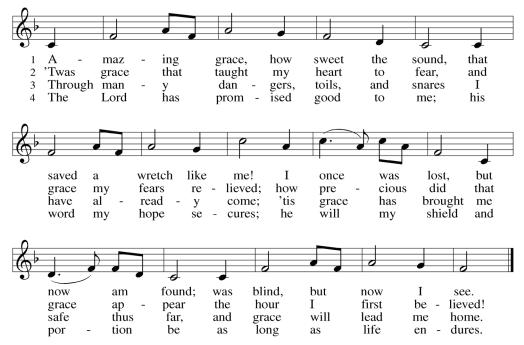
In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

# Amen.

# APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 





PRAYER OF THE DAY 2 Timothy4:22

# The Lord be with you.

#### And also with you.

Let us pray...

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

# READING

# +WORD+

Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness!

#### You have given me relief when I was in distress. Be gracious to me and hear my prayer!

<sup>2</sup>O men, how long shall my honor be turned into shame? How long will you love vain words and seek after lies?

<sup>3</sup>But know that the LORD has set apart the godly for himself; the LORD hears when I call to him.

<sup>4</sup>Be angry, and do not sin;

ponder in your own hearts on your beds, and be silent. <sup>5</sup>Offer right sacrifices,

and put your trust in the LORD.

<sup>6</sup>There are many who say, "Who will show us some good? Lift up the light of your face upon us, O LORD!"

<sup>7</sup> You have put more joy in my heart

than they have when their grain and wine abound.

<sup>8</sup>In peace I will both lie down and sleep;

for you alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.

Psalm 4

### READING

# Ephesians 1.3-14

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, <sup>4</sup> even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love <sup>5</sup> he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, <sup>6</sup> to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. <sup>7</sup> In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, <sup>8</sup> which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight <sup>9</sup> making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ <sup>10</sup> as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. <sup>11</sup> In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, <sup>12</sup> so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup> In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, <sup>14</sup> who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

Here ends the reading **Thanks be to God.** 

# GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.** 

# HOLY GOSPEL

Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. <sup>39</sup> And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. <sup>40</sup> But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." <sup>41</sup> But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, <sup>42</sup> but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."

The Gospel of our Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.** 

MORNING MESSAGE

Pastor Seth Britton

+SACRAMENT+

TITHES & OFFERINGS If you are worshipping with us online, please consider visiting redhillchurch.org/give.

OFFERING

I Need Thee Every Hour Chancel Choir Gilbert M. Martin

Luke 10.38-42

The Lord's Supper is the family meal for Christians. If you are a Baptized Christian, seeking a church home, a member of a congregation that proclaims the Gospel, and a disciple of Christ who desires to be forgiven and strengthened to live more faithfully for Christ, you are welcome to commune with us (Children, ages 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and above who are Baptized and who have received First Communion Instruction, are welcome to come commune with their family).

If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to come forward for a personal blessing (indicate this by crossing your arms) or you can spend this time in prayer. Our hope is that this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with His people, the church.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. 2 *Tim.* 4:22 And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. *Colossians 3:1* We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *Ps. 136* It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everliving God. But chiefly we are bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of our Lord; for he is the true Passover Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join them in saying:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow'r and might:

Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

# THEOLOGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

In the Lutheran Church, we believe that Jesus Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine of this holy meal. Consequently, it is the responsibility of the Pastor to assure the proper administration and order of the Eucharist. In the Pastor's absence, reserved elements are used that have been consecrated in the church. The bread and wine used today have been previously consecrated according to God's Word.

THE LORD'S PRAYER Matthew 6:9-13

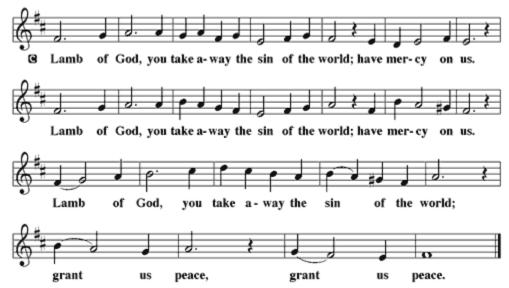
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, Forever and ever. Amen

### COMMUNION

At Red Hill, we come forward to the altar (front area) to receive Communion.\* You will be given the bread and will eat it. You will then be invited to pick up a cup of wine or grape juice to drink. After you have drank the Blood of the Sacrament, please deposit your cup in the receptacle on the stand.

\* If you are unable to come forward to receive Communion, please notify an usher and the servers will come to your seat.

# LAMB OF GOD John 1:29



## COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. **Amen.** 

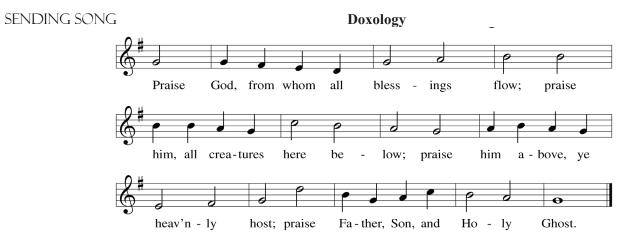
# POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with spiritual food the body and blood of Christ. All who come to you will not hunger, all who believe in you will not thirst. Empowered by this sacrament, send us back into the world to do the work you have given us to do: to share the gospel and be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

+SENDING+

BENEDICTION Numbers 6:24-26 The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, the +Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

DISMISSAL Go in peace. Serve the Lord! Thanks be to God!



POSTLUDE

Lord, God, We All Praise You

Johann Pachelbel

# THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

- April 14 Isaiah Andersen, Cheryl Budensiek, Karen Whelply
- April 15 Milan de Beer, Marie DeBoer, Leo Froschauer, Jim Juarez
- April 16 Seth Britton, Pat Trillwood, Peggy Wong
- April 17 Andrew Garnett, Charlotte Kottke, Norm Manalac
- April 18 Richard Coleman, Kim Kinney, Donna Wiksell
- April 19 Matthew Curiel, Ryan Godinez
- April 20 Elissa Marie Cope

# ANNIVERSARIES

- April 17 Diane and Brian Daucher
- April 19 Susan and Bob Hansen
- April 20 Jan and Alan Draper

# PRAYER & CARE

Healing, Recovery and Strength, Cancer: Tamara Lippert, Denise Pace; Pat Niese, lymphoma; Drew Lippert, prostate cancer; Sheila D., complete healing of ovarian cancer; Barbara Miller; Joanne Skidmore, breast cancer; Janine, healing from ovarian cancer; Jane Thorson W., multiple myeloma; Stevie Saunders; Clelia Bernhardt, breast cancer: Song Willey; Barb Burley, breast cancer; Carolyn Fresca, lymphoma cancer; Kevin Fanti, recovery from bladder cancer surgery; Phil Garnett, multiple myeloma, healing; Vicki Reiber, friend of Daphne Malinsky, esophagus, lymph node and lung cancer; Elsa Curiel, cancer; Teri Burch, breast cancer; Wendy Buzzard, breast cancer. David Kulcinski, healing from lymphoma; Angie Cruz, multiple myeloma.

Other Conditions: Jeff Cadwell, MS; Edna Hohener; Eileen Hamilton; Tina Philips; Diana Godinez's dad, Alzheimer's; Tin Ngo; Peter D., to be seizure free; Amber Benson, continued healing; Tony's mom, health and safety during dialysis sessions; Rebecca Tomlinson, ALS; Gloria Tomas, healing; Danny, healing; Sky Olson, recovery from stroke; Katie W., neurological issues; Nancy Ogden; Spencer Garrett's mother, dementia; Healthy pregnancy for Katherine & Nicholas Thoele; Rick Gertonson; Anita Hollis; Christina Bannister, healing of deep vein thrombosis; Jerry Unis, recovery from back surgery; Ann Joubert, recovery from throat surgery; Strength and healing for Justin; Bob Hansen prayers for cardio ablation; Danalyn Belgen, complete healing from knee replacement surgery; Brian, leg problems; Amber Hernandez, healthy pregnancy: Tom and Tatiana; Kathy Carney, strength and peace; Emilia Potts; Ellia Chai, inflamed spleen; Elia, healing from stroke.

US Military Service: Air Force: Gilio Hennigan, Guiliana Hennigan, Gavin Crawford, Joey Schell, Captain Grant Fox. Army: Calvin Tyler Crawford, Army National Guard: Anya Rigoni; Rebecca Schell. Army/JAG: Major Brianna Tuohy; Navy: Matt Browne, Matthew Curiel, John Farinacci; Eric Belgen. Marine Corps: Giacomo Hennigan, Hunter Hansen.

# Those serving in worship today...

Altar Guild: Debbie Hays, Barbara Jackson, Laurie Henry, Rosa Dalton, Elaine Kral, Barbara Bomgren, Betty Moran, Donna Wiksell, Melissa Gomez, Patty Reiten

Ushers: 8:00: Shannon McNiel, Brad Brooks, Larry Lippert, Karl Kotke 10:15: Dutch Kramer, Sharon Van Sant, Laurie Oard

Readers: 8:00: Carmen Gogosha 10:15: Jason Harney

**Communion Servers:** 8:00 Amy Ronce & Lon Records, Martha Toft 10:15: Laurie Henry & Phil Schaffer, Laurie Oard

A/V Team: Manny Olmedo, TomWaldron, James Pace, Brandon Stoffregen, Brad Wong, Katy Wong, Gary Fortner, Jason Harney

# WORSHIP and MUSIC

"Disciple U"

9:15-10:00 a.m.

"Growing Strong: Spiritual Practices for the Christian Life" (*No meeting today... please attend the class below*) Leader: Pastor Seth Britton.

Location: Christian Life Center (CLC).

In the New Testament, the church's work is described as "building up" believers in Christ as the fulfillment of Jesus' "Great Commission" to make disciples (Matthew 28.19-20). A disciple is a "student, an "apprentice" of Jesus. At Red Hill, our definition of a disciple is... "A person, who day by day surrenders to the divine call through Jesus and through the Spirit, is learning to live his or her life as Jesus would live it, for the purpose of loving God and others."

In order to learn from Jesus how to live our lives as He would, and to deepen our spiritual maturity, particular spiritual disciplines, or practices, are necessary. Biblically and historically, there are five foundational practices that the Holy Spirit has used, and continues to use, to transform people individually and corporately to be like Jesus. They are:

\*Worship (Word and Sacrament)

- \*Bible Study (Reading and Applying God's Word)
- \*Biblical Community
- \*Daily Prayer (Solitude and Silence)

\*Servanthood (Serving at and beyond the church)

Join us, as we explore the nature of spiritual maturity, the spiritual practices that God uses to transform our hearts and minds, and how we can grow stronger in faith, hope, and love!

# "Who does God think He is?"

New five week study begins today.

Teacher: Jason Harney

In many and varied ways, the Bible tells of who God is. But when He does speak about Himself, what does He say? Using Exodus 34 as our base camp, we will explore God's selfdescriptive proclamation and follow its echoes throughout the rest of scripture. Also, we will examine what implications this has for our modern lives and culture.

Materials: Bring a bible.

#### Livestream Ministry and Worship

The best way to watch our worship services live and on-line is to visit redhillchurch.org. You can also find us on YouTube and Facebook. If you are joining us via the livestream on Sunday mornings and/or for other ministries, can you let us know? We want to ensure that you are acknowledged, cared for, and connected! You can email Pastor Seth at sbritton@ redhillchurch.org; Donna Kunz at dkunz@redhillchurch.org.

#### Join our Church Music Ministry!

To get connected to one of our classical music ministry groups, please email jharney@redhillchurch.org. We offer our chancel choir, Jubilee bells hand bell choir and a children's choir! For contemporary music, please email icoughran@redhillchurch.org.

# **BIBLE STUDY/COMMUNITY**

#### "Wednesdays in the Word"

"The Book of Hebrews" led by Pastor Seth Wednesdays 7:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. in the Church Sanctuary (In person and Live streamed). (This class is also recorded and posted on our website for participation at any time!)

#### RHL Women's Bible Studies Study on Ruth:

- Deborah Circle: 9:30am – 1st Tuesday of each month in Peter's Parish. Contact Carmen Gogosha (714) 742-3174, 4gogosfam@gmail.com

- Grace Circle: 10:00am – 1st Tuesday of each month in The Groves. Contact Marlene Thorson (949) 632- 7416, emthor@cox.net

- Rebekah Circle: 6:30pm – 1st Monday of each month in Peter's Parish. Contact Martha Toft (949) 375- 0160, martha.toft@gmail.com

#### **Mensday Bible Study**

All men are invited to our weekly informal gathering: Monday evenings for 6:30pm dinner, 7-8:30pm Bible Study. For details, contact Tom Waldron (714)697-5349, tjwaldron3@ aol.com

#### **RHL Quilters**

Quilters meet Mondays, from 9:00am to noon, in Peter's Parish. If you are interested in joining, please stop by. No quilting experience necessary. Just helping hands. For more information, contact Carol Hill at (714) 878-8946.

#### Women's Book Club

The RHL Women Book Club will be meeting this Tuesday, April 16th at 12:45 p.m. in Peter's Parish. Our book choice for April is "The Matriarch" by Susan Page. It is a vivid biography of former First Lady Barbara Bush, one of the most influential and underappreciated women in American political history. Read the book and join us to discuss it. All women are welcome. Questions: Marlene Thorson, 949/632-7416.

## YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRIES

# VBS 2024: PROOF Pirates June 10th-14th

Registration is open and we are also receiving Team Applications!

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast." Ephesians 2:8–9

Join us for a week-long adventure, sailing the high seas of God's Grace! As we set sail, we will explore some of the most amazing truths about God's Grace and maybe even find some hidden treasure along the way. This fun-filled week will include engaging Bible lessons, outrageous recreation, yummy snacks, cool crafts, worship and time with our friends. You won't want to miss VBS - the Very Best week of Summer!

To register or to serve at VBS, go to https://www.redhillchurch.org/youth-family/vbs2024

Contact Beth Stoffregen at beths@redhillchurch.org for additional information.

# Worship Resource for Young Families

We love having families worship together. In an effort to partner with our families, we are providing a resource for families with younger children called, "Whisper, Whisper -Learning About Church." This children's book explains all that happens during a worship service and it even includes 'Sanctuary Tips' and 'Teaching Moments' for parents. Stop by our Youth & Family Ministry (YFM) Table on the patio today to pick up a copy of this book. It is our gift to you. Take it home and read it as a family with your little ones. Then, take it one step further. Bring it to church with you and later talk about a worship service and why we do what we do in church. For additional worship resources, contact Director of Children's Ministry, Beth Stoffregen at beths@ redhillchurch.org.

#### Nursery and Preschool Ministry Team Members Needed

We are looking for high school students or adults to help us with greeting, checking in kids, holding babies, or playing with toddlers during our Sunday morning programming. We also have some "behind the scenes" work that can be done outside of Sunday mornings. If you, or someone you know, would like more information about this special area of ministry, please connect with Director of Children's Ministry, Beth Stoffregen at beths@redhillchurch.org.

#### **Nursery and Preschool Ministry**

Today during both worship services and during our DiscipleU Educational Hour in Classroom 11 Our Nursery and Preschool Ministry provides a welcoming, nurturing atmosphere for nursery and preschool age children of our members and visitors, from six weeks old through five years of age. Our Team engages children with exciting Bible stories and encourages them to be active participants in a variety of age appropriate activities designed to teach them the tremendous truths about God and His love for them. For the safety of all children, all of our team members are background checked and fingerprinted as well as CPR and First Aid certified. Contact Director of Children's Ministry, Beth Stoffregen at beths@redchilchurch.org with any questions.

# K.I.D.S. Ministry (Kindergarten - 5th Grade)

Today, 9:00am-10:15am, in the K.I.D.S. Zone

K.I.D.S. Ministry provides an environment which allows kids to come together to Know Jesus, Impact the world around them, become Disciples of Jesus and Serve others - K.I.D.S.! For more ministry information, contact Beth Stoffregen, via email at beths@redhillchurch.org.

# DiscipleU: Sunday Morning K.I.D.S. Ministry Teaching Series for April, "Throw Back"

Our April Teaching Series, "Throw Back," continues today. From retro toys to fashion trends, we all love a good throwback. (Especially for grown-ups because it reminds us of being young again.) There are things that remind us of a moment in time, but other things feel timeless and like they're always in style. In this teaching series, kids will travel through the decades and see that the teachings of Jesus in the Gospels are always trending. As we hear from Jesus, we'll see it's always good to be humble, we can always forgive, Jesus is always fair, and love always needs action. We look forward to this time with all of the kids during our Sunday morning DiscipleU Educational Hour, in the K.I.D.S. Zone.

#### **DiscipleU – Sunday Morning Student Ministry**

#### Today, 9:15am-10:00am, in Peter's Parish

All middle school and high school students are invited to join us today during our DiscipleU Educational Hour, 9:15am-10:00am, in Peter's Parish. We will spend time in community and God's Word, discover our individual gifts and talents, and share our stories. Our study is "All about Jesus": Who is He? and Why does He matter? This study gives students an opportunity to take an in-depth look at the life of Jesus. We will discover who He is, what He did during his earthly ministry, unpack the truths He taught, and explore how they can share the message of Jesus.

#### **Summer Camps**

Both High School students and Middle School students are heading to Forest Home this summer for a great adventure. Registration for both of these events is now open. Visit www.redhillchurch.org/youth-family or contact Tim Rivera at trivera@redhillchurch.org with any questions.

#### Middle School Student Ministry

Wednesday, April 17th, 6:00pm-7:30pm in Peter's Parish Middle School Ministry meets this Wednesday, 6:00pm-7:30pm in Peter's Parish. Join us for fun, games, dinner, and then spend time with us in God's Word. Contact Tim Rivera at trivera@redhillchurch.org or Phil Gaylor at pgaylor@redhillchurch.org with any questions.

#### **High School Student Ministry**

Tuesday, April 16thd, 7:00pm-8:30pm in Peter's Parish High School Ministry meets this Tuesday, 7:00pm-8:30pm in in Peter's Parish. We will have a great time with games and dessert and also dig into God's Word. Contact Phil Gaylor at pgaylor@redhillchurch.org with any questions.

Follow us at our RHL Student Ministry Instagram accounts @rhlyouth\_msm or @rhlyouth\_hsm for event details and updates. Contact Student Ministry Director Phil Gaylor at pgaylor@redhillchurch.org with any questions.

#### Youth and Family Ministry

Please connect with our Youth & Family Ministry Team at http://eepurl.com/g9XP-j to receive regular emails with resources, ideas, encouragement, and essential information about the Youth and Family Ministry here at Red Hill Lutheran Church and School. Please come say hello to us at our table outside on the patio.

# GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**"Help Us Build a House for the Poor in Mexico this May!** On May 17-19, 2024, a group of volunteers from Red Hill will build a house for the poor in Mexico, just a few miles south of the border. Like our many trips in past years, this will be a unique and very fulfilling opportunity to show the Lord's love to a family in great need. If you are interested please contact Ken Hays at 714-289-0476, Also , If you don't already have a passport, apply right away!"

### **Baby Moses Basket Supply Drive**

April's "Philanthropy of the Month" for RHLS is the Baby Moses Basket ministry of Acts of Appreciation. This organization's mission is "to show God's love and share appreciation with thousands of soldiers and their families." Their Baby Moses Basket ministry throws showers for babies born into families stationed at Camp Pendleton, and gives each family a large basket full of baby supplies and a children's Bible.

If you would like to participate, please bring any of the following new baby items to the front office before April 30th: diapers (sized 3 to 12 months), wipes, clothing (sized 3 to 12 months), and baby-safe stuffed animals. (You can also see an example of the generous baskets on display in the front office, and get more information about this wonderful ministry.)

# You're Invited

The Adat Hallel Messianic Congregation (that meets in Peter's Parish) is teaming up with Red Hill Lutheran to host a Community Passover Seder the evening of April 28th in the CLC. This is a rare opportunity for you to celebrate the Last Supper as Yeshua (Jesus) would have celebrated it! The evening will include: a complete Passover meal, teaching from Rabbi John Siu, and Messianic Worship, Praise & Davidic Dance. Tickets to this special event are limited and will only be sold on April 14th and April 21st on the patio after each service. (Due to the length of the program, this event is for teens and adults only.) Cost: \$25 per persondiscount given for those who want to serve at the event. Questions? Please contact Rebecca Walter at rebeccabw@ yahoo.com, or see her on the patio.

# Blessings & Ballroom - hosted by Jen & Mark Colón Saturdays in May

Starting May 4th at 4:00pm we will meet for fellowship (location TBD), get to know each other, and discuss a Bible verse then head over to Tustin Dance Center from 5:00pm to 6:00pm

Couples or singles are welcome to join us, and any experience level is welcome. The dance class cost is \$15 per class or \$55 for the month. This is payable to the instructor.

Any question or to reserve your spot contact Jen Colón at dance5678dance@att.net

# **Concordia University Home Concert**

Friday, April 26 | 7:00 PM (Duration: 75 minutes) CU Center, Concordia University Irvine

Save the date for a world-class handbell concert from one of the nation's top handbell programs. Concordia's Home Handbell Concert is a showcase of sacred, classical, popular, and new music - using over 127 handbells, hand chimes and other instruments. This will be the last public concert to be held in Concordia's CU-Center before it is closed for renovation. This is your last chance to experience the CU-Center in its original state. We hope you'll join us for this special occasion!

Tickets: FREE, but required. CUI.EDU/TICKETS

# An Open Invitation to Join Red Hill's Altar Guild

Our Altar Guild Ministry is looking for a few more volunteers to join their team. Altar Guild is an important "behind the scenes" ministry whose duties are focused on preparing the sanctuary for the glory of God. Elements for Holy Communion are prepared for both worship services each Sunday. The Altar Guild also prepares the sanctuary for baptisms as needed and decorates the sanctuary for Christmas, Holy Week, Easter, and other festival days throughout the year. No prior experience is required. To join this amazing servant team or to get more information about Altar Guild, contact Patti Sullivan at rzgrdnr@yahoo.com or 714-309-3841

# Please Connect With Us Digitally

FACEBOOK: Red Hill Lutheran Church and School INSTAGRAM: redhilllutheranchurch New RHL Guest password: Welcome2024!

### **Contact Information Updates**

If you have moved and/or updated your phone numbers or email addresses, please fill out a worship response card with your new contact information and place it in the offering plate.

## **Ushers Needed!**

Do you have some extra time on Sunday mornings? We are looking for a few new ushers, men or women. Contact lead usher, Shannon McNiel at shannonmcniel@yahoo.com.

### **Communion Servers Needed!**

If you have ever been interested in helping with the sacred rite of becoming a communion server, now is a great time to step up. In particular, we are looking for servers for 8:30am Classical Worship. Please contact David Kulcinski at dkulcinski@yahoo.com or Marty Schaefer at mschaefer@redhillchurch.org.

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