

9.17.24

MISSSED SUNDAY'S GATHERING

Listen to Sunday's full service

LAC SONG PLAYLIST

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EURO CONF TRIP DONATIONS

Next month, a team of 15 people from LAC will be heading to Poland to serve the international workers and their families. The team will be providing childcare and programming for birth-grade 12, as others are leading worship for the large group meetings. There are many ways for you to be part of this global outreach, such as: praying for the team, helping meet the costs of this

ministry, and donating items needed for the children's program. Click <u>HERE</u> for the list of needed items and how you can give financially to offset the costs for the trip. Thank you!

Email <u>outreach@lancastercma.org</u> with questions or for more details.



SHARED TABLE

You're invited to a smaller gathering of dinner and fellowship at a host's home on either **September 25 or 26**, 6-8:30PM. Each guest is asked to bring a part of the meal to share. The host will provide the main dish. For more detailed information and to register, click HERE. *Registration closes on September 23*.

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Ladies of all ages are invited to *Konversation with Kelly*, an informal time with our IW to Indonesia, **September 30**, 6:30PM, at LAC. We will be welcoming Kelly home as she and Andrew await the arrival of their second child in November. Feel free to bring a small baby gift. Light refreshments will be served.



CHILD DEDICATION

Child Dedication is scheduled for Sunday, **October 12**. If you would like to have your child dedicated to the Lord, click <u>HERE</u> to complete the online form by October 1.



BAPTISM

Have you been baptized since trusting Christ as your Savior? Our next opportunity for baptism will be **October 19.** Click <u>HERE</u>, email or call the church office if you would like to be baptized by October 1.



LAC PRIMETIMERS

Join us for a BBQ luncheon **September 21**, 1PM, at Reedy Pavilion, Lititz Springs Park. Our theme is School Days. Bring items from college, high school, college, military service, nursing school, etc., to share with the group. Cost is \$5 per person. For more information and to register, click <u>HERE</u> or call the church office. *Registration closes TOMORROW*.



LAC NEXT GENERATION

In the last few weeks, there have been several world events that potentially have a shaping influence on young people. As you and your family may navigate some of the "why" questions regarding these events, I'd encourage you with the following...

- 1. Listen well. We tend to resolve and fix problems before we fully understand, and we seldom fully understand all the layers. When our posture is one of listening, we allow for the necessary process. Jesus' interactions with the blind man (Mt. 9) and the woman at the well (Jn. 4) are great examples to reflect on Jesus' listening.
- 2. Be fully present. We often feel pulled from one direction to another. The ability to focus on the person, and what is said (more so than your interpretation), observations as to why things might be said, and your own body language are all ways we can demonstrate presence. Jesus' interactions with the disciples in Mark 9 are a good example.
- 3. Look into additional resources. Axis.org has some great resources on challenges like the ones recently faced this week.

We're praying for you and grateful for the opportunity to be part of Jesus' work in the life of your family. Feel free to reach out any time, I'd love to connect with you. -Pastor Rick

LAC STUDENTS GRADES 5-12 PARENT CONSENT

FORM | Our consent form for the new school year is out. Please click <u>HERE</u> to complete. This is a required form for all students in Grades 5-12 and must be completed

each year.

LAC KIDS GRADES K-4 | Save-the-Date, **October 8** for our Fall Party