

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. DONATIONS FOR THE HOMELESS - We will be collecting new or used **baseballs, footballs, kick balls, and baseball gloves** for the Marie Sandvick Center (the organization that receives sandwiches made by the LP Sandwich Ministry) until Mother's Day. Donations can be placed in the labelled box in the upper narthex. Thank you!

2. VOTERS MEETING will be held Thursday, April 25th at 7:00 pm. Items to be discussed include: Trustee position and a major roof project.

3. EARLY DEADLINE for Sunday, April 21st bulletin will be Tuesday, April 16th by Noon.

4. THANK YOU to the Liquor Depot for donating communion wine.

5. SANDWICH MINISTRY will have their sandwich making event on Thursday, April 18th at 8:30 am. Everyone is welcome to help with this service event.

6. OUT OF OFFICE- Church offices will be closed Fridays in April.

7. SCHEDULE- For April 21st ~ *Ushers*: 1st Service: Tom Feltmann, Kent Landin, Steven Dietel, Matthew Kutz; 2nd Service: Gregg Machemehl, Chris Schultz, Neil Hecksel, Ben Hecksel; *Acolytes*: 1st Service: G. Ross, C. Foust; 2nd Service: C. Catlin, K. Trittbaugh; *Greeters*: 1st Service: Deb Bahr; 2nd Service; Elsie Gilster; *Helping Hands*: Katie Nelson; *Flowers*: Lois Raduenz/LaJean Hoof
Worship Bags: Elaine Peterson

YOUTH

8. CURRENT NYG FUNDRAISER- Our "Envelope Wall" is up. Each envelope has a number on it (1-100). If you would like to help us with our funding to attend the LCMS National Youth Gathering this summer, you may take an envelope(s) and place the amount inside that matches the number on the outside of the envelope. Envelopes can be returned to the box under the bulletin board by Sunday, April 28th. Any questions, please talk to DCE Katie Kuball.

9. ACT YOUTH GROUP will NOT meet tonight. We will meet again on Sunday, April 28th at 6:30 pm.

LWML

10. LWML will be selling greeting cards, (Easter, confirmation, birthday, sympathy etc.), devotions and napkins before and after services. Sales from this help with our mission projects. Cards are beautiful religious cards with scripture for only 50 cents each. Thank you for your support.

11. ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN delivers aid and food to many countries and the U.S. in the fiscal year 2017-18, 340 shipments were sent to 25 foreign and 225 domestic locations. LWML has supported OGT for many years with school kits, hygiene kits, quilts and monetary donations. We are asking for your help to defray freight costs. A 40' ocean freight container can cost from \$5,000 to \$19,000. It averages \$11.00 to ship one carton. If you can help, drop your donation into the LWML Mite Box in the Upper Narthex during the month of April. We will be asking the Gift Fund for matching funds. Thank you! LWML

12. EASTER BREAKFAST- Plan to attend the annual Easter Breakfast on Sunday, April 21, 2019. Serving time is from 7 - 8:30 a.m. in the church basement. Free Will Donation. Menu: Scrambled Eggs with Ham, Warm French Bread, Rolls, Coffee Cake, Orange Juice, Milk and Coffee. Due to low number of LWML members, we are asking ladies, men, youth of the congregation for help! If you would like to donate rolls or coffee cake, help with cleanup/dishes, sign up on the sheet on the desk in the Upper Narthex. If you have questions, call Lois Raduenz 320-395-2028.

13. ALL PRAISE AND THANKS to our Triune God from whom all blessings flow for meeting our \$2,075,000.00 mission goal in order to fund all 22 mission grants which will help spread the Gospel message of peace, love and forgiveness through our Savior Jesus Christ. Through your faithful and prayerful giving of mite offerings, whether it be pennies, five dollar bills or large checks, you have contributed to furthering our Lord's kingdom. Thanks to all who contributed and made this possible.

Calendar of Events

Sun. April 14th	8:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	WORSHIP Basement Rental Sunday School/ Adult Bible Study Nursery N3-N4 Easter Egg Hunt WORSHIP W/ CONFIRMATION
Mon. April 15 th	Noon	Deadline for Lamplighter Newsletter
Tues. April 16 th	Noon	Early Deadline for Bulletin
Wed. April 17 th	9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Bible Study Confirmation Classes Adult Choir
Thur. April 18th	8:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Sandwich Ministry MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE W/ COMMUNION
Fri. April 19th	Noon 7:00 p.m.	GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE Offices Closed
Sun. April 21st	6:00 a.m. 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	EASTER SERVICE W/ COMM Easter Breakfast EASTER SERVICE W/ COMM



Confirmation Class 2019

Brooke Marie Albers~ Baptism Date: October 24, 2004

John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Cody David Bahr~ Baptism Date: September 26, 2004

Psalms 119:105 Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

Benjamin Lee Baumann~ Baptism Date: July 31, 2005

Psalms 27:1 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

Chase Michael Foust ~ Baptism Date: March 13, 2005

Psalms 55:22 Cast your burden on the Lord, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.

Shelby Marie Litzau~ Baptism Date: August 28, 2005

Galatians 2:20 I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

Gracie Rose Ross~ Baptism Date: October 9, 2005

Isaiah 41:1-2 But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you."

Ethan Christerfer Schultz~ Baptism Date: August 8, 2004

Deuteronomy 31:6 Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you.

Jordyn Rain Smith~ Baptism Date: November 5, 2006

1 Corinthians 16:13 Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong.

Karlee Anna Trittabaugh~ Baptism Date: January 9, 2005

John 14:27 Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.