



Weekly News and Notes

Mission: Serving the loving Christ by serving and loving others. **Vision:** Shepherd of the Coast Lutheran Church is a place where all are welcome.

Our ministry helps others see Jesus through Christ-centered worship, education, ministry, and outreach.

Sunday, February 7th, 2021 – Fifth Sunday After Epiphany

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From John Morris's Desk

In the past couple of weeks our school and ECC children have provided around 1,000 sandwiches to feed our neighbors through Hope South Florida. As we look forward to Lent and Easter it is a good time to re-start our Shepherd's Hands outreach mission. Things have changed, but just like our children we can safely provide some needed assistance.

Please join us Tuesday February 9th, 2021 at 7 pm on zoom or by phone for a round table discussion about how we can restart this mission.

Zoom meeting information:

Meeting ID: 794 5731 2270
Passcode: c98KM9



From the Principal

Great News: A Color Walk is being scheduled for April this year. This is the first fundraiser scheduled for over a year! The walk will take place at a 9 acre "tree zoo" park filled with over 200 exotic trees from around the world. This is a chance to celebrate in God's beautiful creation and support Shepherd of the Coast Lutheran School.

Welcome to our new 6th grade teacher, Mrs. Riva Frezza. She will be taking the lead after Mrs. Williams has stepped into the Early Childhood Director position. Mrs. Frezza comes to us with a BA in Education and a MA in Literature/Reading. Her 1-year-old son will also be attending our Early Childhood Program.

Proverbs 22:6 Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it.

Ms. Marguerite Smith

Looking Ahead!

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, February 7th, 2021

9:00 am Traditional Service

10:30 am Praise Service

Tuesday, February 9th, 2021

4:00 pm School Ministry Meeting

Wednesday, February 10th, 2021

8:15 am School Chapel

9:15 am ECC Chapel

10:00 am Bible Study (In person & online)

7:00 pm Bible Study (In person & online)

Saturday, February 13th, 2021

10:00am LWML Meeting

Next Week's Calendar

Sunday, February 14th, 2021

9:00 am Traditional Service
9:00 am Wesleyan Service (Gym)
10:30 am Praise Service

Wednesday, February 17th, 2021

8:15 am School Chapel
9:15 am ECC Chapel
10:00am Ash Wednesday Service (In person & online)
7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service (In person & online)

Saturday February 20th, 2021

10:00 am Lydia's Meeting

Church Giving Envelopes

For those of you who do not have your 2021 Offering envelopes, please check your mailboxes. Your 2021 Offering Envelopes and the end of year statements are ready for you to pick up.

Flower Chart

The 2021 Flower Chart is up and ready for you to sign up. Please sign up before it's too late or your date is not available!

LWML

The ladies of LWML are currently looking for Volunteers to join the Alter Guild. Please Contact Roberta Murphy @ 954-566-5304

Learn About Lydia's Fellowship

Last year, Lydia's donated \$7,000.00 for church needs; provided staff Christmas financial gifts and provided financial classroom assistance for each teacher at the beginning of the year. They also contributed \$5,000.00 for the school tuition fund and provided meals for the Heritage meetings.

As a volunteer support for Shepherd of the Coast, Lydia's is looking for additional members to work in the shop. A work shift is four hours, so if you can work once or twice a month, it would be very helpful. Please contact,

Dawn Randazzo @ 217-899-7176

LCMS Foundation

Bob Wirth, our contact with the LCMS Foundation, has passed away suddenly. Although we mourn his death, we can find hope in our loving Savior. Bob's work is being taken over by Jim Pennington. Anyone who was working on a given plan with him is urged to contact Jim at:

683-370-0305 or email at: james.pennington@lfnd.org



MINISTRY OF LYDIA'S FELLOWSHIP

THRIFT STORE

Open Monday – Friday - 10 am to 2 pm

Lydia's Shop accepts clothing, small appliances, and kitchen items. We do not accept furniture!

Please put your donated items in the donation bin or bring into the shop. Thank you for your donations!

Masks required!

Lessons



Today's Lesson

February 7th, 2021

Fifth Sunday After Epiphany

First Reading: Is 40:21-31

Second Reading: 1 Cor. 9:16-27

Gospel: Mark 12:29-39

Next Weeks Lesson

February 14th, 2021

The Transfiguration of Our Lord

First Reading: 2 Kings 2:1-12

Second Reading: 2 Cor.3:12-13 & 4:1-6

Gospel: Mark 9:2-9

Those Serving This Week

February 7th, 2021

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Ushers: 9:00am Gary Dupont & Eldon Devore

10:30am Beauti DeFreitas

Lectors: Pastor will be reading until further notice.

Communion Assistant: 9:00am Service

Larry Ueltzen & Larry Annis

Counters: Joanne Fries & Barbara Oldani

Altar Guild – Barbara Crioscuoli

Security Jay Aamodt

Those Serving Next Week

February 14th, 2021

Ushers: 9:00am Gary Dupont & Eldon Devore

10:30am Beauti DeFreitas

Lectors: Pastor will be reading until further notice.

Communion Assistant: 10:00am Service

Jay Aamodt & Paul Sparks Sr.

Counters: Bill & Angel Bailey

Altar Guild – Barbara Crioscuoli

Security : Jay Aamodt

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