

Lutheran Church of the Cross - News and Notes

February 10—February 7, 2019

Prayer Requests

LCC Members: Roger Yundak, Ken Rasinski, Candy Barnack, Sue Pratt, Ron Whipple, Carolyn Blanck, Randy Oestreich, Bill Campbell, Mark Boesen, Ada Larson, Julie Raymo, Nora Jabas, Sam Andrist, Joy Potthoff, Nancy Schreiner, Don Anderson, Emory Alverson, Sandie Tricker, Diane Baker, Dave Stevens

Friends & Relatives of LCC Members:

Janice Rardin (Jay Rardin's mom), John Grell (David Grell's dad), Cindy Hare (Gail Goble's daughter), Lillian Carin's Family (Lyle Hillman's friends), Evelyn Wolvert (Pete Mogensen's aunt), Dave Dec (Jane Nemitz's cousin), Julie Foley & Family (Mary Lou Weegman's sister), Bill Weiss, Chris Weiss & Family, Brandon Heinz (friends of JoAnn Rivers), Randy Patterson (Terri Carter's son-in-law), Kristin Fanning (Midge Shaw's daughter), Joan Nyhus (Maureen Schmidt's sister), Rob Lewis (friend of Pete Mogenson), Lori Dowd (Lois Jensen's daughter), Deb Adamek (Mindy Whipple's Mom), Shirley Lintner (Lois Jensen's sister), Sandee Haugene (friend of David, Sara, Mike & Carol Smith) and all of our veterans and active servicemen and women, and those struggling with mental health or addiction issues.

Please call the church office to make updates to the prayer list.

Forum—Today—Feb. 10th at 9:30

“Sex Trafficking”

The Forum Committee and the Social Justice Task Force are excited to have Kate LaPage from Lutheran Social Services join us. Kate will talk about the work she does raising awareness and educating our community on the topic of sex trafficking. She will also highlight the work that is being done to support survivors of sex trafficking. Join us as we raise awareness on this difficult topic yet one that is present in our community.

Men In Mission Retreat ~ Saturday, Feb 23rd 2019, 8AM – 4:30PM, First Lutheran Church in Brainerd. We will have a “Pre-Retreat Hymnsing / PubFest” at First Lutheran and the Last Turn Saloon Friday, Feb 22nd from 7-9PM. Our keynote speaker on Saturday is Rev. Dr. Mark Tranvik, Professor of Religion at Augsburg University. Breakout Sessions include Tom Watson (Lake stewardship & shoreline care), Deryl Ramey (Leadership, Coaching & Mentoring), and Jim Nelson (Estate Planning & Legacy Giving). A continental breakfast and lunch will be provided.

See flyers in the Narthex.

We will be hosting New Pathways—March 3-10

Sign up sheet is located in the Narthex listing many opportunities to make a difference in someone's life. Any questions, contact Darrell Barnack at 963-6059 or dbarnack@charter.net

Thank you for all the prayers and support during Sam's illness.

Thank You, Todd & Angie Andrist

THIS WEEK AT LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS
February 10—February 17, 2019

Today, 2-10: *B-days: Denise Hallan, Vickie Ottem, Erica Hanowski*

8:15 **Worship w/ Communion & Worship Band**

9:15 Coffee/Fellowship

9:30 Forum: Sex Trafficking—Kate LePage with LSS

9:30 Sunday School

10:30 **Worship w/ Communion & Worship Band**

11:30 Worship & Music Committee

12:00 Mini Gathering BWCA 2019

4:00 Global Mission Event—Pr. Erik Roth on Companion Synods—Honduras

MON, 2-11: *B-days: Terry Frovik, Tate Oium*

11:00 Soul Sisters

1:00 Prayer Shawl Group

TUES, 2-12: *B-days: Clint Baker, Boyd Maine, Angie Rardin*

9:00 Computer Lab

9:30 Good Sam Training

1:00 Staff Meeting & Prayer

WED, 2-13: *B-days: Eli Martini, Sandy Wacker*

8:30 Text Study

10:00 Gather Together Study

5:00 Bells of Praise

5:45 Supper

6:00 King's Kids

6:20 Worship w/Communion

7:00 Confirmation & Route 56

7:00 Sr. Choir

7:20 High School Youth Group

THURS, 2-14: *B-days: Bradley Clarine, Weston Hiles, Susan Pratt, Nikki Stark*

8:30 Thursday Morning Prayer

9:45 Toning with a Purpose

7:00 A.A.

FRI, 2-15: *B-days: Joseph Helsene, Eric Jaeche, Brent Stark*

12:00 MN Driver Improvement Class

SAT, 2-16: *B-days: Jeffrey Meyers, Cheryl Wermager, Maggie Wolter*

5:00 Parent's Time Out

**Lutheran Church
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**Daily Bible Reading
from Lectionary C**

Mon., Feb 11, 2019

Judges 5:1-11

1 Corinthians 14:26-40

Psalm 115

Tues., Feb 12, 2019

1 Samuel 9:15—10:1b

Psalm 115

Wed., Feb 13, 2019

Isaiah 8:1-15

Luke 5:27-32

Psalm 115

Thurs., Feb 14, 2019

Jeremiah 13:12-19

Acts 13:26-34

Psalm 1

Friday, Feb 15, 2019

Jeremiah 13:20-27

1 Peter 1:17—2:1

Psalm 1

Sat., Feb 16, 2019

Jeremiah 17:1-4

Luke 11:24-28

Psalm 1

***Please grab your 2019 Offering
Envelopes from the cupboard
drawer in the Narthex.***

SUN, 2-17: *B-days: Courtney Aune, Mary Backlund, Steve Heslop, Heather Meyers, Bob Miller, Nicolle Speed*
8:15 **Worship w/ Communion**
9:15 Coffee/Fellowship
9:30 Sunday School
10:30 **Worship w/ Communion**

GLOBAL MISSION EVENT

Today, February 10, 2019 4:00 - 7:00 pm Free Supper Provided

Join the Global Mission Team and Pastor Erik Roth of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Virginia, MN in Chapel Hall on Sunday, February 10th at 4:00 pm to learn more about NE MN Synod's companion synods in Russia, India and Honduras.

Learn about the opportunities we all have to join fellow Lutherans of the NE MN Synod on mission trips to these companion synods. A mission trip to India is currently underway and trips are scheduled for Honduras in April and October of this year. Pastor Roth is the trip leader for the April Honduras trip and there are still openings for this trip.

Enjoy supper and friendly conversation as you learn more about the concept of accompaniment for global missions.

Gather Study

Wednesday, February 13, 10am

Session Two--"Meeting with Jesus"

Join us for brunch, fellowship, fun and reflection on how Jesus meets with us and draws us into deeper faith just as he met with the Woman at the Well, Nicodemus, The Paralyzed Man and Fed the 5,000. All women are welcome!

Holy Land Trip

Join us for a biblical journey to the Holy Land November 9-19, 2019. This trip is open to all members of LCC. To register and view our brochure: www.gtd.org
For more information, please see Pastor Kari.

Creation Care Green Tip

A study done for the Minnesota Department of Commerce (DOC) finds that Minnesota can **economically get 70 percent of its electricity from renewable sources** as prices for **wind, solar and battery storage** continue to fall. The Solar Potential Analysis Report for DOC was funded by the U.S. Department of Energy, commissioned in response to a 2013 Minnesota law that **set a goal of getting 10 percent of Minnesota's electricity from solar by 2030**. Minnesota is a leading state for wind power, getting at least **18 percent of its electricity from wind turbines**, according to state and federal data. The study predicts that Minnesota's grid in **2050** could reliably deliver power from a generation base of **30 percent fossil fuels and 70 percent renewables**. ENCOURAGE policy makers to continue moving Minnesota toward clean, renewable **Minnesota-generated power**.

Children and Family Ministry News

Mark your calendar for our upcoming events:

Online registration for Luther Crest Bible Camp is open !—Register online at <https://www.luthercrest.org/how-to-register.html> LCC's week is July 28—Aug. 2. Please sign up for Leapers (if you have completed grades 3 through 6) or Witnesses (if you have completed grades 6 through 9). Zach and Kari will be attending LCBC that week, too! There are other camps that are offered as well, if our dates don't work for you. See Kari or Zach with any questions. A payment of \$100 is needed to register—**deadline is Feb. 14 to receive the early bird discount.** In addition, each camper from LCC will receive a scholarship that will go toward the balance due.

ALL FAMILIES are invited to join us of February 16 for our PARENT'S TIME OUT —nursery will be staffed and we will have activities, games, devotions and supper for all kids, through fourth grade. 5—7:30pm—enjoy a few kid-free hours while we have fun with your kids!

ROUTE 56: Join us on February 13 for a Valentine's lesson/activity—you won't want to miss it (can you say fresh baked warm cookies??)

Today in Sunday School we are learning about Jesus and Peter walking on water.

Zach's Blurb



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Upcoming Things:

Feb 10—BWCA Mini Gathering
Feb 13—Regular Confirmation
Feb 16—Parents' Night Out
Feb 24— Snow Fun Day

Parents Night Out—Help Needed

Come and hang out and help our parents have a great night out! We need help hanging out with the youngin's. We will play games, do crafts and a devotion. Please let Zach or Kari know if you can help. Feb 16, 5—7:30.

To our Guests...

Welcome to Lutheran Church of the Cross (LCC)! We are delighted to have you worshipping at LCC this Sunday morning or Wednesday evening. Please use the "white attendance card" that is in your bulletin to let us know who you are so we can extend our welcome to you. If you have questions about LCC, please feel free to call Pastor Drew or Pastor Kari at 218-963-2564.

We look forward to hearing from you. Again, welcome!

Blessings, Pastor Drew and Pastor Kari