

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 3, 2024
Third Sunday in Lent

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BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Mary Ellen Wyman (3/4)
Jennifer Langevin (3/7)
Jackson Griffin (3/8)



AS A REMINDER ...

We are still living with Covid in our daily lives. Feel free to wear a mask or fist bump, elbow bump during the Sharing of the Peace, or whatever makes you comfortable during our Worship Service.



OPENER SCHEDULE

3/3	Brian Jones
3/10	Gordon Starr
3/17	Tom McKinley



ASSISTING MINISTER SCHEDULE

3/3	Gordon Starr
3/10	Pam King
3/17	Sue McKinley



LECTOR SCHEDULE

3/3	Lois Steeb
3/10	Gordon Starr
3/17	Lucie Stricker



ALTAR GUILD SCHEDULE

3/3	Sue McKinley
3/10	Lucie Stricker
3/17	Pam King



AUDIO / VISUAL SCHEDULE

3/3	Bill Haas / Tom McKinley
3/10	Gary Forkert
3/17	Gary Forkert

MEN'S SHARING & CARE GROUP

This group meets Saturday mornings at 9AM for a time of prayer, encouragement, and support. All men are welcome. Questions - contact Bill Haas at (317) 878-7788.



SCOUT PROJECT

Our scouts are collecting empty cereal boxes for a project for the eclipse. They are setting up a tub around the inside mailboxes to collect these boxes.



FOOD FOR LIFE

In **MARCH**, the Social Ministry team is collecting the following items for

LOVE CHAPEL FOOD PANTRY:

- ◆ TOOTHBRUSHES
 - ◆ TOOTHPASTE
 - ◆ SHAMPOO
 - ◆ BODY WASH
 - ◆ BAR SOAP
 - ◆ DEODORANT
- ◆ **MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS ARE GRACIOUSLY ACCEPTED!**

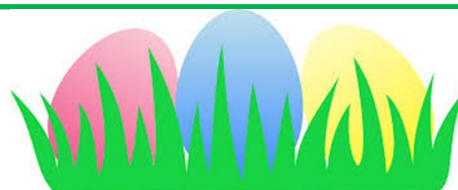
Thank you! The Social Ministry Team



PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GROUP

Our Piecemakers Quilting Group is meeting again on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Piecemakers assembles quilts for Lutheran World Relief.

QUILTING GROUP If you can tie a knot, you have enough sewing ability for this group. It's "knot" that difficult! Questions, contact Pam King at (812) 603-8504.



Would you consider donating?

Easter is on its way and preparations are being made for our annual Easter Egg Hunt. Very small, individually wrapped candy or other tiny treasures that can fit in small plastic eggs is needed for the hunt. Please place your donations in the marked container in the Resource Room. Thank you for your generosity!

Upcoming Youth & Family Activities

- March 24th during Sunday School Stuff Easter Eggs
- April 14th 3-5:00 Disc Golf Clinic Firepit afterwards
- May 4-5th May the 4th Be With You Church Campout at FLC
- June 3-7th 10-12:00 Mission Week 2024
- July 20th @ 3:00 FLOtilla at the Tam's
- August 2-4th Campout at Turkey Run State Park and Tubing



THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

Sunday, 3/3

8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
 10:10 a.m. Adult & children Sunday School
 11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

Monday, 3/4

6:00 p.m. **OFFICE CLOSED**
 Boy Scout Committee Meetings
 7:00 p.m. Sunrise Bible Study (FH)
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop Meetings (CR)

Tuesday, 3/5

9:00 a.m. Piecemakers Quilting Group
 6:30 p.m. Praise Team practice
 7:00 p.m. Fellowship, Stewardship, Christian Ed,
 Youth & Family Ministry team mtgs.

Wednesday, 3/6

7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship Service
 7:35 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, 3/7

6:30 p.m. Call Committee (L)
 6:30 p.m. Den Meetings

Friday, 3/8

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, 3/9

9:00 a.m. Men's Sharing & Care Group

Sunday, 3/10

8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
No Sunday School due to Spring Break
 11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

EASTER PRE-SERVICE MUSIC



First Lutheran is very blessed to have a number of musically gifted individuals in our congregation. At this time, we are in the process of planning our Easter service, and would love to have you musically talented individuals play or sing for us at our Easter celebration. If you would like to be included in the special pre-service Easter music, please contact Jennifer Langevin or Kim Jones by **March 17th** so we can get you on the schedule.



EASTER BRUNCH

The Fellowship Team will once again be holding our "pitch-in" Easter Brunch after the Easter service. If you are able to help by bringing a food item to share, please utilize the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Please note, the items listed on the sign-up sheet are only a suggestion. If there is something else you would rather bring, feel free to do so. The Fellowship Team will provide the ham.

UPCOMING FELLOWSHIP EVENTS



- March 31 - Easter Brunch
- April 27 - Adult Dinner (Italian themed)
- May 11 - Women's Prayer Brunch
- June 9 - Indians Baseball Game (in Indianapolis)
- Sept. 15 - FLC Annual Golf Outing



- ◆ Mitch Peters - Christi Tam's brother. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ◆ For all those who suffer from Covid in our congregation, keep them in your prayers.
- ◆ Bob Engle has moved back home to Parkside. Keep him in prayer.
- ◆ Pray for Brian Babb who has been deployed to Romania.
- ◆ Pat McChesney is living at Four Seasons, Apt. #I-95 and is up-beat and doing well.
- ◆ Jeanne Snyder is living at Four Seasons, Rm #104 and is up-beat and doing well.
- ◆ Harold Steigerwalt - hasn't felt better in a long time.
- ◆ Kendal & Carroll's family, please keep them in your prayers. Friends of Ed & Terri DeVoe.
- ◆ Glen Duncan, stroke - Cara Jeffries cousin
- ◆ Brian Duncan, heart attack - Cara Jeffries cousin
- ◆ Jennifer Goodin, in ICU - Friend of the Langevins. Keep her in your prayers.
- ◆ Carol Leestma is in Hospice. Please keep her in your prayers.
- ◆ Shelia Ruthmansdorfer is in rehab at Four Seasons, Room #115. Keep her in prayer.
- ◆ Butch and Dana Hull are settled in at Parkside. Up-beat and doing well.
- ◆ Jim Baute - up-beat and doing well. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ◆ Pauline Stillabower - is living at Belmont Health & Rehab., - up-beat and doing well.
- ◆ Carol Beeker - Parkinson's. Please keep Carol, Harry and their family in your prayers.
- ◆ Bob & Pat Engel are living at Parkside Court, 3660 Central Ave., Room #149. Keep them in your prayers.
- ◆ Please keep James, Olivia, and Arya Seelye in your prayers.
- ◆ All the families who have lost loved ones over the past months
- ◆ Brian Babb - Army
- ◆ Alex Bednarek - Navy
- ◆ Brayden K. Barthlow - Air Force
- ◆ Chris Fuhs - Army National Guard
- ◆ Abby Pongracz - Air Force
- ◆ Daniel Kotnik - Army
- ◆ Malcolm Stevenson - Army



PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED:

In the event of illness, hospitalization, death of a family member or friend, or if you would like to make a prayer request, please notify the church office at 812-372-1256.