

LCR Weekly

September 6, 2020

This
SUNDAY

PARKING LOT WORSHIP

8:00 am & 11:00 am
Incl. Holy Communion

ONLINE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

9:30 am [Resurrection
Hour led by Pr. Dave](#)

9:30 am Covid-19 in
our Spiritual Lives by
Dan Gilroy

11:00 am [Worship on
YouTube](#)

WEDNESDAY

8:00 am [Men's
Breakfast](#)

12:00 pm [Prayer with
Pastor Dave](#)

7:00 pm [Prayer with
Pastor Dave](#)

THURSDAY

8:30 am [Women's
Bible Study](#)

FRIDAY

4:00 pm [Youth Group](#)

SUNDAY

8:30 pm [Parents of
Sunday Schoolers](#)

We Welcome Pastor Stephen Back!



I am so excited to get to worship with you this Sunday at 8:00 am and 11:00 am! Since the start of this pandemic I have desperately missed receiving the Body and Blood of our Lord through the sacrament of Holy Communion. While I have been on leave, I have also missed getting to be together with you to center our lives on Christ and the Word of God. I look forward to reconnecting this Sunday.

The past two months have been an extravagant gift, and I thank you for the time away from the work of ministry. I got a lot done in the time away, and more importantly I was able to be human again. As I am returning to the office this week, I have been overjoyed to hear so many stories of your faithfulness in worshiping Jesus and in joining his loving work in this world. Along with that, I am looking forward to reconnecting with you and living faithfully together as God's people in this time.

Thank you to Video Team!



A very special thank you to Jimmy Jones who has been instrumental from the very beginning on getting LCR virtual - recording worship, creating online videos and recently helping us with all the technology challenges of facilitating our Parking Lot Worship. We also are

very grateful to Matteus Lizdas who is stepping up and learning to be Jimmy's sidekick and back-up!





Children

Virtual Sunday School Registration is Open!!!

Virtual Sunday School will start September 13 and the registration link is open now! Sunday School will take place via Zoom virtually at 9:30 am. Register your child [here](#). Questions? Contact Sharon Leon at Sharon@lcrmarietta.org.

Children Events

Virtual Sunday School Registration Link
[Link](#)

Virtual Family Sunday School
[Link](#)

Parents of Sunday Schoolers Bi-Weekly Happy Hour

Join us for this is very casual Happy Hour as we share life updates and prayer requests. The Zoom meetings will take place on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month.

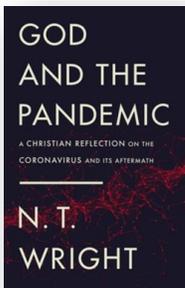


Next Happy Hour: September 6 at 8:30pm, [Zoom Link](#)
Questions? Contact [Stephen Goodnough](#)

Parents of Sunday Schoolers Bi-Weekly Virtual Happy Hour on 1st & 3rd Sunday at 8:30pm
Next: September 6
[Zoom Link](#)

Tuesday Evening Bible Study from 7:00-8:30 pm *God and the Pandemic* by N.T. Wright

Beginning on Tuesday evening, September 8 and running for 5 straight Tuesday evenings, Pastor Dave will be leading a virtual discussion on N.T. Wright's provocative book *God and the Pandemic*. It is a look at the pandemic from a theological and biblical perspective.



If you are interested in participating in this class, please email Pastor Dave at PastorDave@lcrmarietta.org.



The COVID 19 pandemic has affected our lives in many different ways. One of those ways is financial. Many different people, through no fault of their own, are struggling with bills they can't pay.

If you are one of those persons, LCR may be able to help. Funds are available to assist members dealing with financial uncertainties. Please contact me at pastordave@lcrmarietta.org, and let's you and I have a confidential conversation about how LCR might help you during these difficult financial times. I look forward to hearing from you.

-Pastor Dave

Outreach

LCR MUST Food for Families Drive



Summer may be waning, but your generosity is not. LCR members donated over 60 bags of groceries and paper products at our last collection on Saturday, August 22.

Thank you for your amazing support for so many in need. We will continue to accept donations of non-perishable foods, household supplies and toiletries for MUST on 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month.

Next donation day will be September 12 from 2-4pm along with the Old Paint Donation Drive.

God's Work, Our Hands - September 13



This year we are celebrating God's Work, Our Hands Sunday in a new way. Outreach has been a significant part of the life of LCR from its very beginning. Due to the COVID-19

pandemic, we will not be doing our usual special outreach activities around church and around town over the weekend of God's Work, Our Hands.

Instead of the usual activities, we are compiling a document that provides a description of each of our Outreach Ministries. It is a fascinating and inspiring compilation and will be distributed to every LCR household. Watch for it between now and September 13.

Our hope is that this document will serve as an impetus for each member of LCR to get more engaged in supporting an existing Outreach Ministry or start a new one of their own. If you are heading up a ministry and have not been contacted, please reach out to George O'Donnell to ensure that your ministry is included.

-George O'Donnell

Virtual Guatemala Gala 2020



What better way to enjoy the virtual gala than with an authentic Guatemalan Meal at home!

Click on this [link](#) to watch a video to prepare a meal and to print out the recipes. Also, share the gala on social media, here is the [Facebook link](#).

Outreach

MUST
[donation link](#)

CAC
[donation link](#)

YELLS
[donation link](#)

MUST Collection & Old Paint Drive Dates:

September 12
September 26
from 2-4pm



GWOH
Save the Date
September 13



Virtual Gala
Save the Date
September 12 at 7pm
LIVE on ELCA SE
Synod's [Facebook](#) page
and [website](#)



Lutheran Coalition for Habitat

Habitat for Humanity Needs Your Old Paint Saturdays, September 12 and 26, 2-4pm

For many years LCR has supported Habitat for Humanity as one of 10 member churches of the Lutheran Coalition for Habitat for Humanity. In past years, the Coalition's primary fundraiser has been the "Taste of Habitat" Gala.

But because of Covid-19 the Gala will be virtual this fall, and the Coalition and LCR are partnering with Global Paint for Charity in a new, additional fundraiser effort, **Old Paint Drive**.

Under the team leadership of John Osberg, the LCR Habitat for Humanity outreach ministry will be collecting your old paint which is cluttering your basement and garage. Paint may be dropped off, along with cash donations of (hopefully) about \$5.00 per gallon, **at the same time you drop off food for the LCR MUST Ministries Food during the month of September** outside the LCR Gathering Room.

When: Saturday, either September 12 or 26 from 2pm to 4pm

Where: Lutheran Church of the Resurrection parking lot
4814 Paper Mill Road, Marietta, GA 30067

- All Latex Paint cans or buckets must be at least 25% full of WET paint
- Paint cans cannot be rusty.
- Dried paint is not accepted.
- Paint thinners, stains, and spackle are not accepted.

For more information and if you are unable to drop off your paint at LCR, please email [John Osberg](mailto:John.Osberg@lcr.org) to arrange for a paint pick up at your home.

For the LCR Old Paint Drive, the Coalition and LCR are partnering with Global Paint for Charity, whose founder, Rony Delgarde, said "In developed nations the world over, garages and basements are hiding treasure troves of unused house paint. Until now, recycling or disposing of that paint was a challenge and too often pollutes the environment. We are dedicated to bring beautiful color to underserved countries that have little or no access to paint otherwise."

The Lutheran Coalition for Habitat for Humanity, founded in 1993, provides simple decent housing for lower income families, and just completed building its 32nd home. Past years the Coalition's primary fundraiser has been the "Taste of Habitat" gala where chefs from member churches donate their time and talents to cook and serve incredible food to gala attendees. Last fall it raised over \$30,000. But because of Covid, there will be no in-person "Taste" this year and this Old Paint Drive will hopefully help raise some important financial contributions. Information on this fall's "Un-taste of Habitat" Fundraiser will be forthcoming.