

LCR Weekly

October 4, 2020

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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](#)



MUST Food for Families

Again, your generosity shines brightly! LCR members and friends donated over 50 bags of groceries and supplies last Saturday. Big thanks to Lance Reising for making the hefty delivery to MUST. So far since June, LCR has donated over 525 bags of food and supplies in this mission. With so many people out of work these supplies provide blessings to neighbor families in critical need. **Mark you calendar for the next collection on October 10 from 2-4pm.**



-Janie Weeks



**Lutheran
Coalition
for Habitat**

Habitat Old Paint Drive

We successfully completed our "Old Paint Drive" fundraisers, and the only appropriate conclusion is that LCR members and friends fully support all charity fundraisers for truly good causes with gifts of their time, money, and even emotional support!

The results of your kindness and generosity are that we raised a total of \$805 that will go the Lutheran Coalition for Habitat for Humanity to help build a truly deserving family a new home.

You also donated about 200 gallons of paint to the Global Paint for Charity organization. It will be shipped to a country where many truly need, but cannot afford, paint for their houses. The first paint drive donations went to Honduras and Guatemala. The second day's donations will go to Ghana once the container is filled with other paint donations.

Thank you for all your donations, and thank you for your prayers, support, and guidance.

-John Osberg

Children



Due to our social distancing protocol, we have prepared weekly Sunday School material for you and your child to explore God's word together at home. Sunday school pouches are available for pick up this Sunday, Oct. 4 after the 8am and 11am services.

Also, when you and your child pick up their Sunday School pouch, they will be invited to participate in an "art service project" along with our LCR Youth. The project will take about 15-20 minutes, and the art will be displayed in our worship space for months to come.

We hope to see your family on Sunday!

-Sharon Leon

Children Events

**Happy Hour for
Parents of Sunday
Schoolers**

Next Mtg: Oct. 4
1st & 3rd Sunday
6-8:30pm

[Zoom Link](#)

**Save the Date
Halloween Drive-In
October 30**

Youth



The Youth and parents participated in a service project to sand wooden boards that will later be incorporated into Parking Lot Worship. We can't wait to see the final project!

This fall our Middle School and High School FAMILY Sunday School classes will look at challenging situations in the Gospels, where the disciples experienced a lot of anxiety, and how Jesus met them in those times and helped them through it.

Classes will be held on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month, starting with October 11. The classes will be held outside incorporating social distancing and use of masks and weather permitting. During inclement weather we'll switch to Zoom meetings. If you are uncomfortable meeting in person, you can attend via Zoom as well. Youth and a parent need to attend classes together. Contact [Pastor Stephen](#) for more information.

-Pastor Stephen

Youth Events

FRIDAY

4:00 pm [Youth Group](#)

**SUNDAYS
9-10:30am**

**2nd & 4th
MS & HS Family
Sunday School**

**1st & 3rd
Confirmation Class**

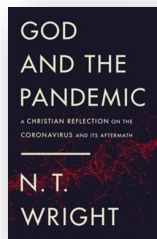


LCR Women's Book Club Next Virtual Meeting: November 6

The Book Club meets once a month, all women are welcome. This month's book is *The Book of Longings* by Sue Monk Kidd. Please contact [Meribeth Cooper](#) for more information or to be added to the contact list.

LCR Events

God and the Pandemic—Part 4



In his book *God and the Pandemic*, NT Wright makes the claim that Jesus stands as the moment of transition in history. Jesus brings with Him the kingdom of God - on earth - right now!! Jesus also shows us how to live as kingdom people and then gives us the Holy spirit to help us live like that. What a stunning claim - that the kingdom of heaven has come to earth in Jesus Christ, and we get to join with God in building that kingdom!!

And the New Testament is a “testament” to that truth. Our study group looked at 4 New Testament texts that announces that truth:

Matthew 5-7 - In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus tells His disciples of all ages what kingdom life is all about. Right now!! The word “you” is used 168 times in this sermon, because we are the hands and feet of Jesus in this world.

Matthew 21: 33-46 - God as a vineyard owner leases His vineyard out to tenants who do not care for the vineyard and do not bear fruit. Then God throws out those tenants and brings in new tenants. The assumption is that we are those tenants. Are we doing any better a job of building the kingdom?

Acts 2: 1-17 - The gift of the Spirit at Pentecost empowers us to be builders of God’s kingdom in the world.

Revelation 21-22 - A glimpse of what the kingdom along with the Spirit is really like.

It is the calling of God’s church and God’s people to join with Jesus in building the kingdom of God – right here - right now!!

-Pastor Dave

Recipes for the Soul



Have you submitted your favorite “COVID” recipe(s)? If not, please share them by emailing allison@lcrmarietta.org by October 5. Please be sure to include the name of the recipe, the ingredients, the instructions, and the number of servings. Don’t forget to include your name, so we can give credit where credit is due.

Once we compile the recipes, we will send them out to the congregation. We can’t wait to see what you’ve been cooking!

-Allison Lizdas

Events

Resurrection Hour Sundays at 9:30:

Sermon on the Mount
Led by Pr. Dave

Covid-19 in Our Lives
Led by Dan Gilroy

LCR Women’s Bible Study

Thursdays at 8:30am
To receive Zoom link
email

Allison@lcrmarietta.org

LCR Women’s Book Club

Next Virtual Meeting
November 6

To participate, contact
[Meribeth Cooper](mailto:Meribeth.Cooper@lcrmarietta.org)

Christmas Stocking Project



Don't forget to bring in your gift cards! Ladies from the Mary & Martha Bible Study will be on hand to receive your Walmart or Target gift cards or checks each Sunday during October, starting with this coming Sunday, October 4.

The gift cards/checks will be used to purchase items needed to fill the stockings for adult residents of "Special Needs for Cobb Group Homes" (formerly Right in the Community).

We very much appreciate your support!



Thank you from the Southeastern Synod Gala Team

What a night! Thank you for your support of the Virtual Guatemala Gala 2020. The Southeastern Synod has sent over \$36,000 to MILAGRO plus \$10,000 raised in one hour the night of the Gala. We anticipate another \$30,000+ in

pledges, with additional gifts still coming in.

More importantly, an estimated 1,800 viewers tuned in to the Virtual Gala on September 12! That means that 1,800 people heard the message of ILAG and learned first-hand from the young women of MILAGRO about the opportunities they are embracing due to this ministry. Yes, MILAGRO, meaning *miracle* in Spanish, is the perfect name for the Women's Education Center of the Iglesia Luterana Agustina de Guatemala (ILAG).

As companion synods, the Southeastern Synod and ILAG accompany one another in mission and ministry. Though we can't physically be together right now, we continue to support one another with prayers and financial gifts as we are able. God is using your generosity to create miracles for these young women, their congregations, their communities, and their country. We humbly thank you for this generous support.

Outreach

MUST
[donation link](#)

CAC
[donation link](#)

YELLS
[donation link](#)

Next
MUST Collection Drive
Dates:
October 10 & 24
from 2-4pm
LCR Parking Lot



Gift Card Collection for Christmas Stocking Project Dates:
Sundays in October at worship services