LCR Weekly January 17, 2021

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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 Resurrection
Hour led by Dan Gilroy

11:00 am Worship on YouTube

9:00 am <u>Youth or</u> Confirmation

8:30 pm Parents of Sunday Schoolers
1st & 3rd Sunday

TUESSDAY

7:00 pm 8 Week Study with Pastor Dave

WEDNESDAY

8:00 am Men's
Breakfast
12:00 pm Prayer with
Pastor Dave

THURSDAY

8:30 am Women's
Bible Study

Welcome Bishop Strickland



We are blessed at LCR to have Bishop Kevin Strickland joining us for worship and Resurrection Hour on Sunday, January 31. Bishop Strickland will be preaching at both the 8:00 am & 11:00 am parking lot worship services, and his sermon will also be a part of our online worship service premiering at 11:00 am Sunday morning. He will also be leading our Resurrection Hour discussion

that begins at 9:30 am. The link for that discussion is here.

Bishop Strickland serves as Bishop of the Southeast Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. The Southeast Synod encompasses 4 states – Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama, and Mississippi – and is made up of 165 Lutheran congregations. LCR is widely seen as one of the leading congregations in our synod.

I invite all of you to join us in welcoming Bishop Strickland to LCR on Sunday, January 31. Please plan on joining us for worship and Resurrection Hour that day as we continue to celebrate the season of Epiphany. Blessings,

- Pastor Dave

Safety Reminders for Parking Lot Worship

We want to remind you to keep your physical distancing of at least 6' between individuals and family groups, wear your mask covering your nose and mouth, and to stay home and worship online if you or someone in your household is sick, has Covid symptoms, is awaiting Covid test results, or has had a positive Covid test. You can trust that the pastors and all worship leaders are following these guidelines for the health of our community.

Here is a refresher of the guidelines for our communion distribution at Parking Lot Worship: see page 4.



Children



Hello All,

I hope everyone received their Family Devotional in the mail.

This week we are going to study the Bible story "God Calls Samuel" (1 Samuel 3:1-20). Take a look at this video, then check the SS calendar for

the Bible story in the Sparks Bible. Don't forget the lesson worksheets, activity pages and family page in the SS bag.

On Tuesday I sent a Flocknote for MLK day of service. I hope everyone had a chance to make their poster or planning to do so. Please remember to send me a photo.

Let us Pray — Dear Jesus,

Please show me how to spend this day
Sharing your LOVE in every way
Help me to be kind to everyone
To play and laugh and have lots of fun
Shining your light and giving your grace
Sharing your JOY with a smile on my face!

Blessings, hope to see you at Parking Lot Worship.

-Sharon Leon



"My dream is to make a vaccine for the Covid-19." - Sam

Sam, we love your dream! Let us pray that the Holy Spirit be stirred up in Sam to do things like this and even more for the sake of God's dream in the world.

-Pastor Stephen

Children Events

Happy Hour Parents of Sunday Schoolers

Next Mtg: Nov. 1 1st & 3rd Sunday 6-8:30pm Zoom Link



Youth Events

SUNDAYS 9-10:30am

2nd & 4th

MS & HS Family Sunday School

1st & 3rd

Confirmation Class

January 23 2:00-4:00pm MUST Food Drive

January 31
Youth & Parent
Sunday School

Outreach — Announcements



MUST Food for Families Next donation: January 23 from 2-4pm

Last Saturday Sam, Ryan, Robert, Ellie and Pastor Stephen cheerfully withstood frigid temperatures to collect 56 bags of groceries for MUST! Thank you to everyone who drove by with your generous donations, and thanks LCR Youth for your service in helping feeding neighboring families in need.

Items most needed now: mac & cheese, spaghetti sauce, dry

pasta, flavored pasta, canned pasta, canned meaty soup, stew, chili, dry rice, flavored rice,

peanut butter, jelly





Outreach

MUST

donation link

CAC

donation link

YELLS

donation link

MUST Meal Volunteer Sign-Up: Sign-up Genius Link

Meals on Wheels Volunteer Sign-Up: Sign-up Genius Link

MUST Food Drive January 23, 2-4pm

Give to the LCR Mission Fund Link

MUST Ministries Christmas Gift



LCR, thank you for your generosity in supporting our fundraising project to help furnish MUST Ministries new homeless shelter. LCR's Mission Fund made a lead gift in this effort of \$2,000, to which our congregation added \$4,855! We are now sending checks to MUST Ministries for a grand total of \$6,855. Those funds will be

used by MUST to accompany our neighbors who are experiencing homelessness. Thank you for your generosity in sharing in this ministry with MUST Ministries.

LCR's Mission Fund exists to make significant contributions to respond to suffering and need in the world. The Mission Fund is managed by a team lead by Mark Olson and collaborates with LCR's Church Council on the approval of distributions. To make a gift to the corpus of LCR's Mission Fund, send your donation to LCR designated for the "Mission Fund" or use the online giving page on our website.

-Pastor Stephen

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- 1. Pastor will bring communion to you at your parking spot.
- 2. Everyone needs to wear their mask that covers their nose and mouth. Please sanitize your hands.
- 3. You may remain in your vehicle or you may stand outside your vehicle. Those standing outside their vehicle are asked to keep the appropriate physical distance between households.
- 4. When the Pastor arrives, please extend your arms and keep your hand(s) flat to receive the bread. This way the Pastor can place the host on your hands without making contact. Then please hold out your fingers to receive the individual cup. For the health of the Pastor please do not remove your mask until the Pastor has moved away from you.
- 5. After you have consumed the elements, please readjust your mask. Once you have put your mask back on, the usher will approach you to collect the used individual cup.
- 6. Pastors will not be wearing gloves when they bring communion to you. This allows them to better feel if they have made contact with a communicant and subsequently to sanitize their hands. If they are wearing gloves they would need to change their gloves when such contact is made, and the gloves also make it more difficult to feel many of the slight moments of contact that most likely happen during the distribution.



Item #3



Item #4



Worship



Parking Lot Worship Volunteer Sign-up Link

Events

LCR Women's
Bible Study
Thursdays at 8:30am
To receive Zoom link email
Allison@lcrmarietta.org
Resumes on 1/7/2021

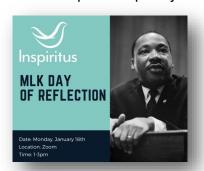
Women's Book Club January 29 at 11:30 am Beekeeper of Allepo by Christy Lefteri

Inspiritus MLK Day of Reflection 2021

A day of service, learning and advocacy to commemorate the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

This will be an enlightening afternoon of reflection and discussion of how to carry out Dr. King's legacy as we engage in service and reconciliation in our communities.

There will be kids activity "tool kits" available so kids can discover ways to 'be the change' in the world. And, there will several sessions with various themes and music promoting reflection on the racial unrest that has shaped the past year.



A Special Zoom Event Monday, January 18, 2020 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM EST

REGISTER TODAY

Resurrection Hour

Sundays at 9:30

Resurrection Hour led by Pastor Dave 6 week Thematic Study of the Gospel of Mark

Bible Study led by
Dan Gilroy
6 week Small Books of
the Bible Study

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