LCR Weekly September 12, 2021

SUNDAY



IN-PERSON WORSHIP

Register <u>here</u>. 8:30 am & 11:00 am

PARKING LOT WORSHIP

9:45 am



ONLINE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

Live-Streaming of 8:30am In-Person Worship

THURSDAY

8:30 am Women's
Bible Study

Welcome Heather Petero Praise Worship Leader

"As long as we live, there is never enough singing." – Martin Luther

Hi everyone!

I am so excited to be at LCR as the new Praise Worship Director! My family just

moved to Marietta, and we are loving our new community! My husband Glenn is a software engineer and Methodist pastor. We have a son, Seth, who is attending Georgia State University as a Film Studies major. I have taught private voice and piano for twenty-three years and have been serving in church ministry for over thirty years. I love helping people worship God through music and community.

When Glenn and I first met, we took a day trip to the beach. I grew up in church and he didn't, so he didn't really know any of my songs, and I didn't grow up listening to tons of classic rock, so I didn't know his songs. So, in the middle of June, we found a meeting place—Christmas songs! We sang everything—from Jingle Bells, to White Christmas, to Silent Night, to Angels We Have Heard On High. Now, that we have been around each other a bit (twenty six years!) we have grown in our song knowledge of each other, along with the songs of our hearts. I think that is what being in community is about—listening, growing, being willing to learn and share, and open to each other's heart songs. That way we can find our meeting place, but then grow together to learn new things, grow past where we are to better serve and love, and most importantly, honor God with our songs and hearts.

I look forward to hearing your heart songs and you hearing mine.

Musically Yours and His, Heather



Regular Groups



Children

Hi Guys!

Have you ever heard of "Fruit of the Spirit"? No? Well don't worry, we are going to read Galatians 5:16-26 in the Spark Bible. Paul

wasn't talking about fruit at all, was he? Look at this video, it may help make things a little clearer. Did it help? Don't forget to read and do the activities in your Spark Family Devotional on pages 16-21.

Questions -

- What fruit of the Spirit do you see in your life?
- What fruit do you want to see more of?

Try This!

With an adult search the Internet for a "fruit pizza" recipe. The kind of pizza usually involves a cookie-type crust and cream cheese mixture topped with different kinds of fruit. Have everyone in your family choose a favorite fruit to add to the pizza. While you work together, practice *kindness*, *joy*, *gentleness*, *love*, and *patience* with one another. When you are done, practice *generosity*—another Fruit of the Spirit—by sharing the pizza with neighbors or friends. Tell your guests about the "Fruits of the Spirit" while you enjoy your creation.

Prayer – God, help us to grow in love and peace. Amen.

Ms. Sharon

Children Events



Sunday School Registration is open Register <u>Here</u>

SS Material will be mailed to families.

First once-amonth outdoor gathering is Sat., Oct. 9 from 9:00-11:00 am



LCR

New Worship Schedule beginning this Sunday, September 12:

Please take notice of the new starting times for the early service and Parking Lot service!

8:30 am In-person Traditional Worship Service
9:45 am Parking Lot Praise Worship Service
11:00 am In-person Praise Worship Service
Live-streamed 8:30 am on LCR YouTube Channel

Please remember to sign up weekly for the in-person Sanctuary services at 8:30 am and 11:00 am, so we can maintain social distancing. Sign up here.

Worship



Worship Volunteer Sign-up Link

Worship Sign-Up



Music

Traditional Music & Worship at LCR

Calling all musicians! We all deal with stress in many facets of our lives, and making music

is one of the best ways to calm your soul!

As we slowly and carefully increase our participation and activities at LCR, Traditional Worship will be my focus in the coming year.

Celebration Choir will begin rehearsals on Saturday, September 11 in the Sanctuary from 9:30-11:00 am and continue on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:00 pm starting September 15th.

Handbell rehearsals will be Mondays from 6:45 -8:00 am beginning September 13th.

If you are interested in bringing music to your life and worship, please contact me at Helen@LCRmarietta.org.

Youth

LCR's Outreach Ministries gave each confirmand \$100 to use for outreach in the world. Miller Kirwan used his gift to buy items to make two Afghanistan Refugee Kits for children. Thank you, Miller!



Outreach Afghanistan Refugee Kits



The call to assemble kits needed to welcome Afghan refugees to be resettled here in Georgia was answered in multitudes! LCR collected over 150 kits for women, men, children and households. The kits were picked up by The Welcome Co. who partners with Inspiritus to find housing for refugees. Altogether over 5,000 kits were delivered to Clarkston last Friday. Thank you LCR!

Outreach

MUST

donation link

CAC

donation link

YELLS

donation link

Meals on Wheels Volunteer Sign-Up:

Sign-up Genius Link

MUST Wednesday Lunch

Volunteer Sign-Up: Sign-up Genius Link



2021 Guatemala Gala September 11

7pm Virtual at ELCA-SES.org/ILAG



Make donations for victims of Hurricane Ida Floods in TN and Afghan Resettlement

here

Monday Night Bible Study at 7 pm In the Eye of the Storm by Max Lucado

The Monday Night Bible study/discussion group (formerly the Thursday Night Bible group) is discussing Max Lucado's book *In the Eye of the Storm* which talks about finding calm in chaos. Our meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month and at present are being held hybrid. As a group, we also look for and do outreach projects. Anyone interested in joining our Monday Night Bible study/discussion group, please contact Gloria Frey.



JOIN OUR

MUST Food Donations

While we no longer are conducting in person drive by donation collections at our church, there is still a great need for food and

supplies. Please bring the following "most needed" donations to the Must barrel or the Little Red Wagon in the hallway just outside the Gathering Room:

- shampoo (travel and full size)
- new women's, men's, and children's underwear
- rice and cereal(1-2 lb. Bags)
- pasta
- pasta sauce
- ramen noodles
- peanut butter

Thank you for your support!

-Dana Jelinek



Don' forget to join the virtual Guatemala Gala 2021 this Saturday, Sept. 11 at 7 pm

Join the event at www.ELCA-SES.org/ILAG
or on FB, YouTube, or on the Synod home page

Remember, for every \$100 donated, your name will go into a "hat" to possibly receive a beautiful item, handmade by the "Quiltors for Christ" at First United Lutheren

"Quilters for Christ" at First United Lutheran,

Kennesaw. - Click here for details

Also, when you donate a minimum of \$100, you will receive this colorful MILAGRO T-shirt!

Events

LCR Women's Bible Study-Virtual

Thursdays at 8:30am To receive Zoom link email Allison

Men's Breakfast In-Person & Virtual Wednesdays at 7:30 am

Zoom link

Church Office Closed on Sept. 6

On Labor Day

New Worship Schedule begins Sunday, Sept. 12

Knitters for Peace 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the

> month at LCR Next: Sept. 7 & 21



Guatemala Gala September 11 at 7 pm

Next Virtual Women's Book Club September 24 At 11:30 am

This Tender Land by William Kent Krueger

Life Line Health Screenings September 25

Register here

Synod e-News Link