# LCR Weekly October 3, 2021



IN-PERSON WORSHIP

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

> PARKING LOT WORSHIP 9:45 am



#### **SUNDAY**

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

#### **THURSDAY**

8:30 am Women's
Bible Study

Hello LCR members & friends,

Your council recently held our September meeting, and I would like to share a couple key highlights with you.

From a financial standpoint, through the first quarter of our fiscal year, LCR continues to be in a strong position. Income exceeds budgeted levels by \$4,700, and expenses are below budgeted levels by \$23,500. Note that some of this is timing



From left to right: Dan Lizdas (President), Elizabeth Shreiner (Treasurer), Lisa Rydarowski, Cindy Barrett (Secretary), Deanna Topping (Vice President), Dan Steidle, Kimberly Tonn, Pr. Dave, Kriss Nelson, David Price, Vicar Jamie, Conrad Lautenbacher, not pictured: Allison Lizdas

related and expected to balance out over the course of the year. We are a blessed congregation, and I am thankful to all of you for your continued financial support of our ministries.

Weekly worship continues to be a major component of living out the vision of LCR. Based on current Covid trends in our area, we will continue to offer multiple worship options, as well as continue with our Covid related protocols. In doing this, your council believes that this will enable us to care for all our brothers and sisters in Christ. Thank you for your cooperation and a big thank you to our dedicated staff and volunteers who make it possible to provide these types of vibrant worship options, as we live out our mission to deepen people's relationships with Jesus Christ and each other.

Lastly, here is a picture of your dedicated church council. I consider myself blessed to work with such a dedicated group of disciples! Thank you for your continued dedication to the ministries of the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection.

Your fellow servant in Christ, DanLizas Council President



#### Children

#### Hi Guys!

This week we are going to start at the beginning. We are going to read the story about **Adam and Eve** from Genesis 2: 4 - 25. After you've read the story, look at this video.

#### Question -

- What is your favorite animal?
- How do you care for the world God created?

#### **Try This!**

Have fun working outdoors while enjoying God's beautiful world. Help your parents or sibling rake leaves in your yard,

#### or

grab a plastic bag and protective gloves and take a family walk, picking up littler along the way.

#### Prayer -

Thank you, Creator God, For giving us an amazing world. Please show us how we can help take care of it with you. Amen.

Blessings, Ms. Sharon

## Children Events



Sunday School Registration is open Register Here

SS Material will be mailed to families.

month outdoor gathering is Sat., Oct. 9 from 9:00-11:00 am

First once-a-



#### Youth

Our Youth Kickoff will be

#### Sunday, October 17 at 3:00 pm!

Parents and Youth are invited for an afternoon of games, music, and a vision for the future.

Bring clothes that can get messy!

Sign up to help set up/take down here.

Ashley Preece will be leading our youth in ministry while we are looking for a part-time Youth Director.

Questions? Email Ashley.

#### **Youth Events**

Youth Kick-Off October 17 at 3 pm

Help to set up and/or take down here

#### Regular Groups—Outreach



## LCR

#### **Altar Flowers**

You can help us adorn the altar for worship by purchasing flowers. The cost is \$60 for both arrangements or \$30 for one. Please go to this <u>link</u> and sign up for a Sunday. Please add your dedication in the memo line. You may also call the Church Office.

You can pay for the flowers by check, noting "Altar Flowers" in the memo line or pay online at <u>LCRmarietta.org/give</u>, then choose "Altar Flowers" and select the quantity.

If you would like to take the flowers you purchased home, you may pick them up after the 11 am service concludes. Otherwise they will be donated.



Members of Shepherd Staff deliver the donated flowers to our shut-ins or to a facility, to anyone who needs some cheer, as well as area nursing homes or assisted living facilities. We really need some volunteers to help with the delivery. If you are willing to help out, please contact <a href="Karen Bear">Karen Bear</a>.

#### Worship



Worship Volunteer Sign-up Link

**Worship Sign-Up** 



#### **Outreach**

We continue to introduce you to the girls at the Milagro Women's Center and their dreams. This year's Guatemala Gala's theme was "Dreams for our Daughters." You can view the gala <a href="here.">here.</a>



#### Zonia Evidenia Ixim Pop

13 years old—5th grade
I'm from Playita cerro alto, Cobán
My dream is to become a teacher to be able to
teach new generations. In my community we don't
have a school nearby.



## Sandra Ursilia Ixim Pop 10 years old—4th grade I'm from Playita cerro alto, Cobán I dream to finish my formals studies and

#### 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

#### **Praise Music & Worship**

Worship. For many it means singing, for others, it means hearing a sermon, others it means what we do when we show up to the church building, for some it means what you can do anywhere, for others it means something you can only do with an organ and a choir, and still others worship can be achieved with just a voice and a guitar. The actual word "worship" comes from an ancient word that means "worth-ship". This is

probably the best definition as we worship what we value, what is worthy of our devotion.

As worshippers of God, we strive to put Him first in all things, above all things in our lives, and how we respond and choose comes from our devotion to Him first and foremost. Pastor Louie Giglio said, "All day long we give our time, energy and affection to something or someone. Day by day, we declare our allegiance. In other words, we worship. Worship is about what we value most. Not just for the religious within church walls, worship is the core activity of the



human soul. Created with a massive capacity to exalt the Creator, we have hearts that are genetically bent on worship. What is essential is that we choose wisely, worshiping what is ultimately worthy of our lives both now and forever." This tells us that worship is a lifestyle, not just something we do on Sunday, but everyday. The question is then, who or what are we worshiping in our lives? Is God first and foremost in our lives, our relationships, our choices? My prayer is that we seek God in everything in our lives. The Jesus filled life is the best life! No matter our age or background, Jesus lovingly calls us to live out our best life in Him and Him alone.

In His Grip, Heather Petero Praise Worship & Music Director

#### **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

#### Women's Bible Study

Tuesdays at 10:00 am at LCR

#### **Knitters for Peace**

1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at LCR Next: Oct. 5 & 19

## Praise Dream Team Training Events

Oct. 16, 10 am-12 pm Oct. 23, 10 am-12 pm

#### Youth Kick-Off

October 17 at 3:00 pm

Next Virtual Women's
Book Club
November 5
At 11:30 am
The Four Winds

by Kristin Hannah

Synod e-News Link