

ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 15th & 16th, 2023

A warm welcome to any visitors today. If you are interested in more information about our church, please fill out the welcome card located in the pews, and place it in the offering.

PLEASE PRAY FOR PLEASE PRAY FOR Anita Laabs, Kevin Underwood (Chris' brother), Mary Greenlaw-Meyer (Vicky Rosenbaum's friend), John Scheele & family (Char Smith's Brother in Law) Linda Stoenner, David Field (Donna Miller & Dawn Kellesvig's brother), Hazel Hermann, Betty Tharp (Katie Zelle's grandmother), Ken Rabideau (Helen Ladwig's Brother in Law), Jerome Bell, Nick O'Connell, Paul Kerscher (Amy Thompson's Dad), Donald Strube (Pete's Dad), Steve Mueller, Joyce Fargo, Alycen McKinney, Harold "Chick" Gullickson (Brother of Mary Krantz), Cara Mavis, Amy Hall, Joan Schraepfer (Rita Schraepfer-Derke's Sister in Law), Todd Collins, Norm Hefty, Lincoln Kuhn, Brooklynn Kreul, Mary Jane Ellis (friend of Bonny Kellogg), Connie Peterson, Bonnie Bender, Ginger Quaderer (Diane Mueller's cousin), Delores Bryant, Makenzee Smith, Shirley Thompson, Brock Howe, Jeannie U'Ren, Mike Olson, Grace Aavang, Carol Johnson.

Our partner congregation IGLESIA EVANGÉLICA LUTERANA DIVINO SALVADOR (Divine Savior Lutheran Church) in Cataño, P.R

CONGRATULATIONS to Finnley James Johnson & Porter James Hodgson on the occasion of their baptisms on Saturday April 15th and Sunday April 16th, 2023. Finnley's parents are Amellia & Joshua Johnson and Porter's parents are Madeline & Dustin Hodgson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 - 11 am (3 years old - 8th grade)

April 16th - Service Sunday

April 23rd - Camp Sunday at ELC

April 30th - Sunday School will sing during the 9 am service

7th & 8th GRADE CONFIRMATION -. Classes are weekly on Wednesdays, 7 pm - 8:30 pm. Students will be finishing up the Ten Commandments.

6th GRADE PRE-CONFIRMATION - Our students will gather on Wednesdays, **April 19th - May 17th, 3:45 - 4:45 PM** (5 sessions) in Fellowship Hall. These gatherings are intended to enhance our Confirmation experience. (Share in fellowship, have fun, review Bible stories). Email brenda.martin@elcmthoreb.org to register.

SUGAR CREEK BIBLE CAMP - There is still time to register for summer camp for all ages. Enroll now at: www.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org/register-now/. ELC of Mt Horeb will help with camp costs, by giving each camper \$100 towards their camping week. Complete the scholarship form in the newsletter

FUSE NIGHTS - April 16th & 30th, 7 pm- High schoolers are welcome to join our youth group as we will continue a book/discussion, "Can I Ask That". These sessions aim to help our youth engage in some discussions to help them dive deeper into their faith. Friends are welcome to attend. (Come & see our new LED lights in the youth room.)



2023 YOUTH SUMMER SCHEDULE:

- **DAY CAMP/VBS WEEK AT ELC - June 19 - 22,**
Register with link or QR code-

<https://forms.gle/qYotzWLkqgNXDLef6>

- **VBS** (9 am- 11:30 am) 3 yr. - Kindergarten -
- **DAY CAMP** (9 am - 3 pm) 1st - 5th grade in fall
(One day to Sugar Creek on June 21st for K - 5th)

- **CONFIRMATION CAMP - July 9 - 14,** 7th & 8th graders will attend Confirmation Camp at Sugar Creek Bible Camp.

Register online: <http://wp.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org/>

(Use the GHRID: ELCMTH to register) ELC is paying \$100 towards the registration fee for campers)

- **GIVE/LOVE/SERVE (Local Service Week) - July 17 - 20,** Middle - High school youth are invited to our local mission week, Monday - Thursday. Many opportunities for youth to provide many service opportunities in our community, new places and other past favorites. Silver Cord hours will be given to our high school students.

Register with link or QR code <https://forms.gle/muPBvDA5UpZ9RPUJ8>

CRAFTS BY NICK - Nick has many decorative pieces in the Narthex for springtime. Thank you to Nick for donating to our youth opportunities.

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PARENTS NIGHT OUT/GAMES & CRAFTS AT ELC -

April 21st, 5:30 pm -8:00 pm at ELC: Our experienced high school youth will be offering a night of fun, games, crafts, and treats for youth ages 3 years through 5th grade at ELC.

Donation: \$10 per child and \$5 for additional children (family rate).

Everyone is welcome. Sign up with the link or QR code.

<https://forms.gle/9y9be9e1QfSs27MSA>

BABY KIT COLLECTION CONTINUES:

In April, our youth are focusing on collecting the following: *Jackets or Sweaters with or without hoods*. Place donations in the bin in Fellowship Hall near the coffee station. For a complete list of baby items, please look on elcmthoreb.org

ELC COFFEE TIME Wednesdays at 10am in Fellowship Hall. A great time to connect with our church family. **Welcome Back!!!**

ELC SEWING DAYS -Thursdays at 9am in Fellowship Hall.

MEN'S BREAKFAST/BIBLE STUDY 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 6:30 am on Zoom. Contact Pastor John for the link.

BABY CAP MAKERS will meet only once in April. Join us on **Tuesday, April 18, 9:30 a.m.** in the Faith Room. Contact ruthheinecke@gmail.com with questions.

REBECCA CIRCLE-is meeting at **10 am on Tuesday, April 18th** in Fellowship Hall. Do Chapter 3 in *Bad Girls of the Bible*. Cohosts – Sara K. treats, Diane M. beverages.

WORSHIP & MUSIC MEETING 6:30 p.m. in Matthew

SARAH CIRCLE will meet **Tuesday, April 18th, 7 pm** in the Matthew Room at church. We will do the April Bible study from "Gather" magazine - session 4 on the Ten Commandments. Contact Connie Curran (curranconnie@hotmail.com) with any questions about the study materials or meeting details. Always welcoming new participants as well as those we haven't seen recently."

INREACH/OUTREACH will again be collecting birthday party supplies for *Neighbors Helping Neighbors*. Collection will be in fellowship hall by our coffee nook. Items in need are birthday gift bags, tablecloths, balloons, party hats, party favors, candy or anything that you feel would make a child's birthday party special. Plates, napkins and forks are also needed. All of the previously received bags have been used up, and were greatly appreciated! Thank you for your continued support with this worthwhile project.

THRIVENT - Your Legacy: Family, Church and Charity

Sunday April 30th after worship

Learn how you can provide for your loved ones, your church and your community's future, according to your legacy plan.

- Explore spontaneous, intentional and strategic/planned giving.
- See examples of people who have established legacy gift strategies.
- Learn about foundations for charitable giving.

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HOURS
MONDAY-THURSDAY 9AM – NOON and 1PM-4PM
FRIDAYS 9AM-NOON

STEEPLE ECHOES ARTICLES DUE BY Thursday, April 20th

| THANKYOU FOR ASSISTING WORSHIP | | |
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| | <i>This Week</i> <i>Apr 15th & 16th</i> | <i>Next Week</i> <i>Apr 22nd. & 23rd</i> |
| READERS | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bonny Kellogg• Judy Steinhauer | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Unfilled• Diane Bartz |
| ACOLYTES | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mason Dudley• Caleb Gaulke | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lucas High• Eva Larson |
| COMM. ASSIST. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Irv & Judy Steinhauer• Deb Dangerfield | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No Communion |
| USHERS | Team 8 Mark Mostrom Jim Cook | Team 1 Jim Cook John Rosenbaum |
| NURSERY | Open but Not Staffed -Located across from the library | |
| ALTAR GUILD | APRIL – Jean Bower, Mary Lokken, Teresa Schult Diane Twiton | |
| COUNCIL DUTIES | APRIL – Amy Sinner | |