ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 27th & 28th

PLEASE PRAY FOR Ruth Ann Nemet, Max Rosenbaum, Susan Koller, Warren Wilson, Tony (Farmer) Endres, Margaret Twiton, Paul & Lois Kerscher (Amy Thompson's parents), Paul Baum, Ingrid Hoerz, Dolores Kahl, Sara Kittleson, Terri Naylor (Dennis & Mary Lokken's daughter), John Scheele & family (Char Smith's Brother in Law) Linda Stoenner, Ken Rabideau (Helen Ladwig's Brother in Law), Nick O'Connell, Steve Mueller, Joyce Fargo, Alycen McKinney, Cara Mavis, Joan Schraepfer (Rita Schraepfer-Derke's Sister in Law), Todd Collins, Norm Hefty, Lincoln Kuhn, Mary Jane Ellis (friend of Bonny Kellogg), Bonnie Bender, Ginger Quaderer (Diane Mueller's cousin), Delores Bryant, Makenzee Smith, 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

CHILDREN & YOUTH

SUNDAY SCHOOL Youth, who are 3 years old - 8th grade is welcome. Join us to hear Bible stories, music, play games, crafts, enjoy snacks and time with others. We begin each week in the Chapel.

6th GRADE PRE-CONFIRMATION - Our students will gather on Wednesdays, **May 1**st, **May 8**th & **May 15th, 3:45 - 4:45 pm** in Fellowship Hall.

7th & 8th GRADE CONFIRMATION

May 1 at 7:00 pm - Class time May 8th 7:00 pm - Class time

May 15th 6:30 pm - End of Year Picnic Night

SYNOD ALIVE NIGHT THANK YOU - Thank you to all who helped in so many ways last Wednesday, to welcome our 100-synod youth. It was a great evening of learning about being "Alive in Community". Thanks to everyone who brought items for our Neighbors Helping Neighbors Food/Personal Item Drive.

GRADUATION PHOTOS NEEDED - High School Seniors & College Graduates, we want to celebrate you! Please email a photo and a brief description of your plans for after graduation. These can be emailed to me at: brenda.martin@elcmthoreb.org by May 1st. Slideshow will be shared on May 12th during the Senior Blanket

REGISTER FOR SUGAR CREEK BIBLE CAMP – Time to register for camp! Information about all 20+ Summer Programs and the link to enroll can be found at www.SugarCreekBibleCamp.org/summer-camp. ELC of Mt Horeb will help with camp costs, by giving each camper \$100 towards their camping week. Please call Sugar Creek to let them know you are registering with ELC or ask Brenda for a transfer code, which is needed for the discount. If additional scholarships are needed, please contact Brenda or Pastor John.

NEEDS FOR VBS/DAY CAMP - In order to have a successful VBS/CAMP week, we are in need of adult teachers & youth helpers for June 24th -27th. Contact Brenda, if you are interested in helping.

DAY CAMP/VBS WEEK AT ELC - June 24-27

- **VBS** (9 am - 11:30 am) 3 yr. - Kindergarten DAY CAMP - New time (1pm-5 pm) 1st - 5th grade **REGISTER:** https://forms.gle/h6gPK4PEoK68UDWF6

CONFIRMATION CAMP - July 28 - Aug 2, 7th & 8th graders will attend Confirmation Camp at Sugar Creek Bible Camp.

Register online: http://wp.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org/ ELC is paying \$100 towards the registration fee for campers Use the GHRID: ELCMTH to register.

GIVE/LOVE/SERVE (Local Service Days) - June 12th, July 10th, and Aug 6th Middle - High school youth are invited to our local service days, held throughout the summer. Many opportunities for youth to provide service in our community, new places and other past favorites. Silver Cord hours will be given to our high school students.

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ELC VBS/DAY CAMP



GIVE/LOVE/SERVE

REGISTRATION

EXPLORER DAY AT SUGAR CREEK - July 31st. 9 am - 3 pm

(Children entering 1st - 5th grade in fall 2024)

Come for an exciting one-day adventure at Sugar Creek. Share in opportunities at camp - games, nature, crafts, Bible Study, singing and more! Register online: http://wp.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org/

USE GHRID: ELCMTH to register. Registration fee: \$25, payable to ELC

BRATS IN THE LOT (Youth Fundraiser) - May 11th, 10 am - 2 pm at Millers. Start the summer off with us at Millers to enjoy some brats. Pick up some delicious Bake Sale treats, as well. Thank you for your support of our youth to attend the Youth Gathering in New Orleans, 2024!

BABY KIT DONATIONS NEEDED -Our youth and members of Rebecca Circle are teaming together to collect and assemble the baby kits which will be sent to Lutheran World Relief this fall. Everyone is welcome to

donate items. Items should be in good condition, clean and in infant sizes no larger than 36 months. There is a bin in Narthex for your donations.

APRIL - Jackets or Sweaters with or without hoods

Each Baby Care Kit assembled for Lutheran World Relief contains four diapers. We are able to make some of those diapers from T-shirts. If you have T-shirts adult size Large or larger, we would appreciate receiving them to make diapers. You may drop them in the church office. If you have questions, please contact Ann Baumgartner at abaumgartner1@charter.net or 608-576—8214. Thank you for your contribution.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

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

ELC SEWING DAYS are **Thursdays from 9am to Noon** in Fellowship Hall.

MEN'S BREAKFAST/BIBLE STUDY 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 am. we'll meet at Sjolin's

BETTER TOGETHER Have you experienced the loss of a life partner and wish to connect with others who understand your situation? We have formed a new group "Better Together" and welcome you to join us. Our next gathering is scheduled for **Saturday May 4**th at Biaggi's in Middleton. We'll meet in the church parking lot at 11 am and carpool. Make a reservation by calling Kathy O'Donnell at (608)437-4209. This is intended to be a supportive group, allowing us to be "Better Together".

ADULT BIBLE STUDY Join Intern Zach as we explore the Gospels! We will meet in the fellowship hall every Sunday after service starting **April 14 until May 12**.

JOIN US TO HONOR OUR SEASONED SAINTS

It is a privilege to honor these ladies on **Saturday morning**, **May 11**, at **9:30** with a light breakfast in Fellowship Hall. Please join us by calling the church office today to make your reservation, 608-437-5012.

NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY

You can still sign up for pictures for the church directory! To sign up:

- 1. Go to <u>www.ucdir.com</u>
- 2. Click on the box that says "photography appointment scheduling login"
- 3. Then enter church code wi325 and password photos then press enter.
- 4. Then you can pick the day and time you want to have your picture taken. The available dates will show. Enter the required information.
- 5. Click the Schedule Appointment button at the bottom of the screen to reserve the photography appointment time in your family name.
- 6. Print the next screen to use as a reminder of your appointment.

Note: If you have more than six family members or are having a pet in your picture schedule two consecutive appointment times.

Please enter all the information to include phone number(s) and email address. We need that information for our church records.

Any other questions please contact Dave Baumgartner at 608-576-8798.

Thank You

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS SCHEDULE		
	This Week April 27 th & 28 th	Next Week May 4 th & 5 th
ACOLYTES	Sunday Vanessa Rameker Adelie Zwolanek	Sunday Carter Vesely Caleb Gaulke
COMMUNION ASSIST	No Communion	Sunday Vicky Rosenbaum AVAILABLE
READERS	Saturday Dawn Haag Sunday Jim Cook	Saturday Kate Hook Sunday Ben Brothers
USHERS	Sunday Doug Nesheim Gerald Stamn	Sunday John & Carol Nielsen
NURSERY	Open but Not Staffed -Located across from the library.	
ALTAR GUILD	April Mary Lokken, Teresa Schult, Diane Twiton, Kerstin Edwards May-Cathie Field, Sara Hellenbrand, Laura Miller, Sharon Schiefelbein, Amy Kellesvig	
COUNCIL DUTIES	April -Amy Sinner May -Vicky Rosenbaum	

THANK YOU FOR ASSISTING WORSHIP!!!

SIGN UP LINKS: You'll find the links on the ELC website-Worship Assistants Schedule.