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SAVE THE DATE

June 24-28, 2019



Join us at Messiah this summer for a "Roar-ing" good time at Vacation Bible School where we will learn that "Life is Wild" but "God is Good".

Registration opens APRIL 7th !!!

SPRING WORK DAY

There will be a work day at Messiah on Saturday, April 6, from 9:00 to 12:00 (rain date will be

April 13). Many hands make for light work!!! Come help us spruce up

the outside of the church property (there are inside jobs, too) just in time for Easter services.



EASTER FLOWERS

Now is the time to order flowers to decorate our sanctuary for Easter services! Order forms and envelopes are on the bulletin board in the narthex. The deadline is March 31st.

The prices are as follows:

Azaleas - \$21.50

Saturday @ 5:30 pm
Traditional Worship

Sunday @ 8:30 am
Traditional Worship

Sunday @ 10:45 am
Contemporary Worship

Youth News

Sunday School

Come join us:

High School: 9th through 12th grade, join us in Room 3 (downstairs) as we study God's Word.

Middle School: 6th through 8th grade students, come to Room 2 downstairs for a Bible Study made just for you.

Kids' Connect: 2nd through 5th grade. Join us in Kids' Connect, Room 1, downstairs.

Little Lambs: Age 3 through 1st grade. If your child is in this age group, please join us downstairs in Room 6 where children will learn the love of Jesus in a hands-on way.

Adult Bible Studies

Sunday Morning

Fellowship Hall:
Pastor Stuckwisch's education hour will be discussing the Minor Prophets.

Daffodils - \$20.50
Hydrangeas - \$24.50
Hyacinths - \$10.50
Lilies - \$12.50
Tulips - \$10.50



YOUTH: 4th SUNDAY

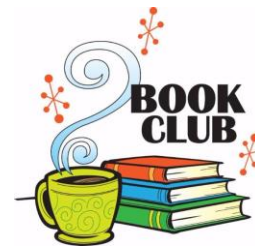
4th Sunday is our monthly combined Jr. & Sr. High get together. Our next 4th Sunday event is March 24th from 12 to 2 PM. More details to come!



ALL CHURCH BOOK CLUB

Our next selection for the All Church Book Club read is "Destiny & Power" by Jon Meacham (Pulitzer Prize winning author) subtitled "The American Odyssey of

George Herbert Walker Bush" to be discussed after the next voter's meeting on May 19. Copies of the book are available in the church office. Since this is a fairly long book we are making the copies available immediately, so you have time to finish the book. Please join us!



UPCOMING OWLS

OWLS will not meet in April. On May 9 we will travel to Music Hall for a silent film festival of 2 Charlie Chaplin movies: The Kid and Behind the Curtain. We have excellent seats and can carpool from church if needed. The cost is \$24 (regularly \$28). Please sign up by Sunday, April 14. Reserve the following dates: June 11 - Olympic Memories. July 30 - Cincy Notables Quartet



MITE BOX REMINDER

Next weekend will be the last weekend of the month; the one we refer to as LWML Mite Box Weekend. Please be sure to bring your mite

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Conference Room:

Lower Level Conference
Room:

"Small Group Bible Study will be studying the Good News about the ministry of Jesus the Messiah according to the Evangelist Luke".

Wednesday - 10:15 am

Ladies Bible Study

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Upcoming Message:

offering next weekend to place in the box on the Welcome desk.

GAME NIGHT

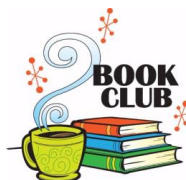
On March 23rd we will be having a Bunco Game Night following the Saturday service. The youngest child to the oldest adult can have fun playing this game. Keep this date on your calendar and come join us for an evening of fun!



BOOK CLUB

Book Club will meet on April 7 at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Gail Lipps, 420 B Connie Ct, Fairfield to discuss Divergent by Veronica Roth. In this dystopian Chicago world, society is divided into five factions, each dedicated to the cultivation of a particular virtue--Candor (the honest),

Abnegation (the selfless), Dauntless (the brave), Amity (the peaceful), and Erudite (the intelligent).



On an appointed day of every year, all sixteen-year-olds must select the faction to which they belong. It's the 1st novel in a trilogy of young adult fiction. Should be an interesting read!

THANK YOU

Thank you for all those who donated food and housing for the Racine High School choir. We really appreciate everything that everyone did. Lynn Hiler and Carole Baldwin

LENTEN/HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 27, Lenten Service, 7 PM

Wednesday, April 3, Lenten Service, 7 PM

Wednesday, April 10, Lenten Service, 7 PM

Saturday/Sunday, April 13/14, Palm Sunday



March 16-17, 2019

"An Answer to Prayer"

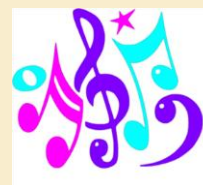
Services,
regular worship times
Thursday, April 18, Maundy Thursday Service, 7 PM
Friday, April 19, Good Friday Service, 7 PM
Saturday, April 20, Easter Vigil, 5:30 PM
Sunday, April 21, Easter - Feast of the Resurrection,
8:30 and 10:45 AM

CHOIR NEWS

Messiah's choir will be singing during most Sundays during March and April, including Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. We would love to welcome new members to the choir for Lent and Holy Week. You do not need to be present for every rehearsal or sing at every service. All ages and abilities are welcome. For more information, contact Cathy Carson at 513-824-1241 or cathycarson82@gmail.com.

Choir will be singing at the 8:30 Sunday service on March 24, 31; April 7; Palm Sunday, April 14; at 7 PM on Maundy Thursday, April 18; at 7 PM on Good Friday, April 19; and at 8:30 on Easter Sunday, April 21.

We will have rehearsal immediately following the Wednesday Lenten services on March 27; April 3, 10.



We will resume regular rehearsal time at 7 PM on April 17.

YOUTH RUMMAGE SALE



Youth Rummage sale dates this year are:

Set-up: June 6th

Sale: June 7th and 8th

You can start bringing your goodies to the church on May 6th, to the alcove in the back of the Fellowship Hall.

EASTER CANDY

Donations of candy are needed for our Easter Egg-stravaganza!

Please do not bring candy with nuts or peanut butter as many kids have nut allergies. Candy may be placed in the bin labeled "Easter Candy" in the narthex by April 7th.

EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA

Mark your calendars for April 13th at 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM. The Easter

Egg-stravaganza will begin with the Easter Egg Hunt at 11:30 AM and then

followed by lunch and other family-friendly, fun, activities.



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