

Weekly E-News

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PASTOR'S SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Pastor's Sunday morning bible study will resume in the Fellowship Hall starting March 21st at approximately 9:45 AM. Be sure to wear your face masks. He will be discussing the readings of the day.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Our Ladies Bible Study has resumed in-person sessions on Wednesday mornings at 10:15 AM once again. We are sitting safely distanced and are wearing masks. Please come and hear the Word of the Lord with us.

LENTEN/HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERVICES

Wednesday, March 10, 7 PM
Wednesday, March 17, 7 PM
Wednesday, March 24, 7 PM
Palm Sunday, March 27-28, regular worship times
Holy (Maundy) Thursday, April 1, 7 PM
Good Friday, April 2, 7 PM
Easter Saturday Vigil, April 3, 5:30 PM
Easter Sunday, The Resurrection of Our Lord, April 4, regular worship times

Please join us during this holy time of the year!

LWML NEWS

39th Biennial National Convention June 24–27, 2021

Lexington, Kentucky

"Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!" The LWML, by God's grace, has funded all of the Mission Grants selected for the 2019-2021 biennium. These grants total \$2.1 million. Registration is open for the 39th Biennial LWML Convention! "Running the Race ... Looking to Jesus," the convention theme based on Hebrews 12:1-2. Registration forms are posted on the bulletin board in the entry by the drinking fountain. This is your opportunity to attend a national convention close to home!

Questions? Ask Bunny, De, Judy or Tina

Quick Links

Messiah Website

Prayer Request

LCMS

Building Hope in the City

Hands Against Hunger

Ministry in Mission

Service Times

Saturday @ 5:30 pm Traditional Worship

Sunday @ 8:30 am **Traditional Worship**

Sunday @ 10:45 am Contemporary Worship

<u>Youth News</u>

Sunday School

CANCELLED AT THIS TIME

High School: 9th through 12th grade.

Middle School: 6th through 8th grade.

Kids' Connect: 2nd through 5th grade.

Little Lambs: Age 3 through 1st grade.

Adult Bible Study

MESSIAH MESSENGER

The March issue of the Messenger is now available in the revolving rack in the Narthex. Pick up your copy and see what's happening at Messiah.

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS **Butler County**

Match Madness 2021 is happening from March 1st—April 16th. We are seeking 32 new Bigs for 32 Littles.

Being a Big Brother Big Sister takes as little as four hours a month for at least one year, and it's based on your schedule! It's all about spending time together, developing a friendship and having fun, which means enjoying free or low-cost activities you choose together. You can become a mentor in any of our programs, including Sports Buddies or our career-focused program called Big Futures. What you need to do to get started is you'll complete an application and meet with a BBBS Enrollment Specialist who will get to know you and determine the best mentoring program and the best Little for you. We take our time to carefully match our Bigs and Littles based on things like location, personality and shared interests.

Apply at bbbsbutler.org/match-madness, or call 513-867-1227.

THRIVENT POLICY HOLDERS

Don't forget to check for your Choice Dollar allocation. All 2020 dollars must be sent by March

Sunday Morning

Fellowship Hall:

Pastor Stuckwisch's education hour will be online.

Lower Lever Conference Room:

Lower Level Conference Room: The downstairs Small Group Bible Study -CANCELLED AT THIS TIME.

Wednesday - 10:15 am

Ladies Bible Study

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31. You may call Thrivent or go to the Internet to do this.

PRINCE OF PEACE DINNER

We will be serving dinner-in-a-box on Wednesday, March 17th, at Prince of Peace. The sign-up sheet for contributions is on the bulletin board. Again, thank you for your generosity. Any questions call Sandy Walter or Joan Rieger.

MARCH BOOK CLUB

The book for discussion this month is "Giver of Stars" by Jojo Moyes. It tells a fictionalized account of the Kentucky Pack Horse Librarians. It is inspired by a real group of

librarians who between 1935 and 1943 delivered books to some of the most remote regions in the Appalachian Mountains. Our Zoom discussion will be on March 14th at 2:30 p.m. There are extra copies of the book in the church office.

FAMILY MINISTRY RESOURCE - MARCH

We are starting a new feature for families. Each month Laura Priebe will review a resource for families. It can be a book, podcast, movie or show. March's Family Resource is

here: http://bit.ly/MAR21THINKCHRISTIAN.

GREENHILLS CO-OP PRESCHOOL—BUTTER BRAIDS FUNDRAISER!

The Preschool is selling Butter Braids again! The order forms are in the office; deadline to order is March 17th. They are delicious, so be sure to get some.

EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to purchase flowers to help decorate our

sanctuary for Easter, order forms are now available in the narthex. Please fill out an order form, place the form and payment in the envelope provided and place in the offering plate or the Altar mailbox in the office. If you have any questions call Barb Degenhardt at 513-863-5864 or text her at 513-607-2331.

- 8" Daffodils \$14.99
- 4" (Mini) Daffodils 5.25
- 6" Easter Lily 1 stem per pot 9.75
- 8" Easter Lily 3 stems per pot 26.25
- 6" Florist Azalea pink, white or red 19.50
- 6" Florist Mum white, yellow or lavender pink 11.25
- 7" Hyacinth blue, pink or white 14.99
- 6" Hydrangea –pink, blue or white 26.25
- 6" Pansies 6.75
- 7" Tulip red, yellow pink, orange, purple or white 14.99

CINCINNATI LUTHERAN NEWSPAPER

Printed copies of the Cincinnati Lutheran are on the chair outside the Sanctuary door. Please take your copy today to see what's been happening at all our area Lutheran churches.

UPCOMING FEDERATION EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR

March 20, 2021
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will host
Dr. Rev. Gregory Seltz
Director of the Lutheran Center for Religious
Liberty in Washington, D.C.

- Dr. Seltz will discuss where we are as a church at this time, in this culture, and why the church really does matter more than ever! Topics include:
- Two Kingdoms, One Mission: The Church in Action for the Sake of the Community and the Gospel
- God at Work, a Two Kingdom Exercise in the American Context: Concerns, Trends, Victories, Engagement
- Set Free to Live Freely for Others! A 2 Kingdom Engagement of the Culture for the Sake of the Mission of the Church

March 20, 2021, 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 9066 Gunpowder Road, Florence, Kentucky 41042

MESSIAH YOUTH NEWS

Life has been tough for everyone lately, so we've decided to challenge our youth to go out into the community and Live Jesus and Share Jesus. Our elementary thru college age youth will receive a gift card in the mail with a flyer explaining the challenge. Basically, they have to use the gift card to Live or Share Jesus with someone else. The only rules are that the card cannot be used on themselves and they must let us know how they used the gift card. We have such wonderful and creative youth, we can't wait to see how they step up to this challenge. Be on the look-out for more updates about this challenge and other exciting opportunities for the youth.

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