

THE CROSS

September 10, 2023



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SUNDAY SCHOOL

SUNDAY SCHOOL & CONFIRMATION



REGISTRATION



Sunday, September 10
Sunday School Registration

9:15 - 9:50 am

Drop by to register for Sunday School, meet some people who help make Sunday School possible, and enjoy some fun games and light snacks.

Sunday, September 17
First Official Day of Sunday School



BACKPACK BLESSING

SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 10
DURING 10AM
WORSHIP

For every
age
including
college

Teachers
can bring
their bag
too!

**Sunday School,
Confirmation &
Youth
registration
form at the end
of The Cross**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday September 10

8am - Worship

9:15am - Sunday School Kick Off

9:15am - Gospel Talk

9:15am - Bell Choir Practice

9:15am - Band Practice

10am - Worship

11am - Sunday School Teacher Meeting

11am - Band Practice

Thursday September 14

12:30pm-3pm - Rainbow Quilters

Sunday September 17

8am - Worship

9:15am - Sunday School

9:15am - Bell Choir Practice

9:15am - Band Practice

10am - Worship

11am - Band Practice

Church Calendar

The church calendar is constantly being updated so to see the most current events please go to our website and click on Resources and then Calendar.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

the family of Ken Fehl as they mourn his loss.

Edie Kozlik for comfort and healing following her upcoming procedure.

Our members facing long term health concerns: Myrna & Jim DeCamp, Shirley Alton, and Mark Wanggaard.

UPCOMING WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

September 10 - 8am

Worship Asst: Stacey Robe

Ushers: Joe Kiemen,
Grace Holm

Communion Asst: Grace Holm

September 10 - 10am

Worship Asst: Stacey Robe

Ushers: Aaron Kozlik,
Connie Gardner

Communion Asst:

Sandy & Jim Georgeson

Power Point Tech:

Valerie Nance

Sound Tech:

Chuck Petrach

Livestream Tech:

Jakob Mohalley

September 17 - 8am

Worship Asst: Jeff Wunderle

Ushers: Joe Kiemen,
Grace Holm

Communion Asst: Grace Holm

September 17 - 10am

Worship Asst: Jeff Wunderle

Ushers: Steve Dues,
Joyce Christopherson

Communion Asst:

Power Point Tech:

Sydney Dues

Sound Tech:

Chuck Petrach

Livestream Tech:

Zeke Petrach



I am excited to announce, on behalf of the Council and Call Committee, that Pastor John Anderson has accepted the call from LCR after our unanimous congregational vote last Sunday. **Pastor John's first services will be on September 24th.** I am, as I am sure you are too, thrilled to know that he will be back among us and leading us as we move forward with our mission of "Growing a Welcoming Community of Christ".

We are also planning a welcome celebration for the Anderson family on October 1st. Please mark your calendar, more details will be coming out soon.

With this news we will be saying goodbye to our Bridge Pastor. **We will thank Pastor Paul and wish him Godspeed during the services on September 17th.** I hope that you can come to worship that Sunday, as he was an integral part of moving us forward during the transition we have gone through.

PRIME TIMERS

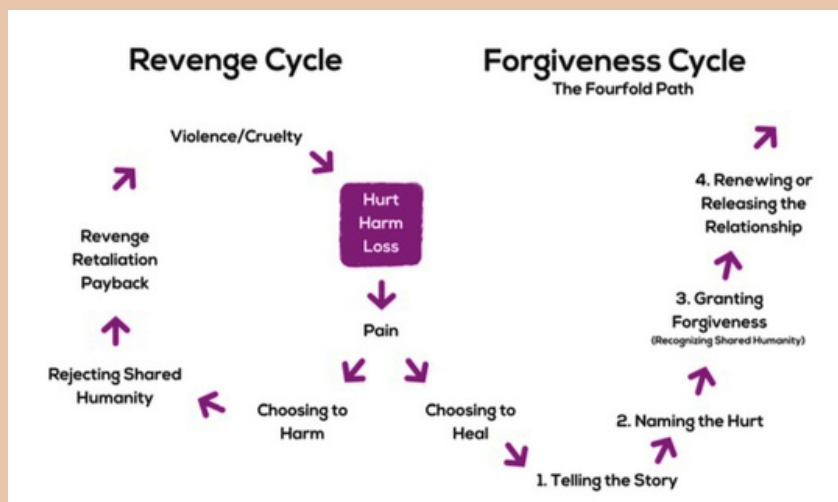
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

AT 1PM

Join us to practice a welcome skit for Pastor John and then play card/board games for an hour. Snacks will be provided.

SUNDAY'S SERMON AND "GOSPEL TALK"

We've been talking about God's politics that came into the world preeminently through Jesus. This week's Gospel Reading from Matthew 18 brings us to the matter of forgiveness. Central to God's politics for this broken world is forgiveness. It is my firm belief that we have not seen God's politics carried out in history as a mass movement until Mahatma Gandhi in the 20th century. Since then, his way of Satyagraha, "Soul Force," has become a permanent fixture in human politics, adopted to many situations – in our own country, in the Civil Rights and Black Lives Matter movements. In other places in the world, a place where we have also seen forgiveness as central to these politics is in South Africa. Nelson Mandela and Desmond Tutu crafted the Commission on Truth and Reconciliation as necessary to bring the possibility of healing to the tremendous hurt and harm wreaked by White Supremacist Racism in their nation. As preparation for this Sunday's sermon and Gospel Talk, I'd like to simply pass along an amazing diagram from Tutu's book on forgiveness. Please join us this Sunday, as we are also launching Sunday School for our children. Remember, we are learning and talking about God's politics for their sakes – that our children have a chance to grow up in a world marked more by healing and wholeness.



BROWN BAG BIBLE STUDY

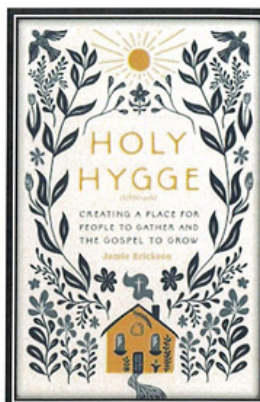
HOLY HYGGE

A New Season! - Welcome All - New and Old
Beginning Wednesday, September 20th
11:30 Bring a Lunch - 12 to 1 Discussion of Introduction
Pick up your Book from Cheryl in the office.

Hygge [HYOO-guh] has become a cultural buzzword. When many read about this Danish practice, their shoulders lift in excitement, then fall in exhale. In a culture of *rush*, *hygge* appeals to their desire for *rest*—for slow living, shared moments, and fostered friendships. *Hygge* has strong ties to beauty, contentment, and well-being. It's warm and inviting. *Hygge* is the opposite of hustle. It eschews abundance. It savors. It takes things slow and envelopes you in sanctuary. *Hygge* is home. When you sit in a comfy chair by the fire, that's *hygge*. When you arrange a fresh bouquet of wildflowers on a bedside table, that's *hygge* too. Candles, soft furnishings, natural light, fresh-baked pastries, intimate gatherings with friends—these are what come to mind when you think of *hygge*. But *hygge* can be so much more.

In *Holy Hygge*, author Jamie Erickson unites the popular Danish practice with the deep, theological truths of the gospel. She unpacks the seven tenets of *hygge*: hospitality, relationships, well-being, atmosphere, comfort, contentment, and rest. In addition, Erickson shows how the external veneer of a lifestyle can create a life-giving home only when placed under the hope of the gospel. *Holy Hygge* provides practical ideas for using *hygge* to gather people and introduce them to faith in Christ.

If you've never been to a Bible discussion, this may be the one for you.
Any questions? Call Mary Hauch at 262-417-071.



Books are
\$10

Happy Birthday!

9/8	Tom Hauch	9/15	Ava Gardner
9/11	Randy Kisley	9/16	Kathy Sheriff
9/11	Dave Wernicke	9/17	Steve Campbell
9/12	Mark Wanggaard	9/17	Colin Gardner
9/13	Bronson Klemick	9/17	Betty Woodhull
9/14	Sydney Dues	9/19	Kirsten Weiss

Happy Anniversary!

9/8	Melissa & Mike Larson	22
9/10	Betty Erbe & Ken Rubin	7
9/10	Ashley & Jacob Vanderhoef	12
9/14	Nicci D'Amour & Edwin Sandle	10
9/20	Kim & Chris Mohalley	33
9/22	Barb & Bob Sharpe	33

SCRIP CARDS ARE AVAILABLE



Scrip cards are available for purchase on Sunday mornings. We ask at this time you pay only by check and make it out to LCR Scrip. If you are looking for a vendor OR a different denomination, you can either access the website at <https://www.raiseright.com/brands> or contact Danielle at 262-989-1999.

LCR STAFF

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Faith Formation Registration for 2023-2024

NOTE: Please complete one form per family and include all children in 4K-12th grade who might participate on Sunday School or Confirmation Programs at LCR this school year.

Family Information

Parent/ Guardian Name(s): _____

*Primary Family Email Address(s): _____

Primary Home Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

*Primary Phone Number: _____ Phone Number 2: _____

May we add your email and cell phone numbers to our church communication system? (Circle one) **Yes** **No**

Emergency Contact (Other than Parent/ Guardian): _____

Phone Number(s): _____ Relation to Child: _____

Are there any adults, not listed above, who are authorized to pick up these students from church? **Yes** **No**

Name(s): _____ Relationship to student: _____ Phone: _____

Student Information – K-6th

Name: _____ Pronouns: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Current School & Grade: _____

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Student Information – 7th -12th

Name: _____ Pronouns: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Current School & Grade: _____

7th – 12th grade student email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

May we add your email and cell phone number to our church communication system? (Circle one) **Yes** **No**

Student Information – 7th – 12th

Name: _____ Pronouns: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Current School & Grade: _____

7th – 12th grade student email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

May we add your email and cell phone number to our church communication system? (Circle one) **Yes** **No**



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Allergy/Medical Information

Do any of the students listed have any known allergies, medical conditions, or special needs? **Yes** **No**

Please explain:

In the case of a medical emergency, all attempts will be made to contact you. Does the church staff have permission to authorize emergency medical care for the children listed on this form, in your absence? **Yes** **No**

Do volunteers have permission to apply sunscreen and/or bug spray on your child as needed? **Yes** **No**

Please list any precautionary steps you would like us to take regarding your child's allergy/medical care:

Media Release

Lutheran Church of the Resurrection is proud to promote the success of its members, students, staff and programs. LCR may use images and video clips of students in materials such as newsletters, website content and postings to official social media platforms. Is it okay to use images of your child on LCR affiliated platforms? (Please note, *we do not tag or name any child or their parent* in social media posts)

Photo: Yes No

Video: Yes No

I want to help make sure all students feel comfortable and welcome at our youth events. Please list any other pertinent information about the students you are registering that you would like to share:

Volunteer Opportunities

LCR Sunday School is run by volunteers. Please check areas where you may be willing to help.

Extra help in the classroom as needed: _____ Provide a snack: _____

Help organize special events/activities: _____ Miscellaneous needs: _____

Other: _____

Dates interested in helping (if known): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

SEASON OF
CREATION



Let Justice and Peace Flow

Season of Creation 2023

SATURDAY SEPT. 16 AT 9 AM
5637 ERIE ST. RACINE, WI 53402

Please arrive by 8:45 am. Donations will be accepted for the
Habitat for Humanity Solar Housing Project.



Morning of Saturday, September 30

Join all of your friends at the Outreach for Hope 2023 Family Ride Run Walk, and help fundraise \$160K for grants to ministries serving neighborhoods experiencing material poverty in the Greater Milwaukee Synod, ELCA!

FOUR SITE OPTIONS:

Each site offers a **road and/or trail bike ride** unless otherwise noted, a **5K fun run**, **2-mile walk**, and **fellowship-only participant** and **volunteer** options.

- **Dousman:** Meets at Cory Municipal Park
- **Grafton:** Meets at Grace Lutheran Church, Grafton
- **Kenosha:** Meets at Petrifying Springs Park
- **Milwaukee:** Meets at Washington Park - no bike rides at this site

Pay-what-you-can registration includes a free event t-shirt, picnic lunch, and access to our online fundraising platform.

Register + learn more starting July 18
at OFHRRW.org



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