

THE CROSS

January 21, 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS Sunday January 21

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8am - Worship

9:15am - Sunday School 9:15am - Band Practice

10am - Worship

11am - First Communion Class 11am - Band Practice 11am-2pm - Fellowship Hall Reserved 6pm - Youth Night

Tuesday January 23 8am-11am - Sew & Sews

Wednesday January 24

6:30pm - Confirmation at Mount Pleasant

Sunday January 28

8:30am - Band Practice
9:30am - Worship followed by
the Annual Meeting
6pm - Youth Night

CHURCH CALENDAR

The church calendar is always changing. To see the most updated calendar, please go to our website. Click on the Resources tab on the top and then Calendar.



JOIN US FOR WORSHIP ON SUNDAY AT 8AM & 10AM!



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Joyce Christopherson for healing from health concerns.

Dave Sandgren for healing and comfort following his knee surgery.

Heather as she faces ongoing health concerns.

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

UPCOMING WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

January 21 - 8am
Worship Asst: Jay Weiss
Ushers: Joe Kiemen,
Grace Holm
Communion Asst:
Grace Holm

January 21 - 10am
Worship Asst: Jay Weiss
Ushers: Pam Tague,
Joyce Christopherson
Communion Asst:
Danielle Smith, Rachel Petrach
Power Point Tech:
Maddie Baumgardt
Sound Tech:
Chuck Petrach
Livestream Tech:
Zeke Petrach

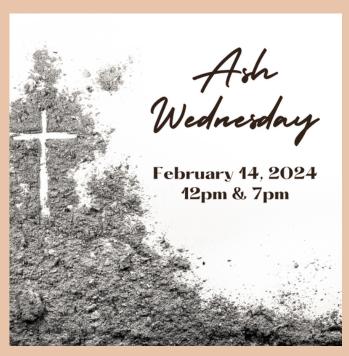
<u>January 28 - 9:30am</u> Worship Asst: Jeff Wunderle Ushers: Valerie Nance

Communion Asst:

Power Point Tech:
Carol Gavigan
Sound Tech:
Chris Mohalley
Livestream Tech:
Gayle Wint



The Nursery will be available and staffed during the 9:30am service on January 28 and also for the Annual Meeting which follows the service.



A meal will be served after the Noon service and at 6pm before the 7pm service.



LENTEN SERVICES

Lenten services begin with Ash Wednesday services on February 14 at 12pm & 7pm. A soup lunch will follow each 12pm service. The soup lunch sign up for bringing soup, bread or dessert will be available during the Annual Meeting. A meal will be served at 6pm before the 7pm service. The Youth will be providing the meal. Please consider a free will offering that will help to support the Youth going to the ELCA Youth Gathering this year.

Hello All!

This Lent we will be journeying through the Gospel of John. The Gospel of John is the most deeply spiritual of the four gospels. This writing is filled with rich images and profound truths, but John notes that his aim in writing the gospel is that readers will not only believe in Jesus Christ, but that they "may have life in his name." Adults, youth, and children alike are invited to experience a season of spiritual growth and life-changing renewal as we study the Gospel of John through Adam Hamilton's sixweek series, "John: The Gospel of Light and Life."

Through this Study you'll follow the life, ministry, death, and resurrection of Jesus through the Gospel of John and understand the context of some of the best-known verses in the New Testament.

The Class will be offered every Tuesday, beginning February 20 at 11am and 6pm.

There is a book that can be purchased as part of the study. A link for that book can be found here:

"The Gospel of Light and Life" by Adam Hamilton:

https://www.amazon.com/John-Gospel-Light-Life/dp/1501805339

An additional (and EXCELLENT) book that can be used along with our study (though not required) can be found here:

"Word of Life: A Theology of John's Gospel" by Craig Koester:

https://www.amazon.com/Word-Life-Theology-Johns-Gospel/dp/0802829384

Love and Peace!

-Pastor John

Happy Birthday!

1/19	Sandy Georgeson	1/27	Milou Sandle
1/19	Dale Kangas	1/27	Lori Wernicke
1/20	Jim Nielsen	1/28	Tom Bunker
1/21	Carmen Mortensen	1/28	Tyler Israel
1/22	Julie Pfeffer	1/29	Kim Campbell
1/23	Jan Koechell	1/29	Floyd Curran
1/23	Barb Steberl	1/30	Devan Belanger
1/24	Shirley Alton	1/30	Mallory Larson
1/25	Frank Studrawa	1/31	Ken Rubin

Happy Anniversary!

There are no January or early February anniversaries



SCRIP CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Scrip cards are available for purchase on Sunday mornings. Checks can be made out to LCR Scrip. If you have any questions contact Danielle at 262-989-1999.

LCR STAFF



LOST AND FOUND

If any of these items in the Lost and Found are yours, please claim them by January 28 otherwise they will be donated. The walker has been here since Easter 2023. Hopefully a miracle happened and someone was able to walk out of church!

