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IN TOUCH with St. Peter's . . . Sharing Our Ministry with You

March 3 & 4, 2018

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THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S:

Sunday, March 4, 8:00 and 10:45 worship, 9:30 SS and adult Bible Class, Christ Lutheran K-2nd sing, 10:45 service. **4:00, Town Hall Meeting LL. HELPING HANDS COLLECTED TODAY.**

Monday, March 5, 5:30 Outreach, 6:30-8:30, Life with God 1, LL.

Tuesday, March 6, **9:00 Town Hall Meeting LL**, 10:00-11:30, Bible Class LL, 6:00 Finance and Education, 7:00 Elders.

Wednesday, March 7, Noon and 7:00 Lent 4 Services, 5:00 Connect Leaders meal, 6:00 Connect/Confirmation. 7:30 Preschool and Leaders.

Thursday, March 8, NOON Kiwanis, 6:30-7:30 Law and Gospel Class Lower Level (LL)

Friday, March 9, Pastor's day off.

Saturday, March 10, 9:00, Pastor Mews at Camp Cilca Board meeting, 5:30 Saturday Worship with Communion.

WELCOME To Christ Lutheran School's K-2nd grade choir as they bless us with music at today's 10:45 service. "Sing a joyful noise unto the Lord!"

Thought for this worship: *"Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth and the life, no one comes to the Father, except through me." John 14:6.*



Luther's thought for this worship: "No denier of a Divine Christ is a Christian. We have not invented these texts on the Eternal Godhead of Christ."

****TOWN HALL MEETINGS: "We are the body of Christ!" There are still 5 town hall meetings left for you to attend. We'd like 100% involvement!**

UP COMING EVENTS:

**Lent services each Wed. during Lent at Noon and 7:00, "The Fruit of the Spirit!"

**TOWN HALL MEETINGS throughout March, Watch for information.

**March Newsletters are complete and have been emailed, extras are in the lower narthex.

WORSHIP:

New 2018 Easter Worship Schedule, Mark your calendars!

6:30, Sunrise Communion Service.

8:45, Traditional Easter Service.

11:00, Informal Easter Service with praise band.

Fruit of the Spirit from the Passion of Christ!" "Glory in The Cross!"

The 2018 Lent and Easter services will focus on "The Fruit of the Spirit from the Passion of Christ." This series focuses on the fruit of the Spirit manifested by Christ in His Passion. It's goal is to enable the fruit in the lives of believers. "The Freedom of Christ has set us free." This freedom isn't to serve our sinful nature, but to have true freedom, to glory in the cross of Christ as we walk in the Spirit and show forth the fruits of the spirit in our lives through love being servants to one another. ***Through inspirational sermons, timeless hymns, faithful liturgies, worshipers will be blessed to receive the gifts of Christ's Passion in the Fruits of the Spirit.***

Wednesday, March 7, "Goodness from the passion of the Christ," Matthew 26:57-68.

Wednesday, March 14, "Self- Control from the passion of the Christ," Matthew 26:69-75

Wednesday, March 21, "Peace from the Passion of The Christ," Matthew 27:11-14

(Connect and Confirmation Students Sing!)

MARCH 2018 SERMONS:

Sunday, March 4, 3rd Sunday of Lent, "If you are not for Me, You're against Me." Luke 11:14-28

Sunday, March 11, 4th Sunday of Lent, "God Blesses Us to be Godly Managers." Exodus 20:2-21

Sunday, March 18, 5th Sunday of Lent, "Securing Eternal Redemption." Hebrews 9:11-15

Sunday, March 25, Palm Sunday, "Humble and Mounted." Zechariah 9:9-12

(Palm Sunday Breakfast and Easter Egg Hunt at 9:30 A.M., Multi-purpose Room!)

MATURING DISCIPLES:

SUNDAY A.M., This Sunday, 3/4, Bible Study over **The Book of Acts.** We meet 9:30-10:30 in The LOWER LEVEL, Today, Acts, chapters 13-14. ALL are welcome!

****TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS:** Continues on March 6, Classes gather in the lower level from 10:00-11:30, with its study over "**The Book of Isaiah.**" This week chapter 59.

****THURSDAY NIGHT "IN DEPTH" BIBLE STUDY:** CFW. Walther's "**Law and Gospel,**" a book which clearly illuminates the Scripture. All are welcome and you need to bring nothing.

++2018 WINTER "Luther's Small Catechism" LIFE WITH GOD 1, (LWG 1) continues with 11 attending, the class is now closed and gathers on Mondays, from 6:30-8:30, we are using The 2018 New Luther's Small Catechism. We gather in the Lower Level. LL.

YOUTH AND FAMILY:

1. *Weekday School/Confirmation is now called "**Connect,**" it gathers every Wednesday at 6:00. If you have a child from the 3rd grade to the 8th grade and are interested, call the Church office or Pastor Mews.*
2. **Connect/Conf. students and their families will worship with us during Lent.**
3. **Confirmation Parents' meeting on Wednesday, March 21 at 7:30, LL.**

MISSIONS/KYRIE "HEARTS AND HOPE FOR UGANDA (HH4U)

Remember to bring in your aluminum cans for recycling.

1. ***LOVE PACKAGES: Missions is collecting used Bibles and used Christian materials to send to Love packages. A box is located in the narthex to collect these items.***

***KEEP THOSE HOSPITALIZED OR WITH IMMEDIATE MEDICAL NEEDS IN OUR**

PRAYERS Gloria Burton, Eldon Schoedel, Lori Gunther, Pat Quitschau, Tracy Turner Tom Magnusson's sister, Mike Sutton, Tom Magarity Pat Magarity's brother, Dave brother of Julie Parlier, Tony Walker father of Ashley Walker, Richard & Judy Kaps, Marj Dodson, Delores Boettcher, mother of Dan Boettcher hospitalized, Floyd Nyman, Jack Crum in AZ., Phyllis Nicely mother of Lisa Mews, Cindy Parrott, Jacklyn Williams OSF, Wayne Morris, Lyle Wright, Don Theobald, Deb Feehan, Sherron Quiring-Pullen, Marjorie Cutright Aunt of Les Newton.

Pray and remember those homebound, hospitalized/having surgery/testing this week; Sherron Quiring-Pullen, diagnosed with cancer, Wayne Morris, Pekin Manor.

FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY AND THOSE SERVING IN HARM'S WAY!

Andrew Benedict, Jereme Martin, Brady Martin, Dalton Belcher (deployed), Jacob Brandt (deployed Japan), Joe & Jake Gunther, Michael Lewis, Roger & David Masters, Trent Barron, Doug and Delia Gardner, Lauren Tranchitella.



Easter Lilies, 30 ordered, \$13.00 each, there will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board, make checks payable to St Peters, give payments to Joy Williams. Thanks.

Christ Lutheran Open House:

Our annual Open House will be held on Thursday, March 8th. We are inviting prospective parents (Childcare and Kindergarten – 8th Grade) who are interested in enrollment for the 2018-2019 school year. Please share an invitation with anyone you think might be interested.

Attendance & Comparison for the Fourth Week of February, Month, & Lent

Totals for the Fourth Week			Totals for the Feb			Lenten Season Services		
SERVICE	2018	2017	SERVICE	2018	2017	SERVICE	2018	2017
Saturday	32	14	Saturday	129	106	Ash Wed	117	104
8:00	48	50	8:00	269	213	Feb 21	55	67
10:45	74	74	10:45	259	283	Feb 28	51	56
Total	154	138	Total	657	602	Total	223	227