



The Latest Word

*"Making God Known
Through Word and Deed."*

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Job Opportunity

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer, Watertown is accepting applications for the full-time position of Worship and Music Coordinator. LCOOR has worship on Wednesday and Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings. Applicants who are interested in more information are encouraged to look at the job description and application on the church website at lcoorwatertown.org. Any questions, please call the church office: 886-2696. Salary is based on experience and qualifications.

WELCA Gathering April 29 in Veblen

All are invited to attend the Prairie Coteau Conference Women of the ELCA Spring Gathering on Saturday, April 29 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Veblen. The \$10 registration fee includes lunch. For additional information, contact Twila in the church office.

Maundy Thursday

Maundy Thursday, also known as Holy Thursday, is a commemoration of the Last Supper and the Washing of the Feet (a ceremony symbolizing love and service). We gather with Christians around the world to celebrate the Three Days of Jesus' death and resurrection. On Maundy Thursday we remember Christ's last meal with his disciples, but the central focus is his commandment that we live out the promise embodied in this meal. As Jesus washed his disciples' feet, so we are called to give and receive love in humble service to one another. Formed into a new body in Christ through Jesus' love and sacrifice, we are transformed by the mercy we have received and carry it into the world.

Plan to join us for Maundy Thursday worship with Holy Communion at **6:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 6th.**

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday (April 2nd):
Kids Sing for Worship with Procession of Palms at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Maundy Thursday (April 6th):
Worship with Holy Communion at 6:30 p.m.

Good Friday (April 7th):
Tenebrae Worship at 6:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday (April 9th) with Holy Communion:
7:00 a.m. Worship w/ Handbells
8:30 a.m. Worship with the Praise & Rejoice Choir
10:30 a.m. Worship with the Praise & Rejoice Choir

Good Friday Tenebrae Worship

Come, experience Tenebrae worship on Good Friday. In this service of "shadows" or "darkness" we will experience the loss of light at the death of Christ.

Tenebrae Services will be held **Friday, April 7th at 6:30 p.m.**



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MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTORS

March 2023

Dear friend in Christ,

As this letter is sent to you in March, the earth is struggling to gain release from the grip of winter and to enter into spring. That is a vivid picture of what many people are experiencing as they anticipate what many Christians like to call “Resurrection Sunday,” or Easter.

This unique day is more than just a highlight of the church calendar. It is more than just a special Lord’s Day when churches around the world are decorated with Easter lilies. It is more than just a special occasion for wearing new outfits. It is more than just a time for favorite foods and fellowship with family and friends. It is the celebration of our Lord’s victory over sin and death. What we celebrate in observing “Resurrection Sunday” is really the basis for our faith. As the Apostle Paul observed correctly, if Christ had not been raised from the dead, our faith would be worthless, and we would be without hope. But praise God, Christ has risen and provided salvation for us!

As you celebrate this special “Resurrection Sunday,” Easter 2023, please make every effort to be in worship at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer. There’s nothing quite like joining with other Christians in loving worship and adoration of our Risen Lord.

As you do so, would you consider a special “thank-offering” to the Lord’s work here? This, too, can be a form of celebrating “Resurrection Sunday.” And as you consider this opportunity, please consider what God would have you to give in response to His love poured out for you at Calvary and at the empty tomb. As we enter the second quarter of the year, the needs are great, but our Lord — who made the ultimate sacrifice and demonstrated first-hand the power of the resurrection — is greater!

As you give, and as you celebrate Christ’s victory over sin and death, may the power, presence and love of our Risen Lord be yours!



Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dan Overbo". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dan Overbo
Senior Pastor

FINANCIAL NEWS

February 2023 Financial Report

Revenue		\$	69,329.35
Expenses		\$	81,619.88
Change in General Fund		\$	(12,290.53)
Revenue to Date		\$	265,516.96
Expenses to Date		\$	168,674.97
% of Budget Year Completed			16.67%
Annual Budgeted Income for 2023		\$	1,067,619.19
% of Budgeted Income Received YTD			24.87%
Annual Budgeted Expense for 2023		\$	1,067,619.19
% of Budgeted Expenses Incurred YTD			15.80%

Thrivent Choice Deposits

One good act leads to another. And the impact grows. Thanks to eligible members of Thrivent Financial, that's what we've experienced through the Thrivent Choice® program.

Through your individual recommendation, you have helped to make a difference. The outreach funding we've received from Thrivent Financial through this program is continuing our important mission. Thank you for your support.

LCOOR Christian Preschool - \$597

Thank you - Rod & Nancy Iverson, Dan Jenson and Dale & Marjorie Rothenberger

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer – \$684

Thank you - Charles Arneson, Tony Beyer, Craig Boyens, Burdette & Janet Drake, Sam Hatlestad, Gerry Likness, Sharon Malcom, Kay Moe, Lana Ronning, Don Scharn, Kym Thompson and Bonnie Werpy-Rye

Simply Giving Program



The Simply Giving® Program is an automated stewardship program that helps members live generously. It's a convenient, safe and simple way for individuals to make automatic payments through electronic funds transfer (EFT) directly from a checking, savings, debit or credit card account.

Electronic Giving is a convenient, consistent way to help our church year-round. Consider scheduling a recurring electronic contribution today. It's easy! You will no longer need to write out checks and prepare envelopes every week. Even when travel, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, your electronic contributions will continue to be received on an uninterrupted basis.

Get started today by completing an Authorization Form! Forms are available at the Welcome Center or from Jodi Spilde in the church office.

Questions regarding the Simply Giving Program? Call or stop by the church office and Jodi will be happy to answer any questions you may have. 605.886.2696.

FINANCIAL NEWS & MISSION OF THE MONTH

\$170.00 given in Memorials & Special Gifts since last printing

Special Gifts (Endowment/Missions)

- given in memory of Irving Hinderaker by Bernie & Margaret Hanson

Prayer Shawl Ministry

- given in memory of Dean Thompson by Rod & Shellie Thompson
- given in memory of Irving Hinderaker by Pam Luckhurst
- given in memory of Harry Pieschke

Timmerman Scholarships

Watertown High School Graduates that will be entering 1st or 2nd year of education or technical training at a South Dakota State supported institution are eligible to apply for one of three \$500 scholarships. Information and applications are available in the church office, at the Welcome Center or online at <https://lcoorwatertown.org/> under the RESOURCES tab. **Registration Deadline is 5/31/2023.**

February Mission of the Month Results

Lutherans Outdoors of South Dakota (LOSD) was the Mission lifted up in February. \$908.23 was brought in through offering and Noisy Can. They also received \$1,000 that was budgeted for this mission. THANK YOU for supporting camping ministry through LOSD.

AmazonSmile

On February 13th we received a deposit in the amount of \$115.80 for our Preschool Program. Unfortunately, the AmazonSmile program has been discontinued as of the end of February. Thank you to everyone who has supported our preschool program through AmazonSmile.

April Mission of the Month- LCOOR Christian Preschool

- The LCOOR Christian Preschool began in September 1986 with an enrollment of 16 students.
- Today the Preschool has 18 students enrolled in the 4/5 year old Mon.-Thurs. morning program and 9 students enrolled in the afternoon program.
- The Director/Teacher is Nikki Landmark with Wendy Kruger as the Classroom Paraprofessional.

The preschool's key emphasis is on the development of socialization skills along with cognitive, language, gross & fine motor skills. Each week a Bible story is shared with the students along with a variety of music and verses. The students also have Chapel time once a month with the Pastors.

The Christian Preschool operates on tuition, special gifts (an example: Thrivent Choice Dollars) and fundraiser profits.

Mission of the month dollars are above and beyond your regular giving. Please clearly mark your offering with (Mission of the Month - Preschool) during April. Thank You for Your Support!

*"Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their life."
Proverbs 22:6*

Mobile Offering



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TAP link that pops up

YOUTH MINISTRY

with Philip Lickei



*"To Move Freely. One Must
be Deeply Rooted"*

APRIL 2023



HIGH SCHOOL HANG-OUT!!

The youth room will be available for getting together to just hang out, to play some Nintendo Wii, or challenge your friends to a round of foosball or air-hockey or to have a study group. . Drinks and snacks will always be available (for a small cost) as will hot chocolate and cappuccino. Bring some friends and join us for some awesome fellowship! HS Hang-out will take place on:
April 12, 19 & 26 (No HS Hang-out on April 5 / Holy Week)

7TH/8TH GRADE CONFIRMATION

Workshop dates for the month of April are...
April 12– Workshop #23 April 19 – Workshop #24
April 26 – Workshop #25

HS COFFEE & CONVERSATION

- Every **Monday afternoon at 4:00 pm**, come to LCOOR & join other HS youth for lively conversation while enjoying you're delicious drink! This is a time for us to touch base with one another as we share in our joys and concerns and navigate our ups and downs as a community of faith. This month we will gather on **April 3, 17 & 24**

MS MERGE & ROUTE 56

For the month of April, we will meet on **Sunday, April 23**. We will gather at the church at **3:00 pm and be done at 4:30 pm**. Super fun activities, games and wonderful treats will be on deck for the afternoon. As always, friends are welcome!!

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR RECOGNITION... MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

At the Worship Services on **Wednesday, May 17 and Sunday, May 21** we will honor our seniors as you prepare for the next adventure in your lives.

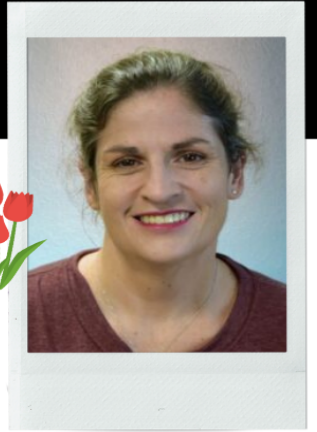
You may choose which service you would like to attend. The options are...

Wednesday, May 17 at the 6:30 pm Worship
Sunday, May 21 at the 8:30 am Worship
Sunday, May 21 at the 10:30 am Worship

Along with being recognized you will be given a Prayer Shawl made by members of LCOOR. Please contact Philip at the church with any questions. Thanks!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

By Rachel Clendenin



Spring is God's way of saying, "One More Time!"

Henry Sneed



April Greetings from the Education Wing! The quote above brings to mind a Rock Concert, with the lead singer encouraging the high-energy audience to join the band, "ONE MORE TIME!" The crowd grows wild, almost to a deafening pitch. In a way, this is what God is doing when He launches Spring. Though it has been a long, lonnggg winter, the promise of the energy, brightness, newness is still in view. The newness of Spring, though we've heard it before, is a promise of continuation, life after death, Jesus rising from the dead, again, for our salvation! The wait is arduous, almost painful, it comes with hope and security knowing this is going to happen, because God loves us and always keeps His promises. The concert of Spring, its energy, almost erupts overnight, all with God's boundlessness. So, we hold tight for the annual encore of Spring – God's promise, as it rises to a pitch that sings to us all.

In the world of Christian Education at LCOOR, we have been plodding along, through the snow (hoping for Spring)! The kiddos have been learning about listening to God in the Adam and Eve Story, having faith in God with Abram and Sarai (Abraham and Sarah), doing the right thing when Jesus heals the blind man, and having faith with the Woman at the Well. Lots of varied topics to talk to the kiddos, and they would love to tell you about what they know!

Rt. 56 & MS Merge have enjoyed fellowship while learning about Sabaki Ball, a new game from Pastor Dan! The kiddos had a great time and burned a great deal of energy!

For more information on Lutheran Outdoors of South Dakota (NeSoDak, Outlaw Ranch, and Klein Ranch) camps, please contact me at rachel@lcoorwatertown.org or at the Church 605-886-2696.

DATES TO KNOW:

- Sunday, April 2, 2023:** Children sing at both Services.
- Wednesday, April 5, 2023:** No Wednesday Activities! Easter Break!
- Thursday, April 6, 2023:** Maundy Thursday Services!
- Sunday, April 9, 2023:** No Church School! Happy Easter!
- Sunday, April 23, 2023:** Rt. 56 and MS Merge
- Sunday, May 7 and Wednesday, May 10:** *First Communion Class for any student 2nd grade and older who have not taken the class. Grown-ups, please attend with your kiddos!*
- Sunday, May 14 and Wednesday, May 17:** *First Communion*

As we move into the Concert of Spring, the everlasting promise of God, let's hold out hope in Jesus, he will rise "one more time!"

HAPPY EASTER,
HE IS RISEN!
HE IS RISEN INDEED!

*Blessings -
Rachel*



WORSHIP MUSIC & MINISTRY

Projection Team

Every worship experience is enhanced with visual and audio elements. If you have an interest in technology, you too, could be a part of this dynamic group. Training is provided, as well as scheduling to fit your schedule.

Sound & Projection Team members take turns at the sound and projection table at the back of the sanctuary. They help to enhance our worship services by mixing sound for the Worship Team, Praise & Rejoice Choir, Handbell Choir, special music and for the pastors, projecting song lyrics, special events and special video offerings on the front sanctuary walls and videotaping worship services. Members of the team provide an important service by enhancing the sharing of God's word with the congregation.

Romans 8:23 says, *And, we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.* There is a place for everyone at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer. Maybe yours is serving on the Sound & Projection Team. Team members are needed on Saturday evenings, Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings during the school year and weekends throughout the summer. Contact Robbyn in the church office for more information or to indicate your interest in helping with this special ministry at (605) 886-2696 or robbyn@lcoorwatertown.org



Altar Committee

The Altar Committee provides an opportunity for nearly everyone to serve. Parents and youth, couples, grandparents and grandchildren...are all able to join this ministry in preparing the elements for the sacrament of Holy Communion. Ten volunteers are needed each week that communion is served at LCOOR worship services. The more people there are to call upon to prepare for communion, the fewer times one needs to serve. Please prayerfully consider serving in this vital ministry of your church. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Pam Luckhurst at 881-7196, Pam Raeder at 886-9628 or call Robbyn in the church office.

WORSHIP MUSIC & MINISTRY

Applying Bible Principles

"God Owns It All" is the chapter heading in a book by a Christian author who presents this chapter first as the foundation for money management and giving.

God does own it all! This is the teaching of Psalm 24:1 which says, "The earth is the Lord's." Psalm 50:10 says that all of the beasts of the field belong to God, and that the cattle on a thousand hills are His. Haggai 2:8 says that God even owns the silver and gold in all the mines.

Now, He allows us to use what rightfully belongs to Him, but God continues to retain the ownership. We are managers and stewards of what God has entrusted to us. Someday, when we stand before Him, we shall give an account of what kind of job we have done in managing the resources which God has allowed us to use.

That's why every spending decision becomes a spiritual decision. Every time we use some of God's money, we are making a decision which has eternal ramifications.

Are you using money and possessions as if they belong to you, or are you making spending decisions with the full realization that it all belongs to God?

Sound & Projection Operators Needed at Holy Week Services

Are you being called to serve as a Sound & Projection Operator at Holy Week services? Opportunities are available to serve at the Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter services.

If you are a member of the Sound & Projection Team, please consider signing up to serve at these services, as well. Please let Roger know if you are interested in serving with either of these important ministries. An online sign-up is available at www.lcoorwatertown.org → Ministry → Worship & Music Opportunities → → Sound & Projection for Lent & Holy Week.

Serve Your Congregation- Help with Worship during Lenten & Holy Week

Even if you are not scheduled to serve this month; please sign up online at www.lcoorwatertown.org → Serve → Click Here to Volunteer at Worship in April...or contact Twila in the church office. There are many extra services throughout Lent and during Holy Week which offer many more opportunities to serve. Remember, this is also a great service opportunity for the confirmation youth and their families.

FELLOWSHIP & MINISTRY

New Members to be Welcomed in May

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer welcomes new members all year round – and we “officially” receive new members during our worship services twice a year. We will recognize new members during worship on May 3 (Wednesday), May 6 (Saturday) and May 7 (Sunday). If you are interested in learning more about becoming a member, please stop by the Welcome Center or contact Twila in the Church Office by calling 605-886-2696.

Meals on Wheels “Thanks”

A hearty “Thank You” to all the amazing volunteers who showed up during a week’s worth of freezing, windy and icy conditions to deliver Meals on Wheels last month! Every 10th week, LCOOR volunteers deliver Meals on Wheels in Watertown. If you would like information on helping in May, please contact Twila in the church office.

LWR Quilt & Kit Shipping Fund

When we make LWR Quilts and Kits, we join countless others across the country who reach out to people in need around the world through this ministry.

Lutheran World Relief spends around \$1.3 million to operate this program, distributing about \$13 million worth of quilts and kits each year. Those funds, combined with the generosity of donors, ensure LWR has the resources needed to move these items around the world. You can help!

LWR’s Approximate Cost to Deliver Quilts and Kits Overseas

One Quilt	\$2.25
One School Kit	\$1.40
One Personal Care Kit	\$2.65*
One Baby Care Kit	\$1.30
One Fabric Kit	\$1.00

*Includes the cost of tooth paste to go with the Personal Care Kit.

The fall of 2022 LCOOR sent these items to LWR. These dollar amounts represent the shipping cost to deliver overseas.

187 Quilts	\$420.75
25 Baby Care Kits	\$32.50
1 Fabric Kits	\$1.00
4 Personal Care Kits	\$10.60
85 School Kits	\$119.00



Matt Tuneberg, manager of the warehouse in S. St. Paul, Minn., with boxes of quilts and kits ready for shipment

Sponsor a Quilt or Kit!



How wonderful it would be to cover the shipping costs of the quilts and kits that we sent to Lutheran World Relief last year. When giving to this ministry, please clearly notate: **LWR Quilt & Kit Shipping Fund.**

DISH TO PASS

By Twila Schmitt



*"He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me, along life's narrow way."*

You know that "nudge" you sometimes feel to do something for someone? Maybe it's a thought to pick up the phone and call someone? Or purchase an extra jar of peanut butter or jelly to drop off in Kathy's Kart at church? Or simply to write a note and drop it in the mail?

It's easy to let the moment pass, get busy with life and let these moments go. But as we celebrate Easter early this month, we begin an entire new year of opportunity.

*"I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today; I know that He is living, whatever men may say;
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer, And just the time I need Him, He's always near."*

In our minds, we might think of the little things we do as "good deeds." And while that might be true, they are really ways to serve! When we deliver a Caring Casserole to new parents or someone who has just been in the hospital, we are ultimately saying, "God loves you -- and so do I."

How many times have you thought about picking up a prayer shawl for a friend or neighbor who could use some extra prayers? I can assure you that it is never too late! You can stop by Welcome Center or the church office any time to pick one out.

There are endless ways that we can step up, take action and show how much we care! We recently had the opportunity for everyone here at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer to update their "Time and Talents" through a brief worksheet. Maybe you filled one out? *(And we thank you!)* Maybe you thought, "I'll just tell somebody when I'm ready to help." *(And we hope you will!)* Or maybe you've been feeling that little nudge since that time? *(We encourage you to act on it!)*

"He lives, He lives, salvation to impart! You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart."

Happy Easter! Amen!

IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR A FUN SPRINGTIME SALAD, YOU'LL WANT TO TRY PATTI SCHULL'S "FRUIT SALAD." IT WOULD BE PERFECT FOR EASTER PREPARED WITH COLORFUL MINI MARSHMALLOWS.

FRUIT SALAD

1 PKG MINI MARSHMALLOWS	1 (8-OZ.) CAN MANDARIN ORANGES, DRAINED
1 (16-OZ) CAN CRUSHED PINEAPPLE	2 BANANAS, SLICED
1 (16-OZ) CAN FRUIT COCKTAIL	MARASCHINO CHERRIES FOR GARNISH
1 PKS (2 C.) RING MACARONI	½ PT. RICH'S WHIP
2 EGGS, SLIGHTLY BEATEN	1 T. LEMON JUICE
1 T. FLOUR	½ C. SUGAR



COMBINE EGGS, FLOUR, LEMON JUICE AND SUGAR AND THE JUICES FROM THE FRUIT COCKTAIL AND PINEAPPLE. COOK UNTIL THICK. SET ASIDE TO COOL COMPLETELY. COOK MACARONI ACCORDING TO DIRECTIONS. RINSE WITH COLD WATER AND COOL. COMBINE COOKED MACARONI, PINEAPPLE, FRUIT COCKTAIL, MANDARIN ORANGES, MARSHMALLOWS, AND BANANAS. FOLD IN THE "JUICE MIX." PREPARE RICH'S WHIP ACCORDING TO PACKAGE DIRECTIONS AND FOLD INTO THE FRUIT/MACARONI. COOL BEFORE SERVING. ENJOY!

LCOOR PRESCHOOL NEWS



Fun for Dr. Suess Week!



We are looking forward to next year and we would love to have your child join us!! If interested please contact Nikki or Wendy at 886-2696 or check us out at www.lcoorwatertown.org and see why LCOOR Preschool is the best place for your child to learn and grow!!



April is the month when LCOOR Preschool starts its annual fundraising. The Preschool is also the Mission of the Month for April.

Starting Saturday, April 1st for the whole month of April, we will have a "Giving Wall" by the Welcome Center to support the Preschool. We will also have Rada Cutlery catalogs and order forms there. If you wish to purchase Rada Cutlery, you can also order online:

<https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=1020874.b7255>

Please help us raise funds for this WONDERFUL program and THANK YOU for all you do to help us spread God's word and his love to these children.



April Dates to Remember:

April 10th-No School
Easter Monday
April 20th -No School
Parent-Teacher Conferences
April 21st -
Parent-Teacher Conferences
April 24th-
Fundraising packets due



Care to help our preschool?

All help is appreciated.

- *New/Used Toys
- *Classroom Giving Tree
- *Snacks/Juice
- *Thrivent Choice Dollars
- *Scrip Dollars
- *Support our fundraisers



Email: preschool@lcoorwatertown.org
Facebook: LCOOR Preschool Phone: 886-2696



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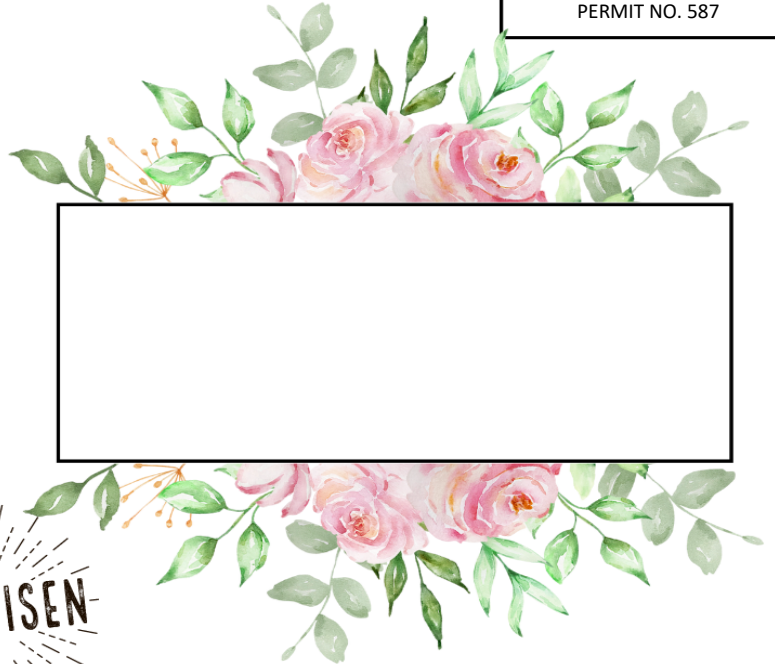
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Salvation Army Needs- Peanut Butter & Jelly

Our friends at The Salvation Army tell us that peanut butter and jelly are ALWAYS in demand at the Food Pantry! Let's help fill their shelves during April by bringing jars of peanut butter and jelly to Kathy's Karts at LCOOR. We can make a huge difference one jar at a time!



HE IS RISEN

The Latest Word



A monthly publication of Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer.

Deadline for the May 2023 Newsletter:
Thursday, April 20, 2023

Staff

- Senior Pastor..... Dan Overbo
- Associate Pastor..... Laura Overbo
- Youth Ministry Director..... Philip Lickei
- Christian Education Director..... Rachel Clendenin
- Preschool Teacher/Director..... Nikki Landmark
- Preschool Teacher Aide..... Wendy Kruger
- Worship & Music Coordinator..... Robbyn Givens
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Facebook

www.facebook.com/lcoor



Youtube

<https://www.youtube.com/c/LutheranChurchofOurRedeemer>

Prayer Shawls Available

Prayer shawls created by members of Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer are available to anyone to be shared with family and friends. Prayer shawls can be given as a source of comfort as well as celebration. Stop by the church office or Welcome Center for more information.

Circles & Bible Study

Priscilla and Martha Circles will meet in April, focusing on the Bible study in the March/April Gather magazine. Copies of the study can be found in the Church Office. All are invited to attend!

- Priscilla Circle will meet at 9:30 a.m. **Wednesday, April 5**, in the Gathering Space.
- Martha Circle will meet at 2 p.m. **Tuesday, April 11**, in the Gathering Space.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 8:30am Contemporary Worship 9:30am Church School 10:30am Traditional Worship 3:00pm MS Merge/Rt. 56	27 8:00am Watertown Sandwich Ministry 2:00pm Maple Place Communion 4:00pm HS Coffee & Conversation @ LCOOR 6:45pm AI-Anon	28 11:00am Area Pastor TEXT STUDY 1:00pm Staff Meeting 6:30pm LCOOR Craft Night 6:30pm Worship & Music Committee Meeting	29 8:00am Watertown Sandwich Ministry 4:45pm Community Meal 5:30pm Church School 6:30pm Lenten Worship led by Youth Music Team / C.S. Students Sing 7:15pm 7/8 Confirmation Workshop 7:15pm Handbell Rehearsal 7:15pm HS Hang-Out 7:30pm Praise & Rejoice Choir Rehearsal	30 2:00pm Fellowship Committee 5:15pm AI-Anon	31 Church Office Closes at Noon 2022 Thrivent Choice Dollars direction deadline 8:00am Watertown Sandwich Ministry	1 5:30pm Traditional Worship with Holy Communion 6:30pm Saturday Evening Meal
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