



Newsletter

Swamp Evangelical Lutheran Church

Pastor's Message

We begin March deep in our Lenten journey with Jesus to the cross and we end it on Easter Sunday as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord. We move from darkness to light, from self-denial to joy, from death to life.

March also marks changes in the weather as the sunlight lasts longer and we "Spring Forward" to Daylight Savings Time (March 10). Speaking of changes, thanks to your input to the Worship Study Committee, Church Council voted on February 19 to move us to a single worship service beginning on June 2 and continuing all-year-round.

Consequently, I will be working with Sue Kreitz and Grady Daub to put together a less formal service that contains the favorite features of the current 8 and 9 am services while remaining true to the core of Lutheran liturgy. We hope to include Children's Church in September which would involve our youngest members receiving more age-appropriate instruction on the week's Gospel reading while the youth and adult members of the congregation hear the Word read and preached. We will need teachers for Children's Church. If this is something you wish to be a part of, please let me know.

We know that worship, like many things in life, operates on the principle of One Size Fits Some. So, your continued feedback will be needed as we try some new things in our effort to refine our worship to be as meaningful as possible to as many members as possible.

Besides assuring our salvation, Easter reminds us that new life follows every loss or change. And since we know that the only constant in life is change, we seek new life for us at Swamp as we live into our mission as God's church, trusting the Holy Spirit to guide us.

In Christ,



Daylight Savings Time Begins March 10

Set your clocks 1 hour ahead on Saturday night, March 9

MINISTERS:
Congregation

STAFF

PASTOR:
Rev. Scott V. Brubaker

ADMIN ASST:
Teresa Renninger

SEXTON:
Jonathan Gyorke

**ORGANIST/
CHOIR DIRECTOR:**
Susan Kreitz

ASSISTANT ORGANIST:
Grady Daub

BELL CHOIR:
Doug Kulp

IN PERSON WORSHIP

8:00AM
9:00AM

Sunday School 10:15AM

**TWO OPTIONS
AVAILABLE**

1. Watch live stream video on YouTube
2. Join us inside for in person worship



Please call the church office at 717-336-2849 when:

- You are in the hospital or prior to going to the hospital** (or have a relative call for you). In an emergency, call Pastor Brubaker at 717-598-4663.
- You are confined to your home for an extended period of time** because of illness or accident.
- You are going to a rehab center or a nursing home.**
- There is a change in your family status** (birth, death, marriage, or divorce).
- You move to a new home, move out of the area, or go away to college or graduate school.** Important for keeping data base current.
- You schedule a meeting or an event** of a group or committee. To be open and communicative with everyone, we would like to include all scheduling on the Church Calendar and in the Weekly Bulletin.

Katie Houck
Hunter Leisey
Susan Levan
Clair Sweigart
Michael Wargo
Jan Lorah
Jean Wolf
John Frantz
Ray Fox
Honey Notobartolo
Sandy Clemens
Amber Weaver
Katie Krater
Judy Habecker



Ed Miller
Nettie Kriener
Grace Ranck
Reba Ranck
Faith Moyer
Gene Miller
John Wesner
Kelly Martin
Jackson Sensenig
John Elser
Edie Snyder
Michael A. Crowther

Shirley Achey
Karen Klingensmith
Marilyn Gelsing
Doreen McGonnell
Bobby Hershey
Anna Hershey
Anna Habecker
J.J. Johnson
Charles Moyer
Sharon Levan
Lucille Lorah
Robert Bachman
Earl Myers
Joan Long
Anna Rose Schannauer

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

LAMAR EBERLY 3/10
119 MARTZALL ROAD
DENVER, PA 17517

FRITZ FICHTNER 3/13
40 COOPER WAY
DENVER, PA 17517

MICHAEL MILLER 3/15
PO BOX 210
65 NORTH MAIN STREET
REAMSTOWN, PA 17567

WANDA MAXEY 3/19
278 W. FARMERSVILLE RD.
LEOLA, PA 17540-9794

DELORES BECKER 3/24
815 W. LEESPORT RD #218
LEESPORT, PA 19533-8857

CHRIS ZANDER 3/28
1760 KRAMER MILL ROAD
DENVER, PA 17517

MARCH

Karl Kittler	01
Cooper McQuate	01
Abigail Brubaker	04
Nick Higgins	05
Ashlyn Rapp	06
Jodi Bingaman	07
Olivia Posegay	09
Lamar Eberly	10
Kylee Kidwell	23
Fritz Fichtner	13
Mike Miller	15
Susan Levan	16
George Philippopoulos	17
Ryan Brown	18
Wanda Maxey	19
Denise Kidwell	21
Nathan Laudenslager	22
Brooke Koehle	23
Beckah Koehle	23
Dolores Becker	24
Sue Van Zant	24
Sandy Clouser	25
Josh Lorah	25
Lee Showalter	25
Michael Witmer	27
Lillee Martin	28
Stacey Pannebecker	28
Chris Zander	28
Lillee Martin	28
Justus Lorah	29
Doug Kulp	31

ALTAR FLOWER UPDATE



After 17 years of service, Joyce Stoner is stepping down from organizing the altar flowers and candle. Joyce has been a faithful servant and we thank her for her commitment to the church in this arena.

A new 2024 flower calendar is in the Narthex.

Costs remain at \$40.00 for flowers and \$5.00 for the candle. Year to year altar orders are placed on the calendar but we have many open Sundays for flowers and the candle.

Sue Kreitz, 717-283-9444 or John Frantz, 717-606-8994 will be your new contact for these orders. They will keep track of the calendar sign-ups or you can just call them. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.



Clyde Showalter
Mary Ann Weitzel
Michael A. Crowther
Clarice Haws
Charles Moyer
Marion Bergman
Anna Adams
Edie Snyder
John Elser

CHURCH COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS February 19, 2024

Your Council met Monday, February 19, 2024. Highlights include:

Kitchen Krew: 28 families with a total of 94 folks were given food from our food bank

- Prepared and served 29 folks for Jan Risser's birthday party.
- Served 34 folks at the Ash Wednesday supper
- The Souper Bowl promotion netted 436 lbs of food for the food pantry.
- Upcoming dates:
 - March 10—Snacks for Game day
 - March 28, 29—Breakfast 6:00 am
 - Easter Sunday—Breakfast after 6:00 service
 - April 7—Breakfast after Choralaries
 - May 9--Ascension Day—snacks after service

Welcome: They are planning a game day for the congregation on March 10 starting at noon. Everyone is invited!

- Mailed out 58 cards this month.
- Spring Fest will be held Sunday, May 19 starting at 11:30.

Scouts: They are looking for more young folks to join the pack

- Upcoming events:
 - February 24--Pinewood derby in the afternoon.
 - February 26—Tour the Reamstown Fire Station.

Youth Ministry: They would like to thank all who donated food to the Souper Bowl of Caring.

- March 22-23--Flashlight Egg Hunt and sleepover
- April 21—Making First Responder Baskets
- May 5—Mini golf or Bowling
- They continue to raise funds for the Youth Gathering with coffee sales and Lenten Pick 6.

Worship Committee: Upcoming Dates:

- March 24—Palm Sunday 8:00am and 9:00am
- March 28—Maundy Thursday 7:30 pm
- March 29—Good Friday 8pm
- March 31—Easter 6am and 8:30 service
- April 7—Choralaires. 8:30 am with breakfast following
- May 9—Ascension Day
- May 19—Pentecost 8:30 service Last day of Sunday School
- May 26—Holy Trinity again at 8:30am
- June 2 starts the summer schedule

Learning: Upcoming Dates:

- March 30—Egg Hunt
- March 31—Easter Sunday-3 baptisms
- May 19—One service at 8:30
- 4 youth will be confirmed on Pentecost Sunday, May 19
- Youth will be doing a military service project
- July 7-11—Vacation Bible School: The Great Jungle Journey

Next Council Meeting :
March 18, 2024

Newsletter Submission for
April
Monday, March 18, 2024

Syrian Family Update: The family will have their children stay in the Pequea Valley School District until the end of the school year. They will transfer to Lancaster School District starting next school year.

- Ruth Kramer continues to tutor in English.
- The family is working to get updated vaccinations and eye appointments.
- They are doing their own grocery shopping.
- Waiting for the landlord to hook up washer and dryer.
- They are no longer receiving funds from Bethany services.
- Ray and Jen are working with them on their budget.
- Thank you to our Swamp family for all the help given to them.

Other items discussed:

- Pick 6 campaign began on February 14 and runs thru Easter.
- We hired Terri Renninger to serve as the new church secretary. She started February 19.
- Save the date: July 26– Phillies bus trip. Details to follow.
- **Worship Study Committee:**
 - The committee proposed and Council approved to have a single, less formal service at 8:30 am starting June 2.
 - Pastor Brubaker will meet with Sue Kreitz and Grady Daub to determine the style/format and propose to the committee, which will then be brought to Council for final review.
 - The committee will follow up monthly, June thru November, with a selected panel to obtain feedback on the service.
 - Children's church will begin in September. Details are not ironed out and will be given later.
 - Sunday School will be held from 9:45—10:45am starting in September.
 - If you have any questions on the service, see Committee chairperson Dave Sauder or Lori Gockley.


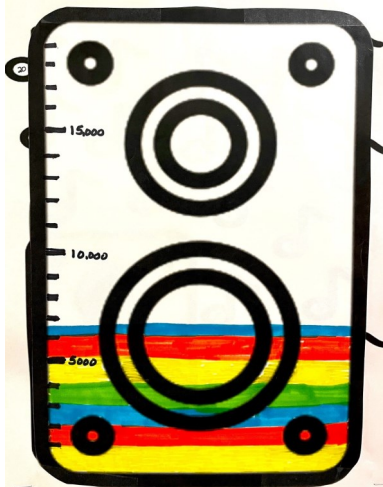
For those of you who didn't hear, Phillies legend and all around good guy, Larry Bowa, shot a hole in one at the team's Spring Training golf tournament.

I can only surmise that this is a precursor for the Phillies World Series season.
Let's go Phils!!

LIFT UP YOUR VOICES
SOUND SYSTEM CAMPAIGN
\$20,000 GOAL

SANCTUARY SOUND SYSTEM UPGRADE

LIFT UP YOUR VOICES PLEDGE
We continue to stretch towards our goal of \$20,000.
Pledge Cards are available at each entrance to the Sanctuary. A one time gift or a weekly, monthly, quarterly pledge is welcome.
Feel free to call or email the office if you want a pledge card mailed to you.
Give now via QR code:





MARK YOUR CALENDAR

7 pm

2024 Cluster Lenten Services

Date	Location	Preacher	Theme/Scripture
Wed. Feb. 21, 7 pm	Faith United, Denver	Pastor Scott Brubaker	Open My Eyes, Lord Isaiah 42:5-9 Psalm 119:17-24 Acts 26:4-18
Wed. Feb. 28, 7 pm	Bergstrasse, Ephrata	Pastor Marissa Becklin	Open My Hands, Lord Deuteronomy 15:17-11 Psalm 139:1-10 Mark 6:1-5
Wed. Mar. 6, 7 pm	Muddy Creek, Denver	Pastor Jim Goodyear	Open My Ears, Lord Isaiah 50:4-5 Psalm 40:1-8 Matthew 13:10-17
Wed. Mar. 13, 7 pm	Mellingers, Schoeneck	Pastor Sandy Gideon	Open My Heart, Lord 2 Corinthians 6:1-13 Psalm 28 Acts 16:11-15
Wed. Mar. 20, 7 pm	St. John Center, East Earl	Pastor Peter Schwabe-Fry	Open My Life, Lord Deuteronomy 30:15-20 Psalm 16 Galatians 2:15-21
Thurs, May 9 Ascension	Swamp, Reinholds	Pastor Tim Craven	Ascension of Our Lord Acts 1:1-11 Psalm 47 Ephesians 1:15-23 Luke 24:44-53

Cub Scout
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Cub Scout Update



- February 24th: Annual Pinewood Derby Tournament partnered with Pack 132 (Denver) at 4 PM. Achilles Salas had the fastest car!
- February 26: Tour of Reamstown Fire Hall.
- March 23 at 5 PM is the Blue & Gold Bonfire.

Recruiting: If anyone can help us recruit kids to join the pack we are open to ideas. We have 3 kids on the roster and a minimum of 5 is required to continue the pack for 2024/25 scout year. The challenges are many and we will appreciate any help. A Cubmaster and Treasurer are needed.

Questions may be addressed to Cubmaster Travis Leed at 717-381-1608 or email at pack95reinholds@gmail.com

ALAHMAD FAMILY UPDATE

The Alahmad family has decided to have their children stay at Pequea Valley School until the end of this school year. They will then be transferred to the Lancaster School District in the Fall of 2024.

Ruth Kramer continues to tutor the family with English classes. Ruth K & Gayle G are currently working with the family to have updated vaccinations and school physicals. Also, they are helping with Dentist and eye appointments. Ruth is also helping them sign up for the WIC nutrition program. The family is doing their own grocery shopping.

Current needs – Blankets. (Hampers, Wash Baskets are no longer needed.) We have a washer and dryer for the family. Unfortunately, we are waiting for the landlord to hook up the water and electric to the basement for the washer and dryer.

Ray and Jen Weitzel are working with the Family on their Budget. They still need financial help with non-food items like clothing detergent, personal toiletries, paper products, trash bags and dish soap.

We appreciate all that our Swamp Church Family has done for this Syrian Family. We are learning that there is a great need to help the Refugees currently coming into our communities.



Wednesday
Feb. 21, 2024

Dear Friends @ Swamp,

Thank you sooooo much for the lovely Bouquet for my Special 95th Birthday! It is lovely!

Also thanks for the cards which I always enjoy.....

You are great Care-Givers, and I do Appreciate you!!

God Bless you... Love, Anna Rose

OFFICERS of COUNCIL

Lori Gockley, President,
David Sauder, Vice President,
Danielle Kauffman, Secretary
Deb Kohl, Financial Secretary
Guy Templin, Co-Treasurer
Sue Knauer, Co-Treasurer

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL LIAISONS

Danielle Kauffman — Communication
Sue Ellen Knauer — Constitution;
Service; Personnel
Lee Showalter — Disaster Response
Guy Templin — Finance; Worship
Deb Sweigert — Love, Inc.
Randy Krater — Property
Pam Leisey — Learning
TBD—Safety & Security
Pastor Scott Brubaker — Scouts
Denise Kidwell — Kitchen Krew
Fritz Fichtner — Generosity
Jen Weitzel - Welcome
Alan Worley - Youth Ministry



HOLY WEEK

March 24—Palm Sunday 8:00am and 9:00am

March 28—Maundy Thursday 7:30 pm

March 29—Good Friday 8pm

March 31—Easter 6am and 8:30am service

HOLY WEEK BREAKFAST MENU 2024

MAUNDY THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 6AM
Waffles/Ice Cream with toppings Casserole

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 6AM
Ham
Home Fries w/wo onions
Sausage
Toast
Creamed dry beef
Fruit salad

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31, AFTER 6AM SERVICE
Scrambled eggs
Dutch Fry with sausage
French toast
Bacon
Sausage
Toast Cobblers

Choir Rehearsal Schedule

Note changes in day due to Lent



7 pm

Tuesday, March 5
Tuesday, March 12
Tuesday, March 19
Wednesday, March 27

Handbell Practice Schedule Reminder **UPDATED**



Play Sunday, March 3

Mon. Mar. 11

Mon. Mar. 18

Mon. Mar. 25

Mon. Apr. 8

Mon. Apr. 15

Mon. Apr. 29

Mon. May 6

Mon. May 13

Play Sunday, March 31 (Easter)

Play Sunday, April 21

Play Sunday, May 19

Ephrata Area Social Services and Swamp Lutheran Church

From EASS Director: Casey Ellis

I wanted to share some of the data collected around EASS's food bank at Swamp Lutheran Church. I encourage you to share the information with your congregation and volunteers. Sometimes we can lose perspective month to month on the impact that is happening but when you look over a years' time, it is AMAZING what is happening.

From July 2022-June 2023 (This is PA Government Fiscal Year)

163,485 pounds of food was distributed

136,238 meals provided

4,431 individuals served (includes duplicates from month to month)

37 pounds of food on average is distributed each month to families from Swamp Food Bank .

Thank you to Swamp Lutheran Church for your Generous Hearts!



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2024 Pick Six Lenten Offering

This year, Swamp Lutheran will again offer a special giving opportunity for Lent: **Pick Six**. For the six weeks of Lent, we are encouraging you to give a special, weekly offering in addition to your regular giving. The benevolence giving options listed below are opportunities to give to ministries operating in or through our church. Giving to multiple options each week is encouraged.

Envelopes with these options listed on them are available on the table in the narthex. Please grab a pack of six envelopes (one for each week of Lent). Call the office if you need them mailed to you. Online giving an option too.



Contributions help cover the cost to send Swamp Youth and Advisors to the **2024 Youth Gathering** in New Orleans, LA.



Swamp Lutheran Property Fund: Help with needed property improvements such as paying off the new sound system, replacing windows in sacristy and robing rooms, sealing and painting the parking lot, among many other needs.



Syrian Family Fund: Help the Syrian family we are co-sponsoring to get a firm start on their new life in the US.



Community Meal: Contributions to this ministry support the purchase of food and supplies for the monthly community meal Swamp supports in the community.



Lutheran Disaster Response
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.

Help bring God's hope, healing and renewal to people whose lives have been disrupted by disasters in the United States and around the world.



EPHRATA AREA SOCIAL SERVICES
EPHRATA • COCALICO

Contributions help provide services to people in our community in the areas of food, clothing, fuel, transportation, and meals on wheels.



Swamp Food Pantry: Contributions support Swamp's ministry of food to those challenged by food insecurity.



ELCA World Hunger
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.

Contributions to this ministry support the work to eradicate hunger in the United States and throughout the world.



Jan's Circle of Friends

Jan's Circle of Friends: Contributions to this organization fund efforts to assist children coping with domestic violence and parental loss.



Contributions support the Cocalico Area Homes of Hope transitional housing home in Adamstown and provides housing, mentoring, and budget coaching to participants.



KNITTERS AND CROCHETERS NEEDED Thank you for changing your focus back to making Prayer Shawls. Your donations can be left in the library. Thank you to all who continue to work on this outreach.

Generosity Minute

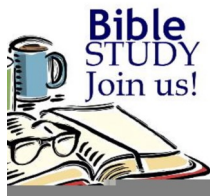
BEING RICH IN GOOD WORKS AND GENEROSITY

¹⁷ As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches but rather on God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. ¹⁸ They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, ¹⁹ thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life. 1 Timothy 6:17–19

God richly provides everything for our enjoyment. It isn't his desire to withhold or diminish our pleasure. In fact, he wants us to experience true pleasure. He wants us to experience the joy of being rich in goodness and generosity. Once again, Paul echoes the sentiment so prevalent throughout the scriptures: our benevolence now is an investment in eternity.

Who would turn that down? It's obvious that being conformed to the image of Lord Jesus Christ includes emulating his sacrificial, giving nature. We should be using our own generosity as a gauge for our own spiritual health. How open are we to give? How sacrificially?

(<https://pushpay.com/blog/20-bible-verses-on-generosity/>)



**Bible
STUDY**
Join us!

Pastor Scott is leading a ZOOM Bible Study weekly on Tuesdays at 6:00PM. Our study this year focuses on the Gospel reading from the previous Sunday. Look for a weekly email with the Zoom Link.

Gently Used Sneakers Needed. Cub Pack 95 is collecting sneakers as a fundraiser. Used sneakers (pairs only; athletic shoes only) may be deposited in the bins located in the Narthex and the social hall lobby. The sneakers will be purchased from the Cubs by an organization that resells or recycles them, saving landfill space and natural resources while helping the Scouts raise money to fund their activities. The Cubs are **not** able to accept any non-athletic footwear including but not limited to dress shoes, heels, rain boots, sandals, slip-ons, water socks, wedges, and work boots of any kind. Questions may be addressed to Cubmaster Travis Leed at 717-381-1608 or email at pack95reinholds@gmail.com



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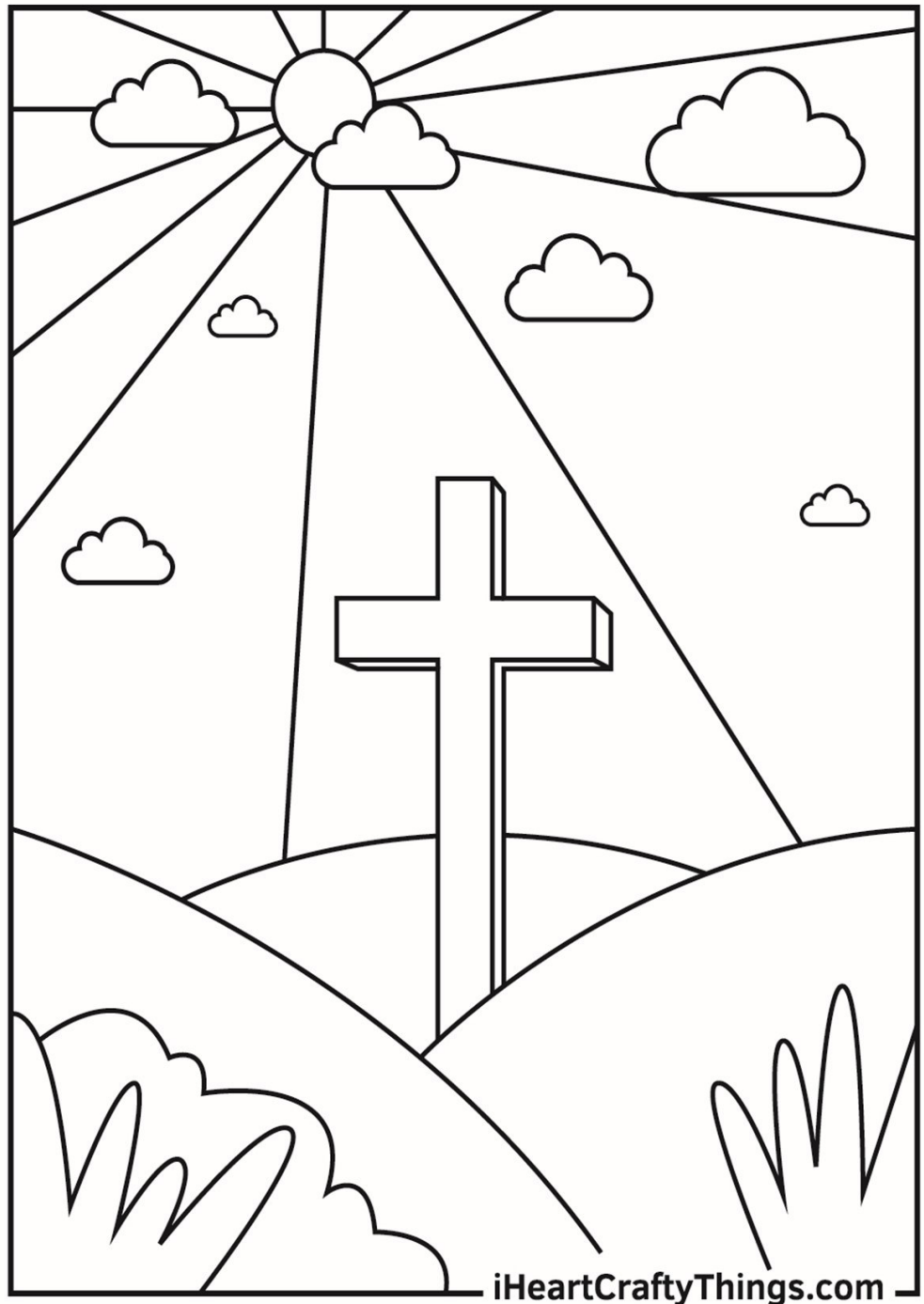
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KIDS PAGE

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iHeartCraftyThings.com

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF PERSONAL CARE KIT PROJECT

We are currently accepting donations for the LWR Personal Care Kit Project. We will be collecting items through the end of April. Donations may be given to **Jane Lesher, Denise Null, Connie Taylor and Debbie Carvell**. Questions to Debbie at 717-336-5638.

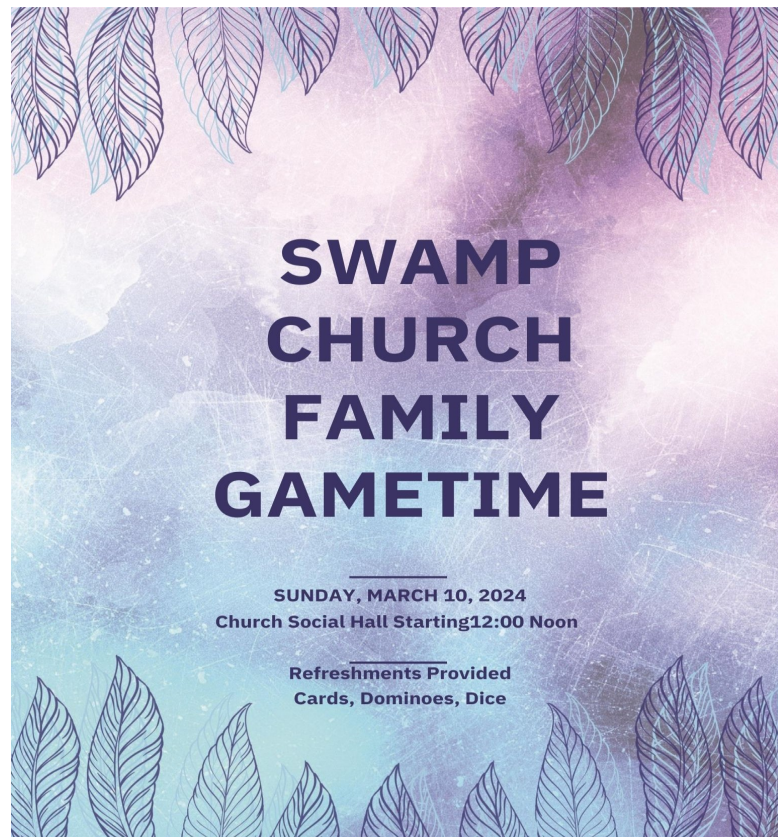
We appreciate everyone following the guidelines below, as Lutheran World Relief will not send anything that does not adhere to their specified guidelines. Each kit will contain:

- One bath-size towel (approximately 52" x 27") dark color recommended.
- Two bath-size (4 or 5 oz) of soap, in its original wrapping.
- One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging.
- One sturdy comb, (wide tooth preferred), remove packaging.
- One metal nail clipper, remove packaging.

Wrap all items in the towel and tie with ribbon or yarn. Please do not add other items or leave out any of the items listed.

If you don't feel comfortable wrapping an entire kit, we will accept donations of any of the items, and gladly assemble the kits! *Hint: Last year we bought these exact towels at Big Lots for \$4.00 each!*

As always, thank you for making this project a success!



2024 Lutheran Camping Corporation Events

January 2024	Summer Staff Recruitment begins
January 5-7	Winter Youth Retreat at Kirchenwald
January 14	Winter Fun Day at Kirchenwald
January 14	Chicken & Waffles at Nawakwa
January 14	CampPerson Meeting at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa
January 16	CampPerson Meeting - ZOOM
February 18	Winter Fun Day at Kirchenwald
February 24	Lenten Day Apart at The Wittel Farm
March 15-17	Women's Quilting Weekend at Kirchenwald
March 17	Summer Camp Open House at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa
April 1	Facility reservation book opens for 2025
April 6	Summer Camp Early Full-Pay Registration Discount deadline
April 14	Summer Camp Open House at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa
April 21	Earth Day Celebration at Kirchenwald
April 27	Work Day at Nawakwa
May 4	Work Day at Kirchenwald
May 19	Summer Camp Kick-off Worship & Picnic at Kirchenwald
June 16	Summer Camp begins at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa
July 7-12	Elder Camp at Nawakwa
July 14-19	Family Camp I at Nawakwa
August 4-9	Family Camp-K-tion (Family Camp) at Kirchenwald
August 4-9	Family Camp II at Nawakwa
September 28	Party with a Purpose at Kirchenwald
October 1-3	Adult Study Retreat at Nawakwa
October 6	Capture the Flag at Kirchenwald
October 27	Fall Foliage Day at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa
November 3	Annual Quilt Auction at Nawakwa
November 8-10	Women's Craft Retreat at Nawakwa
December 7	Advent Day Apart at The Wittel Farm
January 3-5, 2025	Winter Youth Retreat at Kirchenwald

Always check LutheranCamping.org for the most updated calendar!



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Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, and The Wittel Farm
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Why Camp?

A place for Faith Formation and Vocational Discernment

The heart of faith formation is essentially deepening the relationship between us and God, and also between us and our siblings in Christ. Camp is a place where faith formation comes to life! Scripture and living the way Jesus teaches us becomes real. Rather than stories and poems written about and for ancient people, scripture is revealed to us as a story we enter into and are part of!



Lower Susquehanna Synod Bishop James Dunlop, who continues to attend Family Camp with his wife and grandchildren, has often reflected that his time at camp was central in his own vocational discernment, leading him to enter seminary and seek ordination. Deep conversations and time for personal devotion and prayer helped him listen closely to the Holy Spirit – and his experience was not unique!

“Camp is where I first really felt God speaking to me,” is a common refrain we hear from campers year after year – and not just from kids. We hear this from people of all ages, people in public ministry roles, and people who live out their faith in the secular world.

Maybe it’s time we rethink the value of the summer church camp experience. It’s not just a “once and done” opportunity; it’s a valuable and unmatched opportunity for lifelong faith formation and vocational discernment.



Register Now for Summer Camp at
LutheranCamping.org

**The Lutheran Camping Corporation of
Central Pennsylvania**
Kirchenwald, Nawakwa, & The Wittel
Farm LutheranCamping.org

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**LS SWO WOMEN OF THE ELCA
DAY OF RENEWAL REGISTRATION FORM**

Date: Saturday, April 20, 2024

Registration: 8:30-9:15 a.m.
(refreshments upon arrival)

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.



**Place: St. Paul Lutheran Church
200 W Orange St, Lititz, PA**

Cost: \$30.00 (Includes program and lunch)

Theme: "Footprints...Encounters with Jesus"

Special Offering: Lititz Warwick Community Chest
(Shelf Stable Foods, toilet paper, paper towels)

Contact for Questions: Sandy Bingaman
Phone: 717-665-5265
Email: sandyi.bingaman@gmail.com

Sponsored by,
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Lower Susquehanna, Synodical Women's Organization

Church is handicap accessible

Following the presentation, CD's will be available in the narthex for purchase. Also, the W/ELCA, LS SWO craft table will be available.

About the speaker:

Heartsongs Ministries, Inc. presents **Karen Knight** who is an inspirational speaker, concert artist, and actress. The Mission Statement for "Heartsongs Ministries, Inc. is dedicated to glorifying God by presenting the truth of the gospel of His Son, Jesus Christ through music, worship and the spoken word."

Karen's concerts include inspirational, contemporary, gospel and well loved hymns. She often includes moments of dramatic storytelling to bring even greater meaning to the music. Her style is warm, humorous and completely engaging. Karen has created inspiring presentations based on the lives of Biblical & Historical Women of Faith.

Karen is probably best known for one of her many lead roles at Sight and Sound's Millennium Theatre as Mrs. Noah in the renowned production, Noah, in Lancaster.

During her time with Sight and Sound, Karen performed to audiences of over 6,000 on a daily basis, but her heart's desire is to reach out to people on a more personal basis with the hope and peace found in Jesus Christ.

Her inspirational speaking combined with singing and storytelling has taken her all over the United States, Italy, Germany, South America, Asia and Israel.

(Please complete and mail this section of the form **postmarked by Wednesday, April 10, 2024**)

Make check payable to **LS SWO, WOMEN OF THE ELCA** and mail to:

Peggi Norman, 328 Carolle St., Greencastle , PA 17225
Questions: 717-658-7432 or email: peggi2@yahoo.com

Acting Treasurer, Chris Todd, is unavailable to receive registration forms for this event, so mail your check to Peggi Norman for this event only. Thanks!

Name: _____ **Phone** _____
Address: _____ **City** _____ **Zip** _____
Email address: _____
Home Church _____ **City** _____



**Sandwiches
Variety of Salads
Variety of Desserts**



Swamp Lutheran Gift Cards				Name _____	
Orders due March 17, 2024					
Checks payable to Swamp Lutheran				Phone # _____	
Missy Ragan 717-314-5658		Total #	Total \$	Total #	Total \$
RESTAURANTS \$25 cards			SHOPPING \$25 cards		
Applebees 8%			Ace Hardware 4%		
Arbys 8% \$10, \$25			Advanced Auto 7%		
Bonefish Grille 10%			American Eagle 10%		
Buca di Beppo 8%			Barnes & Noble 8% \$10, \$25		
Buffalo Wild Wings 8%			Bass Pro Shops 10%		
Burger King 6% \$10, \$25			Bath & Body Works 12%		
Carrabas 10%			Best Buy 4%		
Cheesecake Factory 5%			Boscovs 8%		
Chilis 11%			Burlington 8%		
Chipotle 10%			Cabelas 10%		
Cracker Barrel 8%			CVS 6%		
Dunkin Donuts 3% \$10 or \$25			Columbia 12% \$50 only		
Door Dash 3% electronic			Disney 3%		
Dairy Queen 3% \$10 only			Dicks Sporting Goods 8%		
Longhorn Steakhouse 8%			DSW 8%		
Millers's Ale House 8%			Famous Footwear 8%		
Olive Garden 8%			Gamestop 3%		
On the Border 11%			Gap 14%		
Outback Steakhouse 10%			Home Depot 4%		
PF Changs 6%			Home Goods 7%		
Panera Bread 8%			JoAnn Fabric 6%		
Papa Johns 8% \$10 only			Kohls 4%		
Pizza Hut 8% \$10 only			LL Bean 16%		
Red Robin 8%			Land's End 15%		
Red Lobster 8%			Lane Bryant 8%		
Starbucks 4.5% \$10 or \$25			Lowe's 4%		
Taco Bell 5% \$10 only			Michaels 4%		
Texas Roadhouse 8%			Marshalls 7%		
subway 4.5% \$10, \$50			Nordstrom Rack 4%		
GROCERY \$25, \$50, \$100			Old Navy 14%		
Giant 4%			PetSmart 5%		
Redners 5%			Sams Club 2.5%		
Weis Markets 5%			Sephora 5%		
Food Lion 3% \$100 only			Shutterfly 9%		
ONLINE \$25 CARDS			Staples 5%		
Amazon 1.7%			TJMaxx 7%		
iTunes 5%			Tanger Outlet 8%		
			Target 2.5%		
GAS			Ulta 6%		
Royal Farms 4% \$25 \$100			Walmart 2.5%		
Sheetz 3% \$25, \$100			Totals:		
Speedway 4% \$25, \$50, \$100					
Wawa 1% \$25, \$100					

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