

Announcements for March 31st, 2024

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Office hours are Monday –Thursday 9am-1pm

Mon. April 1st

Counting Team 2; Office Closed

Tues. April 2nd

Sharing/Caring Circle 6:30pm

Wed. April 3rd

Confirmation 6pm

Thurs. April 4th

Bible Study 10am; Fellowship Reserved 5pm

Sun. April 7th

Silly Sunday! Sunday School/STUFF 8:45am; Worship 10am; Appetizer Cookoff during fellowship

Servers for TODAY

Reader: Beth Petersen 7am; Ardith Hamilton 10am

Communion Assistants: Allegra Luckritz & Kelli Parker 7am; Gene & Virginia Eggers 10am

Servers for April 7th

Reader: Chuck Corr

Ushers: Sunday School Kids

Altar Guild: Deana Jacobs

Communion Assistants: Deana Jacobs; Megan Peters

Fellowship: Appetizer Cookoff

Noisy offering will be Little Red Foundation.

This foundation started in honor of Aniston Rae Thomas (daughter of Mark and Alisse Thomas of Clinton) whom battled all of her one-year life with Hypoplastic Left Heart Syndrome. Her family started this organization to support families who have a child with a congenital heart defect ad to raise awareness. This is a very special family that has other children in the Northeast Goose Lake school district.



We laugh at the joke God played on death by raising Jesus from the dead! Join us for Silly Sunday, April 7th at 10am!



The Garden Committee is hosting an Appetizer Cook-Off on Sunday, April 7th during fellowship. Stay and sample these yummy treats and vote for your favorite! Sign up in the entryway!



We will be wrapping up the t-shirt and tumbler fundraisers soon. Last day to order will be Sunday, April 7th. Proceeds go towards costs of the Ark trip.



Our next 75th Anniversary committee meeting is on April 10th at 1pm.



On April 14th, we will bless the water, seeds and soil for Rogation Sunday at 10am. Bring your gardening gloves, tools, seeds, tractors, etc. to worship for a blessing as farmers gear up to begin their work in the fields.



Did you know that Faith will help pay for our youth members to go to church camps? Camp registrations are now open! Contact Chuck Corr or the office for more info.



Reminder: Offering envelopes are available. Contact the office for envelopes or if you need your giving number. Offering donations can be mailed or placed in the box when entering the sanctuary on Sunday mornings.



The Andover Lions Club is collecting pull tabs from beverage cans for the Ronald MacDonald House in Iowa City in support of pediatric cancer. Please save your tabs and fill the donation jar in the entryway. Ronald MacDonald Houses also have a "wish list" on Amazon.



We continue to see various types of disasters leaving families, communities and foreign countries in need. Lutheran Disaster Relief donation forms are available in the entryway if you would like to make a donation. Donations can also be made online at www.ELCA.org/disaster



If you would like to acknowledge a family birth, death, wedding, etc. in the announcements or newsletter, please contact Jamie in the office. Due to policies set in place, you must contact the office.



If you or a loved one is hospitalized and desire pastoral visitation, **please contact the church office.** If you ask a member of the hospital staff to contact us about a hospitalization, they will often be prohibited from doing so by HIPAA laws.



We have Welcome Bags for those who are new to the area (found in the church office) and visitors at worship (found in the entryway). **ALL** members are invited to give a new or visiting family a bag. Please let the church office know if you have delivered a bag to an area family. Thank you for your help in welcoming new faces to the area!

Information found in the overflow room:

- + Word in Season devotionals
- + Lutheran Disaster Response donation form
- + Council minutes, monthly newsletter, Annual Report & FLCW Program
- + Information about Braking Traffic, ELCA Good Gifts
- + Lost and Found