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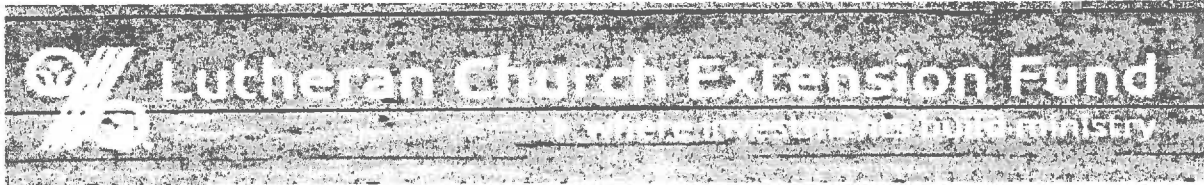


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Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



Monday, July 10 at Christ Lutheran Church
324 2nd Ave, SE, Hickory, N.C. 28602

Tuesday, July 11 at Grace Lutheran Church
824 N. Buchanan Blvd., Durham, N.C. 27701

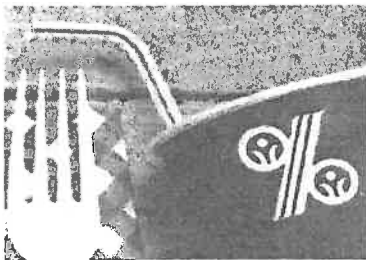
Wednesday, July 12 at St. Paul Lutheran Church
8100 Shady Grove Road, Mechanicsville Va. 23111

Thursday, July 13 at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
8304 Old Keene Mill Rd., Springfield, Va. 22152

Friday, July 14 at Holy Nativity Lutheran Church
1200 Linden Ave., Baltimore (Arbutus), Md. 21227

Ministry partners like you are at the heart of Lutheran Church Extension Fund. We would be honored to have you and other members of your congregation join the Southeastern District—LCEF Ministry Team for a casual Lunch and Learn at one of the locations listed above. All Lunch & Learns will be from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Please RSVP to Vicki Edwards at 800-637-5723 or vedwards@se.lcms.org not later than one week prior to the event date in your area.



We hope that you will be able to join us for this time of appreciation, fellowship and resource sharing; your mileage for travel to an LCEF Lunch & Learn event will be reimbursed. **We look forward to seeing you this summer to thank you for your partnership in the ministry of LCEF.**



From that time, one step led to another. First came the personal encounters with Cardinal Cajetan in Augsburg (1518) and with Dr. Eck in Leipzig (1519). Then in many books and tracts, Luther uncovered one false teaching after the other, and showed from Scripture what was the true Christian teaching and the true Christian life. As a result of his proclamation of the truth, Luther was threatened by the pope with excommunication, but he cast the bull into the flames (Dec. 10, 1520) and continued to be unafraid when he was shortly afterwards excommunicated in all due form. He knew that even if he was excluded from the Roman communion he was still a member of the church of Jesus Christ because this Church on earth includes all those who really believe in Jesus Christ. When at the Diet of Worms (1521) he was asked before the Emperor and princes of the German Empire and the dignitaries of the Roman Church to renounce whatever he had written against the pope and the Roman Church, he boldly answered: "Unless I am convinced by the testimony of Scripture I cannot and will not retract anything. Here I stand, I cannot do otherwise. God help me Amen."

After the Emperor had declared him an outlaw he was secretly brought to the Wartburg by the Elector of Saxony. *Here Luther began to translate the Holy Scriptures into the German language.* Later Luther fearlessly returned to Wittenberg and there continued his work. He introduced German in place of Latin services, issued a small hymn book, insisted on the establishment of evangelical schools and the thorough religious instruction of the young. In 1529 he wrote his *Small Catechism* for the youth and the common people, his *Large Catechism* for teachers and pastors. A few years before he had issued a collection of German *sermons* that were to show them how and what to preach.

Large numbers of students came to Wittenberg to be prepared by Luther and his co-worker, Melancthon, for the preaching of the pure Gospel. When they returned to their homes it was to transform their congregations and to give them the knowledge that Jesus Christ was the only Savior and His grace their only strength. The Church visitations, both in Saxony and in the lands beyond, established well ordered evangelical schools and churches wherever such measures could be carried out. When Luther died (Feb 18, 1546) the greater part of Germany and Austria had become Evangelical.

(Senior Catechism 1938)

UNITED MINISTRIES:

Food needs do not stop for the summer. As a matter of fact the need is greater as children do not receive meals at school. As you do your grocery shopping remember those who need your help.

All non-perishable items are accepted also such as peanut butter, canned meats, rice, cereals, pastas, soups, etc.

Please put your donations in the baskets under the table in the Narthex.

REMEMBER OUR GOAL: ONE CAN PER PERSON PER MONTH!

PRISON MINISTRY

ALSO REMEMBER OUR PRISON MINISTRY: WE ARE COLLECTION TOILETRIES SUCH AS:

- BARS OF SOAP
- TOOTH PASTE
- TOOTH BRUSHES
- STICK DEODORANT

PUT YOUR ITEMS IN THE BASKET UNDER THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX.

The walk begin this year at noon at Fluor Field with food trucks and lots of entertainment. Thanks, Claire

DATE	OCCASION	TIME	#	TIME	#	Total Attend.	Offering
May 21	SUNDAY	8:00 AM	45	10:30 AM	108	153	4983.00
May 24	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			
May 28	SUNDAY	8:00 AM	53	10:30 AM	116	169	
May 31	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			
June 4	SUNDAY	8:00 AM	62	10:30 AM	126	188	10338.00
June 7	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			
June 11	SUNDAY	8:00 AM	46	10:30 AM	119	165	4949.52
June 14	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			
June 18	SUNDAY	8:00 AM		10:30 AM			
June 21	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			
June 25	SUNDAY	8:00 AM		10:30 AM			
June 28	WEDNESDAY			7:00 PM			

SUMMER READING FROM THE LCGS LIBRARY

What are you reading this summer? Did you know that your Church Library has books that are perfect to read and learn about Martin Luther and the 500th anniversary or Reformation?

The books and dvds below are great reads and will help you get to know about what it is to be a Lutheran. The collection is located together on the top of the Children's book-cases. Don't forget to enter what you have taken in the check out book! Happy Reading.

Adults:

The Lutheran Difference (The 500th Anniversary of the Reformation)

Through Faith Alone Martin Luther

Table Talk Martin Luther

1517: Martin Luther and the Day That Changed the World Martin E. Marty

Simple Way to Pray Martin Luther Translated by Matthew C. Harrison

Kitty My Rib (Katharine Luther) E. Jane Mall

Martin Luther's 95 Theses Martin Luther

Here I Stand Roland M. Bainton

Martin Luther: Renegade and Prophet Lyndal Roper

Luther's Small Catechism

Luther's Large Catechism

DVDS:

Martin Luther 2 copies available

Rick Steves: Luther and the Reformation

Teens:

Luther: Biography of a Reformer Frederick Nohl

Luther: The Graphic Novel Echos of the Hammer Susan K. Leigh

Katie Luther: The Graphic Novel Mother of the Reformation Susan K. Leigh

Children:

Luther: A Man Who Changed the World Paul L. Maier

Got Kids? Save this date..July 8th @3:30 Gary & Karen Meyer

Will be hosting a pool party for parents and their kids.
Swimming, badminton, horseshoes and basketball and a tree swing
Will be available. Barbecue, hot dogs, beans and sodas will be provided.

We will need you to.....

RSVP if you are coming

Bring a side dish....rather not cook? Chips, dip, or cookies will work.

Towels for your family, favorite floats and goggles (no water guns please)

Parking will be available on the left of Driftwood Lane (There will be a sign)

Questions Call Karen or Gary @ 292-0295 or 864-201-6273

Location: 18 Driftwood Lane Taylors

PLEASE NOTE... THIS IS AN OUTDOOR EVENT SO IF THE WEATHER DOES NOT PERMIT WE WILL RESCHEDULE.

FOR SALE: Greenville Memorial Gardens—Lawn crypt
Double depth space with marker. 20x28 granite base....
16x24 bronze memorial marker valued today at \$9900 for sale for \$4300.
If interested please contact Karen or Gary Meyer @ 864-292-0295.

Announcing the Pastor Ted's 35th Annual Charity Golf Tournament

Pastor Ted's is set for Sunday, **September 17th at Bonnie Brae GC** for a 1PM shotgun start. Yes, we will play golf but more importantly this fundraiser will provide food baskets to local families in need during the Christmas season. Cost of entry is \$50 per player which includes golf cart, bottled water and snacks. Personal coolers are allowed on the course for this event. This is a rain or shine event. Show your support by getting a foursome together or help out with a sponsorship.

Sponsorship's or Memorials are available for \$100. We will display your business name and logo on a tee box placard. Likewise, you can contribute to the effort with an individual or family memorial. We will display your memorial with a tee box placard.

Lastly, we have **volunteer opportunities** and we need your help with this big event.

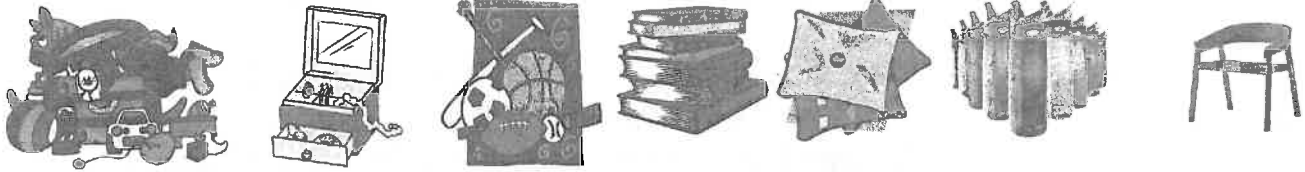
Please, check with Marque Kilpatrick, Howard Nix or Allen Weirmeir for additional details regarding any of the above information. If not at church, each may be contacted by phone or email.

Marque - marquek53@gmail.com or 864.386.0340
Allen - allen.weirmeir@charter.net or 864.525.9152
Howard - 864.546.2773



BI-ANNUAL LWML YARD SALE

SEPTEMBER 2, 2017



Donations for the LWML Yard Sale are now being accepted.

Housewares, tools, sports equipment, books, jewelry – just a few of the categories that sell well. All items can be placed in the last Sunday School room on the upper level of the Fellowship Hall (sign is on the door).

And, if you are wondering where the proceeds from the sale go, look around the church, the community, the world! Your donated items generate funds for needs in our congregation, in local outreach, and global missions. So we thank you for making this possible by donating and also by attending the sale and buying new treasures. If you would like to help with sorting, pricing, selling – please contact Barb Kilpatrick.

A reminder: we cannot accept computers, printers, car seats, or clothing.

Thank you for your cooperation.

**LWML 2015-2017 BIENNIUM MISSION GOAL
AN EXAMPLE OF WHERE OUR LWML MISSION MONEY GOES:
HERE ARE A FEW OF THE GRANTS THAT HAVE BEEN PAID IN FULL:**

Clean Water and Evangelism Ministry—\$50,000
Disaster Response Trailers-LCMS Disaster Response—\$80,000
Care Cancer Packages-Phil-s Friends—\$50,000
Renovation of JEM Seminary Buildings Nigeria—\$120,000
Redeeming Life Maternity Home-Sanford FL—\$100,000
Hope & Healing to Navajo People-Rocky Mtn District—\$45,000
Outreach in Refugee Camps-Lebanon-\$72,000
Healthy Families-Lutheran Family Services of Nebraska-\$60,000
LCMS Global Initiative-Internationals Scholarships-\$100,000
Training Teachers & Leaders-Concordia Seminary-\$100,000

LWML dispersed a total of \$1,299,500 in grants during this period.



Don't miss another Sunday to participate in "A Mighty Fortress" in Jesus the victory is won! If you have not registered yet we have an easy, even painless way to register ☐

Online: vbsmate.com/LCGSVBSROCKS

Brandy, Diana and Duane

LADIES LUNCH SCHEDULE FOR JULY. We are open to all ladies of LCGS. We meet at 11:30 at a different restaurant each date.

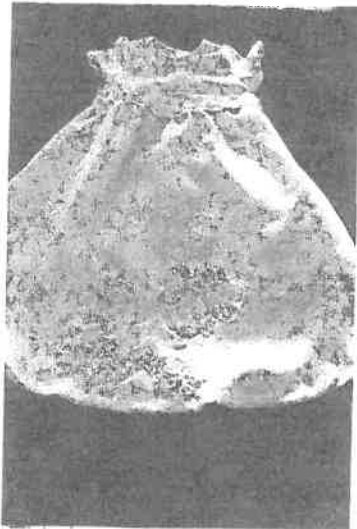
NOTE: We are going to meet on July 4th as usual. If you are not planning a celebration this day; join us at TEXAS ROADHOUSE; 3140 Wade Hampton Blvd, Taylors.

JULY 11—DellaVentura's Restaurant and Pizzeria—337 S Buncombe Road Greer

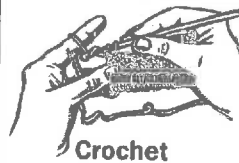
JULY 18-Mama Maria's-7611 White Horse Road

JULY 25-Joy of Tokyo-3220 N Pleasantburg Dr = across from Cherrydale

Please let Karen Meyer know if you will be joining us so we can get enough seats.



This beautiful gown was made by Patti Kunz from the sleeve of an old wedding dress. It will be given to the PreNatal Care Center at St. Francis.



Crochet

HOOKS and NEEDLES will meet on Saturday, July 8th, in the Fellowship Hall from 9:00-11:00am. If you were impressed by the numbers of items listed in the June Quill that have been created by this group, you would be even more astonished if you saw the small number of people who have produced them. Just think how many more people could be served in the name of Christ if there were others joining us. Come check us out!

FLOWER CHART: Please note there are still openings on the flower chart for 2017. If you would like to honor someone or the memory of a loved one, please pick a date and sign your name. Indicate what you want in the bulletin. Your request must be made by the 10th of the preceding month so the order can be placed with the florist. See Kathy Washington if you have any questions.

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE JULY 2017

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:00 AM LSB setting 4/Communion
9:15 AM Adult Sunday School
ESVSB starts June 25 at 9:05 AM
10:30 AM LSB Setting 4/Communion

OTHER WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
NO WEDNESDAY VESPERS IN JULY
ESVBS BEGINS SUNDAY, JUNE 25
NO BIBLE SCHOOL ON JULY 2

EVENTS IN JULY

July 4: INDEPENDENCE DAY
July 8: HOOKS & NEEDLES MEETS 9:00 am
July 9: COUNCIL MEETS 12:00 PM
July 12 & 19-Choir Rehearsal 7:30 PM
July 22: St. Mary Magdalene
July 25: St. James the Elder, Apostle
July 30: Pr 30th Anniversary of Ordination Brunch
9:00 AM—10:00 AM

ESVBS

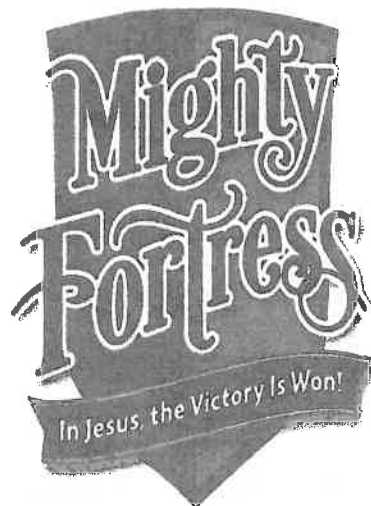
STARTS

JUNE 25

FOR

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SUNDAYS



AUGUST QUILL DEADLINE

JULY 16, 2017

Please e-mail your articles to
lcgsquill@aol.com or put in Quill Box no
later than the 16th.

THIRTY YEARS IN THE MINISTRY

PASTOR STEVE WAS ORDAINED ON AUGUST 23, 1987 AT ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN CLEVELAND, OHIO. WE CELEBRATE THIS SPECIAL OCCASION WITH A BREAKFAST-BRUNCH ON SUNDAY, JULY 30 DURING THE SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR. PLEASE PLAN ON JOINING US ON THIS SPECIAL DAY.

EIGHT O'CLOCK FOLKS: PLAN ON STAYING AFTER SERVICE.
TEN THIRTY FOLKS: COME EARLY TO CELEBRATE.

WATCH BULLETINS AND BULLETIN BOARD FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.



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