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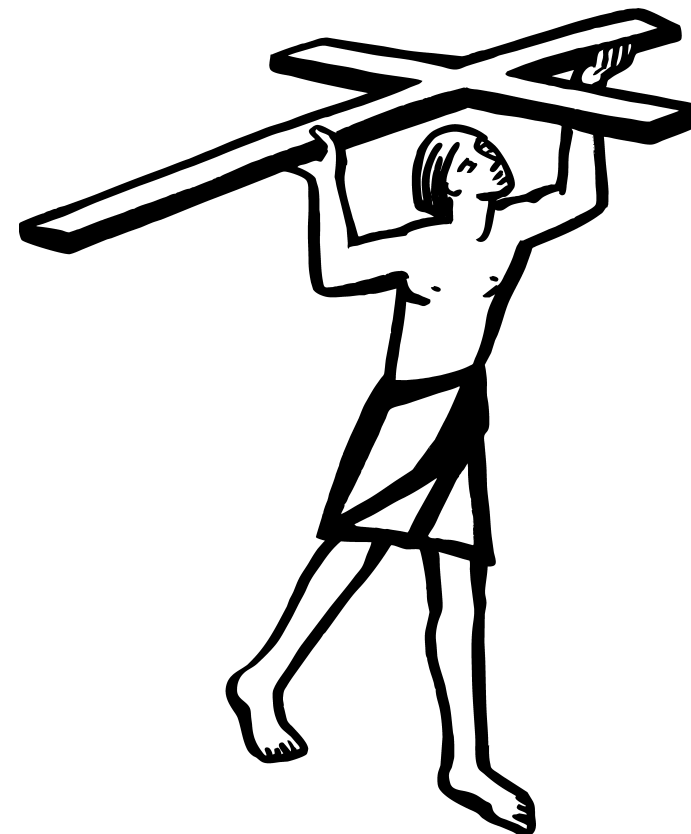
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“Making Jesus Known By Sharing Our Gifts”

February 28, 2021

**1004 E. Highland Acres Road
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Faith and Care: Pam Hanson, Heather Gurholt
Altar Guild: Jean Kraft, Patty Hanson, Dawn Hultin

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please contact Connie in the church office 223.1001, if you have a prayer request, or if you will be entering the hospital and would like a pastoral visit. *(We encourage you to take this list home and pray for these people.)*

For those struggling with health issues: Maxine Hill, Reece Fischer, Tracy Martinson, Earl and Marlene Larson, Ann Hillesland, Roger Bakke, Erwin and Linda Marson, son in law and daughter of Hattie Martinson; Quinton and Arlene Wolff, parents of Wayne Wolff; Bonnie Spies, Robin Johnson's sister; Lois Dolan, Kristina Neuharth, Lori Dvorak, Mary Weinberg, mother of Terry Grenz; Al Samuelson, JoRae Sarsten; mother of Kraig Sarsten, Pastor Jackie Bloom, Bernice Walton, Nancy Dockter, Dale Heaton, Gary Heaton's uncle; Deb Carpenter, Kim Schultz, Christian Helfridge, grandson of Wood's friend, Jean Schafer; daughter of Bernice Walton; Roger Pommerer; LorRaine Riveland, Gary and LaVonne Hultin, John Behan, Robin Willoughby, Irene Rauscher, Jennifer (Dohrmann) Dehnert, Todd Wood, Pastor Joel Sherer, Joyce Wahl, Bob Roesler, Cheryl Moore, Josey Hanson

For those dealing with the death of a loved one—the families and friends of: Nicholas Toso; nephew of Joel and Suzanne; cousin to Luke Toso

Dates to Remember:

Lenten Wednesday Services 6:15 pm
Feb. 21, 28 March 7, 14, 21, 28 Financial Peace University 6:30pm
March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Needlework Group 9:30 am
March 11 Church Council 6:30 pm
March 14 Daylight Savings Time change
March 17 St. Patrick's Day
March 28 Palm Sunday
April 1 Maundy Thursday 7 pm
April 2 Good Friday 7pm
April 4 Easter Sunday 8 am (open to people attending) & 10 am (livestreamed only)

The M & M's are in the back of the church for CAR. Please take one and return filled with quarters or a check. The tube holds \$14 dollars worth of quarters.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Lutheran Church of the Cross's Worship Service! If you are visiting with us today via livestreaming or in person, we welcome you.

Stewardship Reflection for Sunday, February 28, 2021 ~ 2nd Sunday in Lent Mark 8:31-38 *For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it.* Most of us will not have to face giving our own life for the sake of another but we do have daily opportunities to consider the clash between our human values and God's values. (Sarah Henrich, Professor Emeritus of New Testament, Luther Seminary, St. Paul MN)

THE WOMEN'S RETREAT IS SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 30—MAY 2. Ladies at LCC, we are planning the LCC Women's Retreat, April 30 through May 2 at Lutheran Camp of the Cross! The camp is requesting that we wear masks if distancing isn't possible, sleep one per room (8) upstairs and 2 per room (3X2) downstairs, we can spread out for discussion in the new dining area or downstairs in the retreat building. If need be there is also a house with three more bedrooms if we need the space for sleeping! At this point we will be the only group on site with Heather as our host. There is a large TV in the other spaces mentioned so we will be able to use audio visual where we chose.

Deb Carpenter is starting her research on a couple of topics for discussion and that will be kept to Saturday so those joining us for the day may participate.

Costs: full weekend of staying 2 nights including meals will be \$110.00 or if you come for Saturday only the cost will be \$30.00 (including meals). All are welcomed and we will try to follow healthy guidelines while enjoying time together safely!

Questions? Please call Sally 701 390-3049 or e-mail sallygren@hotmail.com

The order blanks for **Easter flowers** are available in the narthex. Please return to secretary's office or call in your request to the secretary.

Confirmation Pictures

LCC is missing many years worth of pictures. If you have one of the years listed below and either have a duplicate or are willing to share so a copy can be made please contact the office.

2008 (unsure if there was confirmation that year), 2011, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020