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Next Week's Readings Psalm 23, 1 Peter 2: 19-25; John 10:1-10

CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

Let us encourage one another -- and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Voters' Meeting – A special voters' meeting to select a new name for our congregation will be held on Monday, May 8 at 6:30pm in our fellowship hall. All voting members of our congregation are encouraged to attend.

Ladies Aid - The Ladies' Aid will meet at Noon Wednesday, May 3. Dessert and coffee will be provided. All ladies are invited. Meeting to be held at the South Campus. This will be their last meeting until September 2017.

Tract Focus: The Bible gives us four biographers for Jesus' life: Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. Rose Publishing has provided a pamphlet, "Gospels Side by Side", which shows Jesus from four different points of view, but learn how their views unite to flesh out an awesome portrait of God. Consult the concise chart to find out where there are four Gospels instead of just one, why three Gospels are similar but the fourth is very different, and how the Gospels complement - not contradict - each other, Find this tract at the Welcome Center in the Calvary narthex.

CLS Music Night - We will close our year of Handchimes, Jr. Handbells, and Jr. Choir with a short program of favorite songs, Wednesday, May 3 at 6:15 pm in the church. Parents, siblings, grandparents, relatives, friends and church members are invited to attend.

Trip to Israel – Ever consider attending a Bible class taught in Israel and see for yourself where Jesus lived and walked while on the earth? Join Pastor Scheuerlein in January of 2018 on a 10-day trip to Israel. Brochures and information are on the Welcome Center in Calvary's narthex.

Fun and Fellowship - On Thursday, July 27, 2017, we will be going to *The Fireside Theatre* to see *Church Basement Ladies*. We will leave Calvary's parking lot at 9 a.m. There will be a stop and shop at Jones Sausage before arriving at the Fireside about 10:45 a.m. The cost per person is \$85.00 which includes transportation, shopping, lunch, and the show. For further information or to see Fireside's menu for this performance, please visit Fireside's website at https://www.firesidetheatre.com.

Vacation Bible School - The VBS Sign-up is now available online! To register your son or daughter for this summer's VBS, which will be held **July 24 – 27**, go to https://vbsmate.com/calvarylutheranthiensvillevbs2016 Volunteers are needed too, and may also sign up via the online link.

Soles For Jesus - Thanks to everyone who has donated shoes to Soles for Jesus! Another batch of 100 pairs of shoes were just taken to their warehouse for delivery to Africa. Your unwanted shoes make a BIG difference in the lives of so many people in Africa who don't have any shoes. Our Calvary youth group has also gone over to SFJ to do a couple sessions of shoe sorting, too! At this time of changing seasons and at the end of the school year (remember kids' gym shoes), please keep SFJ in mind, and you can donate shoes in the collection boxes by the church mailboxes or in the hallway outside of the offices. Thank you~

OTHER NEWS AND EVENTS

Blood Drives - Jill Graff memorial Blood Drive will be held at Calvary's Fellowship Hall on Friday, May 12, from 7:00am -2:00pm. Please save the date and plan on attending. Visit www.bcw.edu/jill to register. Every donation makes a difference!

Morning Star Lutheran School's - production of The Rockin' Tale of Snow White, Thursday, May 4, 1 p.m., Friday, May 5, 6:30 p.m. Morning Star Lutheran School N171 W20131 Highland Road, Jackson

KML Quilters' Café_The Charger Club is serving food and homemade desserts May 6-7, 2017, for the Celebration of Quilts Quilt Show at KML. We have had wonderful volunteer support from our federation in the past and are counting on you once again! Visit the links below to sign up to help by serving the café or by making desserts to be sold in the café: Help in the café: http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f44aca92fa13-quilters Make desserts: http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f44aca92fa13-kmlhs1 Questions? Contact Mrs. Pam Bliesner 262-617-8698; http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f44aca92fa13-kmlhs1 Questions? Contact Mrs. Pam Bliesner 262-617-8698; http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f44aca92fa13-kmlhs1 Questions? Contact

Protect a child's right to live and be loved! Join with other pro-lifers for the Life-A-Thon on Saturday, May 13, 2017, to benefit the pregnancy care ministry of WELS Lutherans for Life! Get friends together, recruit sponsors, and help save lives! Two locations; Mequon and West Allis, or go virtual! Walk or run with everyone else or on your own! \$25 individual or \$60 family. Register at www.Life-A-Thon.org or call 414-727-8176. If you aren't close to Milwaukee we encourage you to participate "Virtually" on your own or with some friends. Learn how at Life-A-Thon.org/virtual-participation.

Housing Needed - Pastor Ben Reichel will be moving into our KML Federation to join the faculty of Kettle Moraine Lutheran. He, and his wife Lynette and newborn baby (due in May) are seeking a rental home -2-3 bedrooms with 1-2 bathrooms. MOVE IN DATE is close to May 29th. Please contact Pastor Reichel directly at pastorbenreichel@gmail.com or 281-906-3320

Trinity West Mequon-150th Anniversary.- June 25. Worship 10:00am. Catered meal at Noon. RSVP requested for meal call Gene Sorensen, 262.644.9889, by May 20.

Grow in Grace - The Institute for Pastoral Growth at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary (WLS), is seeking an executive assistant who will work under the seminary's director of continuing education and partner with the **Grow in Grace** team to coordinate the work that supports WELS pastors. **Applicant must be** a WELS member who displays excellence in communication and organization and is conscientious, detail oriented, and technologically confident. An associate's or bachelor's degree in a related field or equivalent job experience is preferred. Knowledge and/or experience in office management, project management, social media, event coordination, and customer relations is helpful. Position is 30 hours per week, on campus. Contact Brian Treichel, Business Manager (262-242-8103 brian.treichel@wls.wels.net) to submit resume.

Africa Calling - Do you or someone you know have an interest in serving in World Missions as a Nurse-in-Charge? The Central Africa Medical Mission is hiring for our Nurse-in-Charge position at the Lutheran Mobile Clinic (Malawi). This is a 3 year term of service and must be an RN with at least one year of clinic or hospital experience. The nurse-in-charge supervises clinic staff and maintains all clinic functions. Preferred applicants are single females due to living arrangements. The term of service will begin in January 2018. All applicants must be in good standing within WELS or ELS membership. An application may be obtained by contacting Beth Evans (evans.bc57@yahoo.com) or Linda Liesener (cammcontact@charter.net)

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sun 4/30 Worship Services – 8:00 & 10:30 am Sunday School – 9:15 am Teen Bible Class (library) – 9:15 am Bible Class (fellowship hall) - 9:15 am Public School Catechism Class (7th-8th grade classroom) – 9:15 am Women's Bible Class (library) - 1:30 pm - "Let it Go" Mon 5/1 CLS Piano Recital 6:30 pm Tue 5/2 Bible Class (library) - 6:45 am - "Prepared to Answer" Bible Class (library) - 9:30 am -"Ezra" Wings of Hope (library) 6:30 pm Bible Class (library) - "2 Corinthians" - 9:30 am Wed 5/3 Ladies' Aid (South Campus) Noon Choir-(church) 6:30 pm Softball (Thiesville Park) 7:30 pm Thu 5/4 Communion Service (South campus) - 6:30 pm Bible Class (South Campus) "2 Corinthians" - 7:45 pm

Sat 5/6 **Communion Service (South campus) – 5:30 pm**

Sun 5/7 **Communion Services – 8:00 & 10:30 am**

Sunday School - 9:15 am

Teen Bible Class (library) – 9:15 am Bible Class (fellowship hall) – 9:15 am

Public School Catechism Class (7th-8th grade classroom) – 9:15 am

Mon 5/8 Voters' Meeting (fellowship hall) 6:30 pm

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