



Weekly Announcements for the week August 9th, 2020

This Week's Readings Below are the readings for this upcoming Sunday, Aug 9th, 2020

- **Job 38:1-11**
- **Mark 4:35-41**

Miracles of Jesus- Join us as we begin a 5-week teaching series diving into the miracles of Jesus. Join us as we explore- Water into Wine; Walking on Water; Healing of a woman with a disabling spirit; Calming of a Storm; Healing of a daughter.

Sign-up for Worship:

Click on the links below to go to on the online schedule. (Links will be available on WEDNESDAY for the following weekend).

[Aug 8th: 6:00 PM](#)

[Aug 9th: 8:00 AM](#)

[Aug 9th: 10:30 AM](#)

YOUTHeran news:

YOUTHerans will be meeting bi-weekly during the summer. Next meeting will be:

- **Aug 5th**

Another YOUTHeran date to have on the calendar:

- **Aug 19th-** Family Potluck at Martin's home, Maple Ridge W8045 350th Ave, Hager City.
- **September 16th-** Meeting

Still Looking for Videographers! If you are interested in helping create virtual worship services, please contact Monica. We want this ministry to continue, and we can't do it alone.

Tools for School!!

Tools for School is a local, non-profit organization that provides free school supplies and backpacks every August for kids in need in our RF community.

Last year we served 367 kids in need. In 2020 we project serving more students due to the hardships surrounding the pandemic- around 500 kids. **Your support is crucial to our efforts as we continue serving our community.** Your donation will go directly towards purchasing backpacks and school supplies.

We welcome ALL school supply donations, but often need more of the following items:

- Backpacks
- Notebooks (wide & college ruled)
- 5 Subject Notebooks
- Large Glue Sticks
- Scissors
- Highlighters (wide & thin)
- Markers (wide & thin)
- Earbuds

Monetary donations are due by August 9th, but School Supplies can be dropped off until Aug 15th. Checks may be made payable to **Tools for School** and dropped off in the box @ LMC (in entry).

1st Communion (and a double baptism) will be Aug 9th @ 10:30

Please pray for these students as they commune for the first time:

- Addy Butterfield
- Cate Bylander
- Brody Reiter
- Merrick Ward

This will be a very full worship service with families coming in. You may want to select another service.

Neighboring 101: Put a tip into the tip jar at the coffee shop along with a small card with an uplifting message.

YOUTHeran Family Potluck:

For all youth in grades 6 – 12 and their families, we will have a potluck meal on Wed. Aug 19 at 6:30 at the Martin home W8045 350th Ave. Hager City. Bring your own meat to grill, and a dish to share. Lemonade and water provided. Bring your own beverage if you wish. Please indicate the dish you plan to share on the google sheet below:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1OTHOD3uVwQvPkMEi_tr6gKDQBQV9pUTtNokP88j_RI4/edit?usp=sharing

Dog Sitting Opportunity



I am Hank Broten, a 60 lb black lab. My family is going to be out of town Saturday, August 22, 2020, through Monday, August 31, 2020. I am looking for a wonderful person/people to stay with while they are gone. Unfortunately I do not get along with other dogs. If you are interested in having me over for a week please call

Kristy or Wayne Broten at 715-426-0768. I can't wait to meet you!



Campus Ministry LMC, we are planning to reach out to the college students with welcome bags during the first days of class this year (and a handful of other dates in September/October).

We would like to ask for the following donations @ a quantity of 100 each; which can be dropped off at church on Sunday August 23rd by 11:30am:

- Brown lunch size bags
- Face covering (cloth/reusable if possible)
- Clementines
- Individual snacks (pretzels, chips, etc)
- Juice Box
- Post it notes
- Congregation welcome note (see below for more information)

**We are asking any interested members for a handwritten "Welcome" note on a recipe card to include in our welcome bags. It can say anything you would like.*

Thank you, Campus Ministry Team



We are so excited to gather with you to worship and seek God together for Set Apart Virtual Gathering 2021! You have been doing your best to get through this crazy time in our world. We are so grateful technology will give us that opportunity to come together online and in our homes for Set Apart Virtual Gathering 2021.



Mission Trip Corner

I want to give you an update on what is happening at Biblica Unción y Fuego during the Covid-19 pandemic. Just like here, Costa Rica has shut down its economy. They closed their borders to international travelers, have required closing of a number of businesses and churches, and require social distancing. Through all of this God continues to work in Siquirres, Costa Rica through Pastor Luis, Pastora Adita, and the members of Biblica Unción y Fuego. Jesus is on mission there! In part from donations provided by the members of Luther Memorial, Biblica Unción y Fuego has provided food to the very needy in the area. Pastor Luis has conducted small services three times per week in family homes. And he has continued to minister to the spiritual needs of his community. The Holy Spirit has moved at least 15 new people (mostly adults) to join his church and take an active role in its function. Praise God for His blessings on Biblica Unción y Fuego. Last Sunday was Pastor Appreciation Day in Costa Rica and some of the members came together to thank and honor Pastor Luis and Pastora Adita for their dedicated service to their community. Please see pictures below.

As I mentioned in last's month's Mission Trip Corner, Luther Memorial with the help of Immanuel Lutheran in Hewitt, WI, has been able to send \$16,000 for the mission work at Biblica Unción y Fuego. Below please see a thank you letter from Pastor Luis. His original is in Spanish and is attached for those who can interpret Spanish. Also attached is my attempt to translate his message into English. I want to thank you all also for your generosity to this mission. Your financial support and prayers have been an answer to prayer and a fulfillment of God's promises to Pastor Luis. Pastor Luis tells me his hope and enthusiasm for his work in Siquirres has been renewed. Your gifts and prayers are having a great impact for the Kingdom of God.

Quentin Schultz
Mission Coordinator



Message from Pastor Luis:

Greetings and blessings beloved brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus.

We thank the Lord for the blessing you sent to our Church. It is a gift of great help to us. With this money we will continue to advance our projects and infrastructure, for as you know we are under construction on the church complex. This time is difficult and now the economy in our country is more complicated, but God takes care of his own and provides us with what is necessary to do his work.

You fulfill a promise made from the Lord to our lives. We infinitely thank you for your collaboration, generosity, and kindness, to us.

We cannot, nor do we have a way, to repay you. But I pray to God to bless each of you, to grant you health, and His presence to keep and accompany you at all times. On behalf of the Iglesia Bíblica Unción y Fuego in Siquirres-Costa Rica and I, Luis Elias Arguedas, their pastor, I want to let you know that we are deeply grateful to you for this donation. We pray that the Lord continue to bless and multiply everything you do. Because nothing is impossible for God.

Be strong and let us fight bravely for our people and the cities of our God. The Lord will do what is good in his sight.

1 Chronicles 19:13 NIV

Luis Elias Arguedas Arias
Pastor



This Week at Luther Memorial:

Sunday 8/9 8:00 AM Worship Service
 10:30 AM Worship Service
 (1st communion and baptism service)
 6:30 PM Jensen Family MC

Monday 8/10 6:00 PM Brace MC
 6:30 PM Brian & Ellen Schultz MC

Tuesday 8/11 6:00 PM Crystal Halverson MC

Wed 8/12 10:00 AM Staff Meeting

Thursday 8/13 6:30 PM Hali Tasler MC

Saturday 8/14 7:30 AM Men's Journey Team
 9:00 AM Quilting Life Group
 6:00 PM Devotional Worship Service

Sunday 8/15 8:00 AM Worship Service
 10:30 AM Worship Service
 6:30 PM Jensen Family MC

Worship Assistants Scheduled: August 8 & 9

August 8 & 9	Saturday 6:00 PM	8:00am	10:30am
MUSICIANS		Praise Team	Praise Team
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE		Chad Schuermann	Chad Schuermann
USHER	Dale Bohn	?? Need Volunteer	Wil Kowalchyk
GREETER	Diana Wedell	Pat & Susan Pierce	Elaine Sorenson
AUDIO & PROJECTION	Brenda Bohn	Mark Kovatch	?? Need Volunteer
ALTAR FLOWERS		Gene & Linda Kirk for 59th Wedding anniversary	
ATOMIZER		Cheryl Carter	
FOOD SHELF		Kaminski	

Worship Assistants Scheduled: August 15 & 16

August 15 & 16	Saturday 6:00 PM	8:00am	10:30am
MUSICIANS		Ellen Schultz	Ellen Schultz
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE		Melody Boersma	Melody Boersma
USHER	?? Need Volunteer	Gene & Linda Kirk	Quentin Schultz
GREETER	?? Need Volunteer	Tony Bylander Family	Kent Kittleson Family
AUDIO & PROJECTION	Jeff Meyer	Brian Schultz	Lilly Jensen
ALTAR FLOWERS		Gene & Linda Kirk for 59th Wedding anniversary	
ATOMIZER		?? Need Volunteer	
FOOD SHELF		Kaminski	

