

Christ Our Savior Announcement

For the week of April 2-April 9, 2017

"Restore the Roar" with Midweek Lenten Meditations

This Lent, we will listen to the Lion as He rumbles. And gathering under the cross, we will all the more be amazed when the roaring Lion defeats He greatest enemies: the devil, hell, and the power of death. Then with resurrection joy we will say of Jesus, "The Lion of the tribe of Judah . . . has conquered" (Revelation 5:5). Hear the Lion on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM starting March 1 through Holy Week.

Dear Friends at COS,

Thank you so much for all the support, prayers, cards and gifts you have given to support us with the loss of Kathy Jacoby. Harold was completely overwhelmed by the cards and messages. Your love and friendship means so much and helps during such a difficult time.

God Bless you all as you have blessed us in so many ways,

Harold, Mike and Michelle Jacoby

Dig Deep Bible Study @10:45am Sunday Mornings after worship.

Nominations Committee Members Needed

At Christ Our Savior's spring voter's we will elect members to serve various Council, Elder, and other positions. Ahead of this, a Nominations Committee needs to be formed to seek out individuals willing to run for the open positions. If you are interested in serving please contact Mark Johnson, Council President, or Bruce Campbell, Head Elder to offer your assistance.

Men's Saturday Bible Study

Next Saturday the Men's Study Group will continue their study of 1st John. John wrote these three short letters as late as A.D. 90., about 60 years after Jesus' death. Many remarks are addressed toward the city of Ephesus which was the "glamour city" by that time.

We have many similar cities in the U.S. and the world. Welcome! 9: 30am., the 1st three Saturdays of each month.

Thank you so much for not applauding...

After the choral anthem this past Sunday! Singing our praises is one way for us to worship: giving glory, honor and praise — these belong to God alone! WORSHIP is not a performance for which the choir seeks any outward sign of approval by the congregation. If you wish to communicate your appreciation and recognition of something well done a better step might be to seek out a choir member and tell them!!

Cathy Roush, Vocal Choir Director

If you play an instrument and want to be in the COS orchestra for Palm Sunday, please come to practice @ 11am on Saturday April 1 and 7. Little Children are encouraged to bring toy drums, cymbals, tambourines, sticks, cowbells, bells, finger cymbals, etc. and join in the procession, making a joyful noise unto the Lord. See you Palm Sunday.

Bruce Campbell, Head Elder

\$6.00 each for a 6 inch potted plant

Orders need to be placed Monday the 3rd of April. Tomorrow!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sign-up sheet in sanctuary.

Contact Whitney Kesler during office hours for any information. \$\mathbb{2}738.0100\$



LWML Lakeshore Zone Spring Rally: Everyday Missionaries

The Spring Rally is a gathering of all societies of the Lakeshore Zone.

The LWML Lakeshore Zone is excited to announce their Spring Rally, Everyday Missionaries on Saturday, April 22 from 9am-Noon, at our own COS Lutheran Church.

The day will focus on 1 Chronicles 16:23-24: "Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Tell of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, hid marvelous works among all the peoples!"

Pastor Stephen Wiesenauer, will lead in a discussion of how God saves, equips and encourages us to tell of His salvation and declare His glory every day no matter who we are.

The price for the retreat is \$8 per person, and ages 10 to 16 are welcome to join for \$5 each. Please RSVP by April 16. You can do so by signing up on the bulletin board in the hallway across from kitchen.

Easter Egg Hunt

Mark your calendars for Saturday April 8th @ 1pm. This is a fun event for kids but also requires helpful hands please grab a bag of empty eggs and an instruction sheet at the back table to ensure a successful day of fellowship. Thank you for your support.

Hear We Sit and See Stewardship Update

Ann Campbell, Stewardship Chair

Our next fund raising event we will be selling and/or buying Dutch Delight Pigs in a Blanket. Everyone knows how delicious these are and are also handmade by our own Ralph Van Asperen.

We are hopeful that you not only buy for yourselves but also offer to your extended families, neighbors and friends. This event has the potential to raise a lot of money. Order forms are available in the office or from a Stewardship committee member: Julie Ohse, Jean Vizithum, Julia Dufon or Ann Campbell. There is also a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board if you only want a dozen. They will be frozen.

Cash or check payable to Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church.

Orders and money due by Easter Sunday - April 16

\$20.00 dozen

Pick up @ COS

Saturday, April 29

Time will be announced

Sunday, April 30

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

April 2-Erica Ohse April 3-Ian Bosch, Derk Tuesink April 6-Gina weigel, Teri O'Neill, Pat VanSlooten April 7-Donna Shealey April 9-Laurie Schnakenberg

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

April 3-Jeff & Shari Atkinson, Pat & Donna Shealey

YOUTH NEWS

Ways to help the youth:
Pray
Support
Donate

Youth Group meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month starting @ 7pm.
All middle school and high school students are welcome!
Carol Garnsey

COS Youth Director Home- 616.772.9763 Cell- 616.566.2190

cosvouthgroup77@gmail.com

Check us out on Facebook: COS Youth
Collecting of pop cans continues—If you have a lot of cans,
the Youth are willing to pick them up.
"Thank you to all that have given generously to support the Youth!"

This week at Christ Our Savior

Sunday, April 2, 2017

9:15 am Worship/Communion 10:30 am Sunday School

Dig Deep Adult Bible Study 10:45 am

3:30 pm Confirmation 4:00 pm Young Adults Monday, April 3, 2017 9-1:00 pm Office Open Tuesday, April 4, 2017

9-1:00 pm Office Open 1 Corinthians 1:00 pm

Bible Study

7:00 pm Praise Ensemble

Wednesday, April 5, 2017 9-1:00 pm Office Open

Bells 5:45pm

Lenten Service 7:00 pm

7:45 pm Choir 7:45 pm Youth Thursday, April 6, 2017 9-1:00 pm Office Open

10:00 am Women's Bible Study

11:30 am Lunch 1:00 pm Projects 7:00 pm 1 Corinthians Bible Study

Friday, April 7, 2017

Office Closed

Saturday April 8, 2017

9:00 am Men's Bible Study 1:00 pm Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 9, 2017 9:15 am Worship

10:30 am Sunday School

Dig Deep Adult Bible Study 10:45 am

3:30 pm Confirmation