



March 25/26 Pastor Logan Vang,
Ascension Lutheran Church,
Milwaukee

each station, you will learn more about the surprising resurrection of Jesus. The Great Surprise takes place from 10:45 am -12:30 pm on Friday, April 14. For more information contact Sue Christiaansen at 251-2740 or suec@holycrosslutheran.org.



The Great Surprise is looking to recruit volunteers to help out at this year's Good Friday Event. Volunteers are needed from 10:15 am-12:30 pm. Adults, high school and middle school students are needed to assist kids at one of the surprising stations. All the materials will be provided for you. Please contact Sue or fill out your events sign-up sheet if you can help out.

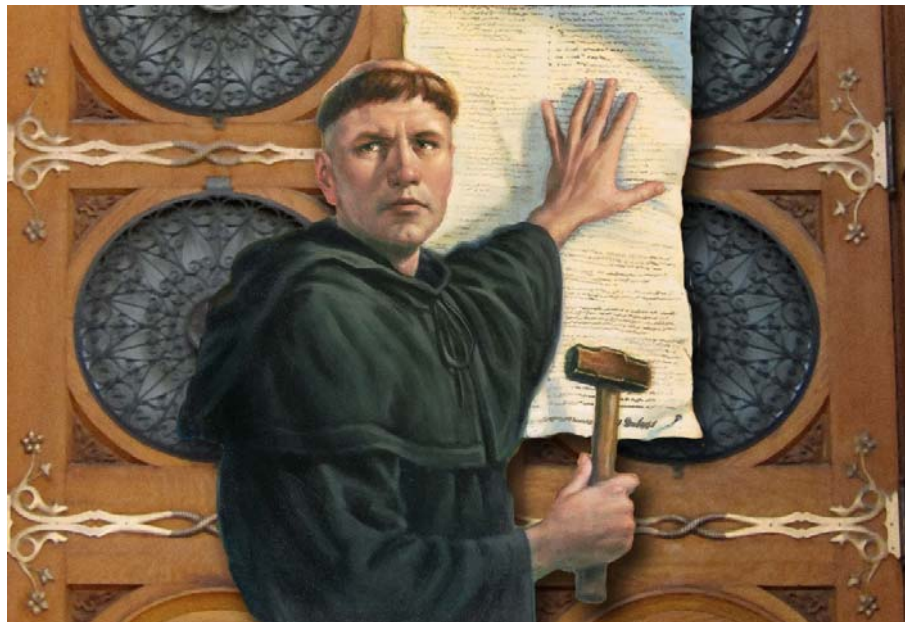
SUNDAY March 19, 2017
HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH ELCA

A Young At Heart Invitation Open To All Ages

Don't be surprised if you stop by church on Wednesday, March 22 and see Martin Luther striding down the halls with his cloak flying behind him. He will be our guest at the Young at Heart monthly get together. David Wiedenkiller, a living historian, has a Master's Degree in History from Concordia University. His focus is on presenting Martin Luther from a first-person perspective creating an authenticity of the time period and Martin's life. The Luther presentation will start at approximately 1:15 pm and will last one hour.

You may attend the presentation, lunch or both activities. As usual, Young At Heart will meet in the Gathering Place for a pot luck lunch starting at noon. We ask that you bring a dish to pass.

If you are interested in attending, please contact Ellie Schmidtke at [251-2740 ext. 231](tel:251-2740) or at cedellie@yahoo.com so we can plan for set up.



Maundy Thursday Neighborhood Breakfast and Foot Washing

On Thursday, April 13 from 7:00 am-noon, we will be bringing the ancient custom of foot washing to the free neighborhood breakfast at St. John's Lutheran Church in West Milwaukee. This breakfast welcomes veterans and homeless veterans. The average homeless person walks over 8 miles a day, so foot care can be a huge blessing to those who don't normally have well washed socks and comfortable shoes. In addition to a warm soapy wash, we will be offering a small gift bag to help people keep their feet clean, healthy, and pain-free.

We will meet at 7:00 am at Holy Cross and drive to St. John's (located near the VA hospital) for breakfast and foot washing. This event is open to ages 16+ and a donation of \$10 is asked to cover the cost of supplies. Registration forms are available in the Narthex. Contact Amanda, Minister of Partnership and Mission, if you have any questions amandaj@holycrosslutheran.org

Save the Date - All Congregational Service Day,

On May 20, we will be holding our Holy Cross All Congregational Service Day. Mark your calendar to join us for this day of service with our ministry partners and community. Service sites are being secured and include: All Peoples Church: Havenwoods Campus, Hephatha Lutheran Church, Angelman's Walk at Hoyt Park, Feeding America, Alice's Garden, Just one More Ministry, and Interfaith Caregivers. We will also have on site projects. Childcare will be provided.

If you would like to be part of the planning team or be a site coordinator, please contact Amanda, Minister of Partnership and Mission, amandaj@holycrosslutheran.org

Holy Cross Preschool Thanks

A sincere thank you to everyone who made this year's annual rummage and bake sale a success. Whether you donated items, volunteered to work or brought in goodies; we could not have done it without you. Your support of the children of Holy Cross Preschool is appreciated.

The Great Surprise - Good Friday Event

The Great Surprise is a fun filled event for the entire family. You will be delighted as you experience a variety of hands-on activities that are packed with surprises as you move from one station to the next. At

Holy Week
 Palm Sunday-April 9
 Bishop Paul Erickson Preaching
 Worship at 7:45 am ~ 9:00 am ~ 10:30 am

Maundy Thursday-April 13
 Worship at 10:00 am ~ 5:00 pm ~ 7:00 pm

Good Friday-April 14
 Tenebrae Worship at
 10:00 am ~ 5:00 pm ~ 7:00 pm

Easter Service-April 15 & 16
 Worship at 5:00 pm ~ 7:30 am ~ 9:00 am ~ 10:30 am

PRAYER CONNECTION

Join the Prayer Chain or submit a request by emailing prayerchain@holycrosslutheran.org

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

●To the family and friends of Magnus Randar in his passing.

BIRTH

●To Maria & Ryan Lemieux, a son named Patrick Douglas.

HOSPITALIZED

●Rich Halsey at Froedert, Bruce Schwoch at Waukesha Memorial, Robert Redding is home from the hospital.

MEMORIALS

●Were given by James & Mary Sue Oppermann, Marge Smith, Tom & Karen Wenzel, Joe & Pat Sciortino, Fred Heim, Beth Dorsey and Jerome Coutley in memory of Cheryl Coutley.

●Was given by George & Donita Bruder in memory of Magnus Randar.

MEMORIAL CHART

●Coffee hour is given by Glen & Gail Borchardt in honor of Ellie's 1st birthday.

NOISY OFFERING MARCH

●Hephatha Lutheran Church

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

●Chunky Soups

SERVING ON March 25 & 26

Ushers:

5:00 pm Bob & Lynda Ferguson team
7:45 am Bev Green team
9:00 am Glenn & Carolyn Schellhaas team
10:30 am Mark Hacker team

Lector:

5:00 pm Robyn Zinda
7:45 am Joan Timmerman
9:00 am Bill Winge
10:30 am Kara Johnson

Worship Assistant

Mark Christiaansen

Altar Guild:

Donita Bruder, Jeanne Dantone, Kim McCarty

Greeters:

5:00 pm Mary Ann Holt, Arlene Watson
7:45 am Pete Gullickson, Stan & Carole Grove, George & Betty Klaus
9:00 am Donna Kennedy, Jill Konicek
10:30 am Eleonore & Jack Kamoske, Stan & Mary Kay Winarski, Bobbi, Todd & Arabella Fochs

Welcome Center:

4:40 pm Patti Fetzner
8:30 am Kitchen Angels
10:00 am Jack & Eleonore Kamoske

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Worship Schedule:

Saturday-5:00 pm

Sunday-7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am



TODAY

Gospel: Luke 15:1-32

Lectors: Judy Haeberle, Carolyn Schellhaas, Brian Espinosa, Brandon Montijo

TODAY-Sunday 19

Third Sunday Of Lent

Scrip Sale

Worship 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Faith Development 9:00 & 10:30 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am

Breakfast Club 9:30 am

Heavenly Sounds Handbell Choir 11:30 am

Mary Circle 4:00 pm

Monday 20

Preschool 9:00 am

Northwest Trading Post 1:00 & 6:00 pm

Heavenly Sounds Handbell Choir 6:00 pm

Tuesday 21

Preschool 9:00 am

Staff Meeting 10:00 am

God Squad 6:00 pm

King's Kids 6:00 pm

New Beginnings Handbell Choir 6:30 pm

Wednesday 22

Preschool 9:00 am

Worship Services 10:00 am, 5:00 & 7:00 pm

Bible Study-Pr. David 11:00 am

Young At Heart 12:00 pm

Care & Community 5:30 pm

Stewardship 6:00 pm

Festival Choir 8:00 pm

Thursday 23

Preschool 9:00 am

Friday 24

Preschool 9:00 am

Church Office Closes At Noon

Tweens Event 6:30 pm

Saturday 25

Property Team 9:00 am

Worship 5:00 pm

Sunday 26

Fourth Sunday Of Lent

Scrip Sale

Worship 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Faith Development 9:00 & 10:30 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am



JOIN US FOR

Children

●First Communion classes are being held on Thursday, March 30 and April 6 from 6:30-8:00 pm. Second grade students will be receiving a letter with more information during the first week of March. If you have a child in third grade or higher who would like to participate in the First Communion classes, e-mail Sue Christiaansen at suec@holycrosslutheran.org. Please include your child's name and address and the letter will be mailed to you.

Youth



Adults

●Do you have any fleece material laying around that you can donate? There is a tween service project night coming up in May and one of the projects we will be working on is making fleece dog toys for the humane society. We are looking for fleece material that is at least 30 inches long. Please drop it off at the church office as soon as possible.

●We are looking to borrow an 8 or 9 pound bowling ball for this year's Good Friday event, The Great Surprise. Please contact Sue at suec@holycrosslutheran.org if you have one we can use.

PRACTICE 7 WORSHIP

Live like Jesus died yesterday; rose today; and is coming back tomorrow."

Martin Luther

