



Sunday, February 17, 2019

Reading: Matthew 13:24-43

Worship Leaders: Pastor Meredith Bedker Musaus

Worship Asst. & Lector: Mark Christiaansen, Pete Deubler, Ron Jaeger, Arlene Watson

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Meet Our New Pastors

Drew & Sara Yoos will join the staff of Holy Cross on April 1. We are so excited to welcome them to our church family. Plan on attending their installation on April 6 & 7 at all services.

Worship & Pancakes with All Peoples Church

Join us as we travel to our partner congregation All Peoples to worship with them at their Harambee Campus (corner of 2nd & Clarke St) and to serve a pancake breakfast for members and the community. We will depart Holy Cross at 8:00 am, prepare and serve the meal, and join them for worship. We will be back to Holy Cross by 1:00 pm. The sign-up to ride the bus to All Peoples is located in the Gathering Place.

When: Sunday, March 3

Contact: Amanda Juedes at amandaj@holycrosslutheran.org or 251-2740

Holy Cross Picture Directory Coming

We are excited to announce that we will soon begin the process of publishing a new pictorial directory, something we do every three to four years. Watch for details in the next couple of weeks! In the meantime, we encourage you to advise the church office of any changes in your address, phone number, or household members by calling us at 251-2740, email at leonorek@holycrosslutheran.org or include the information on the Events Sign-up. If you do not want any of your contact information published, please let us know, and we will leave it out of the directory. We do not publish email addresses, but we would still appreciate having current emails in our records.

Calling All Seniors

All seniors are invited to join Young at Heart on February 27 (4th Wednesday of the month) for lunch, fellowship and an activity. For potluck this month, please bring a food item based on the first letter of your last name (first-time attendees are exempt). Last name A-G bring a hot dish, H-K a salad, and L-Z a dessert. After several special announcements, we will be decorating and assembling snack bags for Hepatha's after-school program.



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Blood Drive

The semi-annual blood drive with the Blood Center of Wisconsin will be held on Thursday, February 21 from 1:00-6:00 pm in the Trinity Center. Donors will need to resign-up at bit.ly/hclfeb2019 or on the table in the Gathering Place. Donors will receive a pair of "R U My Type" socks as a thank you.

Jesus and Me - JAM

The Bible is filled with Big Stories of the Big God that we serve. Three-year-old through 1st-grade kids are invited to learn the Big Story about Moses Parting the Red Sea. It will be taught through attention-grabbing activities including a game, story, puppet show, craft, and snack. We will even reenact the parting of the Red Sea. All are welcome to attend this event.

When: Thursday, February 21 from 6:30-7:30 pm

Contact: Sue Christiaansen at suec@holycrosslutheran.org or call 251-2740

New Members Class

If you have been visiting Holy Cross and are ready to grow in your commitment to our Lord and this congregation, we invite you to attend our next New Members Class. A light dinner will be provided.

When: Thursday, February 28 from 6:00-8:00 pm

Contact: Eleonore Kamoske at eleonorek@holycrosslutheran.org or call 251-2740.

Behavioral Health Peer Support Group

The mission of the Behavioral Health Peer Support Group is to offer a safe, confidential environment to provide support, understanding, and education to people with behavioral health issues, along with family members involved in care and support. This group is for adults only, and all behavioral health issues are welcome. There is no fee for this group and sign-up is not necessary.

When: Wednesdays from 7:00-9:00 pm

Where: Community Memorial Hospital (W180N8085 Town Hall Road, MF), Medical Staff Conference Room

Contact: Community Memorial Hospital behavioral health staff at 262-257-3685

Holy Cross Women's Retreat - "Perfectly Imperfect"

Join us for a weekend of reflection about our obsession with perfection, and discover and celebrate with us the knowledge that we are made perfect through God's love and grace. Registration forms, including details on accommodations and pricing, are now available in the Gathering Place and are due by March 1.

When: May 4-5 from 10:00 am Saturday-12:00 pm Sunday

Where: Green Lake Conference Center

Contact: Eleonore Kamoske at eleonorek@holycrosslutheran.org or call 251-2740

Movie Night

All 2nd-6th grade students and their friends are invited to a brand new movie called "Dolphin Kick". On a family vacation to a Bahamas resort, ten-year old Luke and his sister meet an orphaned baby dolphin separated from its family. Bring a non-perishable food item for the MF Food Pantry.

When: Friday, March 1 from 6:30-8:30 pm

Contact: Sue Christiaansen at suec@holycrosslutheran.org or call 251-2740

LARCUM Concert

The theme for this year's concert is "The Church's One Foundation". All are welcome!

When: Sunday, March 3 at 3:00 pm

Where: St. Mary's Catholic Church in Menomonee Falls

Food Pantry Volunteers Needed

The Boy Scout food drive will take place on Saturday, March 16. The Food Pantry will need lots of help from 10:00 am-2:00 pm. If you can work any portion of that time, just show up! You don't need to sign up ahead of time. Workers are needed to sort, date check, and store the items collected by the Boy Scouts. It's usually cold and sometimes wet, but a few folks are needed outside for unloading and initial sorting. A tent to keep outside workers a bit more protected will be available. Children who are old enough to help are welcome but must be supervised by a parent.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

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

Memorial Chart

~Coffee Hour support is given by Will Feil in honor of his 88th birthday and Will & Lois's 69th wedding anniversary.

~Coffee Hour support is given by Stan & Carole Grove in honor of Alyssa's 20th birthday.

Noisy Offering

~Crossways Camps

Practice 7-Serve

~All Christians are but God's servants. Everything we have is on loan from the Lord, entrusted to us for a while to use in serving Him. John MacArthur

Serving Next Weekend-February 23 & 24

~Ushers & Greeters-Normal monthly schedule

~Worship Assistant- Stan Winarski

~Lector-Bill Shadid, Cathy Brill, Mark Christiaansen

~Altar Guild-Sandy Earnest, Rosalin McNeir, Wendy Kalland, Lisa Burmeister, Jen Schultz, Stephanie Truckenmiller

~Welcome Center-Pam Oliverson, Avis Dallman, Angie Nelson

Today Sunday 17

Scrip Sale

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

Faith Development 9:00 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am

LARCUM Rehearsal 2:00 pm

Mary Circle 6:30 pm

Monday 18

Preschool 9:00 am

Family to Family 6:30 pm

Tuesday 19

Preschool 9:00 am

Staff Meeting 10:00 am

God Squad 6:00 pm

King's Kids 6:00 pm

Wednesday 20

Preschool 9:00 am

Quilters 9:00 am

Heavenly Sounds Handbells 6:00 pm

Chancel Choir 7:00 pm

Student Ministry Night 7:00 pm

Festival Choir 8:00 pm

Thursday 22

Preschool 9:00 am

To Do Crew 9:00 am

Pr. David Bible Study 11:00 am

Blood Drive 100 pm

New Beginnings Handbell Choir 5:30 pm

Jesus And Me 6:30 pm

Friday 23

Confirmation & Cookie Dough Retreat

Church Office Closes At Noon

Preschool 9:00 am

LARCUM Rehearsal 7:00 pm

Saturday 24

Confirmation & Cookie Dough Retreat

Worship 5:00 pm

Sunday 25

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Scrip Sale

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

Faith Development 9:00 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am

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Holy Cross Lutheran Church, ELCA

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Website: www.holycrosslutheran.org

Worship Schedule: Saturday-5:00 pm, Sunday-7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am



EVENT SIGN UP SHEET

Please use this form to sign up for activities/events at Holy Cross. Fill out the form, and include the fee or amount of deposit, if any. Return the form to the church office or drop it in the offering plate. Use a generic envelope if you are adding the fee in church. If the event or activity you are interested in is not listed, write it in the space at the bottom of this sheet and someone will contact you.

New Members Class

- I am interested in attending the New Members Class on 2/28 from 6:00-8:00 pm. Please contact me with more information.

Lenten Services

I am interested in volunteering during the following Lenten Service(s). Please fill out the reverse side of this sheet with your contact information.

Ash Wednesday, March 6

<u>10:00 am Service</u>	<u>5:00 pm Service</u>
_____ Communion Assistant	_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Welcome Center	_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter	_____ Greeter

7:00 pm Service
_____ Lector
_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter

Wednesday, March 13

<u>10:00 am Service</u>	<u>5:00 pm Service</u>
_____ Welcome Center	_____ Lector
_____ Greeter	_____ Communion Assistant
	_____ Welcome Center
	_____ Greeter

7:00 pm Service
_____ Lector
_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Usher
_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter

Pictorial Directory

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Wednesday, March 20

<u>10:00 am Service</u>	<u>5:00 pm Service</u>
_____ Welcome Center	_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Greeter	_____ Welcome Center
	_____ Greeter

7:00 pm Service
_____ Lector
_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Usher
_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter

Wednesday, March 27

<u>10:00 am Service</u>	<u>5:00 pm Service</u>
_____ Welcome Center	_____ Lector
_____ Greeter	_____ Communion Assistant
	_____ Welcome Center
	_____ Greeter

7:00 pm Service
_____ Lector
_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Usher
_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter

Wednesday, April 3

<u>10:00 am Service</u>	<u>5:00 pm Service</u>
_____ Welcome Center	_____ Lector
_____ Greeter	_____ Communion Assistant
	_____ Welcome Center
	_____ Greeter

7:00 pm Service
_____ Lector
_____ Communion Assistant
_____ Usher
_____ Welcome Center
_____ Greeter

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Phone: _____