

Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School

News & Notes for April 20, 21 & 24

COFFEE HOUR – Hosted by the Niles family, in celebration of Isaiah's 14th birthday.

REQUESTED PRAYERS – Brendan Cullen, Charlotte Jump, Sandra Eckert, Dottie Conard, Chuck Kiehl, Tiffany Prescher, Tammy Barthels, Gwen Kolbe, Vicky Almgren, Annie Kress, Michelle Markevitch, Alan Schmidlkofer, Jeff Lampe, Brian Pool, Ken Gundlach, Lee Steffen, and Barbara Prigge.

ATTENTION BOARD OF ELDERS – Please plan to attend a special, evaluation meeting on April 23rd, beginning at 6:00pm in the Century Room.

BLS CONCERT – BLS is proud to present the first ever Spring Concert. The performance will take place on April 23rd at 6:00pm in the gym. This is a chance to see our student's musical talents. Choirs include 3K-5K, 1st-3rd, 4th-6th, 7th-8th. The Tone Chimes and SALSA Festival Choir will also perform. All are invited to attend!

VOTERS' MEETING – The next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 24th at 7:00pm.

CHANGE FOR THE FUTURE – The next collection deadline is April 28th.

TRINITY EASTER CONCERT – All are invited to attend the Easter Concert on Wednesday, May 1st at 7:00pm at Holy Name Catholic Church (807 Superior Ave.). Trinity's choirs will be joining with the Lutheran High Konzertchor to sing the Mass in C Sharp Minor by Louis Vierne. This large work consists of 5 parts of the Divine Service: Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus, Benedictus, and Agnus Dei. The concert is free and open to the public.

A MESSAGE FROM ST. MARK SHEBOYGAN – GriefShare is a Christian-based, weekly seminar and support group designed to rebuild your life after the loss of a loved one. It lasts 13 weeks, from April 3rd – June 26th, 10:00-11:30am. Call Carolyn, the Parish Nurse, at 920-458-4343 ext.104 with questions or to register.

CRUSADER SUMMER CAMPS – Sheboygan Lutheran is excited to offer summer camps for children in grades K-12, including baseball, basketball, art, volleyball, fitness, weight training, soccer, and theater. Go to www.lutheranhigh.com/summercamps. Also, we're excited to offer a new summer camp... **FOR ADULTS!** Rick and Christina Zeuner are leading 'Mission...Not-Impossible', a 3-night series of board game introductions, snacks, and fellowship for adults only at LHS on July 15th, 17th and 22nd, 6:00-8:30pm. Register online at www.lutheranhigh.com/gamenight.

HAVE YOU EVER HAD QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SCRIPTURE EXCERPTS READ IN CHURCH? – The writer of a particular Scripture might not be obvious, as in the book of Acts, for example. Maybe you're not sure who's being quoted or in what circumstances the excerpt took place. For answers to these and other questions you might have, join Pastor Niles or Pastor Hanson in the Century Room any Saturday from 4:15-5:15pm. Join a friendly group of Bible-learners. You'll be glad you did.

"WHAT LUTHERANS BELIEVE" CONTINUES ON SUNDAYS – Join the new member class as Pastor Niles conducts a comprehensive review of Lutheran Doctrine, from 9:15-10:15am in the library. Even if you've been a Lutheran for some time, this could be a time for a "brush up".

SUNDAY MORNING YOUTH BIBLE STUDY – Join Pastor Hanson at 9:15am in the downstairs Youth Room (#301), for a Bible study for 7th-12th grade students.

VIDEO/DISCUSSION SERIES CONTINUES IN THE CENTURY ROOM – Sunday, April 21st in the Century Room from 9:15-10:15am, the subject will be *"Called to Others"*. What does this phrase actually mean? Why is it important to articulate our faith to others? Rev. Ziegler of Lutheran Hour Ministries will tackle these and other important topics via video. After that, David Ames will lead a discussion of reflective questions. Don't miss this "grass roots" sharing of our faith.

RICK ZEUNER'S 3-WEEK SERIES ON "THE MIRACLES OF JESUS" STARTS APRIL 22ND – This series will begin at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Sheboygan Falls (Hwy 28, access from Cty Hwy PPP). Monday's topic will be "The transformation of water into wine". Pastors from St. Paul will follow up with small-group discussions for those who wish to take part. Bethlehemites – you won't want to miss this!

IF YOU'RE A COMMUNICANT MEMBER OF BETHLEHEM, CONSIDER BECOMING A VOTING MEMBER – It's not hard to do; follow these 4 easy steps:

1. Attend a Voters' meeting (the next one is Wednesday, April 24th at 7:00pm).
2. Sign the attendance book and tell David Ames or a pastor of your desire to become a voting member.
3. At your first meeting, just listen.
4. At any subsequent meeting, feel free to express your thoughts and also vote.

HISPANIC OUTREACH – Copies of the most recent letter from Rev. David Blas are located on the bulletin table. Please feel free to take one to read about his latest news and updates.

THANK YOU – The PTL and Fellowship Committee would like to say Thank You to all the moms and sons who attended our first "Binglow" event. We would also like to give a BIG shoutout to Best Painting for the pizza dinner donation. We are glowing with appreciation!

Upcoming Worship and Activities at Bethlehem

Sunday, April 21

8:00am – Worship w/Holy Communion
9:15am – Bible study
9:15am – Sunday School
10:30am – Worship w/Holy Communion
11:45am – Bible Study Task Force meeting
4:00pm – Youth Group Bust-Up Party (4:00-6:00)

Monday, April 22

Tuesday, April 23

6:00pm – Bethlehem School Spring Concert (gym)
6:00pm – Special Elders meeting

Wednesday, April 24

1:00pm – Reading Partners
3:30pm – Public School Confirmation class
6:00pm – Worship w/Holy Communion
7:00pm – Voters' meeting

Thursday, April 25

6:00pm – Board of Evangelism meeting
7:00pm – Adult choir practice

Friday, April 26

Grandparents Day at Bethlehem School

Saturday, April 27

4:15pm – Bible study
5:30pm – Worship w/Holy Communion

Sunday, April 28

8:00am – Worship w/Holy Communion
9:15am – Bible study
9:15am – Sunday School
10:30am – Worship w/Holy Communion



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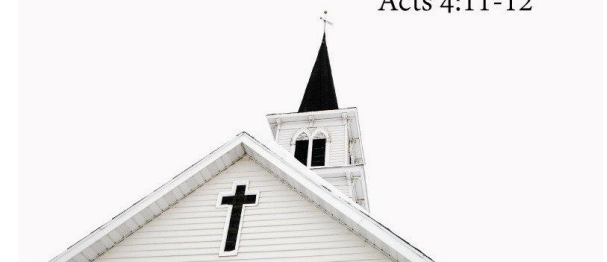
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Rev. Patrick Niles, Administrative Pastor
Rev. Jeremy Hanson, Associate Pastor
Mr. Patrick Vanic, Principal

Parish Music/Organist – Sandra Kasten
School Music/Resource – Rachel Bult
3 yr. Kindergarten – Joely Buss
4 yr. Kindergarten/Resource – Sonia TenPas
5 yr. Kindergarten – Holly Leibham
Grade 1 – Katrina Niles
Grade 2 – Jessica Usadel
Grade 3 – Ellen Vanic
Grade 4 – Heidi Wallner
Middle Grades – Jeff Wegner
Middle Grades – Pam Carlson-Gugel
Middle Grades – Jon Krueger
Middle Grades – Ryan Sines
PE/Spanish – Laurie Schultz
Band Instructor – Geoff Schuh
Extended Care / Aide – Rose Albertin
Aide – Sue Kubow
Aide – Katie Wheelan
Aide – Mary Irish
Church Office Manager – Amy Weir
School Secretary – Dawn Hemschemeyer
Custodian – Trisha Fischer
Lunch Coordinator – Amy Morrelle
Lunch Aide/Extended Care – Monica Cyr
Extended Care – Sarah Hanson

**“THIS JESUS IS THE STONE THAT WAS REJECTED BY YOU,
THE BUILDERS, WHICH HAS BECOME THE CORNERSTONE.
AND THERE IS SALVATION IN NO ONE ELSE,
FOR THERE IS NO OTHER NAME UNDER HEAVEN
GIVEN AMONG MEN BY WHICH WE MUST BE SAVED.”**

Acts 4:11-12



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