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A Welcoming and Worshipping Community



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Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost

October 1st, 2023 || 8:00AM

WELCOME & MISSION STATEMENT

(Please stand)

OPENING HYMN 702 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

SHARING OF THE PEACE

INVOCATION

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

LORD HAVE MERCY (*Kyrie LSB 204*)

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST (*Gloria in Excelsis LSB 204*)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

(Please be seated)

OLD TESTAMENT READING Jonah 2:1-6

NEW TESTAMENT READING Philippians 2:1-4, 14-18

(Please stand)

ALLELUIA AND VERSE

GOSPEL READING Matthew 12:38-41

LWML PLEDGE

(Please be seated)

HYMN 844 "Lord of All Nations, Grant Me Grace"

SERMON

OFFERING AND RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

MUSICAL OFFERTORY "The King of Love" Chancel Choir

(Please stand)

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION (*LSB 208*)

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (*Sanctus LSB 208*)

COMMUNION PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD (*Agnus Dei LSB 210*)

(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMN 566 "By Grace I'm Saved" (*sts. 1-2,5-6*)

DISTRIBUTION HYMN 770 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

(Please stand)

NUNC DIMITTIS (*LSB 211*)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICTION

(Please be seated)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please stand)

CLOSING HYMN 761 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"

WE WELCOME ALL GUESTS AND VISITORS!!!

"We are inspired by the Word of God to be a welcoming and worshipping community, equipping people to live out and share their faith in love."

This week @ RSLC

SUNDAY October 1st

8:00am || Traditional Worship
9:15am- 10:15am || Bible Study- All Ages
10:30am || Contemporary Worship
11:30am-1:30pm || **Oktoberfest**
4:00pm-5:00pm || Confirmation
5:00pm-7:00pm || Youth Group

TUESDAY October 3rd

6:30pm-7:30pm || Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY October 4th

8:30am || Men's Bible Study
9:30am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study
12:00pm-2:00pm || GO Committee
7:00-9:00pm || Chancel Choir

THURSDAY October 5th

9:00am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study
6:00pm || Praise Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY October 6th

10:00am-11:30am || Mustard Seed Connect
12:30pm-1:30pm || Mission Action Meeting



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SUNDAY October 8th

8:00am || Traditional Worship
9:15am- 10:15am || Bible Study- All Ages
10:30am || Contemporary Worship
11:45am-12:45pm || Youth Band
4:00pm-5:00pm || Confirmation
5:00pm-7:00pm || Youth @ Gethsemane

TUESDAY October 10th

6:30pm-7:30pm || Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY October 11th

8:30am || Men's Bible Study
9:30am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study
12:00pm-2:00pm || GO Committee
1:00pm-3:00pm || Sisters Games
7:00-8:30pm || Chancel Choir

THURSDAY October 12th

9:00am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study
6:00pm || Praise Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY October 13th

10:00am-11:30am || Mustard Seed Connect
12:30pm-1:30pm || Mission Action Meeting
1:00pm-3:00pm || Mahjong Group

SATURDAY October 14th

10:00am || Kassel Memorial Service/Reception

LWML SUNDAY

Lutheran Women in Mission praise the Lord for opportunities to share His message and love with people from all walks of life throughout our community and the world. Today the Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) invites you to join us in celebrating the joy of serving the Lord with gladness in this congregation. Together, we will offer our praise using the theme, "The King is Coming", Psalm 24:7-10



ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT

December 3 from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm



This year's theme is: Angels: Messengers and the message. We are seeking table hosts. If you are interested, please sign up at the LWML table.

NEWS & EVENTS

VOTERS MEETING FOLLOW-UP- DCE nominations needed!

At a specially called voters meeting last Sunday the 24th, you approved a resolution to go forward with calling a Director of Christian Education (DCE) to provide leadership in our ministry to children, youth and young families. The DCE Call Committee is therefore accepting your nominations for this position now through October 15th. Nominees must be on the active roster of our church body, the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod (LCMS), and eligible to Call. You can use one of the pink forms provided at church, or you can nominate by email. Simply send the name of the worker you have in mind and a brief statement of why you are nominating him/her. Additionally, the Committee will solicit potential names through our District office. The Committee will then filter all the names and conduct remote interviews with those considered the best candidates, and then have one or more specific names to recommend for Calling within the next few weeks. Please have this entire process in your prayers so that God's direction is clear and we humbly seek His will in the ways we fulfill His mission.



NURSERY OPEN!!

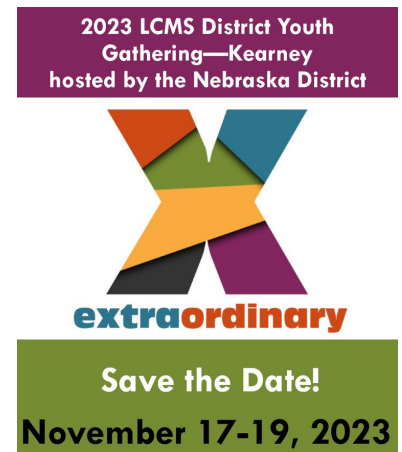
We now have a staffed nursery at no cost to you! Every Sunday from 9am – 12noon, Sarah Adams will be in the nursery room in the west wing. While we always welcome and encourage youngsters to be in worship, we also want you to have options and then let you choose what works best for you.

District Youth Gathering – Kearney 2023

We've got "extra" in our ordinary lives, but it's stuff that makes us anxious or sad, things that worry us, scare us, and confuse us. It's extra questions stirring within us and extra pressures all around us. Amidst these pressures and questions of life there is an amazing truth: God loves ordinary people.

"[extra]ordinary" will lead students through encounters with Jesus who answers questions and calms fears. Students will discover that the love of Jesus is the "extra" that their ordinary needs.

High school students in grades 9-12 and their adult leaders are invited to join other LCMS youth at the 2023 LCMS District Youth Gathering—Kearney. Friends of youth group members are invited and encouraged to attend too! If your youth is interested in attending, please contact the office.



Matching Fund for support of Youth Nebraska Conference

An anonymous congregation member has offered to match dollar-for-dollar, all gifts up to a total of \$500, to support the youths attendance at the "Extraordinary" district conference in Nebraska. Gifts will be collected through the month of October. Checks made payable to RSLC should include a note in the memo line for "Youth Conference Fund".

NEWS & EVENTS

FAMILY GAME NIGHT @ Gethsemane Lutheran Church

Join us for a Family Game Night and Potluck. Games will be provided, but you are encouraged to bring your favorite game to share. We will also be sharing a meal, so please bring a dish to share. Contact [Anita Burnham](#) if you have any questions at 303-809-5418.

SWEET DREAM IN A BAG PACKING EVENT

October 7, 2023 - 9:00am Broomfield Salvation Army Building 1080 Birch Street
Sweet Dream in a Bag PACKING EVENT is a group of people of all ages, folding and filling bedding bags to provide a gift of new bedding to children in poverty and difficult circumstances they did not choose to be in. Families are encouraged to come. Sign up at the table in the hallway.

BETTY KASSEL CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Please join us October 14th at 10am for a service of celebration for the life of Betty Kassel. The family asks you join them for a reception after the service in the Fellowship Area.

F.I.S.H.- FELLOWSHIP IN SERVING HUMANITY

Your generosity through church provides for family needs through this local food bank. Donations can be dropped off in the FISH baskets in the hallway at church. Suggested donations for the upcoming months:

- October: saltine crackers, soups, ramen, cooking oil, and misc. snacks
- November: cooking oil, baking mixes, frosting, fruit cups, crackers
- December: canned vegetables, crackers, dry pasta, cooking oil, juice.

Any and all other **non-perishable food** donations are also welcome and appreciated! For additional information, please contact Al Lonon through the [church office](#).

YOUTH MUSIC

Youth Music is kicking off for the Fall! Youth Band begins on Sunday, October 8th from 11:45am-12:45pm, and Youth Handbells starts on Tuesday, October 17th from 5:30-6:30pm.

Middle school youth and older are encouraged to attend, and all experience levels are welcome. We are also looking for music coaches and mentors, if any adults are interested in this ministry. Contact Colten Highley for more details: chighley@rslc.org.

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)

WAYS TO GIVE:

- Cash or check: offering taken during service
- **Realm:** set up giving through your Member login
- Text Giving: text our church's keyword "LOVE2GIVE2RSLC" TO 73256
- More giving options available at www.rslc.org

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

