

February 18, 2024

LIVING WATERS LUTHERAN CHURCH SAUK RAPIDS, MINNESOTA

GUEST INFORMATION

We are glad you are here! Please visit the Welcome Center to learn more about Living Waters and to receive a welcome gift.

All are welcome to receive communion.

Prayers of the People request sheets are in the front of the Watersource book, and will be collected during the service. Additional prayer request sheets (for requests that need not be shared publicly) are inside the books.

Need a hearing device? We have them! Please ask an usher.

Blessing Bags are available for children Filled with activities, Blessing Bags are available by the side doors of the sanctuary.

Children's Offering during Worship Kids are welcome to come up front during the offering and put coins in the globe or an item for the Living Waters Food Shelf.

Coffee Fellowship Enjoy goodies and a cup of coffee or lemonade at the Coffee Bar today at 10:00 a.m.

MOVIE SHOWING TODAY

The movie *City Slickers* will be shown at 2:00 today. Discussion on the movie will take place Wednesday evening after the Lenten service.

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TABLE TALK SERIES ON THE CURRENT PALESTINIAN/ISRAELI CONFLICT Sponsored by the Social Justice For All God's Children group

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Meetings and Occasions

Feb. 16-18: Marriage Encounter Weekend at the Church Feb. 18: 9 a.m. Worship; 2 p.m. Movie Showing - *City Slickers*—in the Sanctuary

Feb. 20: 5:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting; 6:30 p.m. Church Council Meeting

Feb. 21: 5:30 p.m. Soup Supper; 6:30 p.m. Lenten Service Feb. 22: H2O Youth Group Movie Night at the Theater— Pizza (cost covered) at the church at 5 p.m.

Wednesday Lenten Services

5:30 p.m. Soup Supper 6:30 p.m. Service

February 21 February 28 March 6 March 13 March 20

HOMELESS DRIVE For Lincoln Center

Living Waters is collecting...

Large Bath Towels ~ Shower Disinfectant Cleaner Floor Cleaner ~ Laundry Soap ~ Paper Towels Underwear for Men & Women ~ Cereal (boxed fine) Ramen Noodles ~ Granola Bars NO CANNED GOODS, NO PERISHABLES

Please bring donations to the church by March 15th.



Prayers for healing and strength for DeNetta Wolbeck as she recovers from hip surgery.

Prayers for Kelli Pederson's friend Trish, who was recently diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

Prayers for comfort for the family of Karel Fleck following her death.

Prayers for comfort for Ellen Howe's brother, Ted, who has cancer and is not doing well.

Prayers for healing for Jim, brother of Pastor Jake.

Prayers for healing and comfort for Candis, sister of Ted Helgerson, who is battling brain cancer.

During each Wednesday Lenten service, we will hear God's Word and reflect on the "stones" we carry around—stones of rejection and hurt which weigh us down, stones we may contemplate tossing at someone else, hearts of stone unwilling to let God's love in.

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We will together journey through Holy Week and together proclaim the resurrection, to announce together the Good News, "He is risen!" We will see how we'd laid our sins at the cross and, behold They'll be gone. The stone will be rolled away! Thanks be to God.

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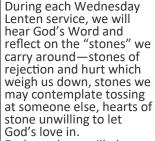
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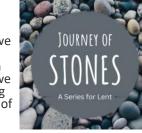
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