

Splash Pad

October 22, 2023

LIVING WATERS LUTHERAN CHURCH
SAUK RAPIDS, MINNESOTA

GUEST INFORMATION

We are glad you are here!

Welcome

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 Watersource 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. LWLC is always looking for people to host fellowship.

Sign up at lwlcmn.org.

No Sunday School Today

There is no Sunday School October 22 due to MEA.

Table Talk Continues This Morning

Join us for Table Talk at 10:15 a.m. this morning. We will continue with the Book of Mark series. There is no Table Talk on October 29 due to the special Confirmation service.

Youth to Collect Food Shelf Donations

4th-10th grade youth will be “trick-or-treating” for donations for the LWLC Food Shelf this Wednesday, October 25, starting at 6:30 p.m. Non-perishable food items will be collected.

H2O Youth Group Meets October 28th

H2O, the senior-high youth group at LWLC, will visit Molitor’s Haunted Acres in Sauk Rapids on Saturday, October 28. The group will meet for pizza at the church at 6:00 p.m., then leave for Molitor’s at 6:30 p.m. Youth should purchase their own tickets online before 4:00 p.m. that day.

Confirmation Sunday

10th graders will be confirmed on Sunday, October 29. There will be a special service at 10:30 a.m. Cake will be served in the narthex at 10:00 a.m.

No Black Friday Food Drive

Due to an overabundance of food amassed by the Living Waters Food Shelf, there will not be a Black Friday Food Drive this year. A food drive may be held at a later date, as needs arise.

Yuling Pianos Event December 2

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- Oct. 24:** 6:30 p.m. Spiritual Wellness Support Group Meets; 7 p.m. Brewery Bunch meets at Back Shed Brewing
- Oct. 25:** 5:30 p.m. Youth Education; Youth Collecting Food Shelf Donations Door-to-Door; 6:40 p.m. Wednesday Night Group of Mark Group Meets at the Church
- Oct. 26:** 6 p.m. Social Justice For All God's Children Group
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Thanksgiving Eve Service: November 22 at 6:30 p.m.
Yuling Pianos Event: December 2, time TBA



Prayers for healing, strength, comfort and peace for Bill and his family, and prayers for the doctors, nurses and other health professionals as they care for him.

Prayers that Chad Pallansch, friend of Scott Sylvester, is found. Chad, a trail runner, went missing in Rocky Mountain National Park in late September.

Prayers for guidance, patience and respite for Ellarry's family as they seek appropriate care for her brother.

Prayers for Alex Euteneuer, who had brain surgery Friday to remove a cancerous tumor, and for his family as they stand by him in the days ahead.

Small Group Start Dates

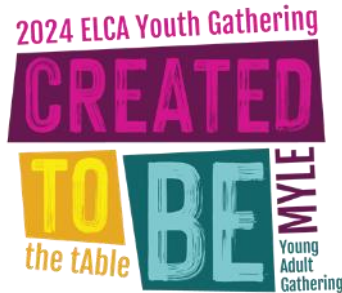
Two new small groups—Brewery Bunch and the Wednesday Night Book of Mark Group—will begin meeting this week.

Brewery Bunch

The Brewery Bunch will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 24, at Back Shed Brewing—624 Sundial Drive, Waite Park. The Book of Mark Study Guide can be purchased from the church for \$5. Group leader Tom Satre will also bring a few copies on the 24th.

Wednesday Night Book of Mark Group

The Wednesday Night Book of Mark Group will meet at 6:40 p.m. on Wednesday, October 25, at the church. The study guide can be purchased from the church for \$5. Copies will be available that evening from group leaders Dan and Kelli Pederson.



Youth from grades 8-12 are invited to attend the 2024 ELCA National Youth Gathering July 16-20 in New Orleans. For questions about the trip, call Pastor Jake Dyrhaug at 320-733-0257 or email him at pastorjake@lwlcmn.org.

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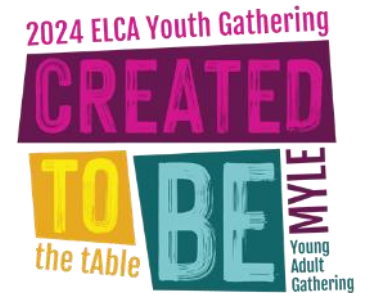
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