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# April 2021

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**Maundy Thursday Worship with Holy Communion 6:15pm:** First Communion families in Sanctuary—all others please choose in-car worship in the Parking Lot.

**Good Friday Worship 6:15pm:** In the Sanctuary or Parking Lot

**Easter Sunday Worship with Holy Communion 8:30am and 10:30am:**  
Both services in the Sanctuary or Parking Lot

## PASTORS' PAGES



Spring Greetings!

I am writing this on the first day of Spring, and it actually looks and feels like it could be Spring in MN in March! What a miracle! We can even see some little sprigs of green starting to make their way toward the light as God's beautiful creation reminds us of the new life that God promises to us in this Easter season. April begins with Maundy Thursday on April first, with the return of some "normal" programming as our First

Communion students from last year and this year (current fifth and sixth graders) are welcomed to the Lord's Table. After this last supper with Christ, we experience again Jesus' death on the cross on Good Friday. **Then, on Easter morning, April 4<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate our Lord Jesus' resurrection from the grave, bringing new life for all. We will celebrate with worship services both in the sanctuary and parking lot at 8:30 and 10:30 AM.** We hope you can join us for this festive worship of new life, especially as we experience this new life promising us hope and healing as so many continue to endure so much.

We are experiencing this Easter hope and healing, as a church as we continue to take our "baby steps" getting back to church life in the prior ways that we once knew! As more and more vaccinations become available and COVID cases are lower, we plan to continue with our 9:30 worship service that takes place in both the sanctuary and parking lot at the same time. We will also keep having Communion every Sunday as people exit the parking lot. We want to provide people with options, as some still prefer the parking lot, and the Pequot Lakes School District is still asking for everyone's help in keeping the community spread down as COVID cases have started to rise a bit again in the schools. We will keep doing our part! We keep on with our masks and all COVID precautions as necessary.

This month, more groups are wanting to meet indoors during the week. We thank all the groups that have already been meeting for following the COVID precautions so well. If you are a part of a ministry group that would like to meet at the church, please contact Brenda to reserve the time and space, and she will let you know the procedures as well (refer to **Current Gathering Options**). Thanks for your continued diligence and cooperation in keeping people healthy and safe as we gather indoors; it really is a contribution to the entire Crosslake community's well being!

As we look toward warmer weather some of us anticipate the Outdoor service. **We plan to start the Outdoor service on its "regular" schedule this year at 10:00 AM, on Sunday, May 23.** When the Outdoor service begins, we will stop the parking lot service and have our "regular" indoor service at 8:30 in the sanctuary. **May 23 will also be special as it will be our Senior Graduate Recognition Sunday!** And, here's the big news . . . we get to sit in chairs at the Outdoor facility this year! Alleluia! We've also decided that we will only need to be "masked on the move." So, once people are seated in their spots, they won't need to wear masks. Only people volunteering and those "on the move" who could inadvertently get closer than 6 feet to someone else will need to be masked! And we will be able to use the bathrooms as well. (No more portapotty!) That's good news!

But even more than all that, is the Good News of the Gospel! The Good News that despite it all, Christ is risen. He is risen, indeed! Alleluia! The Resurrection of Christ comes to us once again, through it all, bringing us new life and new beginnings, to heal and to renew. May you feel God's new beginning in you, however you need to experience it, this Easter season.

In Christ,  
Pastor Kristin

## MARCH CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY NEWS



“For You!” These words have been resonating in my head quite a bit lately. I have | had the privilege and joy of leading two great sessions with our fifth and sixth graders and their parents as they prepare to receive their First Communion. We talked about these words “For You.” As we prepare to receive the sacrament, we hear them in the Words of Institution but often gloss over them.

*In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks: broke it, and gave it to the disciples saying: Take and eat: this is my body, **given for you**,  
Do this for the remembrance of me.*

*Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is a new covenant in my blood, **shed for you** and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do  
this for the remembrance of me.*

In the distribution we hear them again as our server hopefully looks us in the eye and says, “This is the body of Christ, the blood of Christ, given, FOR YOU!” The server at that point is simply a vessel or a conduit. It is really Jesus meeting us, looking us in the eye, and saying, **“This is me, I give myself, for you and to you.”** Our Lord shows up for us time after time helping us celebrate our joys, healing our hurts, tending to our grief, and moving us toward life and the joy of fully living.

As I write this, there have been several people in need of pastoral care in the last couple days, “For you” is God’s presence in their hurts and ills. The hockey team is going to state and the basketball teams scrapped it out at sections, “For you” is God’s presence in their joy, nervousness, and well-earned pride. But also, there are people whose depression, whose anxiety, or whose loneliness have engulfed them, “For you” is God’s patient perseverance for them, sitting with them in them in their suffering. In not too long, we will be at the outdoor site, where the elements will be distributed in the midst of a beautiful creation and again, we hear the promise, “for you.” On May 23<sup>rd</sup> our high school graduates will be recognized at the outdoor site, celebrating years of study, and years of Christ sustaining them with the promise, “for you.” Soon enough KIDS KORNER is going to be finding a NEW STRUCTURE for the kids to hear Jesus to say, “for you,” through the bread and wine, but also through activities and crafts.

God is good and indeed, “for you.”

In Christ,  
Pastor Kurt

### **Fifth and Sixth Graders receiving their First Communion:**

Huck Balmer, Brynn Carlson, Clare Foote, Zane Gade-Fletcher, Michael Harr, Addison Headley, Andie Held, Jude Johnson, Sidney Larsen, Bodie Nybakken, Preston Pearo, Zeppelin Thull, Stevie Thull, and Chelby Wothe

Maundy Thursday Thanks! Thank you, congregation, for being willing to worship in your cars in the parking lot so the Fifth and Sixth graders and their extended families can safely worship indoors.

## ROOF UPDATE

Installation of the new shingles will take place the week of April 5-9th—weather permitting!



## CURRENT GATHERING OPTIONS

### **9:30 AM Worship Service on Sunday Morning – Gather Indoor or in the Parking Lot in vehicles**

**9:30 Indoor Service** – We ask that you park in the BACK LOT, so that those who are going to the Parking Lot service can be in front lot. The back door by the bathrooms will be unlocked for you to enter. There are handicapped spots there, too. You will be greeted and reminded to please use the hand sanitizer. Then, ushers will direct you, with your coat on into the sanctuary to the first available spot in the pew. (This may be an even better view than the seat you normally have!) Household groups will be seated together, physically distanced from other groups, as necessary for your protection. Face coverings are required in the building at all times. Don't worry if you forget your mask, we'll have extras. Please note if the modified capacity of the sanctuary is reached, we will ask those who exceed capacity to attend the Parking Lot service. The preaching pastor will preach from inside the sanctuary, so you will see that pastor indoors.

**9:30 Parking Lot Service** – Remains as it has been going. Park in a designated spot for fire safety purposes in the front lot facing the brown booth (pastor perch). Those coming to the Indoor service will park in the back. If the front lot is filling up, feel free to park in a front handicapped spot, even if you don't have a handicapped sticker. The pastor leading the liturgy will be in the perch for the service.

We will continue to have a song leader each Sunday. **We will also have Communion every Sunday.** For both the Indoor and Parking Lot services Communion and Offering nets will be "drive by" at your vehicle as people leave the parking lot through the two exits to County Rd 66 at the end of the service.

## **Church Facility Open by Reservation during the week:**

In addition, the church facility is open by reservation. This means that if a group would like to meet for their activity (quilting, knitting, etc.) or a meeting, they may do so. Depending on the size of the group, it's optimal to meet in a room that has the furnace upgrade with the high quality filter system. (Unfortunately, this excludes the Fellowship hall, if your groups needs the Fellowship hall, this can be arranged, but please be aware the filters are not able to be in this area. However, we did purchase a fogger that can be used in the evening to clean any area of the church.) The process is to call the church office number to reserve the room. Bible Study on Wednesday mornings will be at church. When you use a church space, each person needs to sanitize their hands, sign in on the sheet, and wear a face covering at all times. The kitchen will not be used, but people may bring their own beverages. You can talk with Brenda, our office manager, about what room best suits your needs, and how to lock and unlock the door, if needed.

Please note that while the sanctuary and meeting rooms are opening, we still aren't opening the entire church building. Out of care for our community, we request that if you have been at a church gathering and test positive for COVID 19 shortly afterwards (because we know this virus is unpredictable!), please let us know. We will email out a brief notification, keeping identities anonymous, but letting people know they may have been exposed to COVID 19.

Our COVID Preparedness Plan is available on our website at [Crosslakelutheran.com](http://Crosslakelutheran.com)

# APRIL BIBLE STUDY (following the Lectionary)



We are taking an Easter break from Bible Study the next couple of weeks and will resume on April 13th (Zoom) & April 14th (in the Fellowship Hall).

Tuesday, April 13	6:00 PM (ZOOM)	Luke 24:36b-48
Wednesday, April 14	10:00AM (IN PERSON)	
Tuesday, April 20	6:00 PM (ZOOM)	John 10:11-18
Wednesday, April 21	10:00AM (IN PERSON)	
Tuesday, April 27	6:00 PM (ZOOM)	John 15:1-8
Wednesday, April 28	10:00AM (IN PERSON)	
Tuesday, May 4	6:00 PM (ZOOM)	John 15:9-17
Wednesday, May 5	10:00 AM (IN PERSON)	

## 2021 FINANCIAL REPORT

<u>Feb:</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>YTD:</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Revenues:	\$ 120,425	\$ 41,523	\$ 78,902	\$ 172,819	\$ 107,111	\$ 65,708	
Expenses:	\$ 42,077	\$ 44,854	\$ 2,777	\$ 81,922	\$ 89,411	\$ 7,489	
Difference:	\$ 78,348	\$ (3,331)	81,679	\$ 90,897	\$ 17,700	\$ 73,197	

In the month of **February**, revenue exceed expenses by \$78,348.

**REVENUES INCLUDE \$70,275 RECEIVED FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
AS PART OF THE CARES ACT AND THE PPP LOAN FORGIVENESS.**



Revenues exceeded expenses from normal church activities would have been \$8,073. YTD's performance would be \$2,922 more than budget, because revenues are \$4,567 less than budget, and expenses are also less than budget by \$7,489.

Complete financial reports are available in the Finance mailbox.

**NOTE FROM THE TREASURER:**

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, also known as the CARES Act, was passed by Congress in early 2020 to react to the economic fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic. Part of this act was the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP). The PPP was a loan program designed to help businesses and nonprofit organizations continue to maintain employment during the uncertain economic times of the pandemic. This loan was forgivable if the organization continued employment at pre-pandemic levels. Crosslake Lutheran Church received \$70,275 as a loan from this program. Thanks to this loan, and the continued generosity of our congregation, CLC has been able to keep all employees at pre-pandemic level during this time. As a result of this continued employment, our PPP loan of \$70,275 has been forgiven in February and will be included as revenue for the rest of 2021. In order to reflect more accurately the financial position of the church, a note will be included each month to show what CLC revenue would have been both with and without this one-time gift.

CLC does not qualify for an additional loan from the PPP Second Draw.

## NEWS OF THE FAMILY

*Prayers for Peace and Comfort to those in our congregation who have suffered a loss:*



- The family of Greta Peterson in their loss & sorrow. Greta passed away on March 2nd in Nisswa. A memorial service for Greta & Dick Peterson will be on May 13th with time of the service yet to be determined.
- Pat Netko in the death of her cousin, Denny Winterboer, on March 1st in Milford, IA.
- Mary & Rollie Hirman in the death of their son, Mark Rongstad, on March 3rd in Raleigh, NC.
- The family of David Jensen in their loss and sorrow. Dave passed away on March 7th in Staples, MN.

▪ The family of Charlotte (Char) Erickson, wife of retired pastor Richard (Dick) Erickson, in their loss & sorrow. Char passed away on Monday, March 22nd in Chaska, MN. A memorial service is being planned for mid-July at Crosslake Lutheran.

### PASTORAL ACTS

**Memorial Service:** David Jensen, March 18th

**Baptisms:** Taytum Rose Maher and Carson Michael Maher, February 27th  
Nolan Brian Box, March 6th.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE:** There will be a memorial service for Don Daniels, husband of Kitty Daniels, on Saturday, April 24th at 1 pm (short visitation prior to service). This service will be in the Sanctuary and also you may listen in the Parking Lot.

## THANK YOU'S

*Dear Crosslake Lutheran Family, We wanted to thank the Pastors for all their phone calls and the members of our church for the beautiful cards—the many words of encouragement and love. Thank you Knit Wits for the beautiful prayer shawl. It's like a warm hug. We feel so blessed to have such a loving and concerned church family. It has meant everything to our family and myself. God's blessings to you all! - Larry & Mary Neer*

*To my church family, Thank you so much for all your prayers, cards and memorials. It's at a time like this you really are blessed to have the support of all your church friends. May God bless you all.—Deanna Dubel*

## EMERGENCY CARE PLANNING FOR CAREGIVERS

Who would support your loved one if you were suddenly unavailable or unable? LSS Caregiver Support & Respite helps caregivers put a plan in place in case a crisis or emergency happens.

### Services Include:

- An in-depth assessment of your unique needs and help creating a plan
- Family / support team meetings
- Follow-up every 90 days to review the plan
- Referrals to additional resources

**Appointments are available in-person, as well as by phone or video chat.**

**How to Get Started** Contact Tara Giese, Caregiver Support & Respite Program Director, to learn more about how this service can work for you. Call toll free at **1.866.787.9802** [email Tara Giese](mailto:Tara.Giese@lss.org).

**\*Services are temporarily available at no cost.** This service was developed with generous funding from the Department of Human Service's Live Well at Home grant. It is also supported by the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs (MDVA) and the Great Plains Senior Services Collaborative.

# YOUTH GROUP SCOOP

In these uncertain times – Don't worry about anything.....PRAY ABOUT EVERYTHING. (Philippians 4:6)  
No matter what we face, we don't have to live in fear. In uncertain times, we can seek our unchanging God. One of the ways we can seek God is through prayer – which is simply an ongoing honest conversation with God. Prayer can change our circumstances, but most of all, it changes us. We need to remind ourselves that no matter what happens around us, God is always with us.

We are so thankful for all the youth that are showing up for youth ministry! We are having good conversation, small groups and game time! Our gathering times are Wednesdays 5 -6:15 pm for 7-8<sup>th</sup> grades, and 6:30 – 8 pm for 9-12<sup>th</sup> grades. We are also very appreciative of our small group leaders who attend as well!

## **DATES TO PUT ON YOUR CALENDAR:**

**Roadside Clean-up** – Wednesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> and Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup>. We will need LOTS OF family help with clean up!

**Join Hands Day** – Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>. We will need LOTS OF family help with planting!

**Senior Class Graduation Recognition** – Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at the 10 am Outdoor Worship

**Mission Trip** -July 24<sup>th</sup> – August 1st

Remember, Don't worry about anything, Pray about everything!

God is good,

Pat Netko, Youth Director

# HEALTH MINISTRY



Happy Spring! It feels like resurrection for those of us who are now coming out of COVID-19 quarantine after receiving our vaccines. If you have questions about if you should or where to get your vaccine, please contact your provider or call me if looking for vaccine sites. MDH has a service called VACCINE CONNECTOR which will help you find both local and area sites where you can sign up. I am so glad that the age restrictions were essentially lifted since health risks should be considered in addition to age. I have seen a few 40 year-olds that have been much less healthy than some of our 90 year-olds. :-) I hope that with more folks fully vaccinated, we will see more comfort in coming indoors for worship- I really believe that part of our worship experience is the fellowship of being with other believers. What will it take for you to feel safe rejoining worship? We have all needed safety protocols in place. Come and see part of some familiar faces :-)

Thank you to all who participated in the past weeks of Bible study as part of our Lenten series. If you missed the one that I did, we looked at ways to MOVE our Body, Mind and Spirit. Most of you know that you need at least 150 minutes a week of movement in order to stay healthy or to prevent disease that is related to inactivity. There are many ways to move our bodies. Donna Kieffer's exercise class is up and running at the Community Center and this type of exercise class allows you to see folks which is also needed for mental health. Moving can be as simple as getting up out of your chair every time a commercial comes on during your favorite TV program. You will get 20 minutes of activity for one hour of TV (unless you are streaming shows on Netflix, etc.) Another way is to walk in nature and appreciate

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God's creation (also good for Spirit). We talked about how to also move our minds through mental activities and examine beliefs that can be discarded that no longer serve us or are not true. What do you believe that may not be true? In what ways can you move your Body, Mind and Spirit today? If you need ideas, please see me and as always, if you are starting a new exercise program, please check with your provider to see if there are safe ways to get going especially if you have been a couch potato this winter.

On April 15 from 1-430 pm – we will be having a “Flying Solo” class for anyone who is recovering after a loss of relationship. We are never really flying solo since God is there in the cockpit with us, but after loss of relationship through death, divorce or disease, it can feel like it. This session looks at ways to continue healing from the loss and building the next chapter of life intentionally. If you would like to attend or have more questions, please call my cell 218-831-6986 or email [tanglewood@crosslake.net](mailto:tanglewood@crosslake.net). The class is free and open to all, so if you know of anyone else who might benefit, please reach out.

Work is on-going for our Memorial Day Sunday service. If you know of a speaker that you have heard that could be a part of the service, please see me. Flyover planes are confirmed so am hoping that they will be able to have good weather for the service. The Smart Team has also discussed ways to worship safely and we will be able to be out of our cars at Outdoor worship this year, more on that later as plans develop.

Blessings, Gail Smith RN, Parish Nurse

## **KNIT WITS**

Knit Wits will begin meeting again on Wednesday, April 14th at 1 pm in the Fireside Room. All are welcome!

## **MEN'S 500 CLUB**

The Men's 500 Club card group meet every Monday morning from 9-11:30am in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome!

## **JUL FEST WORKSHOP UPDATE**

After discussing with staff members and a few of the ladies from the congregation we have decided to not hold the Monday morning workshops until at least Monday, April 12th. We want to gather but we also want everyone to be safe. The Fellowship Hall as of now does not have the filter ventilation system that is helpful to clean the air that surrounds us in that area for the safety of spreading the COVID virus. We are hopeful that by April 12th most of us will have been able to get a vaccine to prevent the spread of the virus. While we are in waiting for the day when we can meet at our workshop, we ask that you take some time to search out some new ideas for our sale (crafts, painting, sewing, etc.) that we are hoping to have in September. If you are working on some projects at home be sure to keep your receipts to turn in for supplies. We are not having our shopping gathering so if you see a new idea and think it would be a good project, pick up what you need and let us (Laurie or Linda) know so we don't have duplicates. If you have questions about Jul Fest information, please call Laurie Ridgley 612-790-0538 or Linda Gates 507-202-9374. Stay safe and we will see you soon!

## **KEY FOB FOUND**

We found a Volkswagen key fob in the church parking lot last week. Call Brenda in the office to claim.





Greetings and Hallelujah,

We are scheduling our first 2021 WELCA general meeting to be held at Crosslake Lutheran Church in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, April 8 at 1:00 pm.

Social distancing is in place as well as the use of facemasks. Since we cannot provide food and drink, please feel free to bring your own beverage. To make this meeting fun, please consider wearing an Easter Hat (the older, the better).

**ELCA** - The ELCA Women's letter writing campaign continues as well as Prayer at Noon every Tuesday.

**Gather Magazine** - During this winter, a Bible Study series continues. Session topic for April - Feasting angels. Go to the <https://www.womenoftheelca/publications> website.

**NE MN Women of the ELCA 2021 Summer Gathering** – Canceled

**WELCA, Eleventh Triennial Convention** – Currently scheduled for August 3-5, 2021 will be held virtually (or digitally) on those same dates.

The Twelfth Triennial Convention and a Gathering is proposed to be held in Phoenix, Arizona, during the week of September 18, 2023.

**Prayer** – Dear Lord, many of us are in liminal space during this pandemic. Continue to be with us through this time and guide us through the in-betweens. Show us what gifts you've given us to serve others during transitional times. In Jesus' precious name.

Peace in Christ.

Kathy Bahma, WELCA Co-Chair

**Our Mission** - As disciples of Jesus Christ we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society and the world.

## DEVOTIONAL BOOKS

The April, May, June devotionals are in! "The Word in Season", or "Christ in Our Home" books are available to be picked up at Lakes Area Crafts and Cones. You can get a copy either by drive up or in the store. Many thanks to Pat Netko and her staff for distributing these!



## CROSSLAKE COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, April 6th from Noon-6 pm at Immaculate Heart Catholic Church. For appt./ info. please call Sharon at 218-851-3263.

## CALL-IN LINE FOR RIDES TO VACCINE APPOINTMENTS

Crosslake Lutheran Health Ministry in collaboration with Crosslake Cares and Interfaith Volunteers will be manning a phone line for anyone needing rides to vaccine appointments. The number to call is 218-546-3233. Information will be collected and then forwarded to Interfaith for connecting you with drivers. This call-in service will be active from 1-5 pm Monday thru Friday and is for seniors who already have a vaccine appointment, but need a ride. We are happy to partner with Interfaith Volunteers who have vetted drivers. They will need at least a 48 hour notice in order to arrange rides. If you have questions, about rides or how to arrange an appointment for a vaccine, please call Gail Smith 218-831-6986. If you have been contacted by Hennepin County, it is because you received a flu vaccine from our local clinic. Unfortunately, most of their clinics are not close but with approval of Johnson and Johnson vaccine, I expect more sites to open which are closer and more accessible for appointments.



**Please register with Crow Wing County Public Health for the opportunity to receive the COVID-19 vaccine in your own home.**

Register on-line by going to Crow Wing County's Website: <https://www.crowwing.us/> the registration form can be accessed by clicking on Register Now as it appears above.

Register by phone by calling 218-824-1289. Please be ready to provide your name/date of birth/address/phone and email if you have one.

COVID questions – Please call 218-824-1170 or email [Covid.vaccine@crowwing.us](mailto:Covid.vaccine@crowwing.us)

## APRIL BIRTHDAYS

- 4/1 Cheryl Boozell, Ryan Harmala, Rebecca Kraft, Sharon Meister
- 4/2 Lauren Bengtson, Connie Johnson, Becky Mesenbrink, Terry Nygaard, Emily Schuldt
- 4/4 Brian Carlson, Julia Loken, Carla White
- 4/5 Alexander Goerges, Ronald Gerdes, Jacque Glas, Taylor Henderson, Griffin Wolf
- 4/6 Carol Germann, Martin Guse, Pat Lundgren, Talan Schliek, Trenten Schliek, Cole Trottier
- 4/7 Sylvia Bowman, Brittany Joyce, Cole Sposito
- 4/8 Marlene Cox, Larry Smith, Kevin Thorson
- 4/9 Pat Bressler, Jeri-Sue Lommen, Alvin Schwab
- 4/10 Jaxon Siemers, Tony Wagner
- 4/11 Derrek Johnson, Bob Laven, Gary Patrick
- 4/12 Gail Smith, Carol Rose
- 4/13 Karen Christofferson, Kristin Larsen, Steven Wilske
- 4/14 Linda Bendt, Michael Monahan, Deanne Trottier
- 4/15 Gene Larson, Sam Shirey
- 4/16 Larry Allen, Tatium Schliek, Brian Thull
- 4/17 Jerry Benson, Kris Havir, Robert McPherson, Linda Peterson, Neal Senst
- 4/18 Renee Maher
- 4/19 Jeff Lande, Elise Larson, Sage Larson, Megan Morgan
- 4/20 Brecken Ledin, Mary Neer, Sam Person, Ann Schrupp, Fred Skog
- 4/21 Mary Baudler, Denise Hicks, Vickey Leonard, Morgan Lohmiller, Ron Neal
- 4/22 Katelyn Chambers, Julie Engen, Vicki Kopplin, Joanna O'Neil, David Schrupp
- 4/23 Wendy Bittner, Nathan Netko
- 4/24 Karen Boehler, Cynthia Lindner, Virginia Miller
- 4/25 Cody Chambers, Bea Jepsen, Ellie Loken
- 4/26 Del Blowers, Macie Lohmiller, Jack McChesney
- 4/27 Bellaeh Brynteson, Nevaeh Brynteson, William Doerr, Andie Held, Chuck Squires
- 4/29 Patricia Lundeen
- 4/30 Jan Darnell, Vicki Nygaard, Emma Schommer

## APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

- 4/2 Kyle & Kelly Spray
- 4/3 Jerry & Jan Benson  
Lance & Robyn Bragstad  
Eric & Carrie Swanson
- 4/8 John & Shannon Ebertowski  
Tony & Leah Glaser  
Gary & Debbie Patrick
- 4/9 Jeff & Ann Schommer
- 4/10 Casey & Sarah Johnson
- 4/11 Ralph & Roberta Flohr  
Buck & Nancy Westerberg
- 4/14 Eugene & Arlene Courneya
- 4/16 Troy & Rachel Anderson
- 4/20 Duane & Beverly Ambuehl  
Nita & David Loken
- 4/22 Jim & Amy Meister
- 4/25 Robert & Sharon McPherson
- 4/26 Jason & Stacey Gorr
- 4/30 Chris & Andrea Haar  
Dave & Lynn Hart

**Please remember these  
people in prayer  
on their  
Birthday and/or Anniversary.**



## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

**Crosslake Foodshelf:** The foodshelf is open on the 1st and 3rd Fridays from 9 am—Noon.

# APRIL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

\* Please check with your group leader to see if you will meet via Zoom or in person.

- April 1 Communion Service at Whitefish at the Lakes Senior Living 2 pm  
Maundy Thursday Worship with Holy Communion 6:15 pm: First Communion families in the Sanctuary—all others please choose in-car worship in the Parking Lot.
- April 2 Good Friday Service 6:15 pm
- April 4 Easter Sunday Worship with Holy Communion 8:30am & 10:30 am: In the Sanctuary & Parking Lot for both services
- April 5 **Roofing of the church building each day, weather permitting—thru April 9th**  
Men's 500 Card Group 9am / Quilters 9:30 am
- April 6 Ink Spots 9:30 am  
Staff Meeting on Zoom 1 pm
- April 7 Bell Choir in sanctuary Noon  
7th & 8th Youth Ministry 5-6:15 pm; 9th—12th grade Youth Ministry 6:30-8 pm
- April 8 Welca General Meeting in the Fellowship Hall 1 pm
- April 11 Worship 9:30 am (In the Sanctuary and Parking Lot)
- April 12 Jul Fest workshop in Fellowship Hall  
Men's 500 Card Group 9am / Quilters 9:30 am
- April 13 Staff Meeting on Zoom 1 pm  
Bible Study on Zoom 6 pm
- April 14 Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 10 am  
No Bell Choir  
Knit Wits in Fireside Room 1 pm  
Executive Committee 3 pm  
7th & 8th Youth Ministry 5-6:15 pm; 9th—12th grade Youth Ministry 6:30-8 pm
- April 15 Facilities Meeting in Fellowship Hall 2 pm
- April 18 Worship 9:30 am (In the Sanctuary and Parking Lot)
- April 19 Jul Fest workshop in Fellowship Hall  
Men's 500 Card Group 9am / Quilters 9:30 am
- April 20 Ink Spots 9:30 am  
Staff Meeting on Zoom 1 pm  
Finance Committee on Zoom 4:30 pm  
Bible Study on Zoom 6 pm  
Church Council on Zoom 7 pm
- April 21 Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 10 am  
No Bell Choir  
Knit Wits in Fireside Room 1 pm  
7th & 8th Youth Ministry 5-6:15 pm; 9th—12th grade Youth Ministry 6:30-8 pm
- April 22 Befriender Team Meeting—Fireside Room 1 pm
- April 24 Don Daniels Memorial Service 1 pm (short visitation prior to service)  
(In Sanctuary and also you may listen in the parking lot).
- April 25 Worship 9:30 am (In Sanctuary and Parking Lot)
- April 26 Jul Fest workshop in Fellowship Hall  
Men's 500 Card Group 9am / Quilters 9:30 am
- April 27 Staff Meeting on Zoom 1 pm  
Bible Study on Zoom 6 pm
- April 28 Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 10 am  
Bell Choir in sanctuary Noon  
Knit Wits in Fireside Room 1 pm  
Mission & Ministry Investment on Zoom 11:30 am  
7th & 8th Youth Ministry 5-6:15 pm; 9th—12th grade Youth Ministry 6:30-8 pm