



ST. LUKE'S NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2022



HOLY WEEK ENDS WITH THE GREATEST JOY OF EASTER

As we complete our journey through Lent, Holy Week starts April 10th with PALM SUNDAY. "Hosanna in the Highest" Sunday Services 8:30am and 11:00am will both include communion.

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE, April 14th will be held at United Methodist Church in New Windsor, starting at 7pm.

Good Friday, April 15th at 7pm, will be the TENERBRAE SERVICE, at St. Luke's.



Easter marking the Resurrection of Jesus three days after his death by crucifixion.

Sunday, April 17th
8:30am Service with Communion
9:45am Children place flowers on the cross followed by Egg Hunt
11:00am Service with Communion

CHOIR plans to return for Holy Week
Practicing on Sunday's between Services.
Anyone is welcome to join.

YOUTH GROUP LEARNS ABOUT MAR-LU-RIDGE THROUGH EXPERIENCE

Saturday, April 9th
The Youth Group will be earning service hours helping with Spring Cleaning at Mar-Lu-Ridge in Jefferson, Maryland. A Lutheran camp on top of a mountain with amazing views.

Anyone interested in joining should meet no later than 8am at the church. Lunch will be provided at Mar-Lu-Ridge and plans are to return to church by 5pm.

Please e-mail sly@stlukesnewwindsor.org if you plan on participating. We need a count for lunch.

Special points of interest:

Holy Week Events
Church Security Changes
Chocolate Candy
New Outreach Projects
New Did You Know?
Planning your summer?

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APRIL BIRTHDAY'S

- 1 Benjamin Young
Rick Lawrence
- 3 William Koons,Jr
Jillian Luetje
- 4 Theresa Hebron
- 6 David Jordan
- 7 San Kinloch
- 10 Dahon Saunders
- 14 Carrah Holmes
- 16 Jennifer Penn
- 18 Lauren Burgess
- 19 Cathie Luetje
Mona Potter
- 20 Madison Young
- 22 Ann Gregg
Robbie Lawrence
- 24 Samantha Soliday
- 25 Bonnie Barnes
Brent Palochonski
- 29 Ellie Kinloch
- 20 Carolee Kinloch

Happy Birthday

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

As a reminder, we are having Sunday school on Palm Sunday but not on Easter Sunday. However, the children will meet at 9:45 to place fresh flowers on the cross. Thereafter, there will be an egg hunt for children aged 2 to grade 4. Children should bring a basket to collect their eggs. On Palm Sunday, at the beginning of each worship service, the children will enter the church through the narthex waving palms.

We appreciate our church families filling the eggs with wrapped candies and returning them by Palm Sunday. Thank you! During our Easter season, the children (and anyone else that would like to) are coloring "buck-a-chick" papers for \$1.00 each. Our colored chicks will be on display in the fellowship hall. Blank papers and basket for giving are on the windowsill facing outward to the hall. We also appreciate everyone's support

for this worthwhile endeavor to help those in need through ELCA world hunger.

Vacation Bible School: Plans have been set in motion. Dates set for July 25th–29th in the evening between 6:15pm-8pm. We are looking for volunteers. If you can help in any way, please contact Shannon Marble or call the church office.

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Palm Sunday meet in the Church Narthex prior to Service.



CHURCH SECURITY UPGRADE

Which means if you have a key to access the church you will need to obtain an access code from the church office. These access codes will be individual for each user. So there will be no general access code.

Synod Delegate Needed:

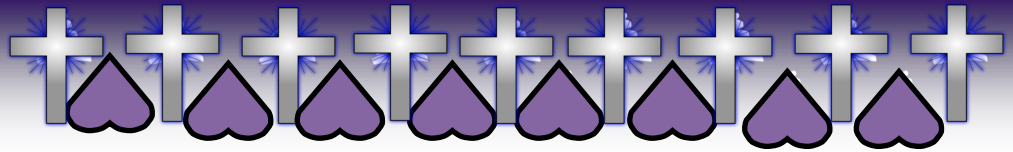
Delaware/MD Synod
Conference
Scheduled for May 12th
to May 14th

EASTER SUNDAY:

Between Services

Starting at 9:45am

Children will decorate the cross outside followed by egg hunt.



Carroll County CROP Hunger Walk

Sunday, April 24, 2022

Starts at Union Bridge Church of the Brethren
124 S. Main Street
Union Bridge, MD 21791

Registration: 1:30pm

Walk begins: 1:45pm

Local Agencies receiving 25% of the proceeds: Access Carroll, Elmer Wolfe Food Pantry, Shepherd's Staff

Sid Leckron is walking and you can sponsor him.
Call 443-340-1226

If you would like to join him envelopes are in the Church Narthex

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

4 Mary Ellen & Chuck Struhar

10 Kae Dee & Steve Schroeder

12 Gail & Marcy Munshaur

18 Linda & Gary Crabbs

OUR LIBRARY CORNER

I hope everyone can stop by our church library, as there are many new books along with all the books for the Easter Season. Listed below are titles recently purchased that will be out on display during the next few months.

Stranger in the Lifeboat
by Mitch Albom

Contagious Faith by
Mark Mittelberg

Of My Heart – book 2
by Sharon Draper

Wish by Barbara O'Connor
You Hear Me Daddy?
by Y. Y. Chan

This I Know – Seeing God in
the World He Made

by Clay Anderson
Mel Fell by Corey Tabor

The Remember Balloons
by Jessie Oliveros

We Rise Higher – Poems and
Prayers for Graduates
by Joe Davis

Holy Hot Mess
by Mary Katherine

Backstrom-
Maybe I Can Love My Neighbor,
Too by Jennifer Grant-

We are the Gardners
by Joanna Gaines

Julia's Hope – Book 1
by Kelly Leisha

Emma's Gift – Book 2
by Kelly Leisha

Katie's Dream – Book 3
by Kelly Leisha

New DVD's

-Luther – MGM Home Entertainment – pg13 (was on VHS)
-Martin Luther – The Idea that



Changed the World – pbs
-Martin Luther – Empires Series – pbs
-Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson – pg
(replacement for lost copy)

We have the original book by Katherine Paterson, too.
I hope to see many of you checking out our easter and new collection of books and DVD's for you to enjoy.

Joyce Brozik



MONTHLY REPORTS

Service Attendance
For MARCH:

8:30am—36 average
11am— 13 average

We have an weekly
average of 49 people
who view our ser-
vices on Facebook.

FEBRUARY:

Contributions -

\$10,439

Spending—

\$14,784

CREATING CHOCOLATE COVERED CANDY EGGS

Another creative op-
portunity for anyone to
participate in. This
creation you can enjoy
eating.

Please let us know if
you plan on participat-
ing, by calling the
Church Office.

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Sunday April 10th

PALM SUNDAY

Starting at 9:45am
and continuing after
the 11am service.

OR there are sign up
sheets in church Nar-
thex, Front and Side
Door.

Lunch will be provided
of Hot Dogs and chips.
Need to save room for
the Chocolate cover
Easter Eggs. Yum!!!



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AMERICA'S WARRIORS
Care Package Projects
Giving to Those Who Serve

We are helping to stuff a trailer at Babylon Vault Company, for CARE PACKAGES TO BENEFIT DEPLOYED SOLDIERS.

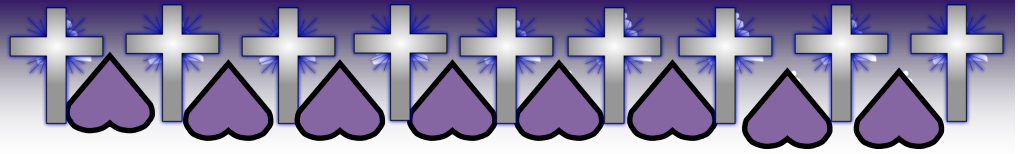
Collection box is in the Church Narthex. Along with handouts of appropriate items to donate.

Collection Period: March 26th—May 1st

For more information contact Mary Ann Galandak at 410-848-6213

or

Cheryl Keeney at 410-596-5640.



DID YOU KNOW?

We are starting a new section in our monthly Newsletter on history associated with St. Luke's.

Did you know, that St. Luke's was a log church first? Erected in 1772.

On March 30, 1856, our church was incorporated under the name

of St. Luke's (Winter's) Lutheran Church.

The present church was built in 1870. Is that what the corner stone marker indicates? The Fellowship Hall was added in 1958, with a kitchen addition to follow.

St. Luke's was part of the Uniontown Parish for 109 years, from 1870 to 1979.

There are still members that remember that decision to take on the responsibility of a full-time pastor. I wonder who those members are, should you dare ask?

Our website has some of this history and we will provide more of a historical view each month.

NOTE OF THANKS!

I would like to thank everyone for the cards, well wishes and prayers after my recent knee surgery.

Barbara Devilbiss

Thank you to the R&R ladies for making Cardiac Pillows for Carroll Hospital Center's Cardiac Unit. Also, for making the ribbons in solidarity with Ukraine. They also collected and contributed to the Lutheran Disaster Relief Fund.

WELL DONE LADIES!

Letters to the Women of St. Dysmas for Mother's Day. Please consider writing a letter to the women in the St. Dysmas congregation. In speaking with Pastor Susan Beck (who will be our supply Pastor on April 10, 2022), Mother's Day is a very difficult time for them. She told me that these women are really grieving being away from their children and grandchildren at this time. If you have a few minutes, please consider writing a letter of encouragement to these women. Thank you!

ST. DYSMAS LETTER'S FOR WOMEN ON MOTHER'S DAY





MEMORIAL SERVICE PLANNED FOR MEMBER MARY LOU SHUMAN

Mary Lou Shuman was 90 years old when she passed away on December 17, 2021. She was living in Bridgeport, WV at the time.

She was a member of St. Luke's while living in Union Bridge with her now deceased husband, Randall. They raised both their children, Thomas and Lou Ann in God's faith. Mary Lou along with Randall, made many contributions to St. Luke's and was a part of our growth as a congregation.

A service is planned for us to remember Mary Lou and provide comfort to her family.

APRIL 30, 2022, Saturday

Starting at 11am in Sanctuary

Interment of ashes in church cemetery

Followed by Luncheon

Please let the church office know if you are thinking about attending this special service of remembrance, in order for us to have a good count for lunch.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS AVAILABLE FOR EASTER SUNDAY

Memorial flowers for Easter are available and you can place your order. Or you may just want to purchase, to honor someone and give them some pretty flowers.



Order forms are available in narthex. Or you can call or e-mail the church secretary.

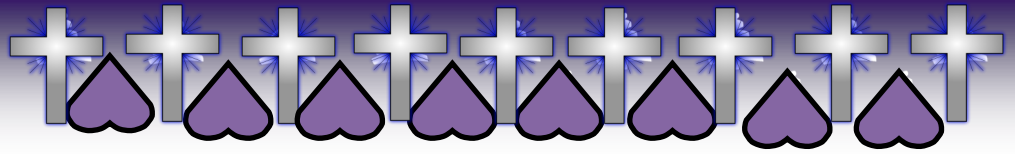
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Easter Lilly's – \$12.50

Tulip Yellow 6" pot – \$12.50

Easter Mum – \$12.50



April 16th, Thursday
Maundy Service
7:00pm
United Methodist
Church, New Windsor



April 17th, Friday
Good Friday
Tenebrae Service
7:00pm
St. Luke's Church



"CHRIST HAS RISEN"
EASTER SUNDAY
Sunday, April 19th

8:30am Service with
Communion

9:45am

-Children will place
Flowers outside on
CROSS then

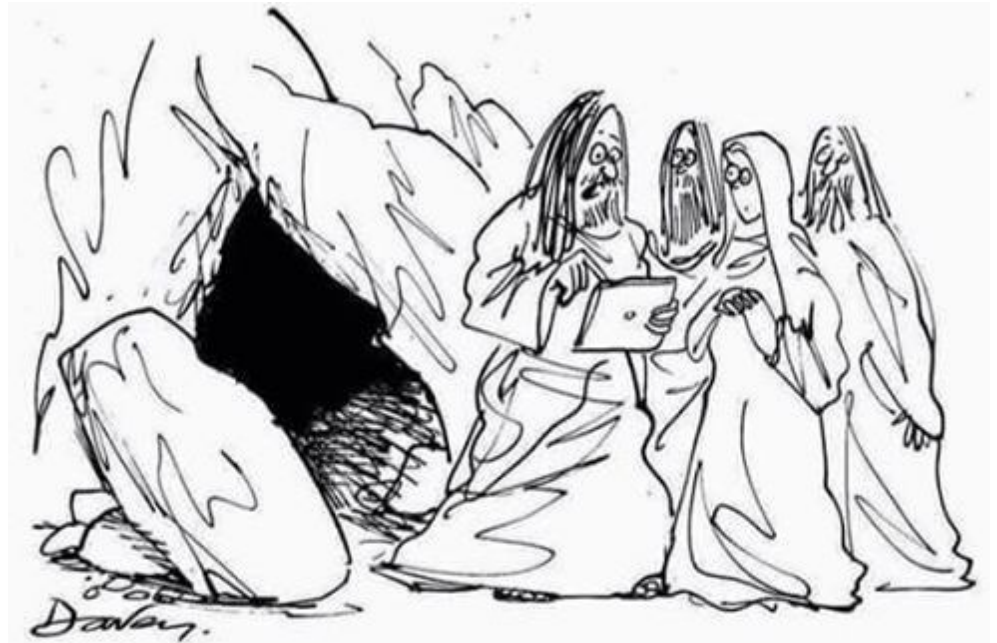
-Egg Hunt for Children

11:00am Service with
Communion

If you are able to assist
with any of these services,
either reader, usher/
greeter, acolyte or com-
munion, please contact
the church office.
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Pastor Bob has been
heard saying there will be
special bonus points in
heaven for helping.

#bonuspoints/easter2022



"He's not in there! Oh, wait - he's changed
his status to 'risen' "



MAKING PLANS FOR THE SUMMER?

MAR-LU-RIDGE SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATIONS OPEN

www.mar-lu-ridge.org



June 19-24	Junior 1 6-10 Junior High 1 11-14 Horseback 8-12 Pioneer 11-14
June 26- July 1	Junior 2 6-10 Junior High 2 11-14 Adventure 1 14-17 Family Camp 1 (June 29-July 2) All Ages
July 3-8	Junior 3 6-10 Junior High 3 11-14 Senior High 15-17 SIT Week 1 (July 3-22) 17
July 10-15	Night Owls 12-15 SIT Week 2 (July 3-22) 17
July 17-22	Junior 4 6-10 Junior High 4 11-14 Arts 8-12 SIT Week 3 (July 3-22) 17
July 24-29	Junior 5 6-10 Junior High 5 11-14

Assistance is available to all members. Contact the Church Office for details.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS MAKING A COME BACK!

WHEN: July 25th through July 29th
WHO: For children age 3yrs to 6th grade and volunteers.
WHERE: St. Luke's Lutheran Church
WHAT TIME: 6:15PM TIL 8PM
WHY: Learn about our FAITH and to have FUN!
 Shannon Marble VBS Director

St. Luke's Lutheran Church (Winter's) Lutheran Church

Phone: (410) 635-6177
 Pastor extension #1
 Secretary extension #2
 Fellowship Hall #3
 Cemetery #5
 Special Events/Closing #6

Email:
secretary@stlukesnewwindsor.org
driverbishop@gmail.com

Facebook:
 St Lukes Lutheran Church
 8:30am Worship Service Live Streamed

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April 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 8:30am Worship Service 9:45am Sunday School Confirmation Class 11am Worship and Communion Service	4	5 6:30pm Council Meeting	6 9am R&R 7pm Al-anon Meeting 7pm Bible Study Zoom	7	8	9 8am-5pm Youth Group Event
10 PALM SUNDAY 8:30am Worship and Communion Service 9:45am Sunday School Confirmation Class Chocolate Candy Making 11am Worship and Communion Service Candy Making continues With lunch	11	12	13 9am R&R 7pm Al-anon Meeting	14 MAUNDY THURSDAY 7:00pm Service United Methodist Church New Windsor	15 GOOD FRIDAY 7:00pm Tenebrae Service St. Luke's	16
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24 8:30am Worship and Communion Service 9:45am Sunday School Confirmation Class 11am Worship Service	25	26	27 9am R&R 7pm Al-anon Meeting	28	29	30 11am Memorial Service for Mary Lou Shuman