

A NEWS BULLETIN OF

Christ Alone Evangelical Lutheran Church

“To know Christ and to make his love known in our homes, communities, nation and world.”

MARCH 28, 2021

PALM SUNDAY

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 12:1-6, 1 Corinthians 15:51-57, John 20:1-18

CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

Let us encourage one another -- and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Palm Sunday/Confirmation Services – The third examination of this year's confirmation class will be held on Saturday, March 27 at 6:30 pm. Pictures and confirmation rehearsal will take place immediately after the service. Our weekend service schedule will also be changed. Saturday worship will be at its regular time of 4:30 pm. Sunday Palm Sunday services will be conducted at 8:00 am and 9:30 am. (No Bible class.) A special confirmation service will be held at 10:45 am for confirmand's families and friends only to best accommodate social distancing numbers. You may live-stream the 10:45 am service as well. Go to our website ChristAloneWELS.org



Our service schedule for Holy Week services is as follows -

Maundy Thursday, April 1 -11:00 am (Safely Distance Communion) 6:30 pm Communion – North campus

Good Friday, April 2 - noon (Live Stream) and 6:30 pm – North campus (All same service)

No Saturday Service

Easter Services, April 4 - 6:30 am, 8:00 am & 10:30 am - North campus/Recorded on our website ChristAloneWELS.org (All same service – no traditional Easter brunch)

Schedule changes – Both the Tuesday 6:45 am Prepare to Answer Bible class and the Wednesday 9:30 am class on the Psalms and Minor Prophets will be on a Spring break during Holy Week. Classes will resume during the week of April 8th.

Envelope Usage – If you are mailing your offerings to the church, please continue to use your offering envelopes. This makes entering your contributions into the computer so much easier. Thank you

Spring Yard Clean Up – Come One Come All to help with outdoor spring clean-up at both campuses. Meet at the north campus on Saturday, April 10 beginning at 8:30am. We will then assign all volunteers. Please bring your rakes, chain saws, and tarps. We will also need some trailers. Rain date is scheduled for Saturday, April 17.

Sunday Morning Bible Class - Mysterious, visionary, and ultimately moving, the last book of the Bible gives Christians hope that the Lord of the church will rule and guide her to the end of time. After exploring in autumn 2019 the first half of Jesus' apocalypse, we will dig into the remaining chapters of the book of Revelation this spring. This Bible class will be recessed for the next two weeks and will resume on Sunday, April 11 at 9:30 a.m.

Spring Training – With the Brewers back at camp we also are preparing for this summer's softball season. We are looking for interested players 18 and older. Games are played Wednesday evenings at Thiensville Park on Gehrke Field. Our season is scheduled to begin on May 19th. Contact Pastor Scheuerlein if you are interested.

Rummage Sale-Save the Date –Start your Spring cleaning! The Christ Alone rummage sale will be returning this year. Friday, June 4 and Saturday, June 5 at the North campus. Items can be dropped off beginning Sunday, May 30 until Thursday, June 3 at noon. We will accept only hard items (furniture, knickknacks, toys, dishes, books, puzzles, etc.). **NO** soft items will be accepted (bed linens, pillows, clothes, stuffed animals, etc.)

Giving Opportunity - Ladies Aid is collecting for Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ-Kenya (LCMC-Kenya) until May 2021. Our goal is to encourage our newest sister church, to help them add mission pastors: LCMC-Kenya would like to be able to pay two new mission pastors at a cost of \$1,600 per pastor per year. Anyone interested in supporting this, please use your blue envelope and mark it to go to LCMC-Kenya.

Prayer Net - A church group at Christ Alone, called *Prayer Net*, has been devoting itself to praying for our church, its people and its concerns. Prayer requests can be made by sending an email to prayer@ChristAloneWELS.org or by filling out a prayer card at church. All requests are confidential, and will be reviewed by the coordinator (and a pastor if necessary) to be sure privacy concerns are met. Requests may be changed to meet the privacy criteria.

Israel 2022 – If you have ever wanted to visit the Holy Land and see the places where Jesus walked and carried out his earthly ministry the opportunity is coming very soon. Pastor Scheuerlein will be hosting another trip to Israel - January 11 – 20, 2022. Brochures and details

of the trip are available at church or you can email or call Pastor Scheuerlein for details. **Barring incidents in 2021 this trip is still planning to be done and early discounts are still available.**

OTHER EVENTS IN THE WELS

WELS Middle School Band Camp - For the 20th year, the Soli Deo Gloria Institute for the Arts is excited to be offering an in-person overnight band camp from July 11 - 16, 2021 on the beautiful campus of Wisconsin Lutheran College, 8800 W. Bluemound Road, Milwaukee, WI. Students will participate in band rehearsals, sectionals, small ensembles, marching, theater, visual art, excursions, guest artists and more! Students must be in Grades 6-9 for the fall of 2021. There will also be a virtual week-long band camp for students who are unable to attend but would like to participate in the activities. Learn more and register at www.welssummerbandcamp.com. They are also on FaceBook at WELS Summer Band Camp.

Tenebrae Illuminated - Friday, April 2, 5:00pm and 7:00pm at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School. Tickets are free but must be reserved <https://koinemusic.com/>

On Good Friday, the church remembers the crucifixion of her Lord. Traditionally this day has been marked with a Tenebrae service. Tenebrae means “darkness” or “shadows.” While solemn, it is not a message of gloom, but a service of adoration to the Son of God as he offers up his life as the Lamb of God.

Join two-time WAMI Award winner, Koiné, and experience this special adaptation of the historic Tenebrae service told through scriptural narration, music, and dazzling multimedia. Tickets are free, but space is limited due to social distancing guidelines. If you reserve tickets and are unable to attend, please release your tickets on Eventbrite so that others may attend.

Shine Bright Luther Prep Auction Gala - Join us in person on Saturday, April 17 at 5pm. Virtual only as tickets are sold out. Participate in the Silent Auction and enjoy the program that evening.

Register online: <https://events.readysetauction.com/lutherpreparatoryschool/shinebright>

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD’S GRACE



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THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR (CC- CALVARY NORTH CAMPUS TC- TRINITY SOUTH CAMPUS)

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR ANY CHANGES OR ADDITIONS AS INFORMATION AND SCHEDULES CAN CHANGE DAILY

Sat 3/27 Worship Service (CC) 4:30 pm

Sun 3/28 Worship Services (CC) 8:00 am & 9:30 am

No Bible Study

Confirmation Service (CC) 10:45 am (live stream)

Mon 3/29 No School this week. Classes resume on Tuesday, April 6

Women's Bible Study (TC) (online) 1:30 pm "Jude"

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/512932885> You can also dial in using your phone. (408) 650-3123

Access Code: 512-932-885

Tues 3/30 Quilting Ministry (TC) 1:00 pm

Discovery Class (online) 6:30 pm

<https://www.gotomeet.me/KurtEbert/discovery> You can also dial in using your phone. (571) 317-3122

Access Code: 381-269-509

Wed 3/31 Moms' Bible Study (TC) 8:00 am "*Philippians - Living in the Joy of Christ*"

Thur 4/1 Safely Distanced Communion Maundy Thursday Service (CC) 11:00 am

Maundy Thursday Communion Service (CC) 6:30 pm

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Property Committee Meeting (TC) 6:30 pm

Fri 4/2 Good Friday Service (CC) noon (live stream)

Good Friday Service (CC) 6:30 pm

Sat 4/3 No Worship Service

Sun 4/4 Easter Worship Services (CC) 6:30 am 8:00 am & 10:30 am

No Bible Studies or Public Catechism Class

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