



# CROWN of LIFE

## Lutheran Church

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## Announcements for the Week of February 11, 2024

### THIS WEEK AT CROWN OF LIFE

#### Monday, February 12

- Buildings and Grounds Committee mtg. at 6:30 p.m.
- Outreach Committee meeting at 6:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday, February 13

- Adult Handbell rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.
- Adult Choir rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday, February 14

- Bible Study at 9:30 a.m.
- Public School Catechism class at 4:15 p.m.

#### Monday, February 19

- Leadership Team meeting at 6:30 p.m.

### IN OUR PRAYERS AT COL

Please call the office if you know of someone who needs to be added to our prayer list or is in need of some help or service.

### SCHOOL NEWS

- The kick-for the school's Kids' Heart Challenge is Wednesday, February 14.
- Grades 6-8 will see "Shrek" at KML on Thursday, February 15.
- On Friday, February 16, Grades 3-4 will visit Serenity Villa.
- There is a school tubing outing to Sunburst on Friday, the 16<sup>th</sup>.

### MEDITATIONS

The Meditations devotion book is available on the table in the lobby. If you care to contribute to the \$3.75 cost, you may place your donation in the box.

### CALL NEWS

Dorothy Grivno received a call to serve at Bethel Lutheran School in Sioux Falls, SD on January 28. Please keep her in your prayers as she deliberates this call.

At last Sunday's voters' meeting, the congregation extended a call to Pastor Jesse Knox from St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Stevensville, MI, to serve as our pastor of outreach and visitation. Please keep Pastor Knox in your prayers as he deliberates this call to serve us.

At that same meeting, Megan Sitzman was extended a provisional one-year call (annually renewable) to be a teacher on our faculty beginning next school year. Megan has accepted that call, and we look forward to her continuing her service in our school next year as she also works toward WELS ministry certification, which would allow her to receive a permanent call in the future.

### MIDWEEK WORSHIP FOR LENT

The season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 14. During Lent, we will hold a series of six midweek services on Wednesdays from February 14 to March 20 at 4:00 and 6:30 p.m. (Our usual Thursday evening services at 6:30 p.m. are postponed during Lent, but resume after Easter Sunday.) A dinner will be served each week between the two services in the Timothy Room (fellowship hall). Please join us on Wednesdays during Lent as we begin our annual journey to the Savior's cross.

### LENTEN SUPPERS

Lenten suppers are offered between our two Wednesday services during Lent from Ash Wednesday, February 14, to March 20. The Sunshine group oversees the first dinner on Ash Wednesday, which will be casseroles. If you are able to provide food for the meal, please go to this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4CACA72EA1F94-47633659-ashwednesday#/>

If you would like to sign up but can't access the SignUpGenius link, please contact Kris Thimmesch at 414-412-3736; she'll be happy to get you signed up. Thank you for your help!

### CONGREGATION LUNCHEON

A luncheon will be held on Sunday, February 18, after the late service for all congregation members. During that time, we will recognize members who are new to Crown of Life. Please go to the link below to sign up to help or provide food. If you would like to sign up but can't access the SignUpGenius link, please contact Kris Thimmesch at 414-412-3736; she'll be happy to get you signed up. Thank you for your help!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080F4AA4AD2DA6F58-47861862-winter>

### LWMS NEWS

Crown of Life is a member of LWMS, Lutheran Women's Missionary Society. As part of that organization, our congregation is asked to send letters, emails, or gifts to the missionaries assigned to us during a specified month. February is COL's chance to take advantage of this opportunity to reach out and encourage some "home" (United States) missions. Please see the table in the gathering area for the contact information for these pastors and a little more about their mission. Please contact Becky Dreyer at 414-467-7888 if you have any question.

## **BIBLE STUDIES AT CROWN OF LIFE**

Crown of Life's current Sunday morning Bible class is called, "What Do You Want in Your Church?" The last book of the Bible, Revelation, begins with seven letters addressed to real churches in the late first century. Jesus' words of commendation and condemnation to those churches contain the same messages that today's churches need to hear and heed. Pastor Johnold Strey will lead us in a study of one letter each week on Sundays between services from 9:25 to 10:15 a.m. in the Timothy Room (fellowship hall) from now through February 25.

Our Tuesday "Early Risers" class is studying the Gospel of Luke. Join Pastor Paul Seiltz as he leads this study in the Fireside Room on Tuesdays at 6:00 a.m.

Our Wednesday midweek class begins a new study on the key biblical doctrine of *justification* this week. Pastor Strey leads this study in the Timothy Room (fellowship hall) on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.

Our current Bible Basics class is about to finish, and Pastor Strey will be looking to start a new class soon. This is the class that reviews the basic teachings of the Bible as taught in the Lutheran Church, which prepares people for membership and participation in the Lord's Supper at Crown of Life. It's also a great class to take as a review of basic biblical teaching. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Pastor Strey at 262-628-2550 ext. 210 or [jstrey@crownoflifehubertus.com](mailto:jstrey@crownoflifehubertus.com).

## **KETTLE MORAIN LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

Tickets are now on sale at [kmlhs.org/theatre](http://kmlhs.org/theatre) for KML's production of *Shrek the Musical!* Performances are at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School on Friday and Saturday, February 16 and 17, at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, February 18, at 2:00 p.m. All tickets are general admission and \$12 each. Online ticket sales for all shows end at 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, February 15. Tickets will also be sold at the door beginning 30 minutes before each performance.

The KML General Board has extended a divine call to Pastor Nathan Berg of Madison, WI, to serve as Word of God teacher in the junior and senior classes. Please remember Pastor Berg in your prayers as he prayerfully considers this call from KML in the weeks to come.

## **WISCONSIN LUTHERAN COLLEGE NEWS**

The WLC Concert Band will present its mid-winter concert on Friday, March 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the college's Center for Arts and Performance. Tickets cost \$12 and are available from the Box Office, 414-443-8802 or [wlc.edu/BoxOffice](http://wlc.edu/BoxOffice).

The Wisconsin Lutheran Choir performs its Spring Tour Home Concert on Sunday, March 17, at 2:30 p.m. in the college's Center for Arts and Performance. Free tickets can be reserved through the Box Office, 414-443-8802 or [wlc.edu/BoxOffice](http://wlc.edu/BoxOffice).

## **WOMEN'S RETREAT**

The women of St. Lucas Lutheran Church in Kewaskum invite you to join them for their 19th annual Women's Retreat, titled "Make a Joyful Noise" held at St.

Lucas Lutheran School, 1410 Parkview Drive, Kewaskum, in Hoenecke Hall on Saturday, March 9. Registration and refreshments begin at 8:30 a.m. and the retreat concludes at about 2:45 p.m. A non-refundable registration fee of \$30.00 includes lunch and presentations. This is a one-day retreat filled with speakers, worship, and fellowship. Andy Braun, Rachel Braun, and Jeremy Bakken of Branches Band will be presenting at this year's retreat. A printable brochure with registration form is available on their website at [www.stlucaswels.org](http://www.stlucaswels.org). Please call Sandy Survis at 262-483-7988 with questions. Registrations are due by February 20. Registration is also possible at <https://Stlucasretreat.eventbrite.com>.

## **MEN OF HIS WORD CONFERENCE**

The 15th annual Men of His Word Conference will be held at the Oshkosh Waterfront Convention Center in Oshkosh on Saturday, February 17, 2024. This year's theme, based on Galatians 5:13, is "Built to Serve." Please go online at [www.menofhisword.org](http://www.menofhisword.org) to register and get details about schedule, breakout sessions, keynote speaker, cost, etc. Please join us for a day of worship, praise and fellowship in God's Word!

## **WARRIORS YOUTH BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP**

Wisconsin Lutheran College Men's Basketball will be hosting their annual Warriors Youth Boys Basketball Camps. This is a fantastic opportunity for every level of player looking to improve their basketball skills. There are a number of new camp offerings for boys entering grades 1-10. The camp staff includes the WLC coaching staff and current Warriors players. All sessions will be held inside WLC's Recreation Complex at the Milwaukee campus and campers will receive a WLC Basketball t-shirt and a family season pass to all 2024-2025 men's basketball home games. Go to this link to register: [mensbasketball.wlcsportscamps.com/index.cfm](http://mensbasketball.wlcsportscamps.com/index.cfm)

## **HELP WANTED**

Look on the bulletin board for—

- Director of operations, and gift planning officer at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School
- Case manager at New Beginnings-A Home for Mothers in Milwaukee
- Childcare Center Director at Good Shepherd in West Bend
- Part-time Sexual Risk Avoidance/Abstinence Educator at WELS Lutherans for Life
- Registered nurse for nurse manager of the pregnancy help clinic at WELS Lutherans for Life

## **CHURCH ATTENDANCE**

Thursday, February 1 6:30 p.m. - 37

Sunday, February 4 8:00 a.m. - 80 10:30 a.m. - 141

## **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Weekly announcements for the bulletin may be emailed to [coladmin@crownoflifehubertus.com](mailto:coladmin@crownoflifehubertus.com) or call 628-2550 ext. 201