



The Dialogue

Grace and Grief By Pastor Martha Butzier

John 11:35 *Jesus began to weep.*

Vacations are canceled with little idea when they can be rescheduled. Worship is held in empty sanctuaries and broadcast to congregants. Toilet paper and hand-sanitizers are being hoarded. Major sporting events – the Olympics, NCAA basketball tournaments, NBA, NHL – are postponed or canceled all together. Colleges ended semesters early or are using technology to make them happen. Thousands of people have already been laid off, and many others wonder how long they will be working and getting paid. And really, there is no way we can with any accuracy predict how long the pandemic will continue. Life as we know it continues to move into greater uncertainty.

Personally, I have noticed difficulty remembering things and concentrating. I am deeply frustrated with some folks' cavalier attitude toward social distancing as if they are invincible, falsely assured they won't get the virus or spread it to others. The simplest things can make me cry. And I asked myself, "What is wrong with me?" expecting myself to snap out of it, but I can't shake it.

We have all been hit by what Alan Wolfelt from the Center for Loss in Colorado calls "a pandemic of grief." The world is not as we have known it to be. So many things are new; there are so many changes most of which we have little or no control over. I didn't figure this out on my own, a dear friend helped me to name it. Every change we encounter in life whether it springs from joy or sorrow initially brings along its unwelcomed friend, grief. It is piling up all around us with each day that passes, each cancellation, each reminder we are not invincible.

What are we to do? Recalling that Jesus wept is a good place to begin. Lazarus, Jesus' good friend, is dead and his sisters are surrounded by grief. Jesus weeps for his friends even when he knows he will call Lazarus out of the tomb into new life. We can see God's reflection in the tears of Jesus.



The collective and individual grief we are experiencing is fully known to God; God is with us as we are forced to isolate ourselves in our homes and wait for loneliness and cabin fever to settle on us. Jesus walked into the grief of Lazarus' death; he shows us what is most helpful for us to do now. Walk into your grief. Do all you can to resist and deny that you have this new unwanted friend.

Be good to yourselves! Speak loving words to yourself when you see yourself in the mirror. A wise person told me to have at least one conversation a day either by phone or texting or zoom or whatever technology works best for you. People in the congregation are making phone calls to members. These calls are met with great appreciation. If you want a directory of Lake Edge, let me know and I will get one to you either by email or the USPS. Don't wait for someone to call you; you can help yourself and others by reaching out. Spread the grace of God. As you reach out, remember Jesus is reaching out to you.

Peace to you in this time of constant change,
Pastor Martha

Lenten, Holy Week & Easter

To Be Determined

If you look at a calendar, it will probably tell you that Easter is April 12 this year. But for us at Lake Edge Lutheran, Easter will be that glorious Sunday when we once again gather in our own sanctuary to worship together! Until then, we will continue to gather virtually as we worship online.

We will be keeping in close contact with you, and ask that you watch for details to unfold in the weeks ahead.

Pastor's Emergency Fund Update



Thank you all for your generous support of the Pastor's Emergency Fund. We are grateful for your generous donations that make assisting those in need possible.

Because of the generosity of the people of Lake Edge, 30 plus vulnerable people are helped every month. We are grateful for your generous donations that make assisting those in need possible.

As always, the first Sunday of the month is a good time to donate to the Pastor's Emergency Fund. Special envelopes are available in the pews for your contributions.

Thank you and God bless,
Pastor Martha

Where Will The Quarters Go?

You've seen the Quarter Pole in the sanctuary and watched the children collect quarters to fill it. They have collected a **lot** of quarters during worship! Soon, the children will continue their lesson in stewardship as they decide how to use this money. We are looking at the ELCA Good Gifts catalog for ideas. You can download the catalog at <https://bit.ly/2SJqatE>.



Ministry Evaluation Task Force Update



Unfortunately, we were unable to hold the Congregation Conversation which was scheduled for March 22. The MET developed a plan to meet via video conference on March 25. We are working on an alternative way to share information and complete the rest of our tasks as soon as we reasonably can. We will share updates via the e-newsletters. Thank you for your engagement, support, and prayers.

Postponed: Game Day for All Ages!

Originally scheduled for March 22, Game Day will be rescheduled when we are able to gather again in person.

Spring Bike Ride!

Saturday, May 16, 10:30 am
Rain Date the Following Day,
Sunday, May 17 at 1:00 pm



Bring a friend -- we hope to have lots of riders! We will meet in the church parking lot, do the Monona Lake Loop, and end at Bruce and Elaine Meier's home in Monona for a light lunch or afternoon snack -- if it turns out to be Sunday. Look for a sign-up. If you don't have your own bike or need some extra assistance, talk to us about renting one of the new Madison E-Bikes! We are hoping for a fun and lively group! More to follow....

Deb Jenson and Elaine Meier



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In Our Prayers

Please pray for:

- those who grieve including: the families of Ann Ahearn, Mariellen Kuehn, Sybil Gilbert, Frank Brown;
- those who are ill, hospitalized, recovering, or who are in special need of a healing touch from God, including: Jan Johnson, Kathy Simmons, Terry & Rose Mary Jackson, Shirley Boettcher, Debbie Staffeld, Rod Nordby, Kathleen Berkley, Du Wayne Zimmermann, Don Small, Del Jasper, Marilyn Jerrick, Lisa Swan Meyers, Christine Thompson, Nancy Schultz, LaJeane Hettrick, Ken Neundorf, Wesley Simmons, Gabe Blood, Doug Siebert, Lisa Pietrowiak, Jim Jerney, Ken Jackson, Lorraine Hansen, Casimir Brandon, Nancy McFadden, Tony Paulson, Judy Fritz, Bette Paulson, Audrey Simonson, Wes Stiemke, Judy Kollath, Joyce Narveson, Albert Singer;
- our neighborhood church partners: Lake Edge United Church of Christ, St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Christ the Solid Rock Baptist Church, Monona United Methodist Church, Lakeview Moravian Church, Zion Lutheran Church, and Plymouth UCC;
- our synod and national church staff; our sister congregation, Cristo Rey, El Salvador; our companion church, The Northern Evangelical Lutheran Church in India; and our ELCA partners in the Caribbean Synod and the Slovak-Zion Synod.



LELC Online Worship

Join us for worship online at our YouTube Channel. You will find it at <https://bit.ly/3amB2nE> and on our web site at LELC.org.

You are encouraged to worship at your usual time on Sunday morning (8:00 or 10:30 am). On the YouTube channel, you will be able to see how many others are worshipping with you!

During these days that we practice self-distancing and remain safe in our homes, we will continue to worship in this way until we are once again allowed to reunite.

We may be separated for a time as we shelter in our homes, but we are still a community united in the love and Grace of God!



United in Prayer While Sheltering in Place

Until we are able to gather together in person, we are all encouraged to continue to pray for each other and those in need. Be sure to send prayer requests to the pray chain so others will be able to pray for you and your concerns, as well. You can email your prayer requests to Chris at communications@lelc.org. Your requests will be passed on to the prayer chain.



Keeping Connected

Please take time to call others for a telephone chat, or maybe even a face-time chat! We may not be in the same room, but we can still support each other, share laughter and share concerns. This is a unique time. We are creative people. Let's share the love and grace of God in new and innovative ways!



Come & Pray With Us When Stay-at-Home Order is Lifted!

When all is well, Lake Edge has two weekly prayer groups open to all. Sundays, 9:30 am: Centering Prayer; original building, 2nd floor sixth grade room. Thursdays, 11:30am-12:30pm. Prayer Group; Office Conference Room. All are invited to these prayer opportunities.

Participate in Synod Assembly

The Council will be selecting our voting members to the Synod Assembly to be held at the Kalahari Resort, Wisconsin Dells, May 1-2, 2020. One male and one female along with one person under 30 can represent Lake Edge. Please consider attending this opportunity to participate with our Synod. Contact the Church Office if you are interested in attending the Assembly on our behalf. (Lake Edge does have a budget to cover the cost of overnight lodging). Thank You, Your Church Council



Your Offerings: Mail In or Give Online

We appreciate your continued support during this time while we must remain apart! Please remember that you have the option of making your weekly offerings through Online Giving at this link: <https://bit.ly/2WH4ZKS>. You are also welcome to mail your offerings to the church at 4032 Monona Dr. Madison, WI 53716. Church staff is monitoring mail, phone messages and email messages. Your mailed offerings will be received safely. Thank you!



Needed: Fabric to Make Children Happy

It is time to clean out your sewing room, closet or drawers! Seeds of Peace, of which LELC is part of, has adopted Schenk Elementary School. Like last year we will be making capes for the elementary children to celebrate their Super Hero Night on Monday, May 11, 2020. We need donations of fabric and ribbon and trim. We will make 50 capes. The capes need to be submitted by May 11, 2020. There will be a plastic bin in the coat room for donations. Please hold on to your donations for now. Thank you. Chris Maloney chrismaloney@yahoo.com 608-358-5248 or Anita Grue anita51_98@yahoo.com 608-698-0345

Attention Women of the ELCA South-Central Synod, WI (especially church quilting groups)

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the Ordination of women in the Lutheran Church. To showcase this and other ways that women have been active in our churches, the Synod Assembly Planning Team will construct a quilt backdrop behind the stage in the conference hall at the Kalahari (Wisconsin Dells). The theme for the Synod Assembly is, "We are Church Together!"



- Church quilting groups are encouraged to donate one quilt.
 - The quilt is allowed to have the church's name or picture on it (but this is not required).
 - After the Assembly, the quilts will be donated to the Lac Coudre Reservation.
 - The quilt backdrop will be assembled on Thursday, April 30. Synod Assembly is May 1-2, 2020.
 - Quilts may be dropped off at the synod office (6401 Odana Rd, Madison) any time before April 29, 2020.
 - SWO board members will also be collecting these quilts at any of the Conference Spring Gatherings.
- Thank you for your generosity.

News from the Women of Lake Edge Lutheran (WELCA)

Boxtops for Education

Did you know that the Women of the Church save Box Tops for Education? There is a box on the shelf with Personal Care Kit items in the hallway leading to the library. We currently give our Box Tops to Frank Allis School. Please continue to save them and put them in the box provided. We deliver box-tops periodically to the school.

Circles

Deborah Circle: 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1:00 pm. Contact Doreen Davidson 839-5194.

Salome Circle: 2nd Tuesday, of the month at church at 6 pm. Contact Terry Anne Taylor 223-9807.

Rhoda Circle: 3rd Tuesday of the month in the church library at 1:00 pm. Contact Sharon Kreul 279-2814.

LELC Global Outreach Mission

Last year, Lake Edge sent 174 Personal Care Kits to LWR (Lutheran World Relief). Yes, here we go again. We are now collecting items for this year with a goal of 150 Kits.

- There are only five items in the Personal Care Kits:
- Bath Towel (20" x 40" to 52" x 27" (light weight, dark colors recommended)
- Nail Clippers
- Toothbrush (adult size only)
- Combs (sturdy)
- Soap (Bath-size- 4oz to 5oz size - 2 bars per kit)

In April, we will focus on collecting soap, clippers and combs. A basket for these items is on the bookcase shelf leading to the library. We currently have: 89 Combs; 93 Nail Clippers; 144 toothbrushes; 145 bars of soap (4 oz.); and 131 Bath Towels.

Sharon Kreul
Your Global Outreach Mission
Thank you for all of your support and contributions.



**Quilting for Lutheran World Relief
2nd Wednesday of Every Month at 9:00 am**

Watch for Updates! Quilting Will Resume as Soon as We Are Able to Gather Again!



Join us in Good Shepherd Hall the 2nd Wednesday of the month to create quilts for Lutheran World Relief. No experience necessary! Add your name to the sign up sheet on the bulletin board. For more information, contact Anita Grue anita51_98@yahoo.com 608-698-0345.

Imagine the comfort and care you feel when you snuggle under a comforter or wear a piece of clothing made or worn by a loved one. That's the feeling you share through an LWR Mission Quilt. Useful for shielding against the cold and rain, and for warm bedding, quilts can also be purposed as simple tents, floor coverings, or a wrap to hold a baby on a mother's back. In a simple combination of fabric and thread, you reach out to people in their time of greatest need with a strong message of hope – you are not alone. (From lwr.org)

Madison Homeless Resources

A comprehensive list of resources for homeless people is available at www.madcityhomelessresourceguide.com/resource-list.

**Help Feed the Hungry at Luke House
Operational Changes to Help Fight
Coronavirus:
Make A Donation Today!
Thursday, April 2, 2020**

Luke House is still going on. Sara and Matt are preparing sandwiches they hand out twice daily- lunch time and evening meal time, sack lunches Monday through Thursdays only. Matt and Sara are making the sandwiches.

Since these times are for safety and restrictions are many at local grocery stores, it is almost prohibitive for most of us to go out for extra supplies for Luke House.

That's why I'm urging you, if you are able, to go on line and contribute to Luke House. If you are not comfortable doing that write a check to Lake Edge and designate Luke House and the church will write that check. Thanks for your support.

Joan Martin
Please be safe and keep well everyone.

Altar Guild Volunteers Needed

The Altar Guild meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm. Our duties center around communion and altar care. On Saturdays we prepare for communion and on Sundays we place the communion elements on the altar for both services. We also clean up after each service. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please feel free to contact Jan Summ at 608-669-7020.

How Are You Coping?

We learned the LELC Knit and Crochete Group had a plan to knit "in place" during this time of Sheltering in Place. It made us wonder what folks are doing to cope when we can't gather in groups. Below are some comments from members of our Knit and Crochet group.



D'niece Hettrick

My Way of Coping

Once a day...every day...this works!!!

I shared my sign with a woman with a mom on the 1st floor yesterday as she did not have a sign. it was so great to pass it on.
love, d

Mary Graper

Day 11 of my self-imposed quarantine: I have read two books, played electronic "scrabble", written lots of emails, watched TV, and am presently putting a jigsaw puzzle together. The knitters stay in touch every Monday afternoon—via E-mail. I worshipped on Sunday. Going to learn how to do Zoom.



Linda Nettesheim

Things I Do to Stay Out of Trouble

I read a lot, watch a little tv, completely clean the bathroom, go to Walmart and sit in the car watching how many people are using the store, finished my taxes, talk with people in my building at 6 feet apart, take unscheduled naps, talk to my great niece going to Marquette, watch the 10:30 service on Sunday with 79 others. The sermon was good, happy to be worshipping at home but never the less together, spend time with people here keeping the 6 foot rule. Hoping for other prayer times together. Eating a snack, sending picture. Got my taxes done and delivered by my new friend, UKneecorn. And ate a snack.

Linda

Joan & Chuck Martin

How We Are Spending This Time - Time Away

I love routine. Every Monday I clean my bathrooms in the morning- been doing this for many years- so that's what I did this AM. Usually I'm up at 6 am and go to Anytime Fitness- but they are closed so I got right to my bathrooms after breakfast. I have 3, but only 2 need cleaning. Chuck has a total gym and he showed me some exercises I could do- so tomorrow AM I will do some exercising first before breakfast. After cleaning and before knitting we usually went to McDonald's for lunch- so we went through the Drive-thru today-.brought it home and ate lunch..

We went for a short ride around town- oh my gosh- got outdoors. I always wash the bathroom towels on Monday so they are washed and put away. Will talk with Matt today and call Hy-Vee. Mary has us coming up with words from K N I T T I N G between 1 and 2:30 pm- I think Dorothy Nesbitt has us all beat as she got 14 already. I've got supper planned- I always cook on Mondays, planning Baked Pork chops, Hot German Potato Salad, Corn on the Cob, Applesauce with Cottage Cheese- haven't decided on a Green Salad or not.

So that's how my day is going. Do miss the gals at knitting and just relaxing and spouting off on this and that.
Joan Martin



What Are You Doing to Cope??

Send your stories and selfies to Chrs at communications@lelc.org. We will share them during this time of connecting in a new way!

Present via phone: George Swamp, Mary Graper, Sharon Kreul, Lesta Searles, Mark Taylor, Al Anding, Ron Siggelkow, Pastor Martha Butzier, Dan Schultz, Karen Blackdeer & Jim St. Vincent (recorder)

Call to Order: George called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm

Bible Study & Prayer: Pastor Martha led us in prayer.

Review Minutes of February 17, 2020

Sharon moved and Dan seconded that the revised minutes of February 17, 2020 be approved. Motion Carried.

Review of Financial Dashboard

Dan reviewed the February financial dashboard, the detailed statement of activities, and our dedicated council accounts.

Pastor's Report: Pastor Martha updated the council on several items.

- Church Phones - They stopped working today. AT&T indicated it will take a few days to repair. There is one line working listed on our website. Chris checked into switching all of our services to Spectrum for consideration by property.
- Worship - Chris is planning to produce a video recording of a worship service with sermon and music to be made available every week. We would also provide a devotional available to people.
- Member support - We'll be adding questions to the care team as they connect with members regarding the need for any deliveries of personal items, groceries, etc. Membership support mission offered to assist as well (Lesta).

Mission Reports for Council Awareness or Approval

Church & Family Fellowship - Mary - Current events have been cancelled because of the COVID-19 situation.

Education - Mark - No update.

Finance & Property - Al - Our fire alarm system is not working properly and we can no longer get parts. The mission obtained two bids, with the best one at approximately \$18,000 to replace our system. The gifts committee has some available funds designated for the building of approximately \$13,000, and the council has dedicated accounts available through the property Noah fund of \$12,924 and the regular Noah fund of \$10,574. Al moved and Dan seconded that we replace our fire alarm system for up to \$20,000, with half requested from the gifts committee (account 9083) and half from the property Noah fund (account 9052). Motion carried.

Follow up: Property - Dan - complete a gifts committee request for up to \$10,000 to assist with replacing the fire alarm system.

Membership Support - Lesta - Membership has a goal to develop a plan to contact non-attending members.

Ministry Support - Ron - No update.

Peace & Justice - Sharon - Luke House is continuing to be open and providing brown bag lunches versus serving a meal. So we have a need for people to provide food, different from the typical hot meals we've provided in the past, with no need for volunteer servers. Chris will add this to the church newsletter. Schenk meals were packed this week and will continue to be distributed even though school is not being held. We also received a request to shift the planned food and speakers to alternative plans. Council believes we should wait a couple weeks and refer the decision to the mission.

Worship - Karen - Planning for summer worship, updating worship volunteer instructions, and discussed communion methods with Pastor Martha.

President / President Elect

COVID-19 Virus Impact:

Services - Based on information available, we may not be able to hold in person worship services for up to 8 weeks. However, much is not known at this time. To keep our options open, we will be cancelling in person Sunday worship services for March 22, 29 and April 5. We'll re-evaluate the situation in early April. Lesta moved and Mary seconded that we cancel the March 22, 29 and April 5 in person worship services. Motion carried.

Follow Up: Services - we need to set up a date in early April to consider when to restart in person worship services.

Interim services - Chris will post a worship service each week, including word, sermon, communion, prayers, and music on our face book page and our website for people to access each week. We'll encourage people to watch at our regular worship times of 8 and 10:30, while it will also be available on demand. We will put this in the weekly newsletter, as well as a banner on the web page.

Follow Up: Interim services - get feedback at our next meeting on how these are received.

Prayer - set a specific time of day each day that we would pray together.

Office & Staff - Staff is working their normal hours in the office, but the building will be closed to visitors, given the need for physical separation and to protect our volunteers that typically work in the office. Al moved and Karen seconded that we continue to pay all our paid staff based on their regular hours, including office, custodian, child care, and music staff. Motion carried.

Meetings - The council will continue meeting as needed via phone. Others are encouraged to meet the same way, including the ministry evaluation taskforce. The next mission meeting will be conducted via phone, email or in person if a small group as needed by each mission for April.

Draft of LELC Council Meeting Minutes Continued

Ministry Evaluation Task Force - Lesta - The congregational listening session has been cancelled. The task force will come up with alternative communication methods to the congregation to move us forward, including staffing recommendations.

Synod Assembly Delegates - Lake Edge is authorized for 2 voting delegates to the synod assembly (one female and one male) and if possible, one young adult (30 or under). The assembly is scheduled for May 1 and 2 (Friday noon through Saturday) at the Kalahari in Wisconsin Dells, as well as attend the second assembly on June 20 to elect a new Bishop. Dan moved and Mark seconded that Anita Grue and George Swamp serve as our Lake Edge delegates. Motion carried.

Call committee - George - Council discussed a number of criteria and potential candidates. We will consider additional candidates in the next month, and finalize those to be approached for nomination to the congregation at our next meeting.

Reminders

- Next mission meeting: as needed by each mission area for April
- Prep meeting for Pres, Pres elect, Treasurer and Pastor: Monday, April 13, 6 pm
- Next Meeting March 30, 2020 at 7:00 agenda items:
- COVID-19 follow up
- Call committee nominations

Follow Up: Pastor Martha to set up our next phone conference call

April 20, 2020 at 6:45 agenda items:

- Seeds of Peace representative

Meeting Adjourned

Al moved and Karen seconded to adjourn at 9:02 pm. Motion carried.



Looking for a Wonderful Way to Spend a Warm, Sunny Spring Morning? Help out with the Lake Edge Spring Yard Clean Up! Saturday, April 18; 8:30-11:30 am

Please bring yard tools: rakes, loppers and shears. An extra wheel barrow would be helpful, too, if you can bring one. Remember gloves. Refreshments will also be available. Can't come for the whole morning? Come for the time you are available! **Please Note:** As the date grows closer, we will re-evaluate the situation as it relates to the coronavirus restrictions. If necessary, we will reschedule for another date.

Financial Dashboard for February, 2020

LELC Dashboard			
Statement of Activities			
Actual vs. Budget thru February 29, 2020			
	Actual	Budgeted	Variance
INCOME			
Member Giving	81,895	80,067	1,828
Principal Reduction Giving	12,370	4,977	7,393
Building Debt Service	5,036	4,458	578
Other Offering	860	2,967	-2,107
Other Income	4,282	4,667	-385
TOTAL INCOME	104,443	97,136	7,307
EXPENSES			
Salaries	30,886	33,118	-2,232
Benefits	6,512	6,090	422
Support	0	208	-208
Administrative	4,501	5,404	-903
Utilities	5,463	5,499	-36
Ins. & Debt Service	11,159	11,416	-257
Benevolences	0	0	0
--MISSIONS--			
Worship	1,173	1,192	-19
Education	0	516	-516
Membership Support	0	208	-208
Ministry Support	861	576	285
Church & Family Fellowship	231	512	-281
Youth Fellowship	0	100	-100
Peace & Justice	28	117	-89
Finance & Property	3,891	6,192	-2,301
Miscellaneous Transfers		0	0
TOTAL EXPENSES	64,705	71,148	-6,443
Year-to-Date (Income-Expenses)	39,738	25,988	13,750
Checking Account Status			
General Operating Checking Balance*	104,175	As of 02/29/2020	
Ave. Monthly Expenses	44,014	Ave. based on 12 Months	
No. of Mos. Coverage (Goal: 2.0)	2.37		
Mortgage			
	Int Rate	Mo Pymt	Balance
Thrivent Financial as of 02/29/2020	4.75%	\$5,291	\$885,680
Worship Attendance			
	1st Service	2nd Service	Total
Feb 2	57	96	153
Feb 9	45	48	93
Feb 16	46	80	126
Feb 23	52	98	150
Monthly Average	50	81	131
Year to Date Average	49	82	131
Attendance includes Sunday worship only.			
Membership			
Baptized Members			2020 522

Book Club 2019-2020

The LELC Book Club typically meets the first Monday of every month. Below you will find a list of books that we are reading for discussion each month at 7:00 pm.



No April Meeting

Book club won't meet in April, but you are still encouraged to read the book for this month!

April, 2020:

"The Peacock Emporium: A Novel" by Jojo Moyes

May, 2020:

Book Club Cafe Selection

June, 2020:

"Where the Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owens

Lake Edge Lutheran Church April, 2020

Due to the coronavirus and COVID-19, worship, meetings, activities and events will either be postponed or will meet virtually via Zoom, conference call, or other virtual methods of communication that allow for Social Distancing. Please watch your weekly e-letter for changes and updates.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
		Office Closed 2:30pm Pastors/Musicians Mtg 6:30pm Bible Study at CTSR 6:30pm Living Stones Rehearsal 7:30pm LELC Choir Rehearsal	Office Closed 11:30am Prayer Group 4:30pm Luke House Meal 7pm Mid-Week Lent Worship	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed
Palm Sunday 8am Worship 10:30am Worship	11:30am MLUM Circle of Support 1pm Kniters 7pm Book Club	9am Sewing Machine Exec Board Meeting 10am Staff Meeting 11am People In Need 7pm Altar Guild 7:30pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	9am Quilting for LWR 2:30pm Pastors/Musicians Mtg 6pm Brownie Troop 8172 6:30pm Bible Study at CTSR 6:30pm Living Stones Rehearsal 7pm Girl Scout Troop #2825 7:30pm LELC Choir Rehearsal	Maundy Thursday 11:30am Prayer Group 7pm Maundy Thursday Worship	Office Closed Good Friday (regional holiday) 12pm Ecumenical Good Friday Worship 7pm Good Friday Worship	Office Closed Holy Saturday 9am Grandma's Kitchen
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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Easter Sunday 8am Worship 10:30am Worship	Easter Monday 9am Foot Clinic 11:30am MLUM Circle of Support 1pm Kniters 6pm Council Preparation 6:45pm Mission Meetings	10am Staff Meeting 11am People In Need 1pm Deborah Circle 6pm Salome Circle 6:30pm Gifts Committee 7:30pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	11:45am Winsome Widow's Lunch 2:30pm Pastors/Musicians Mtg 6:30pm Bible Study at CTSR 6:30pm Junior Troop 2622 6:30pm Living Stones Rehearsal 7:30pm LELC Choir Rehearsal	11:30am Prayer Group		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed
8am Worship 9:15am Confirmation Class 9:15am Sunday School 9:30am Centering Prayer 9:30am Adult Education 10:30am Worship	9am Diabetic Foot Clinic 11:30am MLUM Circle of Support 1pm Kniters 6pm LENA 6:45pm Church Council	10am Staff Meeting 11am People In Need 1pm Seeds of Peace Steering Committee 1pm Rhoda Circle 2pm SCSW Interim Pastors Meeting 6pm Fitchburg Lions Officer Training 7:30pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	2:30pm Pastors/Musicians Mtg 6:30pm Bible Study at CTSR 6:30pm Living Stones Rehearsal 7pm Girl Scout Troop #2825 7:30pm LELC Choir Rehearsal	11:30am Prayer Group		
26	27	28	29	30		
Dialogue Articles Due Name Tag Sunday 8am Worship 9:15am Confirmation Class 9:15am Sunday School 9:30am Centering Prayer 9:30am Adult Education 10:30am Worship	11:30am MLUM Circle of Support 1pm Kniters	10am Staff Meeting 11am People In Need 1:30pm WELCA 7:30pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	2:30pm Pastors/Musicians Mtg 6:30pm Bible Study at CTSR 6:30pm Living Stones Rehearsal 7:30pm LELC Choir Rehearsal	11:30am Prayer Group 1pm Dialogue Assembly		

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Fall/Winter Worship

Beginning the Sunday After Labor Day
Sundays: 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Summer Worship

Beginning the 3rd Sunday of May- Labor Day: 9:30 am
Nursery care during Sunday worship
Handicapped Access

Learning

Confirmation, Children's Education at 9:15 am
Adult Education and Centering Prayer at 9:30 am

Fellowship

Activities for all ages

Music

Lake Edge Choir
Living Stones Singers
Handbell Choir

Outreach

Women of the Church (WELCA)
El Salvador Sister Parish
Luke House
St. Stephen's Food Pantry
Knitters & Crocheters
Lutheran World Relief support

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