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AS WE GATHER:

Our Bible Reading of the Day is Acts 12:1-25. King Herod launches attacks on the Church, killing James, the brother of John. When Herod sees how much this pleases the Jews, he has Peter imprisoned. Peter is guarded by four squads of soldiers as the Church prays for him. That night, an angel appears and leads Peter past the guards and out of prison. Peter knocks at the gate of the house where the others are gathered in prayer. A servant girl, Rhoda, answers. She is so excited that she runs to tell the others, leaving Peter to continue knocking. An angel of the Lord strikes Herod down for his pride.

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

<u>5:30</u> to <u>6:15</u> pm - Supper Broasted Chicken, Cheesy Potatoes <u>6:00</u> pm –Choir <u>6:30</u> pm - Owl, Hoot, Confirmation Middle School and High School Youth Bible Studies

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT CASA today during our Bible study hour in the Atrium. A representative will be here to talk about it's mission, "Every Child Needs A Hero." Every year, the Courts in our area handle hundreds of child abuse and neglect cases. Every one of them is much more than just a file...each is a child's life and the children assigned to the program need someone to stand up for them.

THE 40 DAYS FOR LIFE Spring Kickoff Rally will be next Sunday at 7 p.m. at LifeChange Church. This year's guest speaker is incoming South Dakota Right to Life's Executive Director, Jenn Lee. The 40 Days campaign will start on March 5th and end on April 13th. The address for the vigil location is 6511 W 41st St. Volunteers are encouraged to bring their own signs. Sign up for a time to pray between 7 am and 7 pm at https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/ siouxfalls.

YOUR 2024 Contribution Statements are available. Please contact the office if you would like a copy mailed or emailed to you.

THE FLOWERS on the Altar this morning are given by Mary Brandt. They are given in loving memory of her parents and her brother, Marty. We thank Mary for providing the flowers for our services today.

FAMILY TRIVIA EXTRAVAGANZA is next Sunday at 3 PM. The youth will host 4 rounds of trivia and games where you will compete against other teams to win prizes! To sign up, you must reserve a table. Each table is \$25 (collected at the event) with up to 8 people on a team. There are only 20 tables available. This is a youth fundraiser for the National Youth Gathering. We will also have concessions and a coin war leading up to the event to see if Pastor Greg or Jacob will get a pie in the face!

RESERVE A SPOT at Camp Minneboji this summer. Registration is now open. Camp runs from June 15-June 21. It's open to kids in grades 4 through 8 with an Honors camp for 9th graders. You will get a discount if you get your registration fee in before April 1st. Camp information booklets are on the table at the back of the church.

<u>BE PART OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA</u> <u>DISTRICT –LCMS CONVENTION</u> Tonight you

can attend the Opening Worship service at 7:00 at Christ Lutheran Church. Hear the Synod President's report tomorrow at 11:00, a Bible Study on Romans Tuesday at 9:00, and the closing service Tuesday at 4:00. All sessions are in Exhibit Hall #2 at the Sioux Falls Convention Center.

JUST A REMINDER that the LWML has boxed and individual cards for sale in the Atrium. The payment box is on the wall next to the card rack.



Mar 1 Jacob Loween Mar 1 Dexter Mahrt Mar 2 Jameson Collin Mar 2 Lori Coufal Mar 2 Wayne Huebert Mar 3 Kim Baartman Mar 3 Phyllis Hendel Mar 3 Boston LaRoche Mar 4 Shelly Simonson Mar 5 Ray Black Mar 5 Grace Cavigielli Mar 5 Brittney Hendry Mar 5 Michael Pierce Mar 5 Karla Woodward Mar 6 Marsha Kritzmire Mar 6 Greg Lehr Mar 6 Zachary Schneider Mar 8 Bonnie Boese Mar 9 Gage Thompson Mar 10 Harrison Erck Mar 10 Kristi Hofer Mar 10 Jeff Sebesta Mar 11 Kim Boettcher Mar 11 Todd Schettler Mar 12 Cole Boden

Mar 12 Pam Bouwman Mar 13 Faye Rohrich Mar 13 Kathleen Van Hove Mar 13 Barbara Waack Mar 14 Eric Dabbert Mar 14 Carol Flaten Mar 14 Madison Hofer Mar 14 Gordon Krause Mar 14 Will Kulzer Mar 15 MacKenzie Yost Mar 17 Eric Gulseth Mar 17 Pam Kludt Mar 17 Sharon McCarthy Mar 17 Calvin Stratton Mar 17 Lu Lu Wheelock Mar 18 Judith Schmuck Mar 18 Joe Simonson Mar 19 Nick Fleury Mar 19 Alvina Knode Mar 19 Sasheen Noyes Mar 20 Sharon Gibson Mar 20 Betty Misterek Mar 21 Judy Bittner Mar 21 Nova Castetter Mar 21 Leona Polyak Mar 22 Shannon Huber

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Mar 22 Troy Kiggins Mar 23 Stephanie Brown Mar 23 Devon Fox Mar 23 Suze Frentz Mar 23 Steve Schlueter Mar 23 Gator Wohlman Mar 25 Erica Boyce Mar 25 Ashley Eilertson Mar 25 Leah Wall Mar 26 Laurie Doherty Mar 27 Rich Coffman Mar 28 Beth Graff Mar 29 Paul Farmer Mar 29 Rachel Flaten Mar 29 Jackie Keiner-Jones Mar 29 Chad Liesinger Mar 29 Chez Shoup Mar 30 Matthew Stotts Mar 31 Travis Langle Mar 31 Caitlin Logan



National Youth Gathering 2025

ENDURE – Hebrews 12:1-3

July 18-24, 2025; New Orleans, LA

<u>Endure</u> is a reminder that in our Baptism, God promises to bring us together into a community of believers that spans space and time. He promises that His church will endure even against the gates of hell. He promises to be present among us through His Word of forgiveness, life and salvation. As brothers and sisters, we depend on each other, hold each other accountable and spur one another on to good works. But even more, we will proclaim the Good News of Jesus' faithful endurance for us. He is the author and perfecter of our faith. And in His suffering and death, He showed the steadfast love of God that endures forever.

If you want to know more about the gathering and what our kids will be doing, please check out <u>www.lcmsgathering.com</u> for more information.

