Current Announcements for May 25, 2025

Welcome to worship on this the Sixth Sunday of Easter, with Pastor Rich Bergen as our worship leader. Next Sunday is Ascension Sunday.

Altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God by the Page Family in honor of the birthday of Katie and Emma Page.

Card Ministry - We want to give a shout out to one of our WELCA members. Barbara McLaughlin does a fantastic job as the head of the Card Ministry. Barb sends beautiful cards to our members for birthdays, anniversaries, thank yous, sympathies and welcome notes to visitors. St. Luke Lutheran Church is blessed to have Barb in this role. Thank you, Barb!!

Collection Bin – Our collection bin will be closed for donations until Tuesday, July 15th. We are not accepting medical supplies, electronics, large furniture or stuffed toys. Thank you for your cooperation.

Eleanor Roosevelt – Sunday, June 1st at 2:00pm. Actress Linda Kenyon will be portraying Eleanor Roosevelt in a one woman show - A Life of My Own: Meeting Eleanor Roosevelt. A \$10 donation is requested. Light refreshments will be served.

Junior Choir – Please reach out to Darlene Durns at 215-353-6680 with any questions or for more information about our Junior Choir. Rehearsals are on Sundays following worship.

Memorial Day Services – American Legion Post 399 - Memorial Day Observance on Saturday, May 24th beginning at 9:00am. Arrival time at

St. Luke's is scheduled for approximately 9:30am. Please see flyer in the Fellowship Hall for further information.

PALM Confirmands Clothing Drive – The confirmation class is having a clothing and toy drive to support Cradles to Crayons. Donations of children's clothes, toys, new diapers and school supplies would be appreciated. Please drop off at the church by June 1st. Thank you in advance for your donations.

Soles4Souls - Thank you for your wonderful participation in the Soles4Souls shoe collection project. For the time being we will NOT be accepting donations. Stay tuned for more information on when we will resume this worthwhile outreach program.

Sunday School – Sunday School is held weekly at 9:00am. One room class, where all ages learn together! All kids are welcome to join us. Following our lesson everyone is invited to join Worship at 10:00am. Last day of Sunday School before summer break is June 8th. Weekly classes will resume on Sunday, September 7th.

Vacation Bible School at St. Luke's - July 28th thru August 1st in the evening. More information coming soon.

Vacation Bible School at Trinity – July 14th thru July 18th from 9:00am to 12:00pm at Trinity Evangelica Lutheran Church in Coopersburg. Please see flyer posted in the Fellowship Hall for further information or to register.

Yoga – We will be hosting a Wisteri-Yoga class on Thursday, May 29th at 6:30pm. The cost is \$20 per person. All ages are welcome. Please be sure to bring your mat, blocks and water. (Extra mats and blocks are available if needed). Hope to see you on 29th!

Youth Group – Our Youth Group now meets on the third Sunday of the month following worship. Our next meeting is today, Sunday, June 15th.

Save the Dates

Saturday, May 24th – American Legion Memorial Day Services

Sunday, June 1st – A Life of My Own – Meeting Eleanor Roosevelt

Summer Newsletter - The cutoff for submissions and updates for the Summer Newsletter is Wednesday, June 24th. Thank you.

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Prayer List

Healing of Members: Brunilda Contestabile, Carol Fluck, Darla Mills, Bonnie Weller, Sarah Chadwick, Tiffany Weddle, Pat Young, Elizabeth Herring, Jean Toth

For our homebound:

For friends and family: Chris Craggs, Jane Frey, Megan Ott, Christopher Leah, Jodie Miller, Robin Dillman, Alice Gaibler, Doug Chapman, Edna Roberts, Nancy Gaibler, Ellen Hardy, Cheryl Coulter, Ava Brad, Holly

For those grieving:

For those in need: All those people impacted by natural disasters, First responders, U.S. Military personnel, Maramba Parish (Tanzania), the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Tanzania, SEKUCo (Tanzania), the people of Sri Lanka, Ukraine, Turkey and Syria, unemployed in our congregation.

For the ministries of area churches: Churches of the Palisades Cluster; Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Presiding ELCA Bishop; Bryan Penman, Bishop SEPA Synod

Prayer List: If you have any corrections, additions, or deletions, please put a note in Pastor Rich's mailbox downstairs or leave a message on the church's answering machine. If you leave a message, please spell all names. Names for grieving will be kept on the list for one month unless other instructions are given.