

LUMC'S COMMUNITY REVELATIONS

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Lacey United Methodist
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Hospitality Kitchen: Bill Buglione

Hot Lunch Mission: Roseann DePasquale
& Ed Weisbrot

Summer Lunch Mission: Ellen Larney
& Gail Matuska

BIBLE VERSE FOR PALM SUNDAY

Acts 2: 36 – 39: “ ‘Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly that God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.’

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, ‘Men and brethren, what shall we do?’

Then Peter said to them, ‘Repent and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call.’”

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNING TEAM OF FAMILY FEUD AT THE YOUTH GROUP FAMILY DINNER AND GAME NIGHT ON FEBRUARY 17:



WORSHIP SERVICE

9:00AM – 10:15AM with an 11:00AM service the first Sunday of every month.

J.A.M. (Jesus & Me): Children gather in the Sanctuary at 9:00AM.

After the Children's Message, the children leave to go to J.A.M. (9:15AM – 10:15AM).

There is no J.A.M. on the first Sunday of every month.

Holy Grounds Coffee Hour – every Sunday after Worship - All are Welcome!!!



FAMILY FEUD BRINGS OUT THE COMPETITIVENESS IN OUR YOUTH!

SAVE THE DATE

Wednesday, March 6 {7PM}: Ash Wednesday Worship Service

Sunday, March 10 {12:30PM – 2:30PM}: “Coffee with the Pastor” Membership Class

Thursday, March 14 {6:15PM}: Men’s Fellowship Night at America’s Keswick (\$12 per person); special guest speaker: Pastor Jason Coache from Wellspring Church in Toms River

Saturday, March 16 {4PM – 7PM}: All You Can Eat Corned Beef Dinner (Adults - \$17 / Seniors <62 and up> - \$15 / Children <5 – 10 years> - \$5)

Wednesday, March 27 {6PM}: Lacey Applebee’s Girls Night Out

HELP WANTED: EASTER BUNNY



The Easter Bunny, known as the Easter Hare in his native land, is apparently having trouble arranging a flight from Germany to be here for our Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday April 13th at 11am. Therefore, he has asked me to reach out to all of his assistants from around the globe to see if someone can fill in for him. Preferably, the assistant that fills in will be willing to share the spotlight with Jesus, as this holiday represents a very important event for Jesus and all Christians. In ancient times, a hare appeared in some

manuscripts and paintings with the Virgin Mary and Christ Child. It was believed in those days that a hare could reproduce without loss of virginity, causing the association with the image.

The Easter Egg Hunt will be divided into 3 age groups, with each group vying for a prize basket. In addition, there will be gift bags for all of the children in attendance. The assistant bunny will also be able to partake in the cookies and juice that will be available. To find out how one of the Easter Bunny’s Assistants can fill in for the main hare, contact Lori Osborn or Dominic Gregoria at (732) 904-9945.

Dominic Gregoria

ANY SUBMISSIONS TO THIS NEWSLETTER CAN BE SUBMITTED TO donnieg777@hotmail.com !!!!!

YOUTH GROUP CALENDAR

Sunday, March 3 {5PM – 6PM}: Youth Group

Monday, March 4 {5:30PM – 6:30PM}: Bible Study / Dinner (7th grade & up)

Friday, March 8 {6PM}: White Elephant – All Welcome: Bring snacks to share & wrapped gift (re-gifting highly suggested)

Friday, March 15 {6:30PM}: HELP WANTED: Youth Group selling snacks at Coffee House

Sunday, March 17 {5PM – 6PM}: Youth Group

Monday, March 18 {5:30PM – 6:30PM}: Bible Study / Dinner (7th grade & up) // {6:40PM}: Family Bible Study

Sunday, March 24 {5PM – 6PM}: Youth Group

Monday, March 25 {5:30PM – 6:30PM}: Bible Study / Dinner (7th grade & up) // {6:40PM}: Family Bible Study

Sunday, March 31 {5PM – 6PM}: Youth Group

Monday, April 1 {5:30PM – 6:30PM}: Bible Study / Dinner (7th grade & up) // {6:40PM}: Family Bible Study

For Youth Group Information, contact Miss Bonnie at (609) 276-5750.



BOUNTY OF THE BAY NEXT MONTH

“Go eat your bread with joy, And drink your wine with a merry heart; For God has already accepted your works.”

Ecclesiastes 9:7



On Tuesday, April 2, you will have the opportunity to taste a sampling of the cuisine and vote on your favorite participating restaurant at the LUMC event known as Bounty Of The Bay. Tickets are only \$20, with a ticket price of \$5 for children age 10 and under.

Tickets can be reserved by calling (609) 693-5222. As of this printing, restaurants are still being signed up, with quite a few signed up already. Those businesses ready to share their culinary treats include Kate & Ally's (Forked River), Captain's Inn (Forked River), Breakers Kitchen & Tap (Waretown), Big Barlow's BBQ & Catering (Manahawkin), Chinese Gourmet (Forked River), Linda's Pizza (Forked River) and A Sweet Memory (Waretown). Some of the delights these places are preparing to bring include crabcakes with remoulade sauce, truffled grissini, sweet & sour chicken, pulled pork sandwiches, smoked wings and lobster bisque. There are other establishments still attempting to arrange their schedules for coverage to be able join in on the festivities.

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