

# Lord of Light Lutheran Church

## Lutheran Campus Ministry

Announcements for May 31, 2020

### Worship Link

*Readings & Psalm: Acts 2:1-21, Psalm 104:24-34, 35b, 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13, John 20:19-23*

Worship this week will be different. Our video will be released on YouTube and Facebook at 5pm, and we will gather directly afterward for Communion via Zoom. We are working to include music, different readers, and other elements of the liturgy - and feedback is welcomed! This is a time for experimentation to see what will work as we continue to gather online.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82600998206?pwd=Tk16azQ1a1psTGRya0FsSF1pUGE2dz09>

Meeting ID: 826 0099 8206

Password: 494189

Join by phone:

+1 312 626 6799

### Synod's Sermon for Sundays:

This week's sermon from the Synod:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXYaeNGzcWtxLsVLuJ4sww>

### Weekly Zoom Check-In Wednesday 11-12pm

Drop in and chat with Pr. Dana and Pr. Elizabeth on Wednesdays at 11! We also will chat about the sermon text for the upcoming Sunday.

Here's how to join:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88351726218?pwd=TnVjMjRSTGhRN1NYSIVvZXRsYTNDZz09>

Meeting ID: 856 1637 1958

Password: 827330

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### Letter from the Bishop

Letter from Bishop Don Kreiss regarding congregations re-opening:

<https://www.semisynod.com/images/docs/SEMISSynod/Bishops-Response-May-23.pdf>

Regular online giving can be done through our website <https://www.lcm-um.org/> under the "Support us" tab. Checks can also be mailed to the church. Thank you!

### **[Subscribe to our YouTube Channel](#)**

For Pastor Elizabeth's sermons as well as playlists tailored to these times, please subscribe to our congregation's YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOwsixW9NyI1ZeuN78nZnuA>

### **[Samaritas Fundraiser for Refugee Family](#)**

"As we all know too well due to this pandemic unemployment is a serious stressor. For some, like this refugee family, that same stress has been a constant since they resettled in the U.S. in 2016. Due to a severe head injury the family's father, has been left unable to work, though he tries his best to help provide for his wife and three children by frequenting food banks in their community. His three children, ranging from 11 to 15, feel the stress too, and have even expressed their desires to work to help their parents. The husband's medical condition has caused his wife to rise to the head of the family, yet not without difficulty of her own. She also suffers from a medical condition that makes walking and other strenuous work nearly impossible. This family's experience, while disheartening, also exemplifies the resiliency and perseverance of those who strive for a better life. It is from this mindset, of stress but also strength that the wife hopes to utilize the skills she already has to sew and make scarves for profit. The hitch? She has no sewing machine to start with and lacks sufficient income to save for one. Please consider supporting this family by donating toward the purchase of a sewing machine. With your help her family can take a step toward self-sufficiency and break free from the stress of unemployment. Thank you for your kind consideration."

Contributions can be made by going to <https://www.samaritas.org/> and putting "Lord of Light" in the memo line.

### **[May's Benevolence is Lutheran Disaster Response](#)**

Lutheran Disaster Response brings God's hope, healing and renewal to people whose lives have been disrupted by disasters in the United States and around the world. For more information, please visit <https://elca.org/Resources/Lutheran-Disaster-Response>.

### **[Equality Michigan working to protect & prohibit discrimination against LGBTQ](#)**

As we work to limit the spread of COVID-19, Fair and Equal Michigan is now gathering citizen petition signatures online to keep people safe. More than 150,000 signatures have been collected in support of our citizens' bill to achieve equality in employment, housing, education and public accommodation. If you haven't already signed a physical copy, add your electronic signature today -- it only takes three minutes!

Visit: [www.FairAndEqualMichigan.com](http://www.FairAndEqualMichigan.com)

### **Mentorship Program**

We are excited to start a new program at Lord of Light with the goal of connecting students to mentors within our congregation. This does not need to be a big time commitment, just meeting up for coffee or lunch (maybe Zoom) to learn from one another. If you are an interested student or congregation member, please fill out this short form: [LOL/LCM Mentorship Form](#). For more information, contact Sophie Dettling.

### **It's Easy to Give**

Give online with your phone with the Give Plus Mobile App! You can also go onto our website and click the "donate" button, which will take you directly to our Vanco page.