

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARTIN'S

Sunday, October 8

8:45am Nursery open for ages 0-4

9:00am Family Worship

9:45am Chapel Gathering for children

10:00 am Faith Formation for All Ages

11:00am Traditional Worship (live streamed)

Monday, October 9

9:00am St. Martin's Serves Lunch Bag Ministry

5:00pm St. Martin's Serves at Bread for All

Tuesday, October 10

9:00am WELCA Tack & Pack

9:00am St. Martin's Serves Lunch Bag Ministry

9:30am Elizabeth Circle

Wednesday, October 11

9:00am St. Martin's Lunch Bag Ministry

1:00pm Zoom Book Study

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

8:30pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 12

9:00am St. Martin's Serves Lunch Bag Ministry

7:30pm St. Martin's Preschool Board Meeting

Friday, October 13

9:00am St. Martin's Serves Lunch Bag Ministry

Saturday, October 14

5:00pm Contemplative Worship (Chapel)

Sunday, October 15

8:45am Nursery open for ages 0-4

9:00am Family Worship (live streamed)

9:45am Chapel Gathering for children

10:00 am Faith Formation - All ages

11:00am Traditional Worship

Save The Date!

Reformation Sunday - October 29

We will celebrate together at one combined service at 10:00 am, followed by a Party in the Worship Park. More details will be announced in St. Martin's Shares. Please plan to participate in this joyful worship service and stay for the annual Reformation Day Party.

The Saint Martin's bus is back in business! If you or someone you know would like to be picked up for the Reformation Sunday events, please contact Pastor Ellen as soon as possible.

Saint Martin's Middle & High School Youth!

Join us Friday, October 20th at 7-9 PM for a Spooky Movie Night! Please wear your Halloween costume and invite your friends as we watch A Haunted House (2003). There will be plenty of popcorn, candy and laughter! Hope to see you there!

Reformation Celebration Volunteers

To volunteer your help with the October 29 Reformation Celebration, please sign up at the Welcome Center or email Karen Cross at kcross@tmea.org. We will need help on a variety of tasks on Saturday and Sunday. Thanks from the Connections Committee!

5pm Saturday Contemplative Holy Communion Service

Pr. Travis Fitzgold leads our weekly Saturday 5PM Contemplative Communion Service in the chapel. Please enter through the glass doors on the 15th Street side of the building. If you are unable to attend this service in person, you can view the livestream by accessing the St. Martin's You Tube channel at:

<https://www.youtube.com/c/stmartinsevlutheranchurch>.

Saint Martin's October Benevolence



**LUTHERAN
WORLD RELIEF**

Lutheran World Relief is an international non-governmental organization that focuses on sustainable development projects and disaster relief and recovery. The organization was founded in 1945

by Lutherans in the United States responding to the refugee crisis in post World War II Europe. Currently LWR is responding to the refugee crisis in Ukraine. LWR has the experience to use your contributions wisely and reach those most in need. LWR is a member of the Corus International family of faith based international development organizations.

Do You Wonder...

How to put an announcement in the bulletin and newsletter? If you have an event or information that is of interest to the congregation, you can submit an announcement! Send an email to admin@saintmartins.org, or go to the website (www.saintmartins.org) and follow the links for announcements. Fay and Kathy will appreciate all the who, what, why, when, and where information you can give us!

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Lisa, Michelle Brown; Tom Hummell; Kelli Baumann; Phil Dorn; Christie; life, family, and friends of Milton Schultz, Jr.; life, family, and friends of Gladys Hermanson; cousin of Tom Blomquist; Dennis & Lynn Brandon; Meghan; Seric and Seth; Christie; Phil; life, family and friends of Victoria; Lorraine Cheleen Newman; Rev. David Peterson; Beth, Lincoln, & Scarlett

CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR

John Sommer; Kent Mickelson; Tom Hoelzel; Deb Johnson; Bill Martin; Anita Tiller; Milton Felger; Sam Gourley; Dean Haynie; Ronnie Johnson; Peter Jordahl; Walt Knauff; Arvid Larson; Pat Larson; Doris McGaughy

Our St. Martin's Values:

We **Worship** God and deepen relationships with one another through Lutheran faith traditions, including engaging liturgy, inspiring music, and lifelong faith formation.

We **Extend** God's inclusive gift of welcome to all people, especially those historically excluded from traditional church communities.

We **Advocate** for justice, righteousness, and mercy with our time, property, and power.

We **Rally** everyone to use our God-given gifts and talents to love, share, and serve all of God's creation boldly.

WEAR reminds us to wear the full armor of God.

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