



The Star

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Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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Weekly News and Events
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

March 17, 2024
Fifth Sunday in Lent



St. Patrick's Day Celebration at Leinbach Park

Come out to Leinbach Park (3635 Sally Kirk Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27101) on Sunday, March 17 from 2-4PM to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. We may or may not find a leprechaun but we will definitely have some green snacks! Don't forget to wear green! Rain date: 3/24.

Flowering of the Cross

This Easter we hope to start a new tradition, Flowering of the Cross during our Easter breakfast time. Our in-house builders are constructing a cross for us to decorate with your flowers, so please start watching for fresh flowers you can bring Easter morning.



Holy Week and Easter at Epiphany

You are invited to be present during Holy Week and Easter at Epiphany.

March 24 - Palm Sunday
10:00 AM - Worship

March 28 - Maundy Thursday
Noon and 7:00 PM - Worship

March 29 - Good Friday
Noon and 7:00 PM - Worship

March 31 - Easter Sunday
9:00 AM - Easter Breakfast and Flowering of the Cross
Around 9:30 - Children's Easter Egg Hunt
10:00 AM - Worship

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Office Hours: M-F

9:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:30 pm

March 17-24, 2024

Sun	<i>Fifth Sunday in Lent</i>	
	<i>Lily Order Deadline</i>	
	Adult Encounter:Faith (Library)	9:00 am
	Youth Encounter:Faith (Youth)	9:00 am
	Kids Encounter:Faith (EECC Caf.)	9:00 am
	Backpack Prep (FH)	9:30 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel	
	St. Patrick at the Park	2:00-4:00 pm
Mon	EECC Committee	6:00 pm
	Congregation Council	7:00 pm
Tues	Bible Study	11:00 am
	Handbells Rehearsal	6:00 pm
	LSM	6:00 pm
Wed	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
	Widows Might	1:30 pm
	Staff Meeting	3:00 pm
	Lenten Supper	6:00 pm
	Mid-Week Eucharist	7:00 pm
Thur	Choir	6:00 pm
Fri	Set up for Packing Party	9:00 am-6:00 pm
Sat	Spring Cleaning & Packing Party	9:00 am-Noon
Sun	<i>Palm Sunday</i>	
	Adult Encounter:Faith (Library)	9:00 am
	Kids Encounter:Faith (EECC Caf.)	9:00 am
	Backpack Prep (FH)	9:30 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	YouTube Channel or Facebook Channel	

Underlined events are available online by clicking on the event.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 23 from 9-Noon.

We will be having a congregational workday to prepare for Holy Week and Easter. Our Outreach Committee will be in the Fellowship Hall packing kits for LSC's New Americas Program and our backpack ministry. We'll also be doing some inside and outside work throughout the church facility like trimming bushes and other grounds work, cleaning pews, and other parts of the church building. Bring tools, equipment, and cleaning supplies. People of all ages and abilities are welcome! God's Work is done with Our (Many) Hands!



LET US PRAY FOR...

All who are affected by violence and natural disasters

Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA
Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod
Pastor Russell Peek
President Joe Biden
Governor Roy Cooper
Mayor Alan Joines

Our sister congregations and our missionary in Mexico

Pastor Emily Norris, Deacon Brooke De Jong, and the people of the Dwelling
Fr. Javier Arias and the people of Christ's Beloved Community
Pr. David Brondos and the Theological Community of Mexico
The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia

Active duty military personnel, especially

Travis Gerdes, Randal Middleton, Connor Oldland, David Schultz

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

Judy Allison	Diana Ruth Henricks	Nora Schweitzer
Ashley Blackburn	Pam Holcomb	Sue Slezak
Hannah Kestner Bockover	Robin Hoots	Libby Smigel
Thomas & Mary Cannon	Shane Huffman	Michele Stanfield
Clark Family	Tonya Lawson	Stephanie Taylor
William Collette	Jimmy Lippard	Laura Turlington
Judy Crouch	Chad Marion	Alan Vestal
Rose Debruhl	Susan Martz	Sam Villegas
Paul DeJute	Linda McKenna	Sam Warden
Ann Forehand	Allison Morris	Emma Wester
Pat & Joanne Gill	Kirsten Nuss	Lynn Wiemann
Ellen Golden	Robert & Mary Peak	Nicole Williams
Jonathan Gomez	Melissa Rhyne	Leigh Yamer
Carolyn Graham		

Members in need, especially

The Rev. John Beeg	Jim Lippard
Sharen Bond	Jane Lyerly
Ann Cannon	Jean Mock
Chad Kraft	Wanda Rabb

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

Bonnie Bryant	Cole Lippard	Carl Schlager
Elizabeth Horton	Sue Muhler	Robert Walker
Bert Joines	Polly Rector	



Bible Readings for Next Week

Mark 11:1-11
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm 31:9-16
Philippians 2:5-11

3/10/2024 ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

Attendance	99
Visitors	1
Offering	\$5,393.13

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR MARCH

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers, instant grits

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Canned fruits and vegetables (large #10 cans), disposable razors, high efficiency laundry detergent packs/pods

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Paper towels; 13-gallon trash bags; individual snacks & drinks; <https://rmhcpt.org/make-a-difference/wish-list/>

TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Hair bows, pins, scrunches for hair (no hairspray, please), body lotion, body wash, bath items, note cards, fronts of greeting cards

CBC FOOD PANTRY - Volunteers to take food donations from church to CBC and to work stocking shelves/distributing food twice a month

EECC - AA and AAA batteries

THE DWELLING - New T-shirts, new underwear, new socks, mouth care products, shower supplies

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Diapers/pullups sizes 2-6



Fellowship Luncheon

You are invited to join us for lunch on Sunday, March 24, 2024 at Childress Vineyards at 1000 Childress Vineyards Rd, Lexington, NC 27295. We have reservations for 12:00 pm. It will take us about 30 minutes to get there. They have a strict reservation policy; everyone must be at the restaurant before they will seat us and we only have 15-minute window so please don't linger. Please let Jeanie Saphar (336-414-2856) or Kathy Pressley (336-749-4889) know if you are interested in attending and if you would like to car pool.



Last day to order lilies.