

# RESURRECTION

## lutheran church

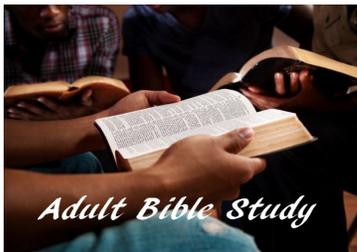
To call all people to a vibrant life of faith in Christ

Trust In Jesus as Savior

Live the call of God's Word

Serve the world God loves

### January 21 Announcements



*Adult Bible Study*

**The Living Room** An adult Bible study and conversation on Monday evenings begins at Resurrection tomorrow, January 22. Our focus for this Living Room session will be the Gospel of John. Join Pastor Paul and others from 6:30-7:30pm for an in-depth look at the week's scripture from the Gospel of John, where Jesus and his disciples extend an invitation to come and live a fuller, a more deeply connected and abundant life. Questions? Please connect with Pastor Paul Dean ([pdean@resurrection-woodbury.org](mailto:pdean@resurrection-woodbury.org)). No registration needed - just show up.

**Book Talk** If you like to discuss thought-provoking books, both fiction and nonfiction, come to Book Talk. This group meets tomorrow, January 22, to discuss *From Sand and Ash*, by Amy Harmon, at the home of Kari Bjorhus and Ken Carlson. The conversation begins at 7pm.

**Sr. Life Bible Study** Members of Senior Life Fellowship share life-long experience in God's grace through regular Bible Study and fellowship. The current study focuses on Luther's Small Catechism as we continue to observe the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation. Join others Wednesday, January 24 at 1pm at church. All seniors are invited and encouraged to attend.

#### Variety Show and Silent Auction

The 14th annual Variety Show and Silent Auction is Saturday, February 3. Doors open at 6pm and the show starts at 6:30pm.

As part of the entertainment and fun we will also have a Silent Auction and tasty desserts. All proceeds will be used to support the Worship Arts Ministry at Resurrection.



There is still time to donate items for the Silent Auction. Contact your employer for company items or service donations, ask a friend or neighbor to donate goods or services, or consider offering your own goods or service. For specific donation ideas please see the display in the lobby. Donations are due by next Sunday, January 28. For more information or to make a donation, please contact Jodi Diekmann ([j.diekmann@comcast.net](mailto:j.diekmann@comcast.net)).

Other ways to get involved are to help with set-up, provide desserts for intermission, serve during intermission, or assist at the Silent Auction. To volunteer please sign up in the lobby.

**Lutheran Adult Fellowship and Fun** Following the Variety Show on February 3rd, LAFF is sponsoring the "After-Glow" Party and all adults are invited. We will gather at Lakes Tavern, in the front area of the restaurant, and hope you can join us there. Call Deb Daly (651-398-3116) with questions.

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**Women's Retreat 2018** Women, you are invited to a weekend filled with laughter, good food, Bible study, and more. Open up new ways to pray or reinvigorate your prayer life. A Yoga Devotion speaker and pastor will offer

a Saturday session titled *Coming Home to the Body, Experiencing God's Healing Presence* and introduce women to laughter yoga. This retreat weekend is February 23-25 at Luther Point, near Grantsburg, WI. Invite a friend and register by February 11.

**Annual Meeting** Mark your calendar and plan to attend the Annual Congregational meeting on Sunday, February 11. Gather after the 10:30 worship hour for a summary of 2017 and look ahead to 2018. Childcare will be provided. Packets will be available in the lobby February 4 for your review prior to the meeting.

### **Outreach**

**Faith In Action Day** The FIA Day planning team is now forming. This annual March event invites everyone in the congregation to put hands or feet to our faith by serving throughout the day in our surrounding community. If you have a passion for serving, are interested in planning or helping organize the 2018 FIA Day, please contact a staff member.

### **Faith Outfitters Children's Ministry**

**Sunday School** Children from 3 years old through grade 5 are welcome to Sunday School. As *faith outfitters*, we refer to our Sunday morning program as *the dock*. At the start of the children's message, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students get their coats and meet their teachers in the Sunday School hallway. Children from 3 years old through grade 3 are escorted to *the dock*, the Sunday School area, after the children's message. On the third Sunday of the month, when Resurrection celebrates communion, students remain in Sunday School until the end of worship. Children do return to worship for communion the first Sunday of each month.

**Vacation Bible Adventure** Come to Rolling River Rampage! This Vacation Bible Adventure invites kids to experience the ride of a lifetime with God. June 11-14, children from 3 years old through 4<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to a high-energy, memory-making week. To be a part of the planning team or learn more about serving as a station leader, please join coordinators on February 15 at either 9:30am or 6:30pm. Questions? Contact Sarah Greene or Stephanie Noe.

**Register for Camp WAPO** It's time to think about summer 2018 and register for camp WAPO! Camp WAPO, located near Amery, WI, is a place where fun and faith collide and where campers engage with God's word. Make friends and create memories to last a lifetime. Reserved spaces are:

- 1st - 4th gr- WAPO One Day, August 1
- 2nd & 3rd gr- SEEDS Weekend, July 27-29
- 4th - 9th gr- Youth Camp, July 29-August 3
- Senior High (new format)- July 29-August 3
- Servant Leadership (new format)- July 29-August 3

Online registration is open and can be found at our church website. You can also learn more about Camp WAPO, and talk Luke Halverson, WAPO's program director, this morning.



**Bible Expedition II** 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> graders who have been on the Bible Expedition are invited to bring their Bibles for more learning fun on Friday evening, January 26. Please rsvp to Betsy Hickey or Sarah Storvick by Tuesday, 1/23.

### **Youth Ministries (6-12th grade)**

**Newsboys Concert** Spend your Friday night having a blast at a Christian rock concert – Newsboys. They are touring to MN and will be playing at Grace Church in Eden Prairie, Friday, March 9. Grab a few friends to join you, and have an encouraging and fun Friday night with the Newsboys. Cost of tickets is \$20. Sign up with Hannah Lorence ([hlorence@resurrection-woodbury.org](mailto:hlorence@resurrection-woodbury.org)) by Sunday, February 18.

**That High School Thing** *That High School Thing* is a safe place for 9-12<sup>th</sup> graders to gather Wednesday evenings from 8-9:30pm. Join us at the farmhouse for space to pray for one another, ask questions about life and faith, and grow deeper in relationship with God. The January 24 topic is *Fear Not*.

**Friends Food and Fun** Join us for Friends, Food, and Fun this Wednesday, January 24 from 5:30-6:15pm. Expect a homemade meal, 9 square, time to hang out with friends, adults who care about students, and grow in your relationship with God. Please bring \$4 to help cover the cost of the meal.