



# SUNDAY EXTRA

March 17, 2019

Second Sunday in Lent  
Community Lutheran Church

“Welcoming Others, Growing in Grace, Sharing  
Christ’s Love”



## Sunday

8:15am Worship

9:30am Christian Ed. For All Ages

11:00am Worship

## Today at Community Lutheran

Worship Servants meet before the service.

### Christian Education for Adults

**Bible Study: Minor Prophets** with Mike Tinman (Sanctuary)

**Adult Forum: “Learning Luke: Looking for Signs”** with Susan Devereaux. (Granger Rm)

“Noisy Offering” for March and April benefits **Rwanda School Scholarship Fund.**

**First Communion Lunch:** Communicants and their families in Fellowship Hall after the second service.

**Rwanda Bake Sale: Benefits the Rwanda Scholarship Fund.**

**Women’s Retreat, Mar. 29-31, Mar-Lu-Ridge: “Remembering Your Story”**

Remember when? Remember how? We have a lot to remember and pass on. We will “Remember Our Stories” and be amazed at how God is working in our lives. Join us as we share, grow and relax. Cost is \$150/weekend or Saturday/\$55. **Last day for sign up is today!**

## Selected Readings

“Risen Christ, you have already conquered anything that the world could possibly throw at us. Remind us then — we have nothing to fear.”  
— Sojourners

“[God] watched over me before I knew him, and before I learned sense or even distinguished between good and evil, and he protected me, and consoled me as a father would his son.”  
— Saint Patrick

## Luther Quote of the Day

“If we can feed, rule, protect ourselves against error, gain grace and forgiveness through our own merit, then Scripture must lie when it testifies that we are lost, scattered and defenseless sheep. Then we do not need a Shepherd who would seek, gather, bind up our wounds, watch over us. For as long as we can do all these things through our own powers, we do not need the help of Christ at all....”

## Worship in the Season of Lent

Lent is from an Anglo-Saxon word meaning “to lengthen.” As the days lengthen, we observe a 40-days of preparation for Holy Week, recalling Jesus’ journey and discipleship. We sing “Lord have mercy” and use this beautiful liturgical setting composed by our own Music Director, Jen Quiñones.

## Upcoming Opportunities

**Wednesday Meals & Ministries 5:30-7pm.** Enjoy Lenten soup with your CLC family. Join music ministries or another ministry. Nursery provided. RVSP on the *Connect with Community* insert.

## Youth News

**3/15-17** Shekinah Confirm. Weekend

**4/06-07** 6:00pm – Act 2:42 Lock-in

### ProArte Chamber Orchestra Concert

“Relmagine,” Mar. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7:30pm, Sanct.,

under the direction of Maestro Nikolov, performing Debussy & Mahler. A reception follows. Tickets may be purchased at <http://www.PACODc.org>

**Game Night, Fri., April 5<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:30** Join your fellow game enthusiasts in the Fellowship Hall. Tables will be set up to accommodate a variety of games as well as age groups. Please bring your favorite game, a snack or appetizer, & a competitive and fun-loving spirit! Pizza and soft drinks will be served. Hope to see you there! Please RSVP on the *Connect with Community* insert.

**Act 2:42 Lock-In, Sat. April 6<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm.** Act 2:42 is an awesome opportunity to practice Lenten disciplines and have a ton of fun at the same time. It’s one of our most popular youth events!! Questions? Becca ([becca.shelor@gmail.com](mailto:becca.shelor@gmail.com)) can direct you to those who have loved the event in the past for more insight. Open to 7th-12th grades.

**Fauré Requiem Sun., April 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.** Full choir, orchestra, organ and soloists will be offering this timeless Lenten work. A freewill offering will be accepted.

**Palm Sunday Dramatic Readers:** There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex for those who wish to be part of the Palm Sunday dramatic reading and serving during Holy Week.

### LINK Opportunities:

- Help bring our First Sunday Food Collection to the LINK Pantry. Please sign up for a month online: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b49afa82aaa8-deliver>

- Deliver and serve food to two families in May in the Herndon, Sterling communities: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904044ea9a7292-20194>
- Contact Cori ([mcsanz95@gmail.com](mailto:mcsanz95@gmail.com)) for more info.

### Wanted: Giving Garden Project Manager:

Love gardening and giving back to our community? Tasks include: plan the schedule, watering/harvesting, and cleanup; create and manage SignUp Genius; report results to the congregation. The harvest from our garden goes to the LINK pantry providing food to families in need in Loudoun Co. For info, contact Cori [mcsanz95@gmail.com](mailto:mcsanz95@gmail.com).

**Thrivent Members! Direct “Choice Dollars” to our Ministries at CLC!** Go to the Thrivent Website or speak to Pr. Joe & Debra.

**Good Samaritan Team:** Our Team provides help for any needs on Sunday mornings. Do you have first aid, medical, CPR training? Signup on *Connect with Community* insert.

**“Welcoming All, Building Up” Campaign:** Provides funds for a new roof, HVAC update and a Christian Ed Staffperson. “I feel extremely blessed to be able to give to our special appeal. We need to care for our facility, to educate our youth, and continue serving our community. I hope you will join me and make a pledge today.” - Sherry Yates

### SAVE THE DATES:

**Sun., March 24<sup>th</sup> First Communion**

**Sun., March 31<sup>st</sup> Healing Service**

**Faith5:** Isaiah 55:3 – “Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live.”

### Next Sunday’s Readings:

Isaiah 55:1-9

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

Psalms 63:1-8

Luke 13:1-9

## Council Meeting Highlights & Celebrations - March 2019

- Shrove Tuesday Pancake supper raised over \$400 for youth and ELCA World Hunger
- Rave reviews from the visiting VA conference clergy. Our building updates are having an impact and making visitors feel welcome.
- “Great” Ash Wednesday services including public witness “Ashes to go” outside Starbucks and Corner Bakery.
- Congregational Year-in-review 90+ members gathered to enjoy Mission BBQ.
- First steps toward our new roof - Invitation to quote sent to 8 roofing companies.
- Special Appeal continues to grow - \$130K pledged so far.

Weekly Offering/Attendance Report - March 10, 2019			
Attendance:		Offering:	
67	8:15am Worship	\$ 12,532.23	Regular Offering
136	11:00am Worship	\$ 60.00	Benevolence
9	Wed noon Worship	\$ 150.00	Building Use
<b>212</b>		<b>\$12,742.23</b>	<b>Total Income Received</b>
		Special Purpose:	
		\$ 63.08	Pastors' Discretionary
		\$ 158.50	Noisy Offering
		\$ 498.50	Rwanda School Project
		\$ 7,929.50	Build Up Special Appeal
		\$ 3,000.00	Loudoun Veterans
		\$ 1,296.53	Other
Weekly "Simply Giving" (included above)			<b>\$ 12,946.11</b>
			\$3,404.35

**Simply Giving is an easy secure way to automate your offering.** Enroll in 5 minutes by clicking the “Give to CLC” button on the CLC home page, or complete the paper enrollment form found in the Narthex and give to our Treasurer, Jeff Biber. Contact Jeff Biber at [treasurer@communitylutheran.org](mailto:treasurer@communitylutheran.org) or the church for more information.

**Giving Options at CLC:** Here is a Quick Response (QR) Code created for CLC. By scanning this image with a QR reader on your Smartphone, you will be taken to a secure giving website. Just scan the image and you’re free to give our weekly offering! You may also donate using the “Donate Now” button on Community’s website: [communitylutheran.org](http://communitylutheran.org).



## **In Our Prayers This Week**

### **For Healing and Comfort**

+ Barbara Jean Franklin + Ruth Cook + Bob Hughes + Laura Steiger + Lynn Tinman  
+ Doug Richardson

### **Homebound Members**

+ Judy Prisley, Falcon's Ldg + Gloria Driessnack, Falcon's Ldg  
+ Maxine Stambaugh, Sunrise + Henry Nelson, Sunrise  
+ Rosemary Richard, Avalon House + Nancy Wagner, Cascades Village  
+ Dean Lawrence, Home + Bertha Sweger, Atria

### **Those Serving Abroad**

+ The Nation Family

*The Sunday Extra lists the names of CLC Members who wish to be prayed for publicly.  
We are certainly aware of the needs of other Family and Friends beyond our parish, and  
we encourage you to name others aloud or silently when you are invited to do so.*

**If you would like to send cards and well-wishes to those in our prayers,  
please contact the church office.**

## **OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK:**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>(3/17)</b>	8:15 AM	Worship		
		9:30 AM	Christian Education for All Ages		
		11:00 AM	Worship		
		12:00 PM	1 <sup>st</sup> Communion Luncheon (FH)		
		12:15 PM	Folkmusique		
		7:00 PM	Stephen Ministry (Lib)		
<b>Monday</b> <b>Wednesday</b>	<b>(3/18)</b> <b>(3/20)</b>	9:30 AM	CLC Quilters (Rm 11)		
		10:30 AM	Bible Study (Lib)		
		12:00 PM	Noon Eucharist		
		4:30 PM	Dovecotes		
		5:00 PM	Children's Choir		
		5:30 PM	Lenten Meals & Ministry (FH)		
		6:30 PM	Bell Choir		
		7:30 PM	Chancel Choir		
		<b>Thursday</b> <b>Saturday</b>	<b>(3/21)</b> <b>(3/23)</b>	10:00 AM	Day Stitchers (Rm 11)
				7:30 PM	ProArte Chamber Orchestra (Sanc)

<b>Serving Community for the Online Sunday Extra</b>				
	<b>SERVING COMMUNITY THIS WEEK</b>		<b>SERVING COMMUNITY NEXT WEEK</b>	
<b>Date, Time</b>	<b>Mar 17, 2019 8:15 AM</b>	<b>Mar 17, 2019 11 AM</b>	<b>Mar 24, 2019 8:15 AM</b>	<b>Mar 24, 2019 11 AM</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Ethan M.	Matthew Pr.	Marina A.	Matthew Pa.
<b>Crucifer</b>		Charles P.	Peggy De.	Camille R.
<b>Assisting Minister</b>	Peggy De.	Roberta B.	Becca S.	Leigh R.
<b>Communion Servers</b>	Annette E., Brenda K., Jennie K.,	Barbara M., Barbara S., Debra V.,	Cathy W., Maryclare J., Susan D.,	Annette D., David D., Diane Ma.,
<b>Greeters</b>	Gerhard K., Jennie K.		Carol L.	Daphne B.
<b>Lector</b>	Michelle D.	Kristin A.	Steve A.	Audrey H.
<b>Welcome Desk</b>	Kay F.	Bob B., Shirley B.	Carol R.	Raymond R., Geneve R.
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Bonnie J.	Petra B.	Gerhard K.	Kay F.
<b>Counters</b>	Ed R., John N., Linda R., Marsha R.	Bob B., Diane Ma., Lowell J., Roberta B.	Ed R., John N., Linda R., Marsha R.	Bob B., Diane Ma., Lowell J., Roberta B.
<b>Ushers</b>	Adam M., Alex M., Bob E., Linda R.	Cate S., Charlie A., Michael A., Peggy Da.	Linda R., Mike D., Ryann A., Tommy A.	Christina P., Kelton B., Wil B.,
<b>Special Music</b>				
<b>Coffee Pick-up</b>	Joe I., Linda I.		Annette E., Bob E.	
<b>Coffee Fellowship</b>	Peg N.		Myra C.	

If you are unable to serve at your scheduled time, please find a substitute and let Peggy DeWeese at [worshipplanner@communitylutheran.org](mailto:worshipplanner@communitylutheran.org) know of the change. Thank you!