Weekly Announcements
January 17, 2021

A Note from Pastor John

Dear Friends,

Thanks for all your support during this COVID time! We continue to do ministry in different ways despite having 35 members and in this last week, 2 staff who have tested positive for the virus. Our staff are doing well and presently quarantining. God remains faithful! The Holy Spirit keeps pushing us beyond our building and lives are being changed. Our COLOV group continues to connect with folks and the COLOV fund is helping households with food, rent, funeral expenses, repairs, etc. The fund has also been a blessing to ministries such as Sky Ranch, Juarez, and A Woman’s Place. If you, your family, friends, neighbors or co-workers are in need, please contact me to see how we might make a difference.

Please feel free to click on this link to check out the results of our last survey. We are so thankful that it appears that most of our congregation are doing well. Some report that they are growing in their faith and feeling closer to Our Savior’s even more than before COVID. Of the greatest concern to me are the 21 members who feel that they’re slipping in their faith and the one who feels lost. There are also seven who are struggling to pay bills and eight who feel not connected at all to OSLC. I hope you are all being a part of worship. If you’re unable, please be sure that you’re getting our E-blast (email) every Friday. If you know of folks who don’t have email, please let us know so we can mail them the announcements every week. Folks can also join our Bible Study each Sunday on Zoom or by phone. I’m so glad that you are with us on this journey!

In Christ’s Love,
Pastor John

“Of the greatest concern”

Adult Faith Formation

Please join Pastor John & Intern Pastor Brad for the Acts and the letters of Paul Bible Study. We meet at 9:30 a.m. at our normal ZOOM link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87389178902. Folks can call 1-346-248-7799. When instructed, enter the meeting number 87389178902# and when asked for participant number just hit #.

OSLC Evening Book Club

OSLC Evening Book Club will discuss The Death of Mrs. Westaway, a mystery novel by Ruth Ware, on Tuesday, January 19, led by Ruth Francis from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. A maximum of 10 persons can be accommodated under current gathering restrictions, and we'll be masked and distanced while together, as current protocol and mutual concern require. The East entrance will be unlocked briefly for access at 5:45 p.m. Please contact Mary Adams at 356-9281 or maryadel@comcast.net for more information and to ensure a seat awaits you, whether you're a regular or occasional participant or perhaps thinking of joining.

2021 Giving Envelopes are here!!!!

Your 2021 Giving Envelopes are ready to be picked up in the Church Office. We can also mail them to you. If you have any questions, please call the Church Office at 352-4816.

Church Office Closed
January 18
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

They say thanks!

A very belated thank you to you all for the wonderful burritos! We really enjoyed them and so appreciate your kindness and generosity! From all of us at The Lodge have a blessed holiday season!

(COLOV gift to support staff at all the area Senior Care Centers)
Children’s Faith Journey
“CFJ To Go”
If you have not already registered your child for “CFJ to Go” please do so! Go to your email announcement to register. The only way they will receive their activity supplies is if they are registered. **January 17 – 9:30 a.m.**
“CFJ to Go” lessons continue weekly at the same time.
**(THIS IS FOR ALL AGES – birth thru 5th grade)**
1. Tune in live at 9:30 a.m. on ZOOM link which has been sent to you on your email. **OR**
2. Pick a time to watch that fits your families schedule as it will be recorded and put on the church website.
**Questions** - Contact Marlene Stroh, CFJ Coordinator, 371-4194 or mstroh@greeleylutheran.org

Interfaith Clothing Bank
The Interfaith clothing bank has reopened to serve our community. Our clients were very eager and grateful to have the opportunity to shop for clothing. Our Savior’s will be staffing the clothing bank on Feb.1 & 2 and March 1, 2, & 30. Please consider helping with this mission; we need you !!! Shirley Hart 352-0675.

Pub Church ZOOM Link
Pub Church is on ZOOM every Thursday at **5:30 p.m.** with Pastor Brad. Bring your favorite beverage and snack and connect via computer or phone. We will discuss the week's gospel reading, check in with each other, pray and answer any questions. Please invite a friend to join us. ZOOM link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87481768490

Middle School
**January 17 - Confirmation class**
9:30-10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall and ZOOM.
Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84367532810?pwd=TzJFZTVGOHR1NkE3M0JkTU16VU9EUT09
Meeting ID: 843 6753 2810
Passcode: 254980

High School
**January 17 - Youth Group**
5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Rent a Youth
Do you need your sidewalk shoveled or help taking down Christmas decorations? Consider calling one of youth from Our Savior’s to help you. You can “rent a youth” for your specific project by contacting Deacon Korra at 352-4816.

Watch Services Live Streaming
While public worship services are suspended you can watch them live-streaming on the Home Page of the website at 8:15 and 10:40 a.m. You can follow along with the bulletin which is also available on the Home Page. Just go to www.greeleylutheran.org and click on the Live-streaming box.

Donate Now on the Website
A quick and easy way to donate that is safe and secure. Check it out on our website at www.greeleylutheran.org

Racial Injustice Group
Anyone interested in joining a new discussion about how to put into practice some of what we have learned about racial injustice, we will be meeting every other Wednesday starting January 13. We will be reading and discussing the book, *Rediscipling the White Church* by David W. Swanson and this is available as a paperback on Amazon for $13.51 or Kindle for $11.99. All are welcome! More information to come. Questions please call Intern Pastor Brad or email him at bfrye001@luthersem.edu.
Zoom Link: https://luthersem.zoom.us/j/92472862854 - Meeting ID: 924 7286 2854
One tap mobile - +12532158782,,92472862854# US
Worship Attendance
Number of Households Video Views Total: 34,884 Number of Countries: 66

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Watch our service on Comcast and the website
If you can’t make it to church, you can watch our videos on Greeley Comcast Channel 18 at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings and at greeleylutheran.org. Also Live Streams are available Sundays at 8:15 and 10:40 a.m. on the home page of the website.

General Fund Update

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*Gifts to Synod, Preschool, Local & World Missions

To participate as a member of the Our Savior’s Prayer Chain or submit a prayer request to them, contact Mary Adams at 356-9281 or maryadel@comcast.net. To have your prayer request included in the Sunday bulletin and prayers, notify the church office at 352-4816.