

August 20, 2023

Summer Weekly



Help Build A Habitat House

John Osberg

Meet the new homeowner for our next Habitat House: Tracey. She has been working for the City of Marietta for almost 20 years. She was the first woman to join the Sanitation Services Division of Public Works. She worked her way up to a position as Sanitation Foreperson and uses her leadership to inspire others to reach their professional goals and better provide for their families. Tracey has been striving to buy a home of her own that she can fill with love and fun – instead of worries about broken windows and water leaks – but she could not qualify for a mortgage large enough to match the rising costs of housing, and existing homebuyer assistance programs could not help.

Her determination paid off when she was selected to purchase a home through Habitat's partnership with the City of Marietta. She's excited not only to have her own space, but also a kitchen where she can bring others together, as well as space for her 85-year-old mother to live with her.



BUILD DETAILS:

Date: Begins Saturday, Sept. 9

First Project: Exterior Framing
(Build and raise the exterior house walls.)

Location: 617 Frasier Street SE,
Marietta, GA 30060

Contact: [John Osberg](#) or call
(678) 687-3232

Read about the Taste of Habitat fundraiser on page 3

Support Women's Education at the Guatemala Gathering September 16

You can support the MILAGRO Women's Education center and our ongoing partnership with the Lutheran Church in Guatemala by attending the Guatemala Gathering Fundraiser September 16 at LCR. Tickets are \$50.

[Register here.](#)



CALENDAR

AUGUST 23

Men's Group
Wednesdays - 7:30 am
In-Person or via [Zoom](#)

AUGUST 27

Good Fellowship Dinners
Sign-Up Deadline ([details](#))

SEPTEMBER 9

Habitat Build, Marietta

SEPTEMBER 10

Children's Sunday School
Resumes ([register](#))

God's Work, Our Hands
Outreach Event

SEPTEMBER 15

First Deck 20 Gathering
6:00-8:00pm ([register](#))
LCR Deck

SEPTEMBER 16

Guatemala Gathering
5:30-8:00 pm ([register](#))
Gathering Room

SEPTEMBER 18

Women's Book Club
7:00 pm
In-Person or via Zoom

SEPTEMBER 21

Life Line Screenings
([register](#))

SEPTEMBER 22

Taste of Habitat
7:00-9:00 pm
The Metropolitan Club,
Alpharetta



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Why I Serve...

A new series of reflections on why people serve with LCR.

This Week: Suzy Mellot

I serve LCR as a lector and communion assistant. I do this because I love our church very much and know how very many volunteers it takes to have a church service. I like being a lector because I learn the readings before the service and thus they mean more to me. I feel honored to be a communion assistant because of the privilege and importance of communion.

If you are looking for an opportunity that brings you joy, allows you to meet your fellow church attendees, and just overall fills your cup; join Suzy by serving in any of the [many opportunities at LCR](#).

What will be your "Why"?



"God's work. Our hands." Sunday



September 10, 2023

Love Jesus and Kids? Sunday School Needs You!

Consider teaching Sunday school this year for children age 2 years through 5th grade.

If you are interested or have questions, please contact [Sharon Leon](#) as soon as possible so child safety training can be completed prior to the start of Sunday school on September 10th.



COMMUNITY LIFE

Two Opportunities to Connect in Community this Fall



Good Fellowship Dinners

Spend a relaxing evening dining with a small group of other members of LCR and get to know one another better! [Learn more about the format](#). The dinners will take place September - December. [Sign-up here](#).

For additional questions, contact [Nancy Papp](#).



Deck 20 Gatherings

Come enjoy a relaxing evening on the LCR deck with other members and friends of LCR. You are welcome to invite friends. Please bring an appetizer and beer, wine, or another beverage of your choice.

[Sign-up online for Sept 15, Sept 23, Oct 7](#)

Get Involved with the "Taste of Habitat"

Friday, September 22

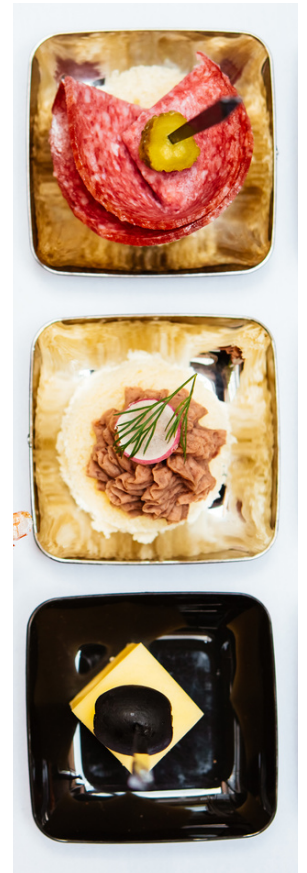
For more than 35 years the Lutheran Coalition for Habitat has helped to address increasing the availability of affordable and safe housing - one of the most urgent needs in the United States today.

Support this great cause by joining us at the 19th Annual Taste of Habitat fundraiser is where more than 60 chef volunteers (this could be you) from 12 North Atlanta Lutheran congregations each prepare 150 "tastes" - appetizer, salad, entrée, or dessert. You can also contribute theatre or concert tickets, gift packages, a special item, or artwork for the silent auction. Or you can be a sponsor or ask your workplace to sponsor the event.

Sponsorships are Bronze (\$250), Silver (\$500), Gold (\$1000) & Platinum (\$2,500).
LCR is challenging us to work together and match (or exceed) our initial gift of \$500.

You can attend the "Taste" by purchasing individual tickets for \$40, then gather with others at The Metropolitan Club in Alpharetta to eat, drink, chat, play trivia, and bid on all the interesting items in the Silent Auction. This year's "Taste" is Friday, September 22, 2023 from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

For more information, contact John Osberg at 678.678.3232 or [email](#).



CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Register Now!

Scan this QR code with your phone
to register kids 2 years old
through 5th grade



This Sunday's Schedule

Traditional Service	8:30 am
Fellowship Hour	9:30—10:45 am
Adult Faith Formation	9:45—10:30 am
Pr. Ruth's Small Catechism Book Study Classroom 8	
New Testament Study w/ Marvin Huggins Conference Room	
Contemporary Service	11:00 am

Pastoral Transition Update

We are close! The Call Committee is checking candidate references. When a decision on one candidate is made, the Call Committee will recommend that candidate to the Council. Council will meet and interview the candidate, then make a recommendation to the congregation on whether to call that candidate. The congregation will meet the candidate and later vote at a specially called Congregation Meeting on extending a call to the candidate and a compensation package.

Photo Directory

We are creating a new Photo Directory for LCR. Submit a picture for your household [via email](#).



Life Line Screening goes beyond regular checkups to look inside your arteries for signs of plaque build-up



All 4 Screenings for \$149

Carotid Artery Disease:

An ultrasound is performed to screen the carotid arteries (a pair of blood vessels in the neck that deliver blood to your brain) for buildup of fatty plaque. This buildup, called atherosclerosis, is one of the leading causes of stroke.

Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD):

An Ankle-Brachial Index (ABI) test is performed using blood pressure cuffs on the arms and legs. It is important to screen for PAD because it increases the risk of coronary artery disease, heart attack, or stroke.¹

Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA):

An ultrasound is performed to screen the abdominal aorta for the presence of an enlargement or aneurysm. AAA can lead to a ruptured aortic artery, which is a life-threatening medical emergency.

Atrial Fibrillation :

A 6-lead electrocardiogram (EKG) is performed by placing sensors on the arms and legs to screen for Atrial Fibrillation. AFib can lead to blood clots, stroke, and heart failure, and other heart-related complications.²

We will be in your neighborhood soon

Thursday, September 21st, 2023

Lutheran Church of the Resurrection

Get your special Community Circle pricing!

Three ways to register and receive the special discount:

Call toll-free: 1-800-679-5191

Online: [LLSA.SOCIAL/HC](https://llsa.social/hc)

Text: the word [circle](https://llsa.social/hc) to 216-279-1607



Getting Screened is Simple!
Painless, non-invasive, keep your clothes on.



¹ <https://www.heart.org/en/health-topics/peripheral-artery-disease/about-peripheral-artery-disease-pad>

No single screening can detect all risk factors for all conditions, such as and including the presence of coronary artery disease.

² <https://www.heart.org/en/health-topics/atrial-fibrillation>

Screening results are provided to you in about 14 days. We direct all participants with abnormal results to take the report to their physician. Appropriate modification of risk factors (including high blood pressure, smoking, heart disease, diabetes and poor diet) is also necessary for cardiovascular disease prevention. Our screenings cannot detect all forms of stroke risk or cardiovascular disease. All tests are for screening purposes only. You should consult with your personal physician regarding your screening results. Price does not include any applicable review fees. Insurance Note: Life Line Screening does not participate in the Medicare program and the cost of our screening services is not covered or reimbursable by Medicare. Life Line Screening does not file insurance claims nor provide referrals to any physician's group or hospital. If you are unable to attend the screening for any reason whatsoever, we will issue a gift card for the full amount to be used by you, or anyone you choose, for future screening services.