

LCR Weekly

April 2, 2023



**8:30 am
Traditional Service**

**11:00 am
Praise Service**

**9:30–10:45 am
Fellowship Hour**

**9:45–10:45 am
Sunday School**

Reminders for this Sunday

Pr. Ruth's Sunday School class resumes.

Last Sunday to bring in your donations to the MUST collection for adult and children's underwear and personal care products!

Last Sunday to bring in filled Easter eggs.



LCR [YouTube Channel](#)

This Sunday is Palm Sunday

Please join us for worship at
8:30 am for traditional worship or
11:00 am for contemporary worship

The services start outside of the Sanctuary.
Please arrive 10 minutes early to each service.

Services are live-streamed on LCR [YouTube Channel](#)



Holy Week

On this Sunday, known as both Palm Sunday and Passion Sunday, we arrive at the last part of our Lenten journey with Jesus as he is welcomed into Jerusalem by those who initially want to make him king but who later demand that he be crucified.

Come at few minutes prior to 8:30 and 11:00 services and join the procession with palms outside the sanctuary as we greet Jesus and hear what happens next.

On Maundy Thursday, we remember that Jesus instituted the sacrament of Holy Communion at a meal with his disciples and commanded them to love others just the way he loved them. Join us at 7:00 pm for a communal meal and stories about God's meals with God's children in the Gathering Room. The service closes with Holy Communion and the stripping of the altar.

On Good Friday, during services at noon and 7:00 pm, we follow Jesus all the way to the cross as we contemplate God's great love that gave us life through the death of Jesus.

Easter

God's family at LCR celebrates Christ's Resurrection with services at 8:30 and 11:00 am that are filled with joy, Good News, and beautiful music. Easter breakfast is served from 7:45-10:45 am. At 10:00 am, children up to sixth grade can hunt for Easter eggs. Feel free to take a family picture around the cross of flowers. Come praise God with family, neighbors, and friends.

-Pastor Ruth

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2023 Christian Response Campaign

Last Sunday was Consecration Sunday. Thank you to everyone who turned in a commitment card. If you haven't had a chance to turn in your commitment card, we would appreciate you doing so. You will help us to plan and budget the next fiscal year and to grow our ministries at LCR. You may mail your card to the church or place them in the officering plate. Thank you for your commitment.



Call Committee Update

The Call Committee met with Pastor Jonathan Hemphill, Assistant to the Bishop for Congregational Life from the Synod's office last week. We are making great progress and our work continues. Please continue to keep us in your prayers.
-Emily Glass Stinson



Nominating Committee

In accordance with the LCR By-Laws and Constitution, the Council has appointed a Nominating Committee for the 2023/2024 Council (3) and Synod Assembly Representatives (2). If you have an interest to participate in a leadership role at LCR or know someone who you feel would be a great leader, please contact one of the following Nominating Committee members: [Betsy Olson](#), [Kriss Nelson](#), [Mark Brosch](#), [Ron Jolly](#), [Sharon Moeller](#), [Tim Nelson](#).



Dear Siblings in Christ,

My heart was overwhelmed by the love you poured out on me last Sunday. I am so grateful and humbled at the beautiful reception and wonderful food. The gifts were so generous and meaningful for me. I will wear the red stole at my ordination and be thinking of the love and support that LCR has wrapped me in to prepare me for my future in ministry. I also want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who gave me cards and gifts. I have been so blessed to have been a part of the LCR community, and I will always remember my time here with love and the fondest of memories. There is something special about a pastor's internship site. They always remember that time and the people that made it special. The same will be true for me. You are all in my heart always. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of your lives for the last year and half. I will continue to keep you all in prayer as you continue your transition journey and beyond. Grace and peace,

-Minister Jamie Witt

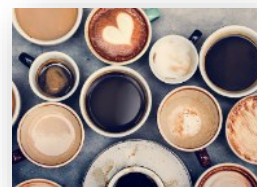
LCR Sign-Ups



Worship Assistants
[Sign-up Link](#)



[Altar Flower Sign-Up](#)



Fellowship Coffee
Hour
[Volunteer Sign-Up](#)



[Send a Prayer Request here](#)

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Outreach



THIS SUNDAY—Last day to bring in Items for our MUST Lenten Collection

MUST Ministries needs essential items. During Lent, we have been collecting the following personal items, please bring donations to the Gathering Room. Please make sure to bring in your donations by this Sunday to the Gathering Room. Thank you!

- ♦ **Underwear (new):** Men, women, and kids - all sizes
- ♦ **Toiletry items (full size):** Shampoo, conditioner, body wash, toothpaste, bar soap, antiperspirant



Collection of Medical Equipment

Do you have medical devices or equipment hiding in the basement or attic? On April 15, 2023, the Rotary Club of Marietta Metro is partnering with FODAC (Friends of Disabled Adults and Children) for the collection of new or gently used medical devices and equipment.

The items which can be donated include: wheelchairs, bath rails, bedside toilets, walkers, scooters, canes, beds, and braces.

Drop off day and location:

April 15, from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm.

First Presbyterian Church parking lot, 189 Church Street, Marietta

For pickup of larger items: Contact FODAC by April 12 at 770-491-9014 or contact Randy Cook at 404-803-2502 before April 15.

Donations are tax-deductible. FODAC is a 501(c)(3) which provides over \$10 million each year in home medical equipment and has a 4-star rating from Charity Navigator.



MUST Lunches

Thanks to everyone for your time and commitment to cook and serve at the MUST Hope House every 3rd Wednesday of the month!

What a great afternoon it was as our awesome LCR crew prepared and served lunch to 75 guests at Must Hope House in March. A big thank you to Dell and Kjell for preparing and cooking the turkey potato and vegetable casserole along with green beans and peaches. Thank you to Dan, Kathi, Karen, Stephen, and Mark for serving!

To get involved, see the link in the right-hand column or email Dana Jelinek at danacbooth@hotmail.com.

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MUST

[donation link](#)

CAC

[donation link](#)

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[donation link](#)

**Meals on Wheels
Volunteer Sign-Up:**
Contact [Ron Jolly](#)

**Brumby E.S.
Volunteer
Opportunities:**
Contact [Stephen Goodnough](#)

**MUST Wednesday
Lunch
Volunteer Sign-Up:**
[Sign-up Genius Link](#)

MUST Celebration
Contact [Kirk Gadebusch](#)

**MUST Food
Collection**
Bring non-perishable food items to the MUST bin year round

Habitat Build
[Contact John Osberg](#)
More info [link](#)
Next dates: 4/15, 4/22, 4/29, 5/6, 5/13, 5/20, 6/3, Dedication: 6/17

Announcements



EASTER SCHEDULE

Easter Breakfast Easter Sunday from 7:45—10:45 am

The Men of LCR invite you and your family to enjoy a full service breakfast; all your favorites will be served to you right at your table from 7:45-10:45 am in the Gathering Room! Make plans to enjoy this time of food and fellowship before or after the worship service you attend. Free-will offering will benefit Good Samaritan Ministry in Stone Mountain. Please note that the Easter Egg Hunt takes place at 10:00 am that morning.

Calling all men of LCR: if you can work a shift to help run the breakfast, please contact [Mark Brosch](#).



Help us Fill Easter Eggs

LCR is hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on Easter morning this year. We'd like your help filling plastic eggs with treats for the egg hunt. Please take a bag of plastic eggs from the basket in the Narthex and fill them with wrapped candy (please no nuts or peanut butter). **Please return filled eggs to the bucket in the Narthex or Gathering Room by this Sunday, April 2.**



Palm Sunday, April 2

8:30 am traditional & 11:00 am contemporary worship services are live-streamed on LCR

[YouTube Channel](#)



Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thursday, April 6

7:00 pm worship service
service starts with a meal in the Gathering Room



Good Friday, April 7

12:00 & 7:00 pm worship services



Holy Saturday, April 8

10:00 am—3 pm Bring flowers to LCR to flower the Easter Cross in front of the Narthex

Easter Sunday, April 9

8:30 am traditional & 11:00 am contemporary worship services live-streamed on LCR [YouTube Channel](#)

7:45-10:45 am Easter Breakfast served in the Gathering Rm.

10:00 am Easter Egg Hunt for 2 yr olds—6th graders

Events

Men's Group

Wednesdays at 7:30 am
In-Person or [Zoom link](#)

Thursday Women's

Study at 8:30 am
via Zoom [Zoom link](#)

Pr. Ruth's Small Catechism Book Study resumes

Sundays 9:45-10:30 am
in Classroom 8

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Begins with a meal in
the Gathering Room

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Noon & 7:00 pm
Worship

Easter Sat., April 8

Flower Easter cross

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8:30 & 11:00 am
Worship
7:45-10:45 am Easter
Breakfast
10:00 am Easter Egg
Hunt

SAVE THE DATE

VBS "Hero Hotline"

July 10-13, 9:00-12:00

We need volunteers!

Contact [Sharon Leon](#).
All adult volunteers will
need to be background
checked before VBS.