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38th Pentecost 8:00 Fellowship Time 8:30 Traditional Worship 9:30 Fellowship, Luther Study 9:40 MS & Youth Fellowship 10:30 Contemporary Worship	49:00 Elem. Day Camp 6:30 Dan Tegtmeier Small Group no Quilters today	59:00 Elem. Day Camp 6:30 Painting Group  LCR DAY CAMP 126:30 LCR Book Group 7:00 P.E.O. Group	69:00 Elem. Day Camp 11:00 Pastors Scripture Study 5:30 Fellowship Time 6:00 Wednesday Worship R-MM Circle resumes 9/3	79:00 Elem. Day Camp 9:30 Sorosis Club 10:00 Walking Group 6:00 Woodcarvers, Knitters/Crocheters Day Camp Family Program	14p Funeral 8no Gatherings 9:00 Day Camp 1:15 Cribbage	2 9
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3112th Pentecost 8:00 Fellowship Time 8:30 Traditional Worship 9:30 Fellowship, Luther Study 9:40 MS & Youth Fellowship 10:30 Contemporary Worship	Sep. 1 - Labor Day ~ office closed ~				< Contemporary Musicians Are you a musician looking to use your gifts to glorify God? Our contemporary worship band is looking for musicians, especially drummers, bassists, and electric guitarists. Please contact Ralph for more information: worship@lcrmarion.org	

Elementary Day Camp

Energetic EWALU camp counselors will be at LCR for a week to lead our kids in bible studies, worship, songs, skits, crafts, and recreation, all around the theme of Romans 10:8.

Car Cruise-in

Great rides will be rumbling in on the 14th. We'll have pizza and pop to purchase. Bring your favorite set of wheels, or just admire the unique vehicles and hear their stories. Invite your friends!

Sunday In the Park

Pack a picnic meal on the 17th and come hang out at Pinicon Ridge Park with church family. We'll be at Flying Squirrel Shelter starting at noon, so you can come and go whenever you want. Can't wait to see you there!

Neighborhood Nights

A free meal, live music, and bounce houses. Join us on the patio on August 23rd. Friends and neighbors are very welcome!

Middle School Movie Night

6th, 7th, and 8th graders can come and watch "National Treasure 2: Book of Secrets." Pizza and popcorn will be provided; please bring some treats to share :-)

Oliver helps
Grandma Ann
deliver produce
to the Marion
Food Pantry

600 lbs so far!!



Worship on the Wapsi - Sunday September 7 at 10:30 AM

LCR will be holding an outdoor worship on Sunday September 7, Rally Day, 10:30 AM at the Wapsi Bluff Shelter at Pinicon Ridge! This will be a spirit filled worship in an incredible setting with a beautiful river view. Invite your friends, and get ready for the beginning of a whole new tradition.

FAQ:

Is it too far away? Nope, it takes 14 minutes from the LCR parking lot to the Wapsi Bluff Shelter.

Will this be weather dependent? Nope, it's fully covered and rain or shine we are there!

Will there be bathrooms? Yep, wonderful modern bathroom facilities right on site.

Is it accessible for folks? Yep, handicap parking and fully ADA accessible.

Can I bring a lunch and stay afterwards? Yep, it's ours for the day.

Will there still be worship at LCR? Yep, 8:30 AM as usual here at LCR. Only 10:30 is outdoors.



A message regarding the Hill Country Floods



Southwestern Texas Synod

Dear People of God in the Southwestern Texas Synod:

God is our refuge and strength; a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1

Many of us have our eyes glued to the news to watch the unfolding devastation of the Hill Country flooding. As I write this, I and others around our synod are under a flash flood warning. This includes several of our synod staff, who are all currently safe.

We are grateful that as of this moment, we know of no congregations, clergy, or members who have suffered loss due to the flooding, but a number of us know people who are missing or connected to those missing, or who are sustaining flood damage.

Our camps are safe at this point; all campers have been evacuated as of last evening, and the camp staff did a marvelous job of keeping everyone calm in the midst of it all.

Our siblings from around the ELCA have been reaching out and sending prayers and money to our synod disaster fund. I have also been in contact with my ecumenical colleagues locally to see how we can be supportive of those who have been more directly impacted.

I ask the following of you: Pray, pray, pray for those who are still lost as well as the families of those who are lost, who have died, or who have experienced loss of home or property. Give financially to our Synod Disaster Fund or nationally to Lutheran Disaster Response. Report any individuals or congregations you know of in our synod who have been affected so that we can follow up with them.

As we have more information, we will share that with you.

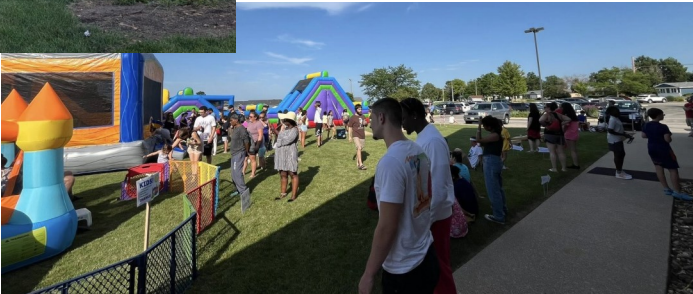
Kyrie eleison - Bishop Sue Briner



We're now serving from the fellowship hall. We couldn't do Neighborhood Nights without all our super-duper volunteers!



Neighborhood Nights gets better all the time! We had a terrific jazz trio in June and Zollo in July. Join us again on August 23rd



Did you know that Lutheran Services of Iowa is an extension of our ministry?



Katie found the Lutheran Services of Iowa HOPES Home Visiting program when she was pregnant and living in a homeless shelter.

With Katie's goals in mind, the LSI home visitor helped her set small, tangible goals to set her up on her path to success. For starters, Katie wanted to maintain a healthy pregnancy and to be able to support her newborn baby. Jaime provided education and training during their weekly sessions. Once she reached this goal, Katie's next step was to find adequate housing for herself and her baby.

Due to her inability to read, Katie's home visitor helped her navigate rental websites, read housing applications and understand lease agreements. This support allowed Katie to find a safe home for her and her baby, with the hopes of regaining custody of her other two children.

After four years of participating in the program and achieving all the goals she and Jaime set for her, Katie was able to accomplish her ultimate goal of maintaining her sobriety and regaining custody of her children. The family now lives together in a safe, happy home.

LSI's HOPES program provides support to parents of children pre-birth through age five. The program focuses on supporting families with infant care, parenting, child development, links to community resources and many other aspects of parenting.