
ELM GROVE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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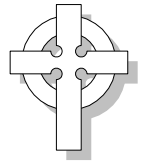
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**Opportunities for Worship and Service at
Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church**

S-	8:00 SERVICE-C (LSB DS 3)		4:30-7:00 Fish Fry	FH	
	9:30 Sunday School/Bible Classes		6:30 LENTEN SERVICE		
	10:45 SERVICE-C (LSB DS 3)		7:30 Exultate Singers		
	6:30 CIA	YC	Th-	9:30 Bread & Fish Folding	FH
M-	10:00 Arts & Crafts	WFH		9:30 Library Circle	FL
	5:30 7 th /8 th Grade Confirmation Class	Rm. 228	F-	6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Class	Rm. 228
	6:30 Bd. of Christian Education	Rm. 270		3:30 Discovery	
	7:00 Women's Night Out	BAAC		6:30 EGLS Family Fun Night	GYM
T-	9:15 Bible Class	BAAC	S-	4:00 Ind. Conf./Absolution	
	11:30 Golden Friends	CLC		5:00 Chinese Fellowship	CLC/GYM
	5:30 Bd. of Trustees			5:30 SERVICE- C (LSB DS 3)	
	6:00 Work Program	Rm. 252	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"><p>Location Symbols: BAAC – Bartelt Adult Activities Center FH – Fellowship Hall CLC – Christian Life Center CL – Church Lounge CN – Church Nave FL – Friendship Library MC – Music Center WFH – West Fellowship Hall YC – Youth Center BR – Bell Room</p></div>		
	7:00 Bd. of Finance	Rm. 252			
	6:15 Intrada Ringers	BR			
W-	8:40 CHAPEL				
	10:00 Quilters/Sewers	WFH			
	10:00 LWML/Women's Bible Study	FL			
	1:00 Sr. Card Players	BAAC			
	4:00 LENTEN SERVICE				

BAPTISM after the late service. Emily Jessica Grelk, born 12/20/2009, daughter of Jonathan & Janine (née Haefele) and granddaughter of Doug & Meg Grelk. Sponsors: Jessica Goryl and Timothy Grelk. *“For all of you who were baptized in Christ have been clothed with Christ.”*

HOSPITALIZED: Judy Hansen & Martha Stark (Franciscan Woods).

IN THE LORD'S HOUSE: Attendance at the worship services last week was 436, and 148 attended the Wednesday Lenten services. *“I rejoiced with those who said to me, ‘Let us go to the house of the LORD.’”*

GROWING IN CHRIST SUNDAY SCHOOL: In Sunday School this week the children learned that, as Jesus healed the ten men with leprosy, Jesus forgives and heals us from the sickness of sin and death (Luke 17:11-19). Discuss with your children how in faith we respond with thankful hearts, praising Him for His love for us. Talk about what it means to be healed of our sin-sickness. How do we thank God for His grace? As a family, consider the words of the Second Article of the Apostles' Creed.

LLL/LHM: “Telling The Next Generation His Story!” Whose story? Jesus Christ, Lord and Savior, of course. This weekend we observe Lutheran Hour Sunday. The materials in your mailbox will enable you, by the Spirit of our God, to be a supporter of this mission. Thank the Lord for this great blessing. If you have questions, please ask our LLL Ambassador, Fred Kurth, who will be hosting the Coffee and Fellowship Hour in the Friendship Library.

GOLDEN FRIENDS: Ron and Bev Wegner are our guests on Mar. 2 and will share a slide presentation on Russia. Flyers are in the mail boxes with the important information.

LWML MEETING: We extend an invitation to all women of our congregation to attend the next meeting of the LWML on Wednesday, Mar. 3, at 10 a.m. in the Bartelt Adult Activities Center. As we study and discuss God's Word, we pray that the Holy Spirit will strengthen our faith. The Bible discussion will be *“Relationships 101: Comfort and Compassion,”* found on page 23 of the winter issue of the *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly*. We will also be discussing the upcoming Zone 3 Spring Rally to be held on Saturday, Apr. 24, at Christ the Life Lutheran Church.

PARISH NURSE----JoAnn Randall will NOT be available on Wednesday, Mar. 3 and Wednesday, Mar. 10. The next blood pressure screening is Sunday, Mar. 14, 2010.

SERVICE LEAGUE: How well do you really know her?? Come Tuesday, Mar. 9, 11:30 a.m., to the Bartelt Adult Activities Center to learn more about your fellow members. Please come prepared to relate a story/incident about yourself. Also, bring a sandwich; dessert & beverages will be served. Questions? Call Bev Wegner (262-781-6897).

THE BREAD & FISH COMMITTEE thanks EGL Girl Scout Troop 2578 (7th Grade) for the 102 boxes of G/S Cookies they donated for delivery to the five food pantries we serve. Thanks also to the people who purchased those cookies for distribution to the food pantries.

FISH FRY UPDATE: Great appreciation is extended to our Ladies Service League for hosting the Wednesday fish fry. We invite you to come to the fish fries and bring your friends. We need one more set of servers for Mar. 10. If you or your group (Scout group, Bible study group, etc.) can assist, please contact the church office. We have all the information that you need in order to succeed. This effort supports the Lutheran Mission in the Dominican Republic.

CALLING ALL LADIES OF EGL: A Girls' Night Out occurs on Monday, Mar. 1, 7 p.m., in the Bartelt Adult Activities Center. Fight off the winter blues and enjoy each other's company. Please bring your own beverages and, if desired, a snack to share. You are encouraged to bring a friend. Questions? Call Lisa McMiller (262-542-3608).

KRINGLE SALES: EGLS 8th Grade students are selling Larsen's Racine Kringle. These are the same delicious Kringles that were sold this past fall. The Kringles are unbaked and frozen but fresh from your oven when you want them. Purchase at the sales table between services this weekend (weekend (2-27/28)). All orders must be received by Monday, Mar. 1. Contact Amy Weymier (aweymier@egl.org or 262-797-2970) with questions. Thank you for your support.

HURRICANE RELIEF TEAM: The people of the Texas gulf coast need our help in rebuilding their homes and lives from Hurricane IKE. We are assembling a team of five from EGL (Bob Gunerman, Jim Huebschen, Dick Kruse, John Schaefer & Ron Wegner) to go down to Orange, Texas the Week of Mar. 7. If you are interested in coming along, please call Ron Wegner (262-781-6897).

EGLS ANNUAL GOLF OUTING, May 14, 2010: Mark your calendars for the annual Elm Grove Lutheran School Golf Outing and Auction. The date is May 14; location, Ironwood Golf Course; 12 noon shot-gun start with dinner to follow. Money raised is for improvements to our school.

TALK RADIO FOR THE THINKING CHRISTIAN— You can listen to teachings on subjects like: Tiger Woods & Buddhism, Race & Abortion, The Irony of the Cross, Christians & Politics, Answering the Objections of Non-Christians and more. Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen to what you want when you want at www.issuesetc.org.

ITALIAN DINNER: This youth fundraising dinner is Sunday, Apr. 18, 2010, 4:45-7:30 p.m. Cost is \$11/person.

MLHS GUILD SHRIMP BUFFET: The annual MLHS Guild Shrimp Buffet occurs in the cafeteria of MLHS on Friday, Mar. 26, 2010, 4:00—6:30 pm. You may purchase tickets (\$15.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children 11 and under) from Bev Wegner, Helen Moll, and Barbara Kurth.

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION OF GREATER MILWAUKEE – UPDATE: The campaign for the Lutheran High School Association ends on Sunday, Feb. 28, 2010. As of February 24, the campaign has been blessed to raise nearly \$5.6 million towards its \$6 million goal. Achieving the goal will enable the Association to receive a \$3 million gift from an anonymous donor. More than 2,300 gifts have been received from alumni, parents and friends of the Association. Thanks to all who have already participated. There is still time for *you* to make a gift or pledge by contacting the Association offices (414-421-9100 EXT 215). On-line gifts can be made using your credit card or through your checking or savings account. To make a gift on-line, go to www.lhsagm.org. Please prayerfully consider making a gift or pledge *today* to the Lutheran High School Association of Greater Milwaukee.

Financial Update February 28, 2010

We are making a difference! PRAISE THE LORD!

1. To date, our accessed line of credit is \$0.
2. Expenses for January were \$7,904 less than budgeted.
3. Our LCEF mortgage of \$100K has a present balance of \$95,112 as a result of our capital campaign giving.

Goals and Gifts

We thank and praise our Lord for His many blessings and pray for faithfulness from each steward for His gifts.

Offerings received thru Feb. 21	\$650,496
Offerings anticipated thru Feb. 21	\$743,619

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone..." [1Timothy 2:1]

PLEASE PRAY FOR and remember these members of Elm Grove Lutheran who are confined to bed or to their homes. They would surely also appreciate a visit from friends. Addresses and telephone numbers are in the church directory.

Connie Hobmeier	Peggy Schomann
Vic Baker	Jane Haut

Also remember those serving in the US Armed Forces:

Tom Erdmann – Stateside
Kevin Zavadil – Hawaii
Joshua Tesch – Iraq

Weekly Worship Services Schedule

Lenten Services —Wednesday, March 3, 4:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.

"The Faithful Word" [Luke 23:43] Pastor Myers, Preacher

Saturday, March 6, 5:30 p.m.-C (LSB DS3), Sunday, March 7, 8:00 a.m.-C (LSB DS3) & 10:45 a.m.-C (LSB DS3)

"Repentance as a Way of Life" (Luke 3:1-9) Pastor Skovgaard, Preacher