

WEEKLY EVENTS FOR FEBRUARY 13TH – 20TH

SUNDAY

Divine Service w/Holy Communion	8:15am
Bible Story Time	9:15am
Sunday School	9:25am
Adult Bible Study	9:30am
Divine Service w/Holy Communion	10:30am
Youth Event – BLC Musical	1:45pm

MONDAY

Pastor's Winkel	9:30am
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TUESDAY

Solid Grounds Bible Study	9:00am
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WEDNESDAY

Adult Choir Rehearsal	6:00pm
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THURSDAY

M.O.M.s Bible Study	8:30am
Family Ski Night (w/ Mt. Olive)	4:00pm

FRIDAY

Men's Breakfast and Bible Study	6:30am
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SATURDAY

Peace Writers' Group	10:00am
ELS/WELS Singles Craft Event	12:00pm

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Divine Service	8:15am
Bible Story Time	9:15am
Sunday School	9:25am
Adult Bible Study	9:30am
Divine Service	10:30am
Open Forum	11:30am

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

2/26-3/5	Picture taking for new directory
3/2	Ash Wednesday
3/18	Preschool Plays, 10am & 2pm
3/22	Preschool Open House

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

A new church pictorial directory will be coming out. Denice will take pictures for us at no charge (however, you may purchase copies of your pictures from Denice). We need everyone to participate to make this a success. Please sign-up at peacemankato.com/photos and select the time that works best for you. You can also call Karen at 385-1386, Monday-Friday 7:30-3:30, to have her sign you up. **Picture dates are Sat. Feb. 26th** – 9am - 6:30pm, **Sun. Feb. 27th** – 9:30am - 2pm, **Wed. Mar. 2nd** – 8am - 5:30pm & 7 - 8pm, **Fri. Mar. 4th** – 8am - 6:30pm, **Sat. Mar. 5th** – 12-7pm.

OPEN FORUM CONCERNING PASTOR HARTWIG'S CALL

This past Tuesday Pastor Hartwig received a divine call to serve as the full-time President of Bethany Lutheran Theological Seminary. Pastor Hartwig is planning to lead an open forum on **February 20th** at 9:30am, to give an opportunity to members to provide advice and counsel concerning this divine call. Please pray for Pastor Hartwig and his family as he deliberates this call.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN SINGING

Sunday School students will sing **Sunday, February 27**, at late service only. They are working on Hymn #16. Questions? Contact Laura Harstad at musik23@hotmail.com.

2022-23 PRESCHOOL YEAR

Preschool information packets for this coming fall classes are now on the preschool table by the offices. Please pick one up if you have a child who will be 3 by September. If you have any questions, please contact Joslyn Moldstad at joslynmoldstad@gmail.com.

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Please save the date for Mount Olive's annual Kindergarten Roundup on **Tuesday, March 1st**, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Join us and meet the teacher, check out the classroom space, and find out more about Mount Olive Lutheran School. Future kindergarten students will be supervised in the classroom while parents meet with Principal Pavelchik. Watch your inbox for more information in the coming weeks.

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Risen Savior Lutheran School's Kindergarten Roundup will be held on **March 3rd**, at 6:00pm.

JESUS' LAMBS AT PEACE PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Our Open House will be held **March 22nd**, from 6-8pm. If you have any questions, please contact Joslyn Moldstad at joslynmoldstad@gmail.com.

OFFERING ENVELOPES – TOSS THE OLD & USE THE NEW!

Please stop and pick up your 2022 offering envelopes, available in the narthex. If you can't find yours, please let Karen know that you would like a box. Please throw out last year's envelopes and make sure to use the ones from this year. Our counters will greatly appreciate it.

YOUTH EVENT - IOLANTHE

All 6-12 grade church youth (along with Mt. Olive youth) are invited to Bethany's winter musical, "Iolanthe," which takes place on **Sunday, February 13th**. Tickets are only \$5! Plan on meeting at 1:45 p.m. in the Ylvisaker Fine Arts Center, room 104. We will then attend the 2:00 p.m. show. Following the musical, we'll reconvene in 104 for devotion and snacks. Parents can pick up students around 4:45 p.m. Please email Benjamin.Faugstad@blc.edu if you plan to attend. Thanks!

FAMILY SKI NIGHT...AT MOUNT KATO

Peace families are invited to join with Mt. Olive Lutheran Church to go skiing on **Thursday, February 17th**, from 4-9pm. Sign-up and waivers and payment can be submitted to Mt. Olive Office. \$10 Lift Tickets, \$10 Rentals, \$4 Helmets, \$4 Lessons for Beginners

ELS/WELS SINGLES EVENT: CRAFT DAY

At Peace Lutheran Church in North Mankato, **Saturday, February 19th**, from noon to 3pm. Bring a craft or art project you'd like to work on and a snack to share. Meet for fun, food, and fellowship with other Lutheran Singles. For more information, please contact Rachel at rmoldstad@gmail.com.

LENTEN SEASON BEGINS

Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, is **March 2nd**. We will start our six weeks of mid-week suppers, served beginning at 5:00pm, and Divine services following at 6:00pm. Group 1 serves on 3/2, Group 2 serves on 3/9, Group 3 serves on 3/16, Group 4 serves on 3/23, Group 5 serves on 3/30, Group 6 serves on 4/6.



Join us on **Saturday, March 5th**, from 2pm-4pm for skating at All Seasons Arena. We've reserved the ice for our church family thanks to a generous donation from a church member. To reserve your spot sign up here: peacemankato.com/skating. The cost is \$2 per person for skate rental. Please pay this directly to Joni Moldstad by Friday, March 4th. Skate Rentals are limited! If you have your own skates the cost is free for members, but please sign up so we can keep track of numbers. Hot Cocoa will be available, free of charge! Contact Joni.Moldstad@blc.edu with any questions.

NEW 2 YOU FAMILY THRIFT STORE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

We NEED volunteers, during the weekdays. Two of the shifts we need covered are Tuesday morning from 9:00 am to 1: p.m., the other is Friday afternoons from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. If you can help, please give us a call.

The first Tuesday of the month will be New 2 You night sorting for volunteers who can't help because of work or other responsibilities during day hours. Our next date is, Tuesday, February 8th from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (I know this is not the 1st Tuesday of February, but I put the wrong date down and we need to stick with this date for February).

If you are interested in helping or need more information call Christine Doering or Jen Selvey at 507-385-1455. You can also shop while you are here.

MVL PORK CHOP DINNER

Come and get it! The MVL Booster Club is putting on their annual pork chop dinner on **Sunday, March 6th**, from 10:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The event will be held at the high school and is open to the public. Free will donations will be accepted. The Winter Band Concert will immediately follow at 1:30p.m. Come out and enjoy a delicious meal and stay for the concert to be entertained by our talented musicians!

SAVE THE DATE FOR JEANS & DREAMS

Get your jeans ready for one of the best nights in Charger Nation!

Join us at Turner Hall in New Ulm on the evening of **Saturday, March 26**, for the MVL Booster Club Auction. Come in your favorite denim for a delicious dinner, spectacular socializing with the MVL family, and an amazing array of items and new experiences for 2022.

The Booster Club supports the "extras" of MVL student life by funding non-budgeted items for ALL of our co-curricular programs. Over 90% of students each year participate in at least one athletic, academic, or fine arts activity!

If you or your business is interested in donating an item or experience to be auctioned off, please contact MVL Booster Club Auction President David Bendix at dcbendix@gmail.com.

MVL BOOSTER CLUB AUCTION



HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

Host families are still needed to house students from our WELS Area Lutheran High Schools for the West Regional Band Festival to be held at Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School the weekend of **March 18 - 20**. If you would be interested in helping, please contact Tim Plath at tplath@mvlhs.org or call 507-354-6851.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

MOMs CHILD CARE POSITIONS

Would you like to earn a little extra cash? Looking for: A few reliable childcare workers to supervise young children while their moms participate in Bible study. When: Thursday mornings from 8:00-10:00am, **February 3rd to April 7th**. Where: Peace Lutheran Church, North Mankato. Responsibilities: Lead Bible story and song time, supervise activities and play time, and feed provided snack. This is a paid position. Must pass a State of MN background check. Contact: Emily Peters emmykf@hotmail.com or [507-381-9659](tel:507-381-9659).

MVL ROUTES WITH PALMER BUS SERVICE

Palmer Bus Service provides safe and reliable transportation for MVL students. We are now hiring school bus drivers for the Mankato MVL route, as well as "activities" drivers for sporting competitions and events. These part-time positions include paid training! Contact Site Manager Ray Vulcan today at rayv@palmerbusservice.com or call 507-995-5387 to learn more about employment opportunities with Palmer Bus Service.

JESUS LOVES ME LEARNING CENTER POSITION OPENINGS

JLMLC in North Mankato is looking for **Infant and Preschool** lead teachers and aides who have a passion for children, patience, a sense of humor and good communication skills. We offer flexible schedules, competitive pay, and opportunities for advancement. Please call or email LaShawn Smith at directorjlm@stpaulsnorthmankato.com or (507) 345-7707 for more information or an application.

BETHANY LUTHERAN COLLEGE is currently taking applications for:

- **Assistant/Associate Professor – Media Arts**
- **Faculty – Clinical Mental Health Counseling (Full-time)**
- **Visual Communication and Social Media Specialist**
- **Production Studio Specialist**
- **Adjunct Faculty – Clinical Mental Health Counseling**
- **Maintenance Technician**

For more information, please visit our website, blc.edu under the 'Bethany Jobs' page.

FACILITY SUPERVISOR

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in North Mankato is looking to hire a facility supervisor who will be in charge of maintaining the facility and keeping its appearance looking good. If you or someone you know has a flexible schedule and the maintenance knowledge necessary to fulfill this job, please refer them to St. Paul's. We would love to add them to our amazing team. Please call or email Staff Minister Nathan Voss for more details. (507) 345-7049 Staffminister@stpaulsnorthmankato.com



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July 10-15 2022

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- For youth ages 11-17
- At Lutheran Island Camp, Henning MN
- Cost: \$360 per camper, peac2022† for 50% off
- Registration: Feb 1st - June 10th (limit of 115)
- Register today at www.islandcamp.org