

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH

March 28 & 29 2020

RISE!

Sermon Notes

Greetings Friends,

Welcome to week 2 of livestreaming worship. Please continue to be patient with us as we learn. This is a work in progress. I am on my way back from Memphis. Thanks to Pastor B for preaching today.

Please check the St. Matthew Facebook page for regular updates from me.

Remember, God is in the middle of all this transforming it and redeeming it.

Grace and Peace,
Pastor Bill Hugo

TODAY!

WORSHIP NOTES: Our thanks to the music team and to other worship assistants for their leadership today. To God be the glory!

REHEARSALS: There will be no Wednesday Children's Choir rehearsal this week, or Thursday Festival Choir. Questions? Call Carol, 763-788-9427.

ST. MATTHEW EASTER BAND is once again being formed to help lead hymns at the 8:00 & 9:30 a.m. services on Easter Sunday, April 12. One rehearsal will be held, Saturday, April 11, 10 a.m. in the balcony. Please speak with Carol Blase soon if you would like to participate so that your parts can be prepared.

Prayers for the Week of March 29

Hilda Ebert has been hospitalized with serious health concerns

Sherry & Jolene O'Donnell's father is in hospice care

Donna Stevens is in the hospital

Prayers for people everywhere in the world as we continue to deal with the COVID-19 virus

GIVING TO THE LORD

Weekly Worship Attendance: 0

March Tithes & Offerings to date: \$25,332

March Budgeted Offerings: \$38,487

Bill Hugo, Pastor † Carol Blase, Coordinator of Music

Brenda Hugo, Coordinator of Children's Ministries † Faustina Allen, Director of Teen Ministries

Kathy Rosenberg and Rose Davis, Parish Nurses † Sarai Kretschman, Pastoral Care Assistant

Julie Allen, Office Manager † Julie Sventek, Director - DCLC - 763-789-4030

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, March 30

4:30 PM DCLC BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, March 31

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY WILL NOT MEET

Thursday, April 2

10:00 AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY WILL BE on ZOOM

Contact Dorothy Brutelag if you would like to join in
dorothybrutelag@gmail.com 763-572-0894

Sunday, April 5

10:45 AM WORSHIP LIVESTREAMED

TAKE HOME DETAILS AVAILABLE IN NARTHEX

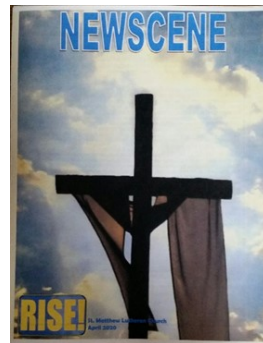
Pick one up today!

FOOD DONATIONS FOR SHERIDAN STORY! Our "42nd Street" cast has set a goal of 1,000 pounds of food to be collected and donated to The Sheridan Story elementary school food program during the time of our rehearsals (now thru April 29th). Can you help? Donations may be left in the office or on the table next to the choir room door. Canned fruits/ vegies/soups with pop-top lids and boxes of pasta are especially easy to donate and use. Thanks in advance for your help!



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER, originally set for today, has been postponed indefinitely. Stay tuned for further information on this support for our community theater.

The **April Newscene** has been placed in your mailbox in the narthex. If you would like a copy mailed to you please contact the church office. The April calendar is enclosed in the Newscene. We've chosen to keep our regular events on the calendar but these may be subject to change as we continue to monitor the developments of the COVID-19 situation. Please watch for emails and other notifications with any potential changes to the calendar.



Safe Giving: As we continue to take precautions to be safe given our current environment, it appears we won't be meeting for awhile. This is a great time to consider giving electronically. Our new GivePlus+ system is even easier than before. You can elect one-time or recurring contributions; and choose from among all the various giving areas including missions, general operating, savings, building and DCLC. Signing up is simple; go to the **Electronic Giving link found on our St Matthew website** for more information or to schedule your contributions today.

