



SHINER
LUTHERAN

WEEKLY CONNECTIONS

Growing together in grace and service

F I F T H
Sunday in Lent



Sunday March 21 — Fifth Sunday in Lent

[In-person worship Sunday March 21 @ 10:15 am](#)

For in-person worship we strongly recommend wearing masks, and using social distancing and hand sanitizer.

Noisy Offering on March 28 will go to youth as funds to attend the 2022 National Youth Gathering.



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In a special called meeting, Church Council decided that at this time we will continue the policy of strongly encouraging the use of masks in our building out of love and concern for others. The current safety measures for communion, sharing the peace, and pew spacing will remain in place. We hope to welcome members and guests back to worship with the widespread use of masks and social distancing, assuring them that we are concerned about everyone in our church family, including those with underlying health issues.



Wed. March 24 focuses on "Open My Life, Lord"

1:30 pm: Brief Lenten Worship

7:15 pm: Evening Lenten Worship



We have ordered a limited number of Easter Lilies that can be dedicated and donated by members. Forms are available in the Gathering Place to complete your information and enclose \$11.00 per plant. Following Easter morning worship, members may take their plants home to enjoy. Thank you!



Sunday March 28—PALM/PASSION Sunday

10:15 am—Procession, Worship with Holy Communion

Thursday April 1—MAUNDY THURSDAY

1:30 pm—Brief Worship with Holy Communion

7:15 pm—Worship with Holy Communion

Footwashing will be offered

Friday April 2—GOOD FRIDAY

1:30 pm—Service of the Cross

8:00 pm—Tenebrae Service of Darkness

Sunday April 4—EASTER SUNDAY

7:30 am—Easter Worship (in sanctuary)

8:45 am—Breakfast Fellowship Hour

9:15 am—Flowering the Cross

9:30 am—Sing outside @ SNRC followed by Egg Hunt

10:15 am—Easter Worship

UPDATES & INFORMATION

- Landscape Cleanup will continue on Saturday March 20 at 9 am. We will again gather leaves and clean up the outside areas, recovering from the freeze and preparing for Easter. Our landscape and outside areas are maintained by volunteers as a service to our congregation. Thanks to all who can help!
- Shiner Lutheran Scholarship applications are due March 24.
- Breakfast Fellowship Hour returns on Easter Sunday. Our Hospitality Team will organize and serve, but we ask for volunteers to bring breakfast casseroles, etc. to share. Sign up in the Gathering Place.
- Devotionals for spring quarter, April through June, are available in the Gathering Place.



*This week we celebrate and remember in prayer these **Baptism Anniversaries**: 3/22 David Fiedler; 3/24 Bill Stindt; 3/25 Carla Berry, Carol Gloor; 3/26 Morris Guettner, Heather Olivarez; 3/27 Gemayel Heindol, Sara Machacek*

*This week we wish **Birthday Blessings** to: 3/21 Pat Dobson, Cade Murrille; 3/24 Judy Stridde; 3/26 Mary Leck, Merrle Richardson; 3/27 Laverne Valis*

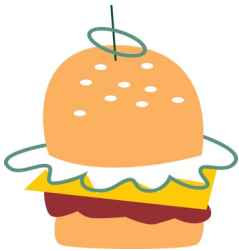


Prayers of concern continue for those who are ill or recovering from surgery or injury including Irene Fiedler, Bill Koenning, Gerri Muccigrosso-Morris, Erika Baker, and for Pastor Lynnae Sorensen who will undergo a bone marrow transplant in a few weeks. Prayers of sympathy are lifted up for the family of Clifton Renken, who passed away March 9, 2020.

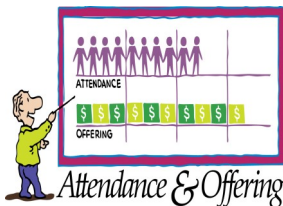
Summer Camp Nail Party Fundraiser for Youth Camping! Orders close at 1 pm on April 1

A percentage of the total sales will be donated to support the youth camping program at Shiner Lutheran Church.
Check out a selection of real nail polish strips. Shop Online:

<https://www.colorstreet.com/HOLLYSCLASSYNAILS/party/2355883>



Hamburger Fundraiser for Youth is Saturday April 17 at the Shiner Volunteer Fire Department Cook-Off and Car Show. Junior High and High School youth will be raising funds to attend the Lutheran National Youth Gathering in 2022. Teena Davis will organize this fundraiser but we need adults and older youth to grill and assemble the hamburgers. Please let Teena know if you are interested in helping our youth for this fundraiser.



In person attendance on 3/7: 90

Online views of 3/7 service for week: 261

Wednesday 3/3 in person: 1:30 pm: 14

7:15 pm: 23

Online: 161

Offering for week ending 3/7: General Fund: \$ 5,764.00 Building Fund: \$ 2,179.00

The above amounts do not include electronic giving.

Weekly budget needs: General Fund: \$ 4,262.31

Building Fund: \$ 2,539.10



IN PERSON: Bring to worship or drop off at church office.

BY MAIL: Send to the church at P.O.Box 26, Shiner.

TEXT: Text an amount to 1-844-697-3838 and use credit or debit card.

ELECTRONIC GIVING: Go to our website www.shinerlutheran.org and click on Connect/Give to get a direct link to our electronic giving platform.