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BLESSING BOX UPDATE

We are low on food for our Blessing Box. Please donate any of these items: Canned meats, canned fruits or vegetables, instant oatmeal or grits, cheese or saltine crackers, individually packed cereal, Pop-Tarts, cereal bars and Ramen noodles. Bring the food to church and leave in the donation carts in the foyer of the Ministry Center. We have numerous families that depend on our food on a daily basis. We thank you for your support of this vital Ministry.

HERE FOR YOU

We don't have to look very far either in the news headlines we read on our computer screens and/or the news reports we hear over our television speakers, to become aware of the drastic toll the ongoing coronavirus pandemic is taking on the mental and emotional health of so many individuals.

Remote learning, social isolation, constant anxiety over health issues, boredom, lack of hope - all of these issues and so many more are valid reasons for people to feel depressed, discouraged, and possibly even in total despair!

Do you need to talk? Please know that, as your pastor, I am easily available to you and I am very willing to listen. And while I may not be a "licensed" therapist, I do have a seminary degree in pastoral care and counseling (my Master's Thesis was in this very arena).

So if you are looking for someone who is open to listening; if you are in need of a spiritual guide to offer a word of hope and promise; and/or if you simply need to "vent" to someone else beyond the circle of your closest friends and family members, please do not hesitate to contact me.

I am here for you. I am available to you. And I can offer a confidential setting for us to talk. Please feel free to call me and we'll make time to talk. Pastor Kim - 843/685-3659.

SMALL GROUPS

You are invited to "join in" and/or "tune in" to the following weekly Lenten studies:

Every **Monday** - Easter Earthquake virtual study - hosted by Pastor Kim (online).

Every **Monday** - Walking in the Wilderness Zoom study - hosted by Pastor Elizabeth (online). Every **Wednesday** - The Apostle's Creed Zoom study - hosted by Pastor Jim (online).

Every **Thursday** - Jesus' Last Words virtual study - hosted by Pastor Kim (online).

Full descriptions of these classes are offered through our February HOF newsletter and on our LUMC website.

LUMC PRESCHOOL

Registration for the 2021-2022 school year has started! All LUMC members receive a 10% discount on tuition! Classes are filling up fast so be sure to sign up! Tours are available by emailing Lindsey at lindsey@lexumcsc.com or calling the office at 803-359-6839 ext. 107.

The Preschool will be selling Wooden Spoon cookie dough from Feb 22nd to March 8th! Each package of cookie dough holds 2.5 lbs. of ready-to-bake pieces for \$16. Flavors include:

chocolate chip, triple chocolate, peanut butter, white chunk macadamia nut, snickerdoodle & oatmeal cranberry white chunk. The orders will be ready for pick up at the church on March 28th. You can order by visiting the fundraiser website: https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/12af01cb-0d96-4b4a-9c84-aec227e6fb18

or by calling the preschool office at (803) 359-6838 ext. 107. Checks are accepted and can be made out to LUMC Preschool. Please help us raise funds for supplies!!!

KIDZWAY (PREK - 3RD)

This week's video is about The Mystery of Easter. Check it out here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUWubi3 Deqs

Saturday, February 27th from 10am-11:30am we will have our KidzWay Playdate on the LUMC Preschool playground.

Our weekly YouTube videos will continue on Sunday mornings; offering a short lesson that is also the lesson we are doing in-person in Children's Church at **9am**. I hope you can join us! We are doing some fun and exciting things!

Breakout (4TH/5TH GRADE)

Friday, February 26th from **3:45-5pm** we will have our Breakout Meet Up at the church, outside, near the preschool playground. Remember to bring back your filled snowman for Arc of the Midlands!

Thank you for your responses to our survey! We will be moving our zoom lessons to **Tuesday** at **6:30pm**. Our next zoom will be on **Tuesday**, **February 23rd at 6:30pm**. Be on the lookout for some mail to help you follow along!

Topic: Breakout Zoom: Psalms Time: Feb 23, 2021 6:30pm

Every week on Tue, until Mar 30, 2021

Feb 23, 2021 6:30pm

Mar 2, 2021 6:30pm Mar 9, 2021 6:30pm

Mar 16, 2021 6:30pm

Mar 23, 2021 6:30pm

Mar 30, 2021 6:30pm

Join Zoom Meeting

https://zoom.us/j/96804588714?pwd=Zjkx M0NyTFBLVkhKbDZJR1UxdEFTZz09

Meeting ID: 968 0458 8714

Passcode: u47pM0

YOUTH GROUP

Youth group will meet every Sunday afternoon from **4:30-6pm** outside by the playground. Bring a tailgate chair, your mask, and your bible! Weather-permitting, we will be at the Red Bank baseball fields **today**, February 21st.

THANK YOU!

The Wesleyan Disciples Sunday School Class would like to thank everyone who supported our Ray Hipp Soup, Chowder and Chili fundraiser. We raised \$1,545. We donated our left over soup to a local shelter. We will use our funds to help Snack Sack and other Church sponsored charities.