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A Nursery is available for children ages 4 and under during Sunday School and the 11:00am services.



### **WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER!**

Join us on Wednesday, **Oct. 15** at 5:00pm in Asbury Hall for supper! This week's meal (10/15) will be Loaded Potato Soup, Salad Bar, & Drink. Your hosts are Matt & Becky Goudelock! Volunteers are appreciated! Meals are \$6/person. We hope to see everyone there!!

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE FOR OCT. 19

Next Sunday, Oct. 19 we will have our regular 8:30am traditional service in the sanctuary; coffee time & Sunday School at their regular times; but we will have 1 blended 11:00am service in the sanctuary. This is to accommodate the Children's Sabbath Day. Please support our Children's Ministry!

#### **CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**

The Cancer Support Group (CSG) is ready to provide support to cancer patients, family, and friends. If you want further information about the Cancer Support Group, or to submit a Support Request, please visit our website at <a href="https://lexumcsc.com/csr">https://lexumcsc.com/csr</a>. The CSG members are Sandy Knight, Maureen Reese, Pat O'Cain, Andrew Banco, and Shirley Ford. Many thanks to Todd Handell and David Marshall for their assistance in building our website and form. You may also contact Sandy Knight at 703-901-4664 or at <a href="mailto:sfknight58@hotmail.com">sfknight58@hotmail.com</a>.

## TRUNK OR TREAT SUNDAY, OCT. 26; 5-7PM

We are now accepting candy donations and teal pumpkin items! There is an orange bin under the Missions Bulletin Board in the main hallway, where you can place your donations! We're also planning on hot dogs, snow cones, and more! Please plan to attend! We are also in need of trunks! If you'd like to sign up to host a trunk, please use the QR code below.



## **SUPPORT GROUP**

God's Amazing Love Sustains widow's support group will meet for lunch on Tuesday, Oct. 14 (a week earlier than the usual time) at La Fagotta near the dam at 11:30am. Contact Linda Gladden to make your reservation-803-920-0114.

## **LUMC LEGACY FUND**

In honor of our 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we started a legacy fund to help the future of our church. The legacy of the church is the people! Please consider giving a gift to this fund that is over and above your normal giving. So far, we have raised \$101,450!!!!

# BLESSING BOX DONATIONS NEEDED

Thanks to everyone who has volunteered to assist in filling the blessing box; we now have a full list of volunteers. Please continue to donate as you can to the blessing box. We really are in need of things like oatmeal packs, canned vegetables, canned fruit, and canned meat. Dry dog/cat food is also needed.

### CHARGE CONFERENCE SUNDAY, OCT. 26 @ 4:00PM

LUMC's Charge Conference will take place in the Sanctuary on Sunday, Oct. 26 at 4:00pm. All Church Council members are encouraged to attend. All members of the congregation are invited to attend but without vote. Pastor Mack will be leading the meeting.

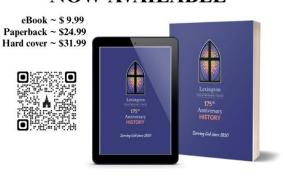
# CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Attention, LUMC children and parents! Rehearsals for the upcoming Christmas Pageant have begun! There are still roles to fill including parts for shepherds, angels, and wisepeople. The performance is scheduled for **Sunday**, **December 14**<sup>th</sup> with weekly rehearsals held during Sunday School time in the sanctuary (10:00-10:45). The pageant has traditionally been one of the most memorable and fun experiences of the year and we hope you will consider joining us! For more information, please contact Lessie Polk (803-730-7498) or Laura Henrickson (Laura@lexumcsc.com).

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### **ANGEL TREE MINISTRY**

Planning for the Angel Tree Ministry is underway. This ministry provides Christmas presents to children whose parents are incarcerated. Please join us for the Kick Off Meeting on Wednesday, October 22nd, at 4:15pm. We are looking for assistance to call families later in October & early November, as well as, deliver presents the week before Christmas. Some of you helped make calls or deliveries in the past. If you want more information on this wonderful ministry, please contact Sandy Knight (703-901-4664).

