

# Calendar of Events

**Sunday, March 11**  
 8:00/9:15/10:45am Worship (10:45 baptisms)  
 8:30am Library Open  
 9:15am LIJ Kids/Youth/Adult Discipleship Classes  
 12:15pm Home Group Introduction Class  
 6:00pm High School Youth Night

**Monday, March 12**  
 9:00am Peace Scrappers Quilt Ministry

**Tuesday, March 13**  
 7:00am Men's Study at Maxim's  
 7:45am BLC Walks (church indoor course)  
 9:00am Bible Study  
 6:00pm All Pro Dad  
 6:30pm Stephen Ministry  
 6:30pm Creation Science Society of Milwaukee  
 7:00pm Handbells Rehearsal

**Wednesday, March 14**  
 7:15am Men's Study at Maxim's  
 9:00am Library Open  
 9:15am Mom's Connection  
 11:30am Lenten Meal  
 12:30pm Worship

12:30pm Women's Study at Dorothy Kunzler  
 12:30pm Bible Study  
 2:30pm Living Stones Prayer Ministry  
 5:15pm Lenten Meal  
 6:30pm Worship  
 7:30pm Choir Rehearsal  
 8:00pm AA Meeting in the Activity Center

**Thursday, March 15**  
 7:45am BLC Walks (church indoor course)  
 9:00am Spice Girls Bible Study  
 9:30am ESL Classes and Childcare  
 2:00pm Pause (High School after school)

**Friday, March 16**  
 8:30am Bulletin Collating

**Saturday, March 17**  
 7:00am Men's Study, 33: The Series  
 9:00am LWML Heart to Heart Sisters

**Sunday, March 18**  
 8:00/9:15/10:45am Worship/Communion  
 8:30am Library Open  
 9:15am LIJ Kids/Youth/Adult Discipleship Classes  
 12:15pm Home Group Introduction Class

**January 2017 FINANCIAL RESULTS:** Below are the results for the seventh month of Fiscal Year 2018, which began July 1, 2017. The first column shows the closing month result, and the Year-to-Date (YTD) columns track actual and budgeted results throughout the course of the fiscal year. If you have questions, please contact Executive Director Mark Jaeger at [mjaeger@gobl.org](mailto:mjaeger@gobl.org) or 262-783-4270 x111.

	<b>ACTUAL (January)</b>	<b>ACTUAL (YTD)</b>	<b>BUDGET (YTD)</b>
<b>INCOME:</b>	\$134,397.23	\$1,030,305.11	\$959,992.00
<b>EXPENSES:</b>	<u>\$128,931.36</u>	<u>\$ 890,307.03</u>	<u>\$936,831.50</u>
<b>Net Income (Loss):</b>	\$ 5,465.87	\$ 139,998.08	\$ 23,160.50

## Weekday Discipleship Studies

**Sermon Series** | Tuesdays, 9-10:00 a.m. | LL 6  
**Men's Study** | Every other Tuesday, 7:00 a.m. | Maxim's on Capitol  
**Women's Study** | Tuesdays, 9-11:00 a.m. | LL 10  
**Sermon Series (Men)** | Wednesdays, 7:15 a.m. | Maxim's on Capitol  
**Women's Study: Philippians** | Wednesdays, 12:30-2:00 p.m. | Dorothy Kunzler's Home  
**Bible Study** | Wednesdays, 12:30-2:30 p.m. | LL 15  
**Spice Girls Study** | Thursdays, 9-11:00 a.m. | LL 15

For information on Weekday Discipleship Studies or Home Group opportunities, please contact Duane Tweeten at [dtweeten@gobl.org](mailto:dtweeten@gobl.org)

# Announcements

March 11, 2018

## EASTER PLANTS FOR SALE | Order Deadline: Sunday, March 18

Help decorate our worship areas for Easter, then take your plants home. Place your order for Lilies (\$10), Azaleas (\$25) and Hydrangeas (\$18) by March 18. The sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board outside the church office. Please make your check payable to *Brookfield Lutheran Church* and place it in Amanda Smith's mailbox.

## EASTER BAKERY DONATIONS | Easter Sunday, April 1

Brookfield Lutheran Church is a community of believers with the reputation of being the "friendly church" because we welcome people of all ages, races and backgrounds. On Easter Sunday we encourage worshipers to connect with one another between services. We're asking for donations of baked goods to be shared during that time. We're also looking for volunteers to help serve baked goods between services that day. Register at [brookfieldlutheran.org](http://brookfieldlutheran.org).

## BLC Missions Fundraiser | Coffee Flower Sales | TODAY thru March 25

Perk up and beautify your landscape while supporting this summer's three teams of missionaries going to Houston, Mexico and Guatemala! *Collectivo Coffee* and *Garden Flower Sales* are going on now thru March 25. Stop at the sales table between services or visit [brookfieldlutheran.org](http://brookfieldlutheran.org) for information. Or if you prefer, you can contact Lisa Janzen at [ljanzenhome@gmail.com](mailto:ljanzenhome@gmail.com) or Miller Janzen at [9janzen@arrowheadschoools.org](mailto:9janzen@arrowheadschoools.org) for details.

## Upward Baseball Registration | Closes April 6

Sign up your kids or grandkids grades 1-4 or the 2018 Upwards baseball season. The league runs May 3 through the end of June. Practices are held on Thursday afternoons/evenings with games played on Thursdays and Saturdays. The cost is \$95 per player which includes a reversible jersey and player kit. Register at [brookfieldlutheran.org](http://brookfieldlutheran.org). Contact Dave Heinkel at [soar@gobl.org](mailto:soar@gobl.org) with questions.

## Upward Baseball Volunteers Needed | Connect with kids in the community

Volunteers are needed for Upward Baseball this spring. There are a variety of roles with varying levels of time commitment. Be part of connecting with the kids in our community and sharing Jesus with them through sports! Contact Bob Heinkel at [bkheinkel@msn.com](mailto:bkheinkel@msn.com) or Duane Tweeten at [dtweeten@gobl.org](mailto:dtweeten@gobl.org) for more information.

Find news and registration information online at [www.brookfieldlutheran.org](http://www.brookfieldlutheran.org)

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## OPEN HOUSE at Trinity Lutheran School–Freistadt | Friday, March 16, 5:30–8:30 p.m.

Bring the family to learn about Trinity's quality Christ-centered education. Visit the Early Childhood Center, tour the grade school and talk with teachers and staff. Enrollment is now open for the 2018-19 school year. Call 262-242-2045 or visit [trinityfreistadt.com](http://trinityfreistadt.com) for more information.

## "I Can Only Imagine" Movie Day | Tuesday, March 24, 10 a.m.

Join us for a private showing of *I Can Only Imagine*, the story behind the popular song by MercyMe, at the Marcus Majestic Theater. Tickets are just \$5 per person. Register at [brookfieldlutheran.org](http://brookfieldlutheran.org).

## Thrivent Financial "Choice" Dollars | Deadline: Saturday, March 31

Each year qualifying members of Thrivent Financial are asked to direct their "Choice" dollars to a qualifying organization, church or school. Dollars directed to Brookfield Lutheran Church will be used to help fund the Feed My Starving Children Meal Packing Event in September. To direct your dollars, call Thrivent at 800-847-4836. When prompted, say "Thrivent Choice."

## 55+ Murder Mystery Dinner | Saturday, April 21

It's reunion time at Norman Bates Memorial High. Returning graduates will include a Miss America finalist, a member of British royalty, TV's top talk-show host and America's foremost Elvis impersonator. Old rivalries and new adult conflicts add up to murder. Come join the fun! Registration begins next week.

## 55+ Spring Retreat at Cedar Valley, West Bend | Wednesday, May 9

This year's theme is "From One Generation to the Next." CUW President Dr. Patrick Ferry will help us reflect on how God keeps His promises from one generation to the next. Dr. Louis Mueller, also of CUW, will show us ways to keep living and moving in Him. Registration is \$60 for the day and includes a light breakfast and hearty lunch. There is an optional Tuesday evening (May 8) dinner and fellowship followed by a presentation with author Rochelle Pennington about *The Endurance*, a 1914 trans-Atlantic adventure. Please visit [swd.lcms.org](http://swd.lcms.org) or call Peg at the District office 414-292-0744 for information and registration.

# Announcements

## Life in Jesus Testimonies and Celebrations | April 22–29

Students in grades 6, 8, 10 and 12 are asked to share their testimonies of faith as they transition from one area of study to another.

- 6th grade: Sunday, April 22, 9:15 a.m.
- 8th grade: Saturday, April 28, 7 p.m.
- 10th and 12th grade: Sunday, April 22, 6 p.m.

Celebration Sunday will be Sunday, April 29, with receptions following each service. Additional information is available at the Testimony and Celebration preparation class on Sunday, March 25, 9:15 a.m.

## Vacation Bible School (VBS) | June 25–29 | Registration Opens April 1

This year's VBS experience is "Shipwrecked." More information coming soon!

## VBS Volunteers Needed | June 25-29

Vacation Bible School planning has begun! We are thankful to the 33 station leaders and team leaders who have made the commitment for 2018. We have some positions we still need to fill and would love your help. Our training is scheduled to begin this month, so we'd like to have commitments for these positions soon. Please call VBS Director (in training) Katie Gritzmacher at 414-429-9483 or Mary Stafford-Nunez at 262-783-4270 for more information or to volunteer.

- **Communications:** Set up registrations, internal communication, confirmation packet, daily emails, newsletter, announcements, etc.
- **Technical Assistant:** Lead a tech booth crew of students in one of many spaces.
- **Preschool Classroom Leader:** Lead a room of 3-year-olds or 4/5-year-olds through activities and stories. Crew leaders will work directly with the kids on each activity.
- **Decorating:** Are you the creative type? Do you like to create sets? No experience needed. All instruction and supplies identified. This person would also work with the VBS network of churches to coordinate sharing of decorating resources.

## LIFE in JESUS - Kids & Youth | Sundays 9:15-10:30 a.m.

### LIFE in JESUS KIDS

Preschool | UL 109 - Kindergarten | UL 117  
Grades 1 - 4 | UL 105 to begin each Sunday

\*For news and updates, text one of the codes below to 81010

Grades 1-4: @LIJKIDS      Grades 9-10: @LIJCROSS  
Grades 5-6: @LIJWORD      Grades 11-12: @LIJMISSION  
Grades 7-8: @LIJSERVICE

### LIFE in JESUS YOUTH

Grades 5&6 | Life in the Word | LL 10  
Grades 7&8 | Life in Service | LL 06  
Grades 9&10 | Life in the Cross | AC (upper level)  
Grades 11&12 | Life in Mission | AC (lower level)

### LIFE in JESUS ADULTS

Crossways in LL 02/04 and Gospel of Luke in the Fellowship Hall

#### Faith Legacy in LL 15

- Parents of age 4: Mar. 11
- Parents of age 2: Apr. 15 & 22
- Parents of infants: Apr. 29
- Parents & High Schoolers: Fri., Mar. 2
- Parents & Grades 5-6: Fri., May 18

For information on Life in Jesus opportunities, contact Mary Stafford-Nunez at [mstafford@gobl.org](mailto:mstafford@gobl.org)

AC=Activity Center | LL=Lower Level Education Wing | UL=Upper Level Education Wing

