



Bazaar & Bake Sale

CLLC 23rd Annual Bazaar and Bake Sale

December 7th, 9am– 3pm

Plan on attending and bring a friend!!

BAKE SALE!! BAKE, BAKE, BAKE! We have a terrific bake sale every year thanks to our many excellent bakers!! Drop off your items by 1pm on Friday, December 6th, stay to help package! We need *packagers!*

Lefse Making: Join the Youth on Sunday, December 1 @ 5 pm in the kitchen. All ages are welcome to join us, making Lefse to sell at the Bazaar!

Volunteers are needed in the kitchen! There are needs for 2 people from 10am-1pm & for 4 people from 1pm-4pm. (*We all know, all the fun happens in the kitchen ☺*)

Set Up and Clean Up! A couple more people could be used on Thurs. Dec. 5 at 9:00am for prepping church and also a few for cleanup at 3:30pm on Dec. 7.

Raffle Tickets. We have awesome prizes for the raffle. A beautiful handmade quilt, gas, grocery and Menards gift cards, MN Wild tickets, Kid's mystery box, Wine gift basket, and a one-night stay at the Rand Tower Hotel in Minneapolis! *Get your tickets after church, in the office or at the Bazaar!* If you are able to sit at the Bazaar and sell raffle tickets for a while, please sign up!

Ways to sign up: *Signup sheets* in the church entry and office, call the office, sign up *online* on the website and through the weekly email! Thank you!!

DECORATING!! The greens and trees will be put up in the sanctuary on **Sat, Dec 7, at 1pm**. Check out the Bazaar and then come up to the sanctuary for decorating! We are always looking for a few more hands to help out (especially ladder climbers!).

SANKTA LUCIA! The tradition of Sankta Lucia is celebrated in Sweden and by Scandinavian families around the world. Chisago Lake Lutheran has a long tradition of hosting a community Sankta Lucia Pageant. **Rehearsals are Sundays at 2:00pm** here at CLLC in the Fellowship Hall. The pageant is on **Saturday, December 14th at 9:00am**. Looking for volunteers and children that would like to participate in this year's festival! Call Chris Ruser if you would like to participate or help out, 651-755-9251.

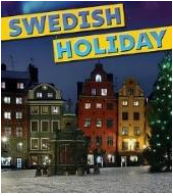
CLLC/ Family Pathways - Christmas Dinner Collection!!

We will continue taking *pickle and olive donations until Dec 9* for Christmas meals. Our *commitment is 125 cans/jars* and so far we have around 75 collected! *Donations may be placed in the bin in the church entryway.*



POINSETTIAS! You may purchase a poinsettia in memory of or in honor of loved ones to decorate the sanctuary. There are envelopes available in the entrance or you may give through the website under *GIVE* (please specify your donation to poinsettias). Envelopes may be placed in the offering plate or dropped off at the office. The cost is \$12.00 for each.

Unexpected Company Chorale Winter Concert - "Swedish Holiday"



Join us for our Winter Concert 2024 for which we have selected music that ties to the Swedish heritage of our Lakes Area. *Friday, Dec 6th @ 7:30PM* at Faith Lutheran Church, Forest Lake and *Sunday, December 8th @ 3:00PM* at Chisago Lake Lutheran Church. The concert will include sections of classics, carols, and traditional songs that have Swedish origins or ties to Swedish traditions. And, join us for the reception following the concert to mingle with the friends and members of the Unexpected Company Chorale. Tickets available at the door or online @ ucchorale.org. All tickets \$15.



ANONYMOUS SANTA COLLECTION! We provide a dignified, private shopping experience where local parents can shop for things for their children. Only new, non-violent toys and gifts are distributed along with mittens and hats, books & videos, board games, balls, and stocking-stuffers. Children from ages newborn to 18 (and in high school) are eligible for this program. Other suggested items are: ~Fishing equipment (summer and winter), ~Beauty supplies: makeup kits, hair straighteners, spa kits, curling irons, tool sets, sleds, STEM kits, Bluetooth speakers. Items may be dropped off in the entryway of the church in the designated box by December 16.

ADDITIONAL NEEDS: If you, your family or a group are looking for ways to volunteer, Anonymous Santa of Chisago County is looking for volunteers!! *Contact Charee at chareelynn@hotmail.com or call/text 651-238-6453.* There are multiple areas where help is needed including loading, unloading, setting up, cleaning up, as well as assisting during the distribution days on December 19 and 20.

Joy Baskets - The confirmation youth are collecting donations for our homebound friends! Donations can be left in the collection bin in the Narthex through Dec. 4th.

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| -Small Gift bags | -Colorful tissue paper | -Granola bars |
| -Packets of hot chocolate | -Packets of apple cider | -Packets of oatmeal |
| -Sugar-free candy | -Candy canes | -Small bottles of lotion |
| -Hankies or small packages of Kleenex | | -Small gift items like ornaments |

"The Littlest Angel Shop" Donations are needed!! What is the "Littlest Angel Shop"? It is a store set up here at church which is filled with donated gift items to assist the Sunday school children with their holiday shopping. All items cost 25 cents each – no matter what the item is! **We are looking for donations of new or gently used gift items from you, the Congregation. Any type of gift item for babies through adults – boys and girls - men and women are needed. Please drop these off in the designated narthex collection bin by Dec 12th.**



MEALS ON WHEELS is in need of a few volunteers for meal delivery. It would be once a month and takes approx. 90 minutes. Contact Jan Nesseth at 651.257.1878