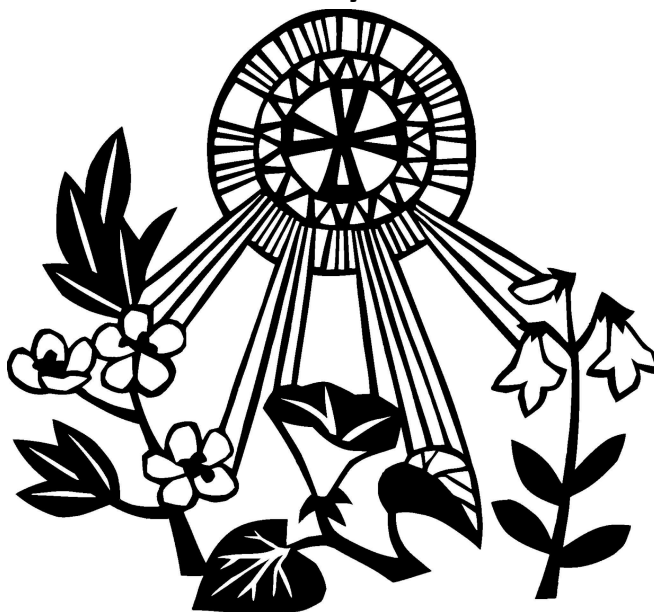


KING OF GLORY LUTHERAN CHURCH

May 10, 2026

Sixth Sunday of Easter

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PRELUDE

Chiming of the Hours - Bell Choir

Welcome/Bonjour Bienvenue

Welcome Info

-Remind online congregation members to gather items for worship

- candle, -celebratory (communion) food (cracker, bread, juice, water, whatever you have) - bulletin from our website: koglutheran.org

-Let us know you worshipped with us! Leave a comment on our social media, or email our church office at kglory@koglutheran.org

Please find the Red folder in your pews, write your name and pass it down the row. If you are a visitor please indicate that on the form and for those who would like more information please let us know on the form.

Scan the QR code to fill out our virtual Visitor Form, join our mailing list, or update your contact information.



Land Acknowledgement

(ACLU of Northern California)

Our congregation honors those people who cared for this land way before this church was built. We honor those tribes who call this land their ancestral homelands: Shoshone-Bannock, Cayuse, Umatilla, Walla Walla and the Northern Paiute tribes. We recognize and honor all the indigenous peoples who have and continue to call this land their home.

GATHERING**Confession & Forgiveness:**

We are humans, sinful when left to our own devices, but beloved children of God. We pause for reflection so that we can confront all the ways in which we fail to love God and our neighbor.

Together we confess in the presence of God and one another:

Jesus, you taught us to love God and love our neighbors. We start our days with great intentions and then we stumble. We judge others. We resent those who don't agree with us. We covet what others have. Forgive us, we pray. Make us new. Help us to be the people you want us to be. AMEN

The gift of forgiveness is given to us all by our loving God.

Thanks be to God, Amen.

Gathering Hymn ELW 396 Spirit of Gentleness

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Refrain



Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness



call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,



stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.



- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.



then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;



and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing;
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.

Refrain



"A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings."
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.
With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

Pastoral Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Hymn of Praise

Now the Feast



Refrain

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,
all of cre - a - tion sings for joy
to the God of life and love and
free - dom: praise and glo - ry for ev -
er - more!

Verse 1

1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once
slain, whose blood has freed and u -
nit-ed us to be one great peo - ple of
God. *to Refrain*

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Verse 2

2. Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and
might, all hon - or and glo - ry to Christ
for ev - er. *to Refrain*

Verse 3

3. For God has come to dwell with us, to
make us peo - ple of God; to make
all things new. *to Refrain*

Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord Be with You

C: And also with You

L: Together Let us Pray:

Loving God, you don't leave us on our own—you come close, again and again, through your Spirit, your presence, your love. When we feel uncertain or alone, remind us that you are still with us, guiding, comforting, and calling us forward. Shape our lives by your love, so that what we say and what we do reflect your grace in the world.

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

WORD**Acts 17:16-31 (NRSVUE)**

¹⁶ While Paul was waiting for them in Athens, he was deeply distressed to see that the city was full of idols. ¹⁷ So he argued in the synagogue with the Jews and the devout persons and also in the marketplace every day with those who happened to be there. ¹⁸ Also some Epicurean and Stoic philosophers debated with him. Some said, “What does this pretentious babbler want to say?” Others said, “He seems to be a proclaimer of foreign divinities.” (This was because he was telling the good news about Jesus and the resurrection.) ¹⁹ So they took him and brought him to the Areopagus and asked him, “May we know what this new teaching is that you are presenting? ²⁰ It sounds rather strange to us, so we would like to know what it means.” ²¹ Now all the Athenians and the foreigners living there would spend their time in nothing but telling or hearing something new. ²² Then Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, “Athenians, I see how extremely spiritual you are in every way. ²³ For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, ‘To an unknown god.’ What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. ²⁴ The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, ²⁵ nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. ²⁶ From one ancestor he made all peoples to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, ²⁷ so that they would search for God and perhaps fumble about for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. ²⁸ For ‘In him we live and move and have our being’; as even some of your own poets have said, ‘For we, too, are his offspring.’ ²⁹ “Since we are God’s offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. ³⁰ While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, ³¹ because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.”

L: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God

Psalm 66:8-20

Refrain:



Bless our God, you peo - ples; let the sound of praise be heard.

Psalm tone:



Bless our | God, you peoples;
let the sound of | praise be heard.

**Our God has kept us a- | mong the living
and has not allowed our feet to slip. R**

For you, O God, have | tested us;
you have tried us just as sil- | ver is tried.

**You brought us in- | t o the net;
you laid heavy burdens up- | on our backs.**

You let people ride over our heads; we went through | fire and water,
but you brought us out into a place | of refreshment.

**I will enter your house | with burnt offerings
and will pay | you my vows-**

those that I promised | with my lips
and spoke with my mouth when I | was i n trouble.

**I will offer you burnt offerings of fatlings with the | smoke of rams;
I will give you ox- | en and goats. R**

Come and listen, all you | who believe,
and I will tell you what God has | done for me.

**I called out to God | with my mouth,
and praised the Lord | with my tongue.**

If I had cherished evil in my heart,
the Lord would | not have heard me;

**but in truth | God has heard me
and has attended to the sound | of my prayer.**

Blessed be God, who has not reject- | ed m y prayer,
nor withheld unfailing | love from me. R

1 Peter 3:13-22 (NRSVUE)

¹³ Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? ¹⁴ But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, ¹⁵ but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you, ¹⁶ yet do it with gentleness and respect. Maintain a good conscience so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. ¹⁷ For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil. ¹⁸ For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit, ¹⁹ in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, ²⁰ who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight lives, were saved through water. ²¹ And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you—not as a removal of dirt from the body but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, ²² who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

L: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation**Alleluia, Now the Feast**

Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we

go? You have the words of e - ter - nal

life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Optional Repeat

Gospel: John 14:15-21 (NRSVUE)

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

¹⁸ “I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. ¹⁹ In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. ²¹ They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.”

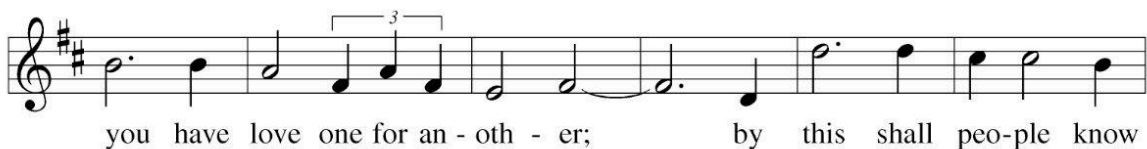
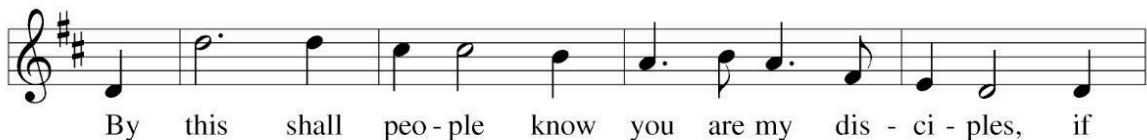
L: This is the Holy Gospel

C: Alleluia! Praise be to God! Alleluia!

Kids Message

Sermon

Hymn of the Day A New Commandment WOV 664



Affirmation of Faith*Brandon A Cox*

**We believe in one God, the Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
Source of all life and all love.
We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son,
Fully God, fully human,
Savior of the world,
The risen King of kings.
We believe in the Holy Spirit,
The very breath and power of God,
Sustainer of our life in Christ.
We believe in the church, Christ's body,
God's family for the spiritually homeless,
Called to be Love and Light,
To show mercy and pursue justice,
To proclaim the Good News of Christ,
To work for the common good of humanity.
Amen.**

Prayers of Intercession

In this season of renewal, gracious God, we come before you to lay at your cross the burdens of our everyday lives, and those that are on our hearts. We bring the cares and concerns to ask for your help.

(A brief silence.)

God who abides with us, you call your church to live in love. Shape us into communities that reflect your compassion, where all people are welcomed and valued. Guide us in living out your commandments with grace. Fill us with the breath of peace,
Guide us to the fountain.

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God of peace, your presence is needed in places of conflict, fear, and division. Be with our leaders, and those leaders around the world, to find a way to peace and to repair the damage done by violence, injustice and displacement. Inspire all who hear your voice to seek understanding and work for the justice this world seeks, and to find a way to build lasting peace in all corners of this world.

Fill us with the breath of peace,

Guide us to the fountain.

God of love, we give you thanks for the mothers and those who mother, without children of their own. We ask you to watch over them, give them courage as they face challenges and uncertainties in their lives. We wish them a very happy Mother's Day and ask that you guide them and watch over them.

Fill us with the breath of peace,

Guide us to the fountain.

God of relationship, you connect us to one another through love. Strengthen our bonds in families, friendships, and communities. Teach us patience, kindness, and forgiveness, so that we may reflect your love in everyday life. Remind us that we need to treat one another with respect and dignity and we need to be gentle with one another.

Fill us with the breath of peace,

Guide us to the fountain.

God of promise, your love does not end. We give thanks for those who have gone before us and now rest in your care. Hold us in the hope of resurrection and new life. Remind us daily of our baptism in you and what that means. We pray for one another, our congregation, Pastor Mark and the Call Committee. Guide them as they work toward the goal of finding the right pastor to call to King of Glory.

Fill us with the breath of peace,

Guide us to the fountain.

He is Risen! **He is Risen indeed!** We raise these prayers to you, gracious Lord, and leave them in your capable hands. We are Easter People and we know that salvation belongs to Christ.

Amen.

Sharing of the Peace

Que la paix du Seigneur soit toujours avec vous.

The peace of the Lord be with you all.

And Also with you.

MEAL**Offering -****Offertory Song****As the Grains of Wheat, V1****Now the Feast**

As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were



gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from



all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.



1 As this cup of bless - ing is shared with - in our midst,
2 Let this be a fore - taste of all that is to come when



may we share the pres - ence of your love.
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

Offering Prayer

Together, Let us pray:

God of New Beginnings, Thank you for the joy of Easter. As we bring these gifts, we pray that you would use them to make a difference in our community and in the lives of those who feel lonely or forgotten. Transform us, that we may be messengers of your love.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you

And Also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise

Preface

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ,
the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin;
who in dying has destroyed death,
and in rising has brought us to eternal life.

And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection,
with earth and sea and all their creatures,
and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy Now The Feast



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and



might;— Heav - en and earth are filled with your



glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is the



One who comes in your name.— Ho - san - na in the



high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

Eucharistic Prayer

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, then, his death and resurrection,
we take this bread and cup,
giving you thanks that you have made us worthy
to stand before you and to serve you as your priestly people.

Send your Spirit upon these gifts of your church;
gather into one all who share this bread and wine;
fill us with your Holy Spirit to establish our faith in truth,
that we may praise and glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ;
through whom all glory and honor are yours, almighty Father,
with the Holy Spirit, in your holy church, both now and forever.

AMEN

LORD'S PRAYER*(Matthew 6:9-13 MSG)*

**Our Father in heaven,
 Reveal who you are.
 Set the world right;
 Do what's best— as above, so below.
 Keep us alive with three square meals.
 Keep us forgiven with you
 and forgiving others.
 Keep us safe from ourselves
 and the Devil.
 You're in charge!
 You can do anything you want!
 You're ablaze in beauty!
 Yes. Yes. Yes. AMEN**

AMEN**Notre Pere**

**Notre Père, qui es aux cieux,
 Que ton nom soit sanctifié,
 Que ton règne vienne,
 Que ta volonté soit faite sur la terre
 comme au ciel.
 Donne-nous aujourd'hui notre pain de
 ce jour.
 Pardonne-nous nos offenses
 Comme nous pardonnons aussi à ceux
 qui nous ont offensés.
 Et ne nous laisses pas entrer en
 tentation,
 mais délivre-nous du mal.
 Car c'est à toi qu'appartiennent le règne,
 la puissance et la gloire, aux siècles des
 siècles.
 Amen**

Invitation to the Table

Pastor: Come to the fountain of life and join together in this heavenly meal. Christ is risen, just as he said, and he welcomes all with open arms

There are two communion stations for bread and wine. If gluten free, please ask for a GF wafer. Dip your bread into the wine (red) or grape juice (white), whatever makes you most comfortable. All are welcome to participate in Communion.

Lamb of God**Now the Feast**

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world:
 have mer-cy on us, mer-cy on us,
 mer-cy on us. *Final time* Lamb of God, you
 take a-way the sin of the world: grant us peace,
 grant us peace, grant us peace.

Additional invocations:

you break the chains of hatred and fear:
 you are the way of justice and peace:
 you are the way of mercy and love:

Post Communion Blessing**Prayer after Communion**

Let us pray.

God of presence, thank you for bringing us to this table today – just as we are, with our joys, our doubts, and our hopes and fears. Thank you for this bread and cup, a simple meal that reminds us we are fed, we are loved and we are not alone.

Whether we are young, or old, certain or searching, remind us that we are all part of your family. We ask that you guide us to love better, work for justice and share your peace and good news with everyone we meet. We offer you our gratitude and our lives, in the name of the one who loves everyone **Amen.**

Announcements

Graduation of Linda Denadji, - Joël and Nathalie's daughter, graduated from BSU with a degree in social work yesterday!

Benediction

As we leave this place, we do not leave God's presence, because God goes with us wherever we go. Go now to be the hands and feet of Jesus in our homes, our workplaces, and our community. Love well, serve faithfully, and carry the light of hope into every dark space. Be Easter People!

Amen.

Sending Hymn **I Bless You** [†]



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Dismissal

Go in Peace, Live by the Spirit.

Thanks be to God!

Allez en paix, vivez par l'Esprit.

Dieu soit loué.

Postlude

Worship Volunteers:

Presiding Pastor: Anne Palma

Greeters: Carolyn Jean & James Smith

Ushers: Jim Cambron & Dan Price

Lector: Becky Newberry

Assisting Minister: Abigail Spencer

Children's Message: Sally Husted

Prayers: Dawn Lewis

AV Pilots: Lisa Kenyon, Lisa Kraft

Band: Philip Miller, KJ Miller, Sam Alessi, Jorgen Vaage



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LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements

Sunday, May 10th, 2026

Pastor Mark's Surgery. Pastor Mark is recovering from surgery at home the next few weeks. You can find specific details in the email sent on April 20. If you have not received that email, please contact our church office. Please know that we have worked diligently to ensure that there is Pastoral support as well as coverage for Sundays while he is out. For most of the time Pastor Mark is out, you can contact Pastor Bob Lewis at Immanuel Lutheran. The exception being May 5-10, when our own retired pastor Anne Palma will take on that responsibility. If you would like to help Pastor Mark while he is recovering, he will welcome visits, heart healthy (think lean and green) meals, and help with shopping and transportation while he is still unable to drive. You can contact the church office to let us know how you can help. All are welcome - even if it's just once! Many hands make light work – Volunteering will be more enjoyable for those who can help, and Pastor's recovery will be less trying. Email kglory@koglutheran.org, or call 208-377-0220 with how you can help.

Foster for Small Dog Needed Jewell, Marge Holmquist's dog needs a foster family for the summer. She is an 8lb yorkie, poodle mix who does not have accidents, loves walks and being outside. She does have some food and grooming needs. If you can help, please contact either our church office or Mary Kay Tinker.

Adult Christian Ed: Head on over to the Bethlehem room today after worship. We will open our Bibles and our ELW hymnals to explore the connection between Scripture and Song! "...next to the Word of God, music deserves the highest praise. She is mistress and governess of those human emotions....which as masters govern men or more often overwhelm them....For whether you wish to comfort the sad, to terrify the happy, to encourage the despairing, to humble the proud, to calm the passionate, or to appease those full of hate....what more effective means than music could you find?" -- Martin Luther

Mission Endowment at work! Good Gifts Each year, the Mission Endowment Fund (MEF) awards at least 20% of its annual earnings to global ministries. This year, ELCA Good Gifts is one of the ministries to receive a grant from the MEF. The money will support stocking of a health clinic with needed supplies, health care for a child, two chickens and a rooster, honeybees, a water filter, computer/internet access, and sending a girl to school. Thank you to Phyllis Bradburn, Coletta Hill and the primary Sunday school class for submitting this request!

Did you know? A gift you give remains in the MEF permanently. Your MEF gift that earned money to provide two chickens and a rooster this year may earn money to provide for piglets or a lamb next year!

LEAP Ribbon Cutting Tuesday, June 2 from 9-11:20am there will be a ribbon cutting at LEAP's Sycamore Commons (which used to be a Lutheran Good Samaritan home). Bishop Meggan Manlove wrote the letter to Good Samaritan in Sioux Falls, SD a few years ago encouraging the sale/transition to LEAP. We some of you and can join her at the ribbon cutting. Address: 3115 N Sycamore Dr, Boise, ID 83703

Home Communion Ministry We are ready to get our Home Communion ministry going! If you need to be added to the list, or if you know of someone who should be added, please contact the church office with that information!

Final Week of Elementary Sunday School Our final week of Elementary age Sunday school will be May 17th! We will take a break for the summer and return in the fall! Watch for more information as we get closer to September.

UPCOMING MONTHLY EVENTS



OWL's- Tuesday, May 19th 11:30 AM

Marie Callender's 2145 E Fairview Ave, Meridian
We'd love for you to join us



Free Meal - Saturday, May 30th

Menu TBD

To help serve and clean up please come at 11:30am.

All are invited to enjoy this meal served from 12:00pm-1:30pm



Food on the 4th – May 24th!

Please find your reusable food bags, fill them, and bring them back to church! We have been able to give over 100 pounds of food per month thanks to you and our Life Ahead group!



Sandwich Sunday, June 14th

We need leaders! Contact the church office if you are interested in ensuring Sandwich Sundays continues! We always need deli meat, sliced cheese, and soft butter. Join us after worship to assemble sandwiches! Questions contact the church office.

Monthly Contemporary Service Kuna United Methodist Church has a contemporary worship service the last Sunday of the month. Worship begins at 4:00 PM! (260 W 4th St, Kuna, ID 83634) Many of our King of Glory band members participate alongside musicians from other communities. Upcoming dates: May 31. We will take a break for June, July, and August and resume in September. Sing a new song with us!

Parent Café Update Lutheran Community Services Northwest sends a huge Thank you to King of Glory for their help with the Parent Cafe Program. For now, the Parent Cafe program is on hold due to financial constraints. Please consider remembering Lutheran Community Services Northwest when you're considering where to donate money. See the weekly email for information on the impact King of Glory had!

Luther Heights Day Camp! Want to send your kids to camp, but you're worried about them being away all week? Luther Heights will have a Day camp at Redeemer Lutheran this summer! We are invited to – send campers – volunteer – share the good news with everyone! The last full week in June – 6/22-6/26. See weekly email or contact our church office for more information about how to register, sign up to help, and more!

Camp Registration is Open! It's time to think about registering for camp at Luther Heights! Check out their website www.lutherheights.org for information about program dates – or check our weekly email. Please note that they have a new (easier?) registration system this year! Not sure about sending kids to camp alone? Try out family camp! They fill up fast, so register early. Did you know that camp isn't just for kids?! There are retreats for people of all ages! Not looking for a faith-based retreat? They have those, too! Come to camp to fly fish, join in the musical fun (all abilities welcome!), and MORE!

Job Posting: Office Administrator at Redeemer Lutheran Redeemer's current Office Administrator, Faith, will be graduating from BSU in May and pursuing a job in her field. As she transitions from Redeemer to a new adventure, Redeemer is beginning to look for people who are interested in a part time office position. If you or someone you know is interested and would like to know more, please email pastor@redeemerboise.org.

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS...

More details and additional announcements can be found online at our website,

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Available via email Fridays 9AM – 3PM

