

**GREATER... Growth ~ Connection ~ Service ~ Reach ~ Sacrifice**

**GREATER GROWTH**

**GENESIS VC SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY** 'The Road to the Cross': Preparing our minds for Good Friday by studying Matthew's account of the final days in Jesus' ministry. Meets at 9:30am in the Genesis Room (VC).



**SUNDAY STUDY:** Big Church - The church is a movement. 2000 years ago, a gathering of people in a Middle-Eastern city began a movement. Encircling the globe and leaving its mark on individuals and cultures, this movement would eventually become known as the church. This study meets in room 1-301, 9:30am (VC), facilitated by Dave Nelson.

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** This week's topic is a Chuck Swindoll DVD, "Portrait of a Struggling Christian". Join us from 6:30-8pm in room 1-250 (VC Fireside). Contact: Michael Zenner, 651-592-9435.

**GREATER SERVICE**

**SERVANTS NEEDED** to help serve at the Seder meal on Thursday March 24 at the VC campus. Volunteers needed for: Set-up 3-5pm (1 spot), Serving 5-7pm (9 spots—wear dark pants and white shirts please) and Clean-up 7-8pm (4 spots). Sign up at [seder.wlcyoung.org](http://seder.wlcyoung.org).



**GREATER REACH**

**WLC MISSION TRIPS:** There are still spots available on all of WLC's Short-Term Mission (STM) teams for summer of 2016 (Jamaica, Alaska, Minneapolis). If you or someone you know are interested in joining a STM team, go to <http://stm.woodburylutheran.org/> or by contacting Pastor Drew Bayless at [baylessa@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:baylessa@woodburylutheran.org) (651)739-5144x205.



*Reach. Grow. Serve.*

**YOUTH MINISTRY - OH AND VC**

**14 PEOPLE NEEDED** to help serve at the Seder meal on Thursday March 24 at the VC campus. Volunteers needed for: Set-up 3-5pm (1 spots), Serving 5-7pm (9 spots—wear dark pants and white shirts please) and Clean-up 7-8pm (4 spots). Sign up at [seder.wlcyoung.org](http://seder.wlcyoung.org). **FOUNDATIONS STUDENTS** earn 2 service hours per shift! Questions: Contact Lindsey Schmidt.



**OH and VC EASTER BREAKFAST FUND RAISER SIGN UP** is now open to all Middle School and High School youth & their families. Reminder that beginning March 21 anyone can sign up for one more shift. Sign up at [wlcyoung.org](http://wlcyoung.org). Work shifts available on March 26 & 27.



**OH and VC YOUTH MINISTRY VISION SHARING:** Exciting changes coming to WLCyouth this fall! You're not going to want to miss hearing about them! Vision sharing will be this Sunday, March 20, 9:30-10:30am in the Bridge (VC), Wednesday March 23, 6:30-7:30pm in the Isaiah room (VC), Sunday April 10, 11:30-12:30pm in the Youth room (OH) and April 20, 7-8pm in the Paul room (VC).

**MS SUMMER STRETCH (SS) REGISTRATION OPENS TODAY:** Thursday summer service and fun for current 6-8th graders! Go to [wlcyoung.org](http://wlcyoung.org) and click on SS link to find dates, info/FAQ and the sign up/payment link. Early bird cost is \$90 before June 1, then \$100 till full.

**YOUTH PROGRAMMING:** There will be no Open Bridge or HS ROOTS on March 23 and 30 or Sunday Classes on March 27. Happy Easter!! Take note: Foundations, Sixers and HS ROOTS resume on April 6, 6-7:30pm at OH campus and 6:30-8pm at VC campus.

**GREATER CONNECTION**

**READY TO TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP?** The WLC Connection Center is available to help you determine what your next step might be on the Discipleship PATH. Whether you want to explore options or you already know what your next step will be, our Connectors would love to help! The Connection Center staff is available each Saturday before and after 5pm worship and each Sunday from 9-9:30, 10:30-11 and 12-12:15 in the lobby, or from 10:45-11 and 12 outside of the Genesis room.



**INTRO TO WOODBURY LUTHERAN CLASS** meets this Sunday March 20 at 9:30am in the Lounge (VC). This class is especially for second and third time guests, or anyone interested in finding out more about Woodbury Lutheran. Join us to find out who we are as a congregation, what we believe and value, where we see God leading us and what we hope for you as a growing follower of Jesus. Intro to WLC meets on the third Sunday of each month.

**HEALING SERVICE** is held at the Valley Creek Campus every third Sunday. For prayers of healing, attend our service this Sunday, March 20 at 12:15pm, in room 1-250 (VC Fireside). Questions, call Pastor Tim at 651-739-5144.



**STARTING POINT:** If you're new to faith, just checking it out, or coming back to church after some time away, Starting Point is a great first step. It's an 8-week conversational small group environment where you can explore faith and experience community. The group will meet on Wednesday evenings, 6:30-8pm starting on April 6, registration is required. Please stop by the Connection Center or call Mary Lehman at 651-739-5144 x201 to find out more.

**NEW MEMBER CLASS:** Is becoming a member of Woodbury Lutheran Church your next step? Join us for a four-week membership class beginning April 3 at 9:30am in the Fireside room. The membership class goes in depth on our beliefs and practices, our discipleship process as well as our expectations of members. Contact Alycen Brothen to register, 651-739-5144 x212 or [brothena@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:brothena@woodburylutheran.org).

**WLC CHURCH APP:** Woodbury Lutheran has an app! Check out recent sermons, service times, the weekly Greater Scripture card, access myWLC, give your offering online and more! Get connected by simply visiting, <http://get.theapp.co/4bbf>.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:** See Box on back for dates and times.



**GREATER SACRIFICE**

**HOW DO I GET MY ONLINE GIVING STATEMENT?** Below is the myWLC Guide to accessing your giving statements. If you're having trouble getting your statement contact the Church office at 651-739-5144.

1. Log in to myWLC at [myWLC.org](http://myWLC.org).
2. Click on Give in the menu on the left.
3. Select the Schedule/History tab.
4. Click on the black Giving Statement button on the right.
5. On the next screen select: Type - Family; Date Range - Last Year; then Click Run Report.

**DO YOU WANT YOUR OFFERING TO GO TO A SPECIFIC FUND/MINISTRY?** When submitting offering checks, please enter the fund name on the memo line of the check if the offering is for a fund other than the General Fund. If the memo line is left blank, then General Fund (money used where needed) is assumed. Also, an offering check can be split into more than one fund. Just enter the fund names and amounts for each fund on the memo line. If you have questions, contact Mike Hunst at 651-353-3472 or at [mhunst@comcast.net](mailto:mhunst@comcast.net).

**WAYS TO GIVE:**



Online Giving QR  
OR go to [woodburylutheran.org/giving](http://woodburylutheran.org/giving)  
OR Text to give at 651-504-0500

## OAK HILL CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS



**READY TO TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP?** The WLC Connection Center is available to help you determine what your next step might be on the Discipleship PATH. Whether you want to explore options or you already know what your next step will be, our Connectors would love to help! The Connection Center staff is available each Sunday from 10-10:30am and 11:30am-12pm in the lobby.



**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:** See Box to the right for dates and times.

**GOOD FRIDAY FAMILY PRAYER STATIONS:** Join us March 25, 4pm at the Oak Hill Campus. Families will learn about Holy Week through interactive stations. Please contact Molly Schulze for more information at [schulzem@woodburylutheran.org](mailto:schulzem@woodburylutheran.org). All are welcome!

**YOUTH VISION SHARING** on March 23(VC) and April 10 (OH). See article in the Youth Ministry section of this weekly.

**SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS** is studying the "Last Battle with Death" this week. The class meets in the church office at 10:15am. Facilitated by Larry Behnken.

**KIDS MINISTRY SUMMER DATES:** Note date change of Summer Day Camps. Register at [woodburylutheran.org](http://woodburylutheran.org) beginning April 1.

- Summer Day Camp June 20-23, 9:30-noon 3 years-4th grade completed, OH Campus.
- Summer Day Camp June 27-30, 9:30-noon 3 years-2nd grade completed, VC Campus.
- Summer Activities Camp July 11-14, 9:00-12:15pm grades 1st-5th completed, VC Campus.



**CRISIS:** The Chinese word for crisis is a combination of two characters: one for "danger", the other for "opportunity". Stephen Ministers are trained to walk with you through the dangers of your crisis and to help you find the opportunities God has in store for you. If you have experienced great change or know someone who has and would like to learn more about Stephen Ministry, contact Cheryl O. (women) 651-777-5315, or Paul L. (men) 651-653-3467.

# Palm Sunday

## KIDS AND FAMILY MINISTRY

**KIDS MINISTRY SUMMER DATES— Note date change of Summer Day Camps.** Register at [woodburylutheran.org](http://woodburylutheran.org) beginning April 1.

- Summer Day Camp June 27-30, 9:30-noon 3 years-2nd grade completed, Valley Creek Campus.
- Summer Day Camp June 20-23, 9:30-noon 3 years-4th grade completed, Oak Hill Campus.
- Summer Activities July 11-14, 9:00-12:15pm grades 1st-5th completed, VC campus.



**GOOD FRIDAY FAMILY PRAYER STATIONS** on March 25, 4pm at the Oak Hill Campus. Families will learn about Holy Week through interactive stations. See info in Oak Hill Campus Announcements.



### HOLY WEEK SERVICES AT WLC— Both Campuses:

#### **Maundy Thursday, March 24:**

7:30pm Oak Hill (OH) & Valley Creek (VC)  
\*VC Prayer Vigil to begin after the service.

#### **Good Friday, March 25**

12:00pm Valley Creek  
4:00pm Family Prayer Stations at OH  
7:30pm Oak Hill & Valley Creek

#### **Easter Vigil, March 26**

5:00pm Saturday Service (VC)



#### **Easter Sunday, March 27**

6:00am Sunrise Service, VC (C)  
7:00am Easter Breakfast, VC  
8:00am Blended, VC  
Easter Breakfast, OH  
9:00am Blended, OH (C)  
9:30am Blended, VC & Contemporary, VC  
10:30am Contemporary, OH  
11:00am Blended, VC (C) & Contemporary, VC

\*VC Prayer Vigil is offsite and in homes.

## WLC INFORMATION

**WANT MORE INFORMATION?** Woodbury Lutheran Church ministries, worship schedule and activities at all campuses can be found at the welcome desk in the lobby, at [www.woodburylutheran.org](http://www.woodburylutheran.org), by down-loading our church app at <http://get.theapp.co/4bbf>, or contacting us at 651-739-5144. If you want more info go to [myWLC.org](http://myWLC.org), where you can connect with a group, see the church calendar, look for volunteer opportunities, check out your profile/financial information and more.



## OTHER MINISTRIES AND EVENTS

**ARISE WITH THE GUYS—ATTENTION ALL MEN HIGH SCHOOL AND OLDER!** On Holy Saturday March 26, 7-8:30am, we will gather in room 1-300 (VC Isaiah) for a hearty breakfast, followed by a journey focused upon the passion of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. So that we might plan accurately with regard to food please RSVP to Chuck Jones at 651-503-3108 (dial or text) or [chuck.jonescraft@gmail.com](mailto:chuck.jonescraft@gmail.com).



**JOIN US FOR EASTER BREAKFAST on March 27!** The youth are serving up scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausage, and fruit. Bring the gang and support WLC youth at VC and OH campus. This year we are raising funds for mission trips and the National Youth Gathering. The Valley Creek Breakfast will be served between 7-11am in room 1-300 (Isaiah). The Oak Hill Breakfast will be served between 8-10:30am in the fellowship area. COST: \$6 per adult, \$3 per child under 10, \$25 family maximum.

**VC PRAYER VIGIL** "Stay here and keep watch with me." Matthew 26:38. The annual prayer vigil is a rich experience and holds a special place in the history of WLC. VC vigil begins after the March 24 Maundy Thursday worship service through midnight on Good Friday (we break for the Good Friday worship.) This is a round the clock vigil done offsite in homes. A sign up is posted at the VC campus office window.

**SOFTBALL LEAGUE:** Woodbury Lutheran Fishers, a men's semi-competitive softball team, is in need of a few more players (OH and VC) for this summer's team. Games are on Tuesday evenings starting in late April. All games will be played at Bielenberg Sports Center in Woodbury. If you are interested or have any questions, please call Chris Radecki at 651-271-1753 or send an email to [cradecki@live.com](mailto:cradecki@live.com).

**BASIC BIBLICAL FINANCE CLASS:** Learn what the Bible says about managing money and developing a financially stress free life. Learn how to overcome common budget-busters and practical steps you can take immediately for getting out of debt. Classes run six Saturday's, starting April 2 at 9-11:45am in room 1-300 (VC Isaiah room). Cost is \$13. More information also available at <http://www.woodburylutheran.org/ministries/classes>. Questions contact Tom Tibbetts at 651-247-0501 or [tdtibbetts@comcast.net](mailto:tdtibbetts@comcast.net).

**CAREER TRANSITION CONNECTION** welcomes Barb Dusek as she presents "My Job Rocks; 3 Steps to Loving Your Job Everyday" on March 24, 7pm, room 1-250 (VC). Resume reviews at 6pm. Please go to [careertransitionconnection.org](http://careertransitionconnection.org) to register or for more information about this event and CTC.