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LUTHERAN CHURCH

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HOLY WEEK BEGINS: SUNDAY OF THE PASSION

Palm Sunday, April 9th | 8:45AM & 11:00AM

From a joyous procession with palms, our worship moves to the passion story of our Lord. *Breakfast served at 10:00AM.*

HOLY MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

April 10, 11 & 12 at Noon

GOOD FRIDAY

April 14 at Noon & 7:30pm

MAUNDY THURSDAY

April 13 at 7:30pm

THE GREAT VIGIL OF EASTER

April 15 at 7:30pm

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THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD



Easter Sunday, April 16th | 8:45am & 11:00am

A blessed festival day! Choirs with brass, timpani, violin & bells. A glorious procession with cross, banner & torches.

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 [Twitter.com/pastorjoepop](https://twitter.com/pastorjoepop)



Worship with us during this season!

WEDNESDAYS TOGETHER

Wednesdays at 5:15pm in the Hall

What started nearly 27 years ago as a trial event has turned into a ministry of family, friendship, fellowship and Christian education. Sign up weekly at www.poplargo.org for a wonderful time of dinner, music and learning in Christ.



During our regular season, supper is served weekly at 5:30pm. **During Lent, supper is served at 5:15pm.** You may also sign up via Sunday's attendance cards or call the Church Office: 727.585.9969

A JOYOUS SEASON – DATES & TIMES TO REMEMBER

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| Apr 5 | <i>Final Lenten Wednesday</i> |
| Responsive Prayer | 11am |
| Evening Prayer | 7pm |
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| April 9 | 8:45am, 11am |
| <i>Palm Sunday/Sunday of the Passion</i> | |
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| April 16 | 8:45am, 11am |
| <i>The Resurrection of Our Lord</i> | |



PRINCE OF PEACE GOLF TOURNAMENT
 SATURDAY, MAY 6TH | SEMINOLE LAKES COUNTRY CLUB
 \$50 ENTRY - 18 HOLES, GOODY BAG & A CHANCE TO SUPPORT POP YOUTH GROUP

PRINCE OF PEACE GOLF TOURNAMENT IS MAY 6TH!

Seminole Lakes Country Club | Shotgun Start 1PM | \$50 Entry

Tickets are now on sale! Pick up your registration packet under the Portico between worship during the month of April. Funds raised from the golf tournament will help support our youth for camp this summer and for next year's National Youth Gathering. **Questions?** Contact Pastor Adam or call the Church Office: 727.585.9969.

GO & DO LIKEWISE WEEKEND - RECAP

On March 24th & 25th the members and friends of Prince of Peace worked tirelessly to help others in our community. More than 165 volunteers (ages 5 to 100) provided over 500 hours of support for 25 projects, which included these and more:



Food for over 200 people – cooked, carried, blessed and served for Pinellas Hope, Ronald McDonald House, Kimberly Home moms & our own hardworking helpers.

Love and warmth in 176 baby blankets for infants in the neonatal intensive care unit at All Children's Hospital, **11 quilts** for Lutheran World Relief, and **19 fleece lap blankets** for the veterans at the VA.

Comfort and care in 80 Bear Essentials bags for children in Lutheran Services Foster Care, **100 Hope Kits** for the homeless in our community, and **172 greeting cards** for our homebound and for military service personnel.

Strength and teamwork in building a home with Habitat for Humanity, **moving** the contents of a large storage unit for Kimberly Home, and **deep cleaning** an apartment for RCS Haven as well as the Clothes to Kids facility.

*Special thanks to **Thrivent Financial** for their generous grants, and **Walmart, Publix and Gordons Food Service** for their kind donations.*

Plus! **Heartfelt thanks** to each of you for your support and donations!

Plants for Easter Sunday

If you wish to provide an Easter plant for the sanctuary, please indicate your name and designation (in honor or memory of...) on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. **This year, we have provided a specially marked envelope**



for EASTER PLANT PAYMENT. Plants for Easter Sunday are \$12 each and are taken to our homebound members after Easter. **Questions?** Call the Church Office: 727.585.9969

Endowment Board Update

The Endowment Board has met and is pleased to announce that the Prince of Peace Endowment fund made money in 2016! Enough was made to allow the distribution of \$6,874.20.

The Endowment Fund will make gifts to reach out to others in the name (and at the command) of Jesus Christ. The form included in last month's newsletter may also be found online at www.poplargo.org/endowment.

The forms are due back at the church office by April 18th (Tax Day).

The Endowment Board members will meet in May (and June) to decide which requests we are able to fund, and hope to be able to distribute to charities beginning in July. So, thoroughly describe your program and what you want to accomplish for them in your request. The idea is to provide support for those outside of our congregation. These requests are specifically to *not* fund day-to-day ministries within Prince of Peace, and we cannot provide "seed funding" for anything that the Congregation Council has not already approved.

Ponder a project that you know of that may benefit from the financial help of the Prince of Peace Endowment Fund – one that can help us reach out to others in the name of Christ. **And have your forms in by April 18th!**



ATTENTION! VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

It's official – PoP VBS registration is now open for summer 2017! Register your child or become a volunteer (youth & adult volunteers needed). Look for "Abbee" on page 6 for more details on Maker Fun Factory VBS 2017, registration and volunteer opportunities.

"Hi, I'm Abbee. Look for me on page 6!"



PEACE GARDEN & COMMEMORATIVE WALKWAY

90 Engraved Pavers & Counting! What a wonderful response we have had so far to this special project for the Commemorative Walkway in the new Peace Garden.

You might have noticed that three trees have been planted in the area and preparation work has been done for the irrigation system. We should soon begin to see the walkway installed.



The engraved pavers will be put in place after the entire walkway is in – so if you would like to be a part of this beautification project, you still have time to pick up a special form to order your engraved paver/brick. Special thanks to all who have already submitted their order. Forms are available in the Church Office, in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evenings, under the portico after Sunday worship or on PoP's website (www.poplargo.org). *Engraved bricks are \$65.00 each.* We are getting very excited as this PoP beautification project progresses.

Do something for the planet on earth day!



...And Every Day!

In 1998, 25 million environmental refugees fled from desertification, deforestation, industrial accidents and natural disasters – more than the 23 million who became refugees because of war. As a result, environmental refugees will become ever more numerous, driven from their homes by droughts, floods, extremes of weather, or rising sea levels. The United Nations estimated that by 2010 the world would have 50 million environmental refugees; by 2050 we may have as many as 150 million refugees as coastal flooding, erosion and desertification worsen.

Every year on April 22, more than 180 countries celebrate Earth Day. Join the party and take part in events organized in and around that day. Then, through your own behavior, make every day an "earth day!" <Earth Day Plant Celebration, page 4>

SERVICE COMMISSION APRIL INITIATIVE

During the month of April through Mother's Day (May 14), PoP Service Commission will be collecting items for the annual Mother's Day Dresser Ministry. Items collected, including the dresser full of supplies and newborn clothing, will be donated to underprivileged pregnant women in care centers like the Kimberly Home in Clearwater. Look for the dresser in the Narthex with a list of recommended items to purchase! We are thankful for your care and generous hearts!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR YOUTH SPRING SCHEDULE

April 9th

Palm Sunday Breakfast (MS Cooks)

May 6th

Conference Youth Event (MS, HS)

June 12th – 16th

Vacation Bible School

July 16th – 22nd

Summer Camp (ELEM, MS, HS)

More in the coming months!

THIRD ANNUAL EARTH DAY PLANT CELEBRATION

UPCOMING PICKUP DATES

- April 2nd (Sun)
- April 5th (Wed)

UPCOMING GIVEAWAY DATES

- April 30th (Sun)
- May 3rd (Wed)
- May 7th (Sun)

“SHOPPERS” – CELEBRATE GOD’S CREATIONS!

On a “Giveaway Date,” pick a favorite plant or flower that one of our many talented gardeners have nurtured – they are free to a good home!

FIRST-UP: PLANTING & PREPARATION

It’s our Third Annual Earth Day Plant Celebration! We’ll need green thumbs to help us celebrate Earth Day 2017! All you have to do is pick up a prepared pot of soil from PoP and take it home to plant your favorite cutting or seedlings. You may pick up pots of soil from PoP (outside Morack Hall) on these dates: **April 2 & April 5.**

THEN... GARDENERS, GET READY FOR PHASE II: NURTURE, CARE, & SHARE!

Once your wonderful plants and seedlings have been nurtured and have had time to grow and develop, bring them back to PoP for our big *Earth Day Plant Give-Away Celebration* (see sidebar for dates)! Your prized plants will be offered to a good home. Donations will be accepted to help support the PoP High School Youth’s journey to the 2018 ELCA Youth Gathering. This event is sponsored by Ruth’s Promise and The Green Team. Contact Nancy Kaufman for more information: 727.564.7097 or edrena@tampabay.rr.com.



WELCA SPRING GATHERING

Sunday, April 2nd at 12:30pm in the Parish Hall

All women and girls and their guests are invited to attend our Annual Spring Gathering in the Parish Hall on Sunday April 2, 2017 at 12:30pm.

We’ll share a potluck luncheon, a program on “*Renew Yourself*” and our general meeting. Enjoy and share the wonderful and inspirational afternoon of fellowship and learn about our Circles’ activities.

Each circle treasurer should bring their “Least Coin Offering” that supports a worldwide ecumenical movement of prayer and reconciliation.



APRIL BAPTISMS

Howard Acker	Steve Crose	Ruth Lockerbie	Judy Nowak	Winnifred Strohle
Lauren Adams	Bryan Deibel	Sally Loesch	Kailie Pemberton	Robin Temple
Jamie Ahenkora-Bediako	Lucille Doxey	Max Lonas	Addison Potts	William Warren
Gerald Ahlstrom	Susan Gahan	Jasmine Luxa	Angie Pryor	Rev. David Webb
Kathy Barrick	Stephanie Gary	Eriks Mackus	Anna Roe	Steve White
Nicole Bowling	Kris Hagel	Frances Maltese	Denise Roe	Samantha Wold
Jack Brauer	Travis Hammer	Diane May	Dennis Roe	David Wuertz
Nancy Cabelus	Danielle Henderson	Thomas May	Jason Roe	Steven Wuertz
Ryan Carter	Gregory Hensley	Rachel McKenzie	Susan Salzgeber	
Debbie Christie	Randy Holm	Mackenzie Mendenhall	Lois Schultz	
Krissie Cook	Benjamin Johnson	Ricky Mendenhall	Andrea Sieradzki	
Joan Crawford	Beatrice King	Sonja Miller	Pr. Vernon Squire	

Hospital Stays/Surgeries

Kaye Marudas
George Forsyth

Carl Archilletti
Bret Bretnall

Joe Skodje
Debbie Bice

Deaths

Lois Casner
Ruth DeWire
Tom Hazel

Adult Education



TURNING ASIDE

A New Time for Study

In Exodus while shepherding his flock, Moses sees a bush burning, but not being consumed. *“I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up,”* says Moses. There, the LORD confronts him, calls him, teaches him.

We will continue turning aside this month on **Mondays, April 10 & 24 at 7pm** with Dietrich Bonhoeffer’s “Life Together.” The eight who are now discussing the book would be thrilled to welcome others to this modern-day classic. In it, Bonhoeffer describes the life we live together as followers of Christ. Each gathering will go 60-80 minutes, and we’ll **meet in the COC** [Community Outreach Center].

Bookstores, online services, and even the library can help you. We may have a copy of this small book in our church library. Let’s turn aside together.

FINAL WEDNESDAY IN LENT

Responsive Prayer, Weekly Topic

April 5th

Holy Communion

INQUIRERS’ CLASS BEGINS APRIL 30TH – 10AM Sundays | Church Office

Inquirers’ Class is for all who would like to know more about the Lutheran tradition of the faith. Bring your questions, meet the staff, and engage in conversation about the faith we share.

2017 is a year of commemoration as we remember together the events of 500 years ago that brought about what history calls the Reformation. We have been anticipating this time with prophetic studies. In days ahead, we see how Luther interpreted the scriptures to give us a teaching tool: *The Small Catechism*. We invite you to come on Sundays and Wednesdays (and on other days of the week) to explore the powerful, prophetic and saving word of God. We will learn more of what we called Lutheran Christians hold dear.

SUNDAY CLASSES [APRIL 2ND]

THE SHOUT: FINDING THE PROPHETIC VOICE IN UNEXPECTED PLACES

Martin Luther was a prophet in his day, calling for a return to scripture. He particularly railed against church practices that took advantage of the poor. “The Shout” is based on the opening words of Isaiah 58. Through the use of art, poetry, and video performances, we will be encouraged to listen for the unheard prophetic voices in our community and outside the walls of our parish. Then we’ll discuss ways to help those voices in being heard.

Join us for this series as we study together on Sundays at 10AM in the Chapel.

WEDNESDAY [APRIL 19 – MAY 10]

BAPTIZED WE LIVE – A LUTHERAN CHRISTIAN WAY

So, we are Christians who call ourselves Lutheran Christians. How does a Lutheran Christian understand the faith and life that God has given us? Pr. Dan Erlander has written a booklet entitled *Baptized We Live* in which he deals with that very question. For him it’s all in our ways of Seeing, Hearing, Teaching and Following.” Join Pr. Joe for a four-week session with lots of information and discussion.

SUNDAY PREVIEW – THURSDAYS AT 10AM

Don’t forget, on Thursday mornings, we meet over coffee to look over the scripture readings coming up on Sunday morning. Get a head start in prayerfully pondering those passages with Pastor Vern Squire. It is a wonderful way of preparing for worship and anticipating the prayers, hymns and sermon for Sunday. Join us in the Community Outreach Center at 10AM! The last class of the season is April 13th!

“24/6” – SUNDAY ADULT FAITH FORMATION [APRIL 23 – MAY 14]

Do the words “Remember the Sabbath and keep it *holy*” sound familiar? It’s the only commandment that begins with the word remember. Almost as if God knew we would forget. Well, guess what? We did. In “24/6,” an ER doctor provides a life-giving prescription for a healthier, more God-centered life amidst a digitally crazed, always on world. Dr. Matthew Sleeth helps us better understand how our lives can be radically transformed by adopting a 24/6 lifestyle. Join Pr. David Webb and Jane Corcoran on Sundays at 10AM in the Chapel for this four-week journey. Invite a friend!

PoP Youth Events & Happenings

APRIL SHOWERS

...bring May flowers!

PRESCHOOL ART SHOW & SILENT AUCTION | APRIL 6TH, 6PM IN THE PARISH HALL

The Preschool children are working to channel their inner van Gogh, and will soon be “auctioning” off their art work.

Proceeds from the preschool art show will go towards purchasing materials for the children’s continued educational success.

We are thankful for your giving and care toward our little achievers!



Palm Sunday Breakfast, April 9th at 10am

Join us in worship as we pronounce “*Hosanna!*” honoring and celebrating the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. Our camp-bound youth at Prince of Peace and their parents will host Palm Sunday Breakfast at 10AM in the Parish Hall.

EGGSTRAVAGANZA

April 15th, 3:30PM-5:00PM



Join us for a fun-filled Saturday afternoon. Toddlers and children will enjoy egg hunts (in age-appropriate groups), games & fun!



Hunters should **bring a basket** to collect their eggs! Don’t forget to invite neighbors and friends. Help make our annual egg hunt a success – donate eggs, individually wrapped (non-chocolate) candy, and prizes. *Contact Angie Pryor: 727.768.9961 or angiepryor@rocketmail.com.*

SUMMER CAMP | JULY 16 – 21, 2017

Prince of Peace Children and Youth will be heading to summer camp the week of July 16-21. Elementary youth will attend Luther Springs here in Florida, Middle school youth will attend Lutheridge, and high school youth will attend Lutherock up in the North Carolina mountains. Please speak with Pastor Adam if you are interested in attending camp this year.



POP VBS NEEDS YOU! *Summer will be a great success with your help!* MS, HS & Adult volunteers are needed! Stay for an hour or stick around all day! We’ll need station leaders, lunch hands, naptime helpers & more!

Youth: <http://bit.ly/popvbs17youth> | Adults: <http://bit.ly/popvbs17adult>

VBS IS IN JUNE –
REGISTRATION OPEN!



PoP Vacation Bible School is the week of **June 12-16th from 9am-3pm** (before and after care are available). Look for registration & event info via email and Facebook! Please feel free to invite friends and neighbors to be a part of our VBS experience. ***It is open to children aged two through fifth grade.***

Registration is easy! Simply visit the VBS link in (<http://bit.ly/popvbs17>), fill in the online form, and hit “submit!”

We’re looking forward to a fun-filled VBS experience – won’t you come along?

New Intern at Prince of Peace

This summer we will be welcoming Nicole Gonzalez to be our youth and family ministry intern. Nicole is graduating from the University of North Carolina this May. She brings a wealth of gifts for ministry, having served as a Faith Formation intern during her senior year at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, a camp counselor at Camp Agape, and an active participant in Lutheran Campus Ministry. She will be working primarily with our youth and families from the end of May through the beginning of August.

HIGHLIGHTS FROM CONGREGATION COUNCIL

- Heard presentation from Pr. Webb regarding the Mission Possible Capital Campaign of NovusWay Ministries (our camp ministries): after discussion, voted to explore an approach to the campaign here
 - Approved \$300 from First Fruits funds for use in Go & Do Likewise serving weekend
 - Heard report that roof replacement over kitchen and choir room will begin April 17
 - Voted to approve Carolyn Glasgow, Virginia Higgins and Pamela Iusi to serve as the Financial Review Committee
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BISHOP SCHAEFER'S RESIGNATION CHANGES SCHEDULE

The past couple of months have been challenging for the Florida Bahamas Synod. As most of you know, Bishop Robert Schaefer announced his resignation in February, effective March 5. Below is a paragraph from a brief note that he sent to rostered leaders. His letter making the formal announcement has been posted here at the church for weeks.

"After several months of struggling with this, I have made a decision necessary for my own well-being going forward. While it has been a privilege and joy to serve as bishop of this synod for the past 3 ½ years, it has taken a toll on me personally and spiritually that I can no longer ignore. After much soul searching and conversation with the family over the holidays, I have decided to step down as bishop."

Soon we will welcome the Rev. Marcus Lohrmann to serve as our Interim Bishop. For 18 years Pr. Lohrmann served as Bishop of the Northwestern Ohio Synod, retiring in 2016. Prior to that he served as pastor in three different congregations.

What happens now? The annual Synod Assembly scheduled to take place in June has been cancelled and rescheduled. Rostered leaders Conference on Ministry, an annual continuing education event which normally takes place in the fall, has also been cancelled. An Assembly for the purpose of electing a new bishop and other business will convene in Kissimmee on October 12-14.

Let us continue in our prayers for the Synod Council and other leaders of our Synod as they carry out their duties and seek to lead us now and in the months ahead.

2017 CONGREGATIONAL MONTHLY OFFERING SUMMARY

General Fund

Feb 2017				
	Receipts	Expenses	Difference	Proposed Receipts
Feb	\$54,506.59	\$54,258.30	\$248.29	\$51,200.00
YTD	\$109,693.19	\$103,155.95	\$6,537.24	\$121,600.00

LIVING IN CHRIST SMALL GROUP MINISTRIES

Healthy Lifestyles

3pm, Mondays in the Parish Hall
Developing healthy lifestyles while maintaining faith in the Lord. Call Ursula: 727.596.5026

Gardening Angels

7am-9am, Tuesdays at PoP
Help plant, trim, cut back, weed, and pick up debris on our church property. Join this co-ed group for a little work, lots of laughs, fun and fellowship. Call Tom: 727.244.3373.

Walking in Faith

8am, Thursdays at Taylor Park
Take an early morning stroll in the park – walk at your own pace with a lively group of friends! Meet us at Shelter 1. The walk takes just under an hour, then we're off to Panera Bread on West Bay for bagels and coffee! Put on your walking shoes, and join us!

Grief Support

3pm on 3rd Thursdays at Denny's
Folks find meaning in this shared experience of getting together monthly. All are welcome. Contact Jane: 727.585.9969.

Habitat for Humanity

8am on 1st Saturdays
Love to serve? Volunteer on first Saturdays! Contact Charlie: 727.559.1131.

Men's Bible Study

8am on 2nd & 4th Saturdays
The men gather in the Community Outreach Building for coffee, conversation & study.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

8am on 3rd Saturdays
Meet us in the Parish Hall for breakfast and fellowship.

Homeless Empowerment Prog.

11:15am on 4th Saturdays
PoP assists HEP and serves in the buffet line. No special skills are needed – just come and serve!

2017

April

Keep up with all Prince of Peace events with your PoP At-A-Glance Calendar! *Questions?* Just call the Church Office: 727.585.9969.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MY APRIL NOTES:				LEGEND: *HC: Holy Communion **AA, OCP: Alcoholics Anonymous, Our Common Problem ***CodAnon: Codependents Anonymous ****TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly		01 8:00 Habitat for Humanity 9:00 Girl Scout Powder Puff Derby
02 5th Sunday in Lent 8:15 & 10:30 Parish Choir 8:45 & 11:00 HC* 10:00 Education Hour 12:15 First Communion Instruction 12:30 WELCA Spring Gathering Earth Day Seedling Pick-up	03 10:30 Naomi Circle 3:00 Healthy Lifestlyes 8:00 AA, Alanon	04 7:00 Gardening Angels 9:00 Staff Planning 9:30 Ruth's Promise 6:00 TOPS**** 6:30 Preschool Congregational Committee 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Bells Angels	05 9:15 Preschool Chapel 11:00 Responsive Prayer 11:00 Bricks 4 Kidz Wednesdays Together 5:15 Supper Together 6:00 Education Hour 6:15 Children's Choir 6:50 Parish Choir 7:00 Evening Prayer 7:30 Parish Choir Earth Day Seedling Pick-up	06 8:00 Walking in Faith 10:00 Sunday Preview 6:00 Preschool Art Show 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Communion Meetings 7:00 Girl Scout Svc Team 7:30 CodAnon***	07 9:00 Prayer Partners 6:30 AA, OCP** 6:30 Girl Scouts / Brownies	08 8:00 Men's Bible Study 10:00 Craft Time 10:30 Palm Sunday Breakfast Prep
09 Sunday of the Passion / Palm Sunday 8:15 & 10:40 Children's & Festival Choirs 8:45 & 11:00 HC* NO SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 Palm Sunday Breakfast 11:00 First Communion 7:00 Compassionate Friends	10 Holy Monday 10:00 Elizabeth Circle 12:00 Quiet Holy Communion 3:00 Healthy Lifestlyes 6:30 Girl Scouts / Juniors 7:00 Miriam Circle 8:00 AA, Alanon	11 Holy Tuesday 7:00 Gardening Angels 9:00 Staff Planning 9:30 Ruth's Promise 12:00 Quiet Holy Communion 5:30 Ruth's Promise Adv. Bd. 6:00 TOPS**** 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Bells Angels	12 Holy Wednesday 9:15 Preschool Chapel 12:00 Quiet Holy Communion 6:45 Brass Rehearsal 7:30 Parish Choir	13 Maundy Thursday 8:00 Walking in Faith 10:00 Sunday Preview 12:00 Game Day 6:30 Parish Choir 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Girl Scout Svc Team 7:30 Holy Communion 7:30 CodAnon***	14 Good Friday 9:00 Prayer Partners 12:00 Reading of the Passion 6:30 Parish Choir 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:30 Solemn Service of Tenebrae	15 The Great Vigil of Easter 8:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast 3:30 EGGStravaganza 6:30 Parish Choir 7:30 The Great Vigil
16 The Resurrection of Our Lord / Easter Day 8:15 & 10:30 Festival Choir 8:45 & 11:00 HC* NO SUNDAY SCHOOL	17 3:00 Healthy Lifestlyes 6:00 Preschool Board 8:00 AA, Alanon	18 7:00 Gardening Angels 9:00 Staff Planning 9:30 Ruth's Promise 6:00 TOPS**** 6:30 AA, OCP**	19 9:15 Preschool Chapel 11:00 Bricks 4 Kidz Wednesdays Together 5:30 Supper Together 6:15 Education Hour 6:15 Children's Music	20 8:00 Walking in Faith 3:00 Grief Support 6:15 Executive Committee 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Congregation Council 7:00 Booked for Dessert 7:30 CodAnon***	21 9:00 Prayer Partners 10:30 PoPARTS Cruise 6:30 AA, OCP** 6:30 Girl Scouts / Brownies 7:30 Sons of Norway	22 8:00 Men's Bible Study 11:15 Homeless Emp. Prog EARTH DAY
23 2nd Sunday of Easter 8:15 & 10:30 Parish Choir 8:45 & 11:00 HC* 10:00 Education Hour ----- 3rd Sunday of Easter 8:15 & 10:30 Parish Choir 8:45 & 11:00 HC* 10:00 Education Hour 10:00 Inquirers' Class Earth Day Giveaway #1	24 3:00 Healthy Lifestlyes 3:00 WELCA Board 6:30 Girl Scouts / Juniors 8:00 AA, Alanon	25 7:00 Gardening Angels 9:00 Staff Planning 9:30 Ruth's Promise 9:30 Practical Grace 6:00 TOPS**** 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:00 Bells Angels	26 9:15 Preschool Chapel Wednesdays Together 5:30 Supper Together 6:15 Education Hour 6:15 Children's Music 7:30 Parish Choir	27 8:00 Walking in Faith 4:00 Prayer Shawls Ministry 6:30 AA, OCP** 7:30 CodAnon***	28 9:00 Prayer Partners 6:30 AA, OCP**	29



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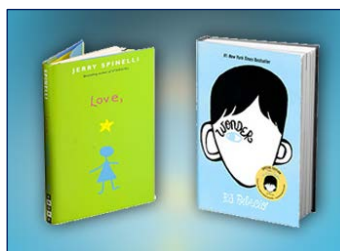
EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN THE MONTH OF APRIL



SUNDAY PREVIEW – WEEKLY ON THURSDAYS

Our weekly Sunday Preview includes coffee over lively discussion centered on history and interesting facts about the scripture for Sunday worship.

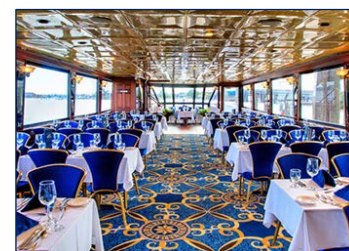
Feel free to share in fellowship over the Word with us at 10am on Thursdays in the COC! [See page 5](#) for more details on the Sunday Preview!



BOOKED FOR DESSERT'S UPCOMING READS – APR. 20

This group comes together on the third Thursday to share insights, issue opinions and something sweet. **TWO** exciting book reads are happening this month!

April 20th, 7PM in the Parish Hall
Stargirl, by Jerry Spinelli
Wonder, by R.J. Palacio



POPTARTS GO ON A LUNCH CRUISE – APR. 21

\$35 Includes Dinner & Cruise

All Aboard the Pasadena Lunch Cruise! Enjoy 1½ hours on the beautiful waters of Florida. We'll meet at 10:30AM at PoP for boarding the ship at 11:30AM. A delicious luncheon will be served on the boat. RSVP on Sunday's attendance cards or call the Church Office: 727.585.9969

Worship at Prince of Peace

We celebrate Holy Communion each **Sunday at 8:45AM and 11:00AM**. We have a fully-staffed childcare center for infants, toddlers and children under 4 years old available on Sundays from 8:30AM to 12:15PM. Coffee and fellowship follows 8:45AM worship, with Sunday School from 10-10:50AM. Visit us online: www.poplargo.org.