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### Lenten Schedule

Our Midweek Lenten service continues each Wednesday starting with a meal at 5:30 and worship service at 6:30. A sign-up sheet is posted in the Narthex to volunteer to bring soup, salad, or bread.

### Holy Week Schedule

- Thursday, March 28 6:30 pm Maundy Thursday
- Friday, March 29 6:30 pm Good Friday
- Saturday, March 30 10:00 am Easter Egg Hunt
- Sunday, March 31 8:30 am Sunrise Easter Service
- Sunday, March 31 9:00 - 9:30 Breakfast
- Sunday, March 31 10:00 2nd Easter Service



## **Altar Guild Meeting Immediately after church Palm Sunday**

Altar Guild members please stay after church on Sunday, March 24th to practice for the Maundy Thursday service. We need everyone there that can possibly attend. It shouldn't be a long practice since most of us has done this before and know how it goes. It's a special service and it wouldn't be the same without the Altar Guild.

Please plan on attending. See y'all there!

Susan and Jan

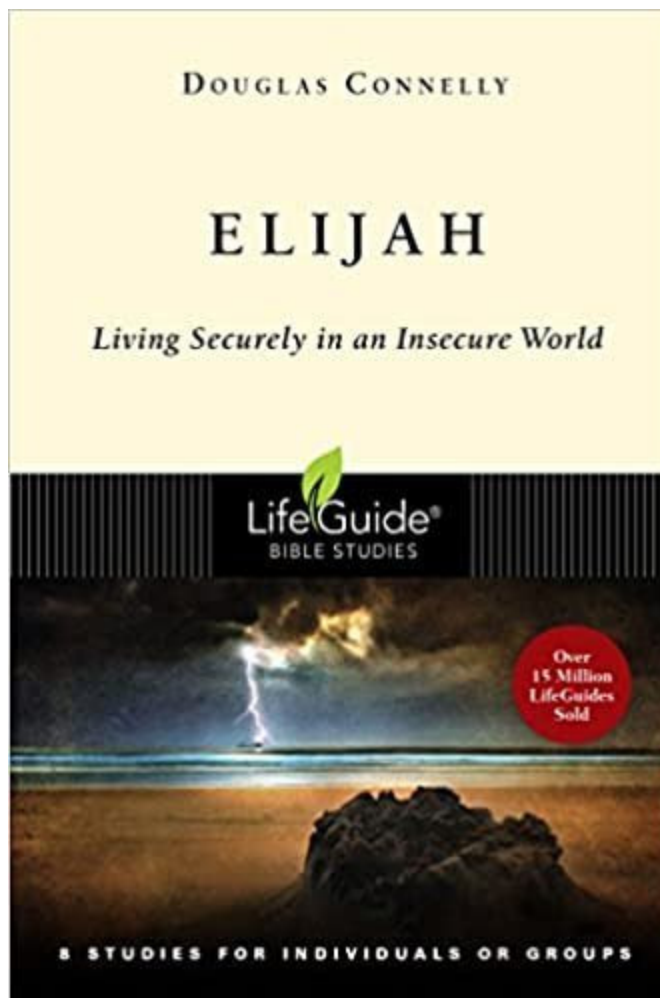


## Easter Brunch - We Need Help!

Would you like to help with Easter Brunch? We have opportunities!

- On Saturday, March 30th at 1:00 pm, we will assemble the breakfast casseroles, with cooking the sausage being the hardest part. RSVP if you know you can help; otherwise, just show up.
- We need two or three people to bring a big bowl of fresh fruit of your choice.
- We can always use help with clean up!

Contact Becky Chambers by call or text at 704-574-2911.



## Thursday Morning Bible Study

We are starting a Bible study on Elijah beginning April 4 at 10:00 AM. We have Life Guide study books of Elijah available for \$11. Contact Chris Burris at 303-668-6643 (Phone or text) or email at [cburris9031@gmail.com](mailto:cburris9031@gmail.com) for more information.



Dear NALC Congregations and Pastors,

Nominations are now being received for positions to be elected at the 2024 NALC Mission Convocation—which will be held online August 9, 2024. Congregations are welcome to nominate individuals for any of the open positions. All persons must be nominated by a congregation. All nominations should be submitted by May 3, 2024.

The positions available are:

- **Executive Council:** two positions (one clergy, one lay); 3-year term  
The Executive Council functions as the board of directors for the NALC, providing leadership for the church between Mission Convocations. The Executive Council consists of the bishop, four clergy and four lay members who are elected to three-year terms.
- **Court of Adjudication:** one position; 3-year term  
The Court of Adjudication hears appeals from disciplinary decisions; resolves questions of interpretation of NALC governing documents; and decides claims that a person or entity has violated these governing documents.
- **Board of Regents for North American Lutheran Seminary:** two positions (clergy or lay); 5-year term  
The seminary Board of Regents is made up of nine members (clergy or lay), the bishop and the seminary president.

For more information please click the button below.

[View Nomination Materials](#)



## Easter Egg Hunt

Starting March 3rd, bagged, empty easter eggs, will be available in the Narthex, for filling. Please take a bag or two and fill them with candy, then bring back the next Sunday. All eggs need to be returned by Friday, March 29th to the church.

There will be a carnival with games, face painting and crafts in the fellowship hall, along with a guessing game for really big kids as well, followed by the Easter Egg Hunt with hunting grounds for ages from 1 to 6th grade. We love for adults to get involved in the egg toss outside.

Anyone wanting to help, call Carmen Nazario at 972-533-9935.

## Easter Egg Hunt Most Wanted

- Donate snacks-Cheez -it crackers, fruit flavored snacks, chips, gold fish, teddy grahams....

- Make "Guess How Many Jar"- see through container with specific number of wrapped candy pieces inside. Leave number of pieces on bottom of jar.
- Welcome Table Host
- Set up Crew (Help Carmen Nazario Friday March 29<sup>th</sup> for 2 hours)
- Clean Up Crew



## Regional Get-Together

The Texas-Oklahoma Mission Region of the North American Lutheran Church invite you to their first ***Regional Get-Together***, July 23-25, 2024, Cedarbrake Retreat Center, Temple, Texas.

It's time to gather our family from across the Region for food, fun, and fellowship! And, you'll be able to take some new learnings back to your congregation, too!

The North American Lutheran Church (NALC) is a denomination that is "Mission Driven" – one of our four Core Values – to preach the Gospel and make disciples for Christ. Only disciples can make disciples; therefore, discipleship is foundational to mission.

Guest Speaker: The Reverend David Keener, Director of Renewal and Discipleship for the NALC, will speak with us about the call to discipleship and the NALC's Life-to-Life Discipleship initiative.

The Get-Together will start with dinner on Tuesday evening and conclude with worship on Thursday morning.

Your registration includes accommodations, all meals, daily worship opportunities, keynote presentations, workshops, and activities.

Workshops include:

- \* Disaster Response Training with Michael Dittrich
- \* Drawing Closer to God through Prayer with Pastor Ralph Reitmeyer

Questions? Call Pastor Becky Thane (201-572-8073) or email [BeckyThane@aol.com](mailto:BeckyThane@aol.com)

***Space is limited! Register early to reserve your spot.***

Please see the attached Registration letter for more information and registration.



NALC TX-OK Get-Together Registration Form.pdf





## Making a Molehill out of a Mountain

Tuesday morning eight very energetic members of our congregation met to spread a mountain of compost onto and into our new flower beds and across our lawn. By sheer effort, Bill Videtto, Jeff and Susan Buntz, John Minser, Ken Pontious, Louie Hernandez [Ken's son-in-law], Terry Ball and Jerry Redman worked like tigers and managed to make a significant dent into the mountain of compost and to reduce it

into a manageable "molehill". Thank you for your efforts, dear ones! When we enjoy our beautiful flowers and trees this summer...we will remember all your hard work.

Colossians 3:23.

Check out our progress by clicking the button below.

## Molehill



## Prime Timers

Prime Timers met on Thursday, March 14th for a "luck of the Irish" lunch and games. Great food and fun was had by all. Check out our latest photo album.

# St Patty's Day Prime Timers 2024



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