

# The Mount Weekly

## Worship Notes

### **TODAY: Life in Babylon #6 – An Unbreakable Covenant.**

The question is: how can we be so sure? Surely, Israel was asking that question. How can we be so sure that we'll build houses back home again? How can we be so sure that the temple will be rebuilt? That's the question we often ask. How can we be so sure about forgiveness? About God's care and guiding of our lives? About any of God's promises? Consider this. If you can break God's covenant with the day and night, then you can break this one. How's that for certainty? Jeremiah 33:14-26.

### **NEXT WEEK: Life in Babylon #7 – Paper Shredder**

The king didn't care much for Jeremiah or the word from God that Jeremiah presented to him. In fact, he showed so much disdain for this word that after reading a page, he cut it out of the scroll and used it to keep his fire burning. How offensive can you be? How could he? Yet are we so different in our handling of God's Word. Picking and choosing the verses we want to apply, use, listen, and accept. Do we take it all to heart? Or do we cut corners off the Word of God? Either way, God will not let his Word be silenced or destroyed. The cry rings out: The Word of the Lord endures forever. May we ever read, learn, and take it to heart. Jeremiah 36:1-7, 20-24, 32.

## Next Steps

### **Free Gift**

If you are a first-time guest with us today, we have a gift for you. Please stop by the Welcome Table with your Connection Card. We'd love to share this gift with you.

## Ministry Updates

### **Name Tag Sunday**

Every once in a while, we want to take some extra steps to get to know each other and the people walking with us at Mount Lebanon. **Today, Sunday (10/15) will be our first one.** If you haven't done so yet, get a name tag so we can get to know each other.

### **Youth Center Building – FAQ's**

You've asked some questions, and we've put together some answers. Please see the sheet on the back table for answers to some of your questions regarding the new building. As always, feel free to talk to Jeff Matteson with your questions.

## Upcoming Events/Activities

### **Choral Fest Housing Needed**

Nearly every year, Lutheran High School students from around the country gather together to put on a choral festival. This year, they are gathering at Wisconsin Lutheran College. We have offered to host students from Evergreen Lutheran High School. They will be here from November 2 through November 6. Would you be willing to house a few students for the weekend?

**For more information, contact the church office!**

### **Trunk or Treat**

On Saturday, October 28, we are hosting a community event for our neighborhood. Can you help? Would you be willing to decorate a trunk? Grab a sticky note from the windows in the back of church and discover a way for you to get involved.

## Our Mission

We are a community for the community.  
We are here to share God's Word to connect people to Christ and to our caring Christian community.

## Service of Remembrance: Finding Hope in God at the loss of children, born and unborn:

**Date:** November 1, 2023

**Time:** 6:30 pm

More information about babysitting assistance and about the service here:

<https://bit.ly/MountRemembranceService>

### Volunteer Opportunity

On Friday, October 27th, we are providing dinner for the nearby Lighthouse Youth Center (located at Redemption Lutheran Church). Can you help with serving food that evening? In the past, we joined them for a short devotion before supper, served food, and had a chance to talk with them while eating dinner. Please talk to Dwayne Dehling or Mary Dillard if you can help.

### LWMS Fall Rally

October 28 LWMS will have their fall rally. It is open to all people and will begin at 8am with free breakfast at St. John's Lannon.

Babysitting is being offered. Pick up a flyer from the back table for additional information.

### Women's Bible Study

Ladies, in our next Women's Bible Study on Saturday, October 21st, at 8:30 am we will be studying Rule #8 of the Red Sea Rules: *Trust God to deliver in His own unique way.* We hope you can join us for this inspiring dip into the Word.

## The Week at a Glance

### Monday, October 16

6:30 pm – School Board Meeting

### Tuesday, October 17

9:00 am - Connect Group - Church

7:00 pm - Women's Connect Group

### Thursday, October 19

8:00 pm - Connect Group Online

### Friday, October 20

8:00 am– Coffee and Kids

### Saturday, October 21

8:30 am – Women's Ministry Bible Study

### Sunday, October 22

9:30 am - Worship Service with Communion

11:00 am – Connect Group

## For your Prayers

For **Paul and Heather Krueger**. He has received a call to be a church planter in Idaho Falls, ID. Pray for them as they deliberate the calls he holds.

For **Cindy Rouse**, who is in rehab for her broken leg.

**Ryan Dyrud**, Micki Schneider's brother, who has stage 4 cancer.

**David DeLay**, the nephew of Karen Runge, who is in prison.

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