

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

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MAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

LCS Impact Banquet: Join us **Friday, May 3** at the Center for Visual & Performing Arts in Munster. Our keynote speaker will be Mr. Jeff White, an LCS alum. Mr. White looks forward to sharing more about the history of our school and the beauty of this place we call Lansing Christian. Register or sponsor a table. <u>Click here</u> or contact Allison Alons, Development Director at 708-474-1700. This will be a fantastic event you will not want to miss!

Bowling Fundraiser: This coming Saturday, May 4, Reformed Mission Services will have a BOWLING FUNDRAISER! Join us at Stardust Bowl in Dyer, IN. Doors open at 6:30, bowling will be from 7-9 pm. Register at rms.org/bowling. Registration closes May 1! Contact Jim Iwema at jim@rms.org with any questions.

Night of Song: Come ready to sing! The Men of A-Chord is pleased to announce their annual "Night of Song." The concert will be Saturday May 4 at 7pm at First Church of South Holland (OPC), located at 16248 South Park Ave. The concert will include the "The Day He Wore My Crown" cantata. Betsy Archer, Jill Rich and Joseph Smith will be guest soloists. There will be audience participation and you can choose your favorite hymns! Make plans now for an evening of praise to our great God. A free will offering will be taken. For information please see our website at www.menofachord.org or contact any Men of A-Chord member.

Peace Lutheran Church is hosting a garage sale on Thursday, May 9 and Friday, May 10 from 8am-4pm, and Saturday, May 11 from 8am-1pm. A Farmer's Market will also be available on Saturday, May 10.

Beloved: please join us for a night of worship, praise and fellowship on Monday, May 13, at 7pm at Bethel Church in Lansing, IL. Abigail Sikma of *Something to Hold* will be speaking and Sara Bosman will be leading us in worship. Refreshments will be served. All women, high school age or older are invited.

Calvin Christian School in South Holland will be hosting an Open House on Tuesday, May 14 from 9:30 to 11:00 am and on Thursday, June 6 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. RSVP for <u>May 14 here</u> or <u>June 6 here</u>, or on our website, calvinschool.org.

Elim Christian School: Join us on May 18, 2024, for the 14th Annual Elim Eagles' Wings Run, Walk, or Roll 5K! To register and find more information, visit www.elimcs.org/5k. We hope to see you at the starting line!

Join Reformed Mission Services in Peru! For over a decade, we've been serving churches in Peru. Join us from May 20-29 as we send a team to help churches around Cusco. These dates provide a great opportunity for college students to join us on a trip. Learn more at rms.org/peru. Email steve@rms.org with any questions.

JUNE/JULY ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Leaf Resources is hosting their annual celebration dinner, June 18 from 6:30-8pm at Illiana Christian High School. This year's event will be our largest in years, so we're hoping to see plenty of brand new & long-time supporters! Childcare will be provided - just include ages with your RSVP. We hope you will join us as we give thanks for the work God has done in our mental health ministry. We'll give an update on the growth we're working towards in our mission "to promote healthy relationships, personal growth and healing through professional counseling, education and consultation from a Christian perspective". A free-will offering will go entirely to our Marty Doot Client Assistance Fund. RSVP by May 31 by contacting info@newleafresources.org or by calling 708.895.7310 Ext. 1016

Taste of Mexico: On July 6, support Oak Glen URC's young adults who will be going on TASC Mexico by enjoying a Taste of Mexico with a Midwest BBQ twist. We'll be slow-smoking beef barbacoa, pork carnitas and grilling up chicken fajitas on site alongside beloved sides of rice, beans, chips and salsa! Oak Glen URC is located at 2244 Indiana Ave. in Lansing, IL.

MISCELLANEOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Preschool at HCS: Highland Christian School has a few seats left in 3, 4, and 5 year-old preschool. To inquire, contact us at 2019-838-0356 or visit highlandchristian.org/academics/preschool.

Victorian Village in Homer Glen is making exciting new updates to its Memory Care community. For more information about the memory care remodel, or any of the senior living options available at Victorian Village, contact them at vv@provlife.com or (708) 301-0800.

Mid-America Reformed Seminary is in urgent need of additional rental housing options for its students. If you have a vacant property or room available for rent, please consider contacting Brian Blummer at bblummer@midamerica.edu to explore potential opportunities or inquire about specific requirements.

Self-Help Jobs Program: We help increase your success in getting a new job using our writing skills, resources, and practical advice. We are not a staffing agency, services are free. Call the Self-Help Jobs Program at 708-633-6580 or email us at selfhelpjobs@sbcglobal.net. Employers, we can be part of your hiring network. Deacons' and others' referrals are welcomed.

Lost & Found: Will you help us return your black leather jacket, and perhaps you can return our jacket? They may have been switched at the 2023 New Year's Eve Sing-Along Messiah at Thorn Creek Church in South Holland. Our jacket would have black gloves and a key in the pockets. Please check your closet. If found, please call Rev. Morris at Thorn Creek 708-474-4043.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Cedar Lake Ministries has openings for their summer camp programs, including leadership staff (19 years+; prior camp experience preferred) and counseling staff (18 years+). They are also seeking to hire housekeepers for their busy summer season. The job entails preparing hotel-style accommodations and conference rooms at the Christian Conference Center and Youth Camp. The work is physical and fast-paced. Applicants must be able to lift up to 50 lbs. No experience is required, however, experience in commercial cleaning is a plus. To learn more about their employment opportunities and volunteering, please visit cedarlakeministries.org.

Part-Time Director of Music at Crete Church: The Director of Music will have a passion and vision for leading the music ministry. The Director of Music is responsible for coordinating various aspects of church services under the authority of the Session and the Lead Pastor. The focus of this position is primarily to draw the congregation into the presence of God, giving God the glory, and supporting the message. Send your resume to: info@cretechurch.com or call the church office at 708/672-5400.

Providence Academy in Dyer, IN is looking for Godly, enthusiastic teachers to join our faculty. These positions are open for immediate employment and/or the 2024/25 school year. Candidates must be a member in good standing of a <u>NAPARC church</u> (within 6 months of joining school). Open positions: Math & Science Teacher and Music teacher. Bachelor's degree is prefered (but not required) for Music position. A teaching certificate is not a prerequisite for either position. Learn more at <u>providenceca.org</u> or email secretary@providenceca.org.

Bible League International has a variety of job openings: Accounting Generalist, Financial Analyst, IT Support Specialist, and Learning and Development Intern. To apply for a position, go to <u>Bible League Jobs</u>.

Part-time Outreach Director: Emmanuel Christian Reformed Church in Sauk Village, IL is accepting applications for Church Outreach Director. The Outreach Director will work with and eventually lead a team of ministry volunteers to grow outreach opportunities, engage new families, and increase the multi-ethnic participation within our church family. The annual salary is \$27,000 plus paid vacation and professional development. To learn more and apply, visit: www.emmanuel-church-outreach-director.info.