

Welcome!



It is I; be not afraid. John 6:20

2019

LLC Summer Services
& Annual Meeting
July 4-7
Silver Springs

General Information

“It is I; be not afraid” (John 6:20).

After Jesus had performed a miracle, He sent His disciples across the Sea of Galilee and went off alone to pray. During the night the disciples encountered a severe storm. In exhaustion they saw Jesus walking on the sea, and they cried out in fear. At that moment Jesus spoke the words of our services motto: “It is I; be not afraid” (John 6:20). To the fearful ones, His words must have felt like heavenly manna, food for the soul. May God bless the services so that the disciples of today can feel the presence of their Lord and Master, hear His comforting words and be uplifted in the midst of storms along the journey to heaven.

GENERAL INFORMATION

An Information Booth is located near the service gate. Please contact the Information Booth if you have needs or if you require assistance locating a missing child. Complimentary ID wrist-bands are available for children at the Information Booth. We ask that all service guests contribute to the cleanliness of the service site by disposing of garbage in the bins provided. Children can help out by picking up garbage in exchange for an ice cream voucher. Please visit the table south of the dining tent to sign up.

Signs will direct you throughout the service site. Please use caution when walking through the parking lots, service site and grounds and watch for all-terrain vehicles and large delivery trucks throughout the site.

The service site, grounds, and parking lots open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 1:00 a.m.

Fireworks are not permitted onsite.

COLLECTIONS

Collectors are wearing green armbands during collection times noted in the schedule. Please make checks payable to “LLC Summer Services”. Service donations may also be made through the LLC website, using the “Make a Charitable Donation” form, via credit card at the Meal Ticket Booth or Publication Sales Booth or via the tithe.ly app which can be downloaded on Apple and Android devices. Once you have installed the app and set up with your personal information, search for Laestadian Lutheran Church, 279 N Medina Street, #150, Loretto, MN 55357-4714.

COMMUNION

The Communion Service is at 6:00 p.m. Saturday evening.

Communion guests please note the following:

- Ushers are positioned throughout the service area to direct the communion lines.
- Please remain seated until ushers release your section of seating.
- Those seated outside will be directed by the ushers to form a line near the entry and will be ushered in after the Main Service Area has been served.
- The communion line enters from the two interior side aisles and will exit through the center and exterior side aisles.
- The front rows are reserved for those who are unable to wait in line and will be served communion at their seats.
- Communion will also be served in the Elder’s Room for elders who wish to be served there.
- Gluten-free wafers will be available on a stand as you approach the communion rail.

ELDERS ROOM

The Elder's Room is located inside the Monticello Church in the fellowship hall. Elders may enjoy their meals in the church cafeteria. Communion will be available to elders who wish to be served in the Elder's Room.

FIRST AID

The First Aid Station is located inside the Monticello church mother's room. The station will be staffed by qualified medical personnel and has information regarding nearby walk-in clinics and area hospitals.

The hours are as follows: Thursday 9 a.m.-11 a.m. and 3 p.m.-10 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m.-10 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m.-10 p.m.; Sunday 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

In the case of an emergency, please dial 911. The service site address is 1734 County Road 39 NE, Monticello, MN 55362

FOOD SERVICE

Meal tickets are available for sale in the dining tent and from salespersons throughout the service site. Ticket prices are \$8.00 per individual or \$35.00 per family (including children 15 years and younger). You may also purchase an entrée individually (hamburger, hotdog, brat, or pizza) with a beverage (no additional sides) for \$4.

Meals will be served in the dining tent and at the outdoor grill area. If desired, elders may enjoy their meals in the Elder's Room.

Meals will be available as follows:

Thursday 4–7 pm; **Friday** 11 am–7 pm; **Saturday** 11 am–6 pm;
Sunday 11 am–2 pm.

Lunch and supper meal options include: hamburgers, brats and hotdogs from the grill; a variety of salads and subs/wraps; pizza from Domino's.

For those with gluten and dairy restrictions, salads and grill options will be available.

Breakfast will be available Friday, Saturday and Sunday 8–10 am for \$4. A continental-style breakfast menu will include bagels and cream cheese, fruit, hard-boiled eggs, yogurt, juice, coffee.

Coffee will be available throughout the services, for a donation.

GROUP PICTURES

All ministers serving at our services and guests from overseas should meet at the Festive Service Gate just north of the food tent at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, July 5 for group pictures.

LLC HUMANITARIAN AID DISPLAY

The LLC Humanitarian Aid Committee (HAC) display is located by the bookstore. Please visit the display to learn more about this work and how you can help the believers in Ecuador, Ghana, and Togo. Donations can be made at the HAC Booth. Chocolate is also available for purchase. Proceeds benefit the work of the HAC.

LODGING

Registration and payment for RV overnight parking or tenting should be made online, prior to arriving to services. Site preference will be given to elders and those who purchased a ten-year RV site. All other RV and tenting sites are assigned on a first come, first served basis. Assistants will be available from 1:00-8:00 pm on Monday, July 1 and 9:00 am to 8:00 pm each day thereafter to help you get into your spot when you arrive to the service site. If you plan to arrive to the site outside of these hours, please contact Eric Jurmu (763) 402-3695.

Prices for the weekend (total): electric site - \$250; non-electric site - \$200; tent site - \$50.

Campers can begin arriving to the site at 1:00 pm, Monday, July 1, and need to vacate by 1:00 pm, Monday, July 8. Water and showers will be available onsite, though not at individual campsites. Dump sites are not available onsite.

Quiet time in the camping area will begin at 10:00 pm. Please be respectful to campers around you and keep noise to a minimum after this time.

For additional lodging assistance, please contact the Information Booth.

LOST AND FOUND

The Lost and Found is located at the Information Booth.

MOTHERS ROOM

A Mothers Room is located in the tent just west of the Monticello church.

PARKING

Carpooling is recommended. Parking attendants are available to help with parking. The Monticello church parking lot is reserved for elders and those needing assistance. A general parking lot is located directly off of County Road 39. Please drive slowly and watch for pedestrians.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Prayer requests can be placed in the Prayers of Intercession box at the Information Booth.

SALES

Sales booths are open throughout the services except during the Communion Service.

A selection of LLC and SRK publications are available for purchase in the bookstore located in the tent just west of the Monticello church.

A Concessions Stand is located in the tent between the youth activities and main service gate.

Please note: No food or beverages other than water are allowed in the Main Service Area.

SPECIAL NEEDS AND TRANSLATION

Guests with special needs may request assistance at the Information Booth. Headsets for both hearing assistance and translation of services into Finnish are also available inside the Service Tent. Devices can be checked out before services and should be returned after each session of services.

SUGGESTIONS BOX

Please take time to provide your feedback and suggestions for planning future Summer Services by placing them in the Suggestion Box located at the Information Booth. There is also a box here to submit ideas and suggestions for the future of the Silver Springs property.

TOBACCO USE

Tobacco use is limited to the designated smoking area located at the northwest corner of the main Service Area. Please dispose of cigarettes in the cans provided at the smoking area.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Youth activities will be onsite Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evenings until 1:00 am.

The service site, grounds, and parking lots close at 1:00 a.m.

Pizza will be available for purchase Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights during the youth activities. Food will also be available for purchase Sunday evening.

Volleyball courts will be open for use during non-service times and after the evening devotion until 1:00 am, except Friday afternoon between the 2:00 service and 4:00 song service.

For inquiries concerning Youth Activities, please see the Information Booth.

Service Schedule

Thursday, July 4

9:00 LLC Board of Directors Meeting

Refreshments

3:00 Preservice SHZ 536

Services

SHZ 154

Sermon: Ron Honga

SHZ 382 / Collection

Sermon: Art Harju

SHZ 523 / Announcements

SHZ 533

6:00 Preservice SHZ 531

Services

VK 308

Sermon: Vesa Tahkola (F) Russ Roiko (tr)

SHZ 375 / Collection

Sermon: Neil Waaraniemi

SHZ 357 / Announcements

SHZ 166

9:30 **Song Services** and Evening Devotion

Song selections by youth

SHZ 527 / Collection

10:00 Devotion: Petri Hotari

Announcements

SHZ 501

Friday, July 5

10:30 Preservice SHZ 522

Opening Ceremony

SHZ 526

LLC Greeting: LLC Board Chairman, Jim Frantti

Host Welcome: RLLC Pastor, Jouko Haapsaari

Greetings from Sister Organizations, Mission

Director, Jon Bloomquist

SL 126

SRK Greeting/Sermon: Kimmo Puolitaival (F)

Rick Nevala (tr)

SHZ 528 / Collection / Announcements

SHZ 202

2:00 Preservice SHZ 370

Services

SHZ 176

Sermon: Sam Roiko

SHZ 402 / Collection

Sermon: Dan Parks

SHZ 289 / Announcements

SHZ 330

4:00 **Song Services** (Theme: It is I; be not afraid)

SHZ 565, 187, 309, 371b, 198, 315, 556, 190, 184, 221

4:30 Preservice SHZ 463

Services

SHZ 417

Sermon: Jon Bloomquist

SHZ 207 / Collection

Announcements

SHZ 281

5:30 Group Photos

6:00 Preservice SHZ 164

Ministers and Board Members Meeting

SHZ 318

Prayer and Welcome: Jim Frantti

Topic: "Therefore being justified by faith" (Rom. 5:1)

Presenter: Kimmo Puolitaival

SHZ 319 / Collection / Announcements

SHZ 340

6:00 Preservice SHZ 158
Services
SHZ 124
Sermon: Jari Pigg
SHZ 128 / Collection
Sermon: Keith Moll
SHZ 280 / Announcements
SHZ 135

9:00 Preservice SHZ 484
Youth Presentation
SHZ 477
Topic: "It is I; be not afraid" (John 6:20)
Presenter: Peter Kuopus
SHZ 540 / Collection / Announcements
SHZ 508

Saturday, July 6

9:00 **LLC Annual Meeting**
SHZ 156
Devotion: Eric Jurmu
SHZ 187
SHZ 140
Closing SHZ 329

9:00 Preservice SHZ 472
Services
SHZ 530
Sermon: Mark Lee
SHZ 171 / Collection / Announcements
SHZ 59

10:30 Preservice SHZ 372
Services
SL 89
Sermon: Pasi Kanniainen (F) Hannu Janhunen (tr)
SHZ 367 / Collection
Sermon: Nate Muhonen
SHZ 579 / Announcements
SHZ 363

1:30 **Song Services** (Theme: Comfort during trials)
SHZ 391, 361, 380, 376b, 311a, 321, 354, 364, 276,
277, 368, 359, 440, 542, 358

2:00 Preservice SHZ 541
Services
Publication Announcement
VK 438
Sermon: Kimmo Puolitaival (F) Tommi Kinnunen (tr)
SHZ 487 / Collection
Sermon: Allen Pirness
SHZ 360 / Announcements
SHZ 540

6:00 Preservice SHZ 316
Communion Service
SHZ 398
Opening Prayer / Sermon: Pete Lever
SHZ 301 / Collection
Communion Rites
SHZ 603
Communion SHZ 306, 231, 293b, 87, 101, 235, 91, 83,
242, 311b, 347, 295, 237, 315, 86, 317b, 589, 232a,
203, 233, 228, 230, 196, 81, 89
Closing Prayer
SHZ 134 / Announcements
SHZ 349

9:30 **Song Services** and Evening Devotion
Song selections by youth
SHZ 473 / Collection

10:00 Devotion: Randy Haapala
Announcements
SHZ 513

Sunday, July 7

9:30 SHZ 467
Sunday School: Jim Moll
SHZ 465 / Collection

10:30 Preservice SHZ 156
Services
SL 295
Sermon: Kimmo Puolitaival (F) Sam Roiko (tr)
SHZ 400 / Collection
Sermon: Jim Frantti
SHZ 298 / Announcements
SHZ 410

2:00 Preservice SHZ 189
Closing Services
VK 170
Sermon: Vesa Tahkola (F) Jon Bloomquist (tr)
SHZ 183 / Collection
Sermon: Lauri Nevala
Concluding Announcements / SHZ 195
Closing: Randy Herrala
SHZ 353

MEETINGS

The LLC Annual Meeting and the Ministers and Board Members Meeting will take place in Monticello church.

Hosted by:

Rockford Laestadian Lutheran Church

In cooperation with:

Laestadian Lutheran Churches of Cokato, Elk River,
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