Reformation Events

Special Morning Reformation Service Assistance required at LCOS: We are planning a unique Service at 9 and 11 am on October 29th and a lunch after the 11 am Service and require some assistance.



- Do you read and speak German?
- Do you own a German Bible?
- Do you own a Bible in another language?
- Would you be willing to serve as an acolyte on October 29th? (The Webster dictionary of an acolyte is: one who assists a member of the clergy in a liturgical service by performing minor duties such as procession, lighting candles)
- Would you be willing to cook a German Potato Salad?
- Would you be willing to provide some traditional German desserts?

Special Reformation Choir for LCOS: A 500th anniversary doesn't come along very often – so here's a chance to be a part of something special. A once-in-a-lifetime opportunity!

As part of the celebrations we will be creating a special reformation choir to sing a "grand" version of Luther's most famous hymn and the anthem of the Lutheran Church – A Mighty Fortress.

We hope to have this special choir sing at both services on Oct. 29 (the end of 9am and the start of 11am). And we invite ANYONE to join us. We will hold two more practices: on Oct. 15th after the 9 am Service and after the 11 am Service on Oct 22nd .

Email Alex at alex.mckay.2761@gmail.com if you have questions and to let him know you plan to participate (so we have enough copies of the music for everyone). If you are unable to make it to one of the practices you are also still welcome.

This invitation is open to everyone if you have ever:

Sung in a choir? Sung indoors? Sung outdoors? Heard a song?

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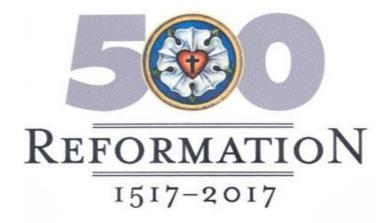


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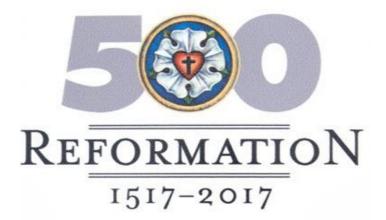
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