

CONFIRMATION ELECTIVE SCHEDULE 2021-2022

English Ringers

Be part of our youth bells ensemble. Basic note reading ability required.

Practices Wednesdays from 5:00-5:45pm

4 credits

Performance times in worship TBD

Sunday School Team Teacher

Team teaching a Sunday School class with another adult, parent or youth. Alternating Sunday mornings. Training provided. Well planned lessons provided.

Program runs October-May

9:45-10:30am

4 credits

Coulee Region Hunger Walk

Register for the 2021 Hunger Walk through www.couleeregionhungerwalk.org.

After you register, you can ask people to pledge to your participation. 100% of money raised goes to hunger relief in our area. You can participate in the Walk on October 10th or bike/hike/walk/run sometime between Oct. 3-10. For credit, send a picture of you participating to Niki Pohnl AND you must complete the event Q/A.

October 3-10

2 credits

Congregational Connections

Led by: Irene TynEck and Niki Pohnl

Irene visits our shut-in congregation members and would like introduce some of them to you.

We will learn about older members of our congregation and make cards to send them. You will be given 5 names and addresses of members to send your cards to. Card making supplies and stamps will be provided.

THIS CLASS IS VIA ZOOM!

October. 11

Monday

5:30-6:30pm

2 credits

PACK Leader

Assist Kristen or Niki leading PACK on a given month. You will help with set up, the devotion, the activity, and clean up.

September. 24

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

October. 22

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

November. 12

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

December. 10

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

January TBD

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

February TBD

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

March TBD

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

April TBD

6:00-8:45pm

2 credits

Rite of Confirmation for our 10th Grade Class (recommended for 9th grade students)

Assist with Family Night for our confirmands. Assist with program bulletins, help to serve at the reception, and help to clean up after the reception.

October. 30

Saturday

5:30-8pm

2 credits

Faith and Music

Led by: Niki Pohnl

Many of us listen to music to relax us, to pump us up, or to keep us focused. In this class we will learn about different Christian artists and different type of Christian music. Each participant will choose 2 Christian artists to report on. A list of artists and specific questions will be provided for your research.

November. 7	Sunday	9:45-10:30	2 credits
November. 14	Sunday	9:45-10:30	

Book Club

Led by: Kristen Arends

The Blessing Effect

The Blessing Effect is an action-packed fiction novel that inspires us to reach out to those in need of love, care, and inclusion. This fast-paced story is a catalyst to motivate people to embrace the supernatural power of prayer and kindness but bring about the change that our world needs today! Books will be provided. You bring at least 2 questions about the book to the discussion. There will also be a Q/A form about the book submitted for credit.

December. 5	Sunday	9:45-10:30am	2 credits
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Creative Art for Lent

Led by: Niki Pohnl

Meet Sunday between service with Niki Pohnl to talk about our Lent worship theme. From that discussion, determine how ARTISTICALLY you can tribute to our worship space. This can be through drawing, sculpting, garbage art, a Lego statue, painting, a wood project, or whatever way you choose to help symbolize our theme. Projects will be on display through Lent (March 2 - April 14). We love it when we can use the spiritual gifts God has given us!

January. 9	9:45-10:30am	3 credits
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Project due date: February 25

Cooking With Heart

Help to prepare a meal for the Warning Center guest for the evening. We will prepare the meal, clean up the church kitchen, deliver the meal to the Warming Center, and end with a tour of the Center.

January. 7	4:30-7:30pm	2 credits
January. 14	4:30-7:30pm	2 credits

Faith and Movies

Led by: Kristen Arends

Movie Title TBD

Come together with other confirmation students for pizza and watch a movie Kristen selects. After the movie, all participants will engage in conversation about the movie. Be prepared to ask a couple of questions for group discussion.

January. 30	Sunday	Time: 5pm	2 credits
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Congregation Pen Pal

Based on your confirmation questionnaire, you will be matched with a member of our congregation with similar interests and you will write to them at least once a month via mail or email. This is a chance for you to get to know another member of your faith community and build more connections. This program will be monitored November-May.

Working on your own	2 credits
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Music In Worship

Provide a special music piece for a worship service. This can be pre-recorded or done in person. This can be sung or instrumental and we are happy to help you select music appropriate for a specific service and help you set a date.

Performance time in worship TBD

2 credits

Liturgical Dance

Provide a special dance piece for a worship service. This can be pre-recorded or done in person. This can be solo or with a friend. We will help you choose the music based on the theme of the worship service on the date you select.

Performance time in worship TBD

3 credits

Vacation Bible School at English Lutheran

Assist with pre-school or Sugar Creek vacation Bible school. Need to be present for at least 4 half days throughout the week. Specific detail provided in January.

Early June 2022

4 credits

Community Events

Our community has a wealth of entertainment, speakers, plays, and such that take place over the course of the school year. Attend any PRE-APPROVED faith-based event, write a one page summary of the event attended (guided questions provided), and have a brief discussion with your confirmation teacher or small group leader for event credit.

Dates: TBD

2 credits