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Greeting to the faithful people of Luther Memorial Church,

A few brief updates to keep the good lines of communication open. At our church council meeting on Tuesday, May 12, 2020 we voted to keep our building closed through June 8, 2020, and then revaluate where we are at our next council meeting on Tuesday, June 9 2020.

So please continue to worship together through our online Sunday worship service, Morning Prayer on Tuesday morning at 9 am, Bible Study on Wednesday at 10 am, and Evening Prayer on Thursday at 6 pm. We appreciate your continued faithful support through your offerings, prayers, phone calls, food prep, and your good care, concern and love. Our ministry has NOT closed, only our building has.

We have not yet made a decision about Vacation Bible School in July, but if we do cancel the face to face Vacation Bible School, we will have an online version, which means we would appreciate if you still register for VBS for this July. Please find the registration form on our church website under the "Resources & Online Worship" tab and then "Resources & Forms". Also, you will find the VBS registration form on our Facebook Group page under files. You can mail the form into the church, or if it's easier you can email in the information to nbuerk@luthermemorialonline.org. In that case, the actual form would not need to be completed, but just send us the information asked for on the form on email.

No news yet regarding Confirmation Camp if it will be held at a later date at Lutherlyn, but I will share what I know with you when I know it. For our 7th, 8th, and 9th grade confirmation students, I will be reaching out to you next week with some "homework", well not really, more like things for you to learn and hear about, and then I will ask for some response back from you. I will reach out to you as a class in the not too distant future. I appreciate Beth Keller and Norma Buerk keeping our younger kids together in this very strange time. We are all trying to do our best, so hang in there and let's keep being the Church together.

Please remember to reach out to us if you find yourself in need in anyway. We want to be sure through the love and "big arms" of the Lord, we hold together.

Peace and be well,

Pastor Bill Coleman