

March Birthdays: Jack Wolicki (3/11), Shizuko Shirai (3/15), Seishi Matsui (3/17), Michiko Stewart (3/18), Ken Fukuyama (3/21), Sachiko Fukami (3/31)

Announcement:

This Week's Activities: **Monday**–Taiko class at 1PM. **Tuesday**– Pastor Foster's GriefShare Class at 9AM, Irvine Bible Study at Aiko G.'s house at 10:30AM, **Thursday**– Paper Rollers at 9AM.

Wednesday– There will be a soup supper and Intergenerational Activity on March 12. Soup supper starts at 6PM and Int. Activity starts at 6:30PM

CCN Seminar– “Making the Most of CCN”. Thursday, March 20 at 11:30AM. Sign-ups start today. Let's learn more about CCN's benefits.

CCN Spring Concert and Dinner– Saturday, March 22. Concert by Diz-Chord starts at 5pm and dinner will follow. Sign-ups start today.

Children's Concert– Satoko Adachi is planning to have this concert on March 23 at 2:30pm. We welcome any children of LCR's friends and family to participate in this concert.

Prayer Requests:

Health: Esther Fujita, Michiko Jordan, Chizuko Miller, Kai & Yukiko Hoshi, Teruko Matsui, Teruko Yasumatsu, Hiroshi Hirano, Satoko A's mother, Fumi L.'s father, Special prayer for Seishi Matsui. **Travel:** June Yoshinari

LCR Japanese Ministry March Schedule

3/2,9,16,23	Christianity 101	10:00AM	T-Hall
	Choir Practice	10:45AM	T-Hall
3/3,10,17,24,31	Japanese Taiko Lesson	1:00PM	Sanctuary
3/4,11,18,25	Pastor Foster's Grief Share Class	9AM~11AM	T-Hall
3/5	Ash Wednesday Soup Supper at 6PM, service at 7PM		
3/6,13,20,27	Paper Rollers	9:00AM	Bercaw Hall
3/11,25	Irvine Bible Study	10:30AM	Aiko's house
3/20	CCN Seminar	11:30AM	Bercaw Hall
3/21	Corona Bible Study	10:30AM	Iami's house
3/22	Tustin Bible Study	1:30PM	Ptr. Adachi's house
3/22	CCN Concert & Dinner	5:00PM	LCR
3/23	Children's Concert	2:30PM	LCR
3/30	Potluck Luncheon & March Birthdays Celebrations		

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

Worship Services: Traditional Worship 8:30 a.m.
Praise Service 10:00 a.m.
Japanese Worship 11:30 a.m.

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JAPANESE MINISTRY

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First Sunday in Lent



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The Theme of 2014

“From his fullness we have all received,
grace upon grace.”

John 1:16

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Prelude (seated)

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn “You Servants of God” ELW 825
(stand) Japanese Hymn 3

Blessing In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Invocation Let us draw near with a true heart, and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

Confession O most merciful God,
We poor sinners confess to you, that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against you by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your grace, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Absolution Almighty God, in his mercy has given his Son to die for us, and for his sake, forgives us all our sins.
Amen.

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Hymn “Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed” Not in ELW
Japanese Hymn 138

Prayer of The Day: Lord God, our strength, the struggle between good and evil ranges within and around us, and the devil and all the forces that defy you tempt us with empty promises. Keep us steadfast in your word, and when we fall, raise us again and restore us through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen.

First Lesson Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7
Second Lesson 2 Peter 5:12-19
Gospel Matthew 4:1-11
(stand)

Hymn “Break Now the Bread of Life” ELW 515
Japanese Hymn 187

Today’s Message: “Is There a Devil?” Rev. Hitoshi Adachi

The Apostles’ Creed: **I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Offering and Prayer

Prayers of the Church

Holy Communion

Communion Hymn “Marana Tha” Not in ELW Please see insert
Japanese Hymn 【21】 No. 81 (verse 1 only)

The Lord’s Prayer **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

Communion Hymn “Marana Tha” Not in ELW Please see insert
(stand) Japanese Hymn 【21】 No. (verses 2 & 3)

Benediction and Threefold Amen

Hymn “Alleluia! Sing of Jesus” ELW 392
Japanese Hymn 【II】 150