

## OUTREACH ANNOUNCES FIRST QUARTERLY FOOD DRIVE FOR 2019

The members of the Outreach Committee are proud to once again announce LOC's participation in quarterly food drives to local establishments that offer assistance here in Longmont and the surrounding areas.

**The first Drive will be for the Atwood Shelter.** They are an organization that offers temporary housing for families in need. Items that they receive are divided up among 11 different houses, so they are **seeking ECONOMY sizes** for the following items:

**Spray Cleaners  
Dish Detergent  
Laundry Detergents  
Toilet Paper**

**Clorox Wipes  
Dish Soap  
Shampoo  
Paper Towels**



Collection baskets will be in the Narthex starting this weekend and items will be collected for the month of February. For questions or more details, please contact Carol Krieg at 303/651-0565.

## GROUTh YOUP ART EXTRAVAGANZA



Grouth Youp is open to all middle school and high school students at Light of Christ. **Our next gathering is planned for Saturday Feb 9th after Mass until 8:30pm.** We will be gathering in the Church Office.

**Supper will be provided. Wear painting clothes** as we will be combining our talents for an art project. Please RSVP to Fr. Teri so we have enough food for everyone.

## GLUTEN FREE EUCHARIST



**Gluten-free communion wafers are always available at every Mass at Light of Christ.**

If you would like to receive gluten-free Communion, you may go to the small table just in front of the lectern and serve yourself, or ask a Eucharistic Minister for assistance.

## SENIOR RIDE TO ELDORA

For those of you who may be interested, there is a **Senior Ride to Eldora. An RTD bus leaves the Longmont Senior Center every Tuesday from January thru March stopping in Boulder en route to pick up folks at the East Boulder Rec Center.** It is a 55 seat bus and currently there have between 20 to 25 persons going, enjoying Alpine, Nordic and snow shoeing. A special discount rates is available for persons 55 to 70+and the round trip bus is just \$5.25, MAKE PAYABLE TO Longmont Senior Center. If you are interested, or have any questions, Bob Cotton from BL will be happy to chat with you if you call 303/651-6563.



## AFTER-MASS FELLOWSHIP



All are welcome to join us for **refreshments and fellowship** after Mass on **Wednesdays at 10:00 am** in the Fireside Room. Please join us for contemplative discussion! We also **gather in the Narthex** after Mass on Saturday to share

snacks and chat together. All are welcome to come and get to know us!



## FEEDBACK TO REGIONAL PROCESS



As discussed at the All-Community Gathering in January, the Regional Council is looking for feedback on two questions related to the process of moving forward together in 2019 in calling a local bishop.

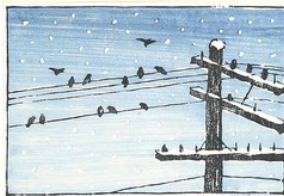
The two questions are:

1. What is missing right now in the region that we need to consider in this developmental stage?
2. What ideas and concerns do you have for these teams (teams include the Polity and Constitution Team, and the Election Process Team)?

Write your comments on sticky notes in the narthex and post them on the poster board hanging on the east bulletin board. If you have any questions, talk to our Regional Council representatives Jack Wolfe and Fr. Teri. Comments posted before February 10th will be included in a handout to be distributed at Mass on February 16th so you can see what others at Light of Christ are submitting. Comments will be accepted, however, through February 23rd, at which point all comments will be compiled together for the Regional Holy Conversation planned to take place on Saturday March 2nd at 9am at Church of the Beloved. All are welcome to be part of this process. Submit your ideas, and plan to attend the Regional Holy Conversation on March 2nd.

## ALL PARISH EMAILS

From time to time the Church Office sends out an email announcement to everyone who has signed up for the **All-Parish Email List**. If you would like to receive these notices, please send a note to [churchoffice@lightofchristecc.org](mailto:churchoffice@lightofchristecc.org) and we will add your email address to the list!



## WELCOME VISITORS!

**We are glad to have visitors and we welcome you!**

Please sign our guest book in the narthex. If you wish to register as a member of the Light of Christ community, you may do so at any time. Registration forms are available on the kiosk in the narthex and in the Church Office. Please feel free to call the office with any questions.



## IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER



**In case of heavy snow on weekdays, our office will follow the St. Vrain Valley School District snow closure schedule.** If schools are closed, the Church Office will also be closed. **If there is stormy weather on the weekend** and you are trying to decide if Light of Christ is having a liturgy or a particular meeting, you may **go to Channels 4, 7, and 31** to check. LOC will be included in the closures scrolling across the screen. As always, you may leave a voicemail message on our phone system and we will monitor calls throughout the day.

## DONATIONS FOR ST. PATRICK'S AUCTION

I bet you have items around your house that you need to get rid of, or your spouse wants you to get rid of! **Well, the Adult Mission Group needs them for this year's Silent Auction which will be held along with the St Patrick's Dinner on Saturday, March 16th.** You can also donate an hour of your time, talent or service (i.e. handyman work, baby/dog sitting, yard cleanup, craft work, wine baskets...). **Donations should be clean and have a resale value of at least \$15. Items can be brought to the Church Office starting March 3rd.** Proceeds will help fund this year's Adult Mission Trip. Contact the LOC office or Irene Yap for more information.

