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Calling All Soup Lovers

In the dead of winter, nothing seems to warm body and soul better than a hot bowl of soup. The only topper is if the soup is a homemade brew. Soup suppers, held before worship services in the season of Lent, are a Lutheran tradition, and Living Waters of Lino Lakes is no exception. However, Living Waters has a bit of a twist to their meals. Their congregation is invited to the meal, but the church encourages individuals and families in the community to the both the meal and worship service that follows. The families of those being confirmed this year take turns during the Lenten season to share each meal with their favorite soup and dessert. Others are invited to bring their favorite recipe soups and desserts to the table to share the warmth and fellowship as well. They ask for donations, nothing unusual there, but all money collected from the meal and worship service will be passed on to outside charities chosen by their church council. Soup suppers started on Ash Wednesday, February 13, and continue each following Wednesday for five weeks, starting at 6:15 p.m.

After everyone has been warmed by a hardy soup meal, a special worship service begins at 7 p.m. The *Compline* (Night Prayer) service will be used this year and the focus will be on Luther's Small Catechism. On March 6 the focus will be the Lord's Prayer, with Noreen Stevens preaching, and on March 13, Steve Heiskary will preach on the lifelong blessings from Baptism.

Living Waters is located at 865 Birch Street. If you would like more information on this or other events at the church, visit their website at, www.livingwaterslutheran.org, or

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