**Announcements for Bulletin, Social Media, and Monthly Newsletters**

* Since 1948 Lutherlyn has been providing ministry to youth, families and adults from the congregations and communities of Western PA and beyond. As an outdoor ministry of the Northwestern & Southwestern PA Synods of the ELCA, more than 200 congregations and 15,000 people benefit from ministry opportunities at Lutherlyn each year.
* Lutherlyn is a God-given place to be accepted, challenged, and sent out into the world to make a difference. Summer campers live in Christian Community at camp and are sent home to shine with the light of Christ.
* Lutherlyn is 660 secluded acres nestled in the woods of beautiful western Pennsylvania with 5 core areas of ministry: summer camp, retreats/events, equestrian programs, environmental education, and adventure programs.
* A week of camp at Lutherlyn builds confidence in kids. Their experience provides them with a sense of independence and inner strength that cannot be replicated in many other experiences.
* Kids make new friends when they attend a week of camp at Lutherlyn. Campers are welcomed into an intentional Christian community where they are accepted and loved just as they are.
* Lutherlyn is encouraging and training leaders for the church. Over the past 75 years, many of the Lutherlyn summer staff have gone on to ordained ministry or serve in leadership roles in their congregations.
* The goal of Lutherlyn’s ***Building for the Future*** Capital Campaign is$2.5 million. Our congregation’s goal is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.