

## LAC QUI PARLE ANNOUNCEMENTS for NOVEMBER 11

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### CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER 11- 18

#### Sunday, November 11

9:00 Contemporary Service- Consecration Sunday- egg bake meal  
following Service

10:00 Sunday School Christmas Program practice

#### Wednesday, November 14

1:30 Lydia Circle

4:10-5:40 Confirmation

7:00 Church Council meeting

#### Thursday, November 15

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LQP Conference Pastors

#### Friday, November 16

10:00 MLH Bible Study

#### Saturday, November 17

SW Synod Jr. Hi Youth gathering in Willmar

#### Sunday, November 18

9:00 Worship

10:00 Sunday School Christmas Program practice

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4	Emily Busch	Lindee Olson	Darin Lund & Josh Falness	Scott Ireland	Aric Gruwell
11	Aric Gruwell	Consecration Sunday- Celebration Brunch	Aric & Nathan	Mark Roisen	Nate Gruwell
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