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Special interest:

- New resources for Lent/ Easter
- Education workshop coming on March 3
- New quilting book with companion quilting guide
- New items of general interest

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New education resources arriving daily

"Nurturing Faith – through the stages of life" – "This reproducible resource book provides glimpses into what it means to teach learners in age-level groupings across a lifespan.....threads of experiences weave together understandings of age-level characteristics with some cultural influences related to faith development of groups of learners. This resource will make it possible to stitch together a more effective Christian education program..."

"Exploring Luther's Small Catechism" – use these four-session courses to incorporate catechetical instruction into your Sunday School program or for confirmation classes with elementary children. Leader editions include a copy of the learner book and an 8-page leader guide for teaching the sessions.

"You and Me God" – a confirmation course for special needs students. Sessions present Luther's Catechism through visuals and activities, & there are take-home sheets designed for use in the home.

"More Than Glue & Glitter" – lots of practical, creative activities & basic teaching techniques to help teachers in class time.

"Songs for the Sunday School" – words and accompaniment for 59 songs for children.

Catechism posters – 8x11 individual pictures for the 10 Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, and the Lord's Prayer.

Lutheran Basics for Teachers – a clear overview of what it means to be Lutheran today. Concepts such as grace, vocation, the Word & Sacraments are addressed. Helps teachers feel comfortable with what they are teaching.

Four beautifully written and illustrated publications: The Student Guide to Jerusalem; The Student Guide to Bible People; The Student Bible Atlas; and, The Student Bible Guide will help confirmation students connect with what they are studying in a more complete way.

March 3rd workshop

Last time, we talked about March 3 and the education workshop to be held at First Lutheran from 9am to noon. I hope you have been able to advertise & really talk this event up. We have a lot of good stuff here at the RC, plus the presenters for the day with all the new & different ways of doing education will make this event more than worthwhile to come.

The particulars are still the same: 9am to noon, beverages and snacky things will be served, $20 per congregation gets as many as you want to send in the doors.

See you here!