

Jesus, Our Good Shepherd



East Texas Zone Event
April 18, 2026
Our Savior Lutheran Church, Centerville
Registration 9:30 am
Program 10 am to 2 pm

Featured speaker: Ruth Meyer

Ruth Meyer graduated from Concordia University in Ann Arbor, Michigan, with a degree in church music and no plans whatsoever to become an author. But a student-of-the-week project for her son inspired *Our Faith from A to Z*, a children's picture book. That sparked her passion for writing, and she has since authored four novels of the Sola Series, as well as a devotional, *TruthNotes*. She and her husband have five children and live deep in the heart of Texas. She hopes that through her writing, readers are assured of God's grace through His Son, Jesus.



We loved Ruth's program in 2023 and invited her back to share this topic she prepared for the district retreat last year, as a member of the Texas District LWML Christian Life Committee. Ruth will also have a selection of her books for sale.

Includes: Devotions, Bible study, hymn study, offering for East Texas Zone LWML, updates on 2026 LWML Texas District Convention, crafts, morning snacks, and lunch.

Cost: \$5 each (all pastors are welcome and exempt from the cost). A Thrivent Action Team card will help cover the cost of lunch and supplies for the crafts.

Ingathering: Domestic Violence of Leon County is a non-profit providing comfort, dignity, and hope to survivors of domestic violence and their children. Many arrive with little more than the clothes on their backs, seeking safety, healing, and a fresh start. Items needed are: baby bottles, diapers (all sizes, including pull-ups), baby wipes, sippy cups, pacifiers, baby blankets, baby wash, baby lotion, diaper cream, backpacks, coloring books, crayons, small toys, journals & pens for teens. Gift cards to grocery stores for baby formula and essentials are also encouraged.

RSVP: Debbie Curry, debbietexaslwml@gmail.com, 936-635-8530 (text or call), by April 10. If anyone has a food allergy, please let us know.