

# LUREN



**SONS OF NORWAY-  
CIRCLE CITY LODGE #5-614  
CARMEL, IN**

**March/April 2025 Issue**

**Mission statement:**

*The mission of Sons of Norway is to promote and to preserve the heritage and culture of Norway. To celebrate our relationship with other Nordic Countries, and provide quality insurance and financial products to its members.*

## *Greetings from the President*

Hilsen fra Presidenten,

I am anxious for the end of winter and the start of spring. I know it is premature but days in the 50's tells me better weather is just around the corner.

There is so much going on with the club, Norwegian classes, Rosemaling, the opportunity for an upcoming wood carving class and making an Indiana Bunad and planned outings coming up throughout the coming seasons. I often think it is good that I am retired as I would not have time for all of it.

Our next meeting is on March 8<sup>th</sup> at King of Glory at noon. It will be a pitch in. For our program we are asking each of our members to bring something that they have from Norway and talk about what makes it special to you. It can be something from a grandparent or parent or even something you purchased yourself. It is always interesting to see what people bring.

As usual our Lutefisk dinner was a success, I want to thank Thor, Mary Jane and Mary Kate, Jerry and Stan Pederson for all the help with preparing the meal. Berit for the kolrabi and Alice and Kathy for picking up the cake for dessert.

Our program was presented by many of the participants from the Hurtigruten trip, a huge thank you to Thor for pulling it all together.

We made \$92.40 from our silent auction, and hopefully some on the Lutefisk meal.

I hope everyone is looking forward to spring as I am.

Sincerely,

Nancy

# GETTING TO KNOW YOU



# Calendar of Events

March/April 2025

- March 8      Noon: Pitch in meal  
Program: Show and tell Norwegian heirlooms
- March 13     4:30 Intermediate Zoom Norsk Class  
7:30 Beginner Zoom Norsk Class
- March 27.    4:30 Intermediate Zoom Norsk Class  
7:30 Beginner Zoom Norsk Class
- April 10.     4:30 Intermediate Zoom Norsk Class  
7:30 Beginner Zoom Norsk Class
- April 12.     8:00 a.m. Field trip to stave church and nature preserve in  
Fountain County. (Western Indiana using I-74). Carpooling  
available. Lunch at local diner. More details forthcoming.
- April 24.     4:30 Intermediate Zoom Norsk Class  
7:30 Beginner Zoom Norsk Class



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