

St. James News

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If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
1 John 1:9

Dear Saints of St. James, I am sorry. Will you please forgive me? For what, you may say? Well, for not going about the ministry of membership the best I can. I have failed to reach many who have at one time worshiped here and have neglected to make the attempt to provide for them the best pastoral care I can provide. For that, I ask for your forgiveness.

Now, with that, I need your help. I need you to help me make contact with those who wish to be under the care of the ministry of St. James. Further, I need your help making contact with those who may wish to no longer be under the care of the ministry of St. James. How can you help? By reaching out to those you know who have at one time been a part of St. James and simply find out how they are doing. Invite them to church. Encourage them to set up a time to come and speak with me or give me a call.

Lest you think I am throwing this all on you, rest assured that I will be making every attempt to reach out as well. It will take time and patience and perhaps working through some difficult conversations, but that's ministry, and in the end, I simply wish to know who I am caring for.

So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. Galatians 6:10

With that, here's another area in which I could use your help. Some have been hurt. Some have struggles that aren't necessarily related to something that has happened at St. James or with a pastor. Some deal with stuff that none of us even realize. It's easy to recall a name of a particular child of God who hasn't been around and simply deduce that they must have a problem with the church. Sure, there are some strained relationships as such, but there are also some who simply are dealing with other matters. If you know of such a person, please let me know. If there is a reason that they are unable to get to church, then I would like to communicate to them that the church can come to them.

Now, for those who are faithful in attendance to Word and Sacrament as well as Bible Study and fellowship, thank you. Please be encouraged as you are edified by the blessing of being filled with God's truth regularly. Encourage others to do the same in a loving manner and invite them to join you.

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work. 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Bible Study is important. No, that doesn't mean you have to be here on Sunday mornings for Bible study, but it certainly is a great choice! As I like to refer to it, Bible Study on Sunday mornings is the second part of your worship life. You receive the blessing of God's Word as you attend worship, and in Bible Study, you can grapple with it a bit more as we converse and dive deeper into what God's Word is telling us and how it guides our lives. I know there are plenty of excuses in the book for not being in Bible Study, but let's be honest, in the end, they are just that - excuses. Come. Give it a try. Bring your Bible and partake in a great opportunity to nurture your faith a little more.

Finally, as summer beings to bear its warmth, I simply wish to encourage you to maintain your faithful attendance and stewardship here at St. James or wherever you find yourself to be. If you are heading out on vacation and need help finding a place to worship, let me know, I'd be glad to help. God's blessings to you all.

And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Colossians 3:14-1.

Our Church Records

Church Attendance

Palm Sunday	143 & 183
Easter Sunday	178 & 153
Sunday, April 16	116 & 60
Sunday, April 23	116 & 83
Sunday, April 30	103 & 116
Sunday, May 7	135 & 69
Sunday, May 14	78 & 83
Sunday, May 21	95 & 124

Communion Attendance

Palm Sunday	208
Easter Sunday	137
Sunday, April 16	44
Sunday, April 23	86

Funerals

Ruby Drusch on April 28, 2023. She was called to her eternal rest on April 17, 2023 at the age of 96 years, 5 months, and 8 days.

Russell (Russ) Miller on May 26, 2023. He was called to his eternal rest on May 22, 2023 at the age of 52 years, 4 months, and 23 days.

Baptism

Nayvie Jean Laage daughter of Travis and Amy Laage on April 14, 2023 by Pastor Loder. She was born on March 11, 2014.

Codee Jean Laage daughter of Travis and Amy Laage on April 14, 2023 by Pastor Loder. She was born on August 21, 2015.

Tilly Jean Laage daughter of Travis and Amy Laage on April 14, 2023 by Pastor Loder. She was born on March 1, 2017.

NEW MEMBER

Ashlee Gruenhagen joined on May 1, 2023.

Transfer Out

Brody Hatcher to St. Johns Lutheran Church, Winsted, MN on April 17, 2023.

Request of Release

Jeff Lehner was released to St. Mary's Catholic Church, Waverly, MN on April 17, 2023.

✝ *Bible Trivia* ✝

See answers below

1. How were Isaac and Ishmael related?
2. Who died when thrown from a window?
3. Where does a prophet have least honor?
4. Complete the following sentence of Jesus with three words: "The very hairs on your head..."
5. Who in the Bible said: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."?

Answers: 1. Half brother (Genesis 16:15, 21:3) 2. Jezebel (2 Kings 9:30-33) 3. In his own hometown (or country or house) (Matthew 13:57, Luke 24:24) 4. "are all numbered." (Matthew 10:30) 5. Paul (Philippians 4:13)



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

God's blessing to this year's high school seniors. Kaitlynn Bickmann, Ella Bobrowske, Collin Boese, Colton Diers, Taylor Drusch, Kaylee Lanars, Lance Luchsinger, Madisyn Remer, and Madisen Stillwell.

Dearest saints of St. James,

It really does seem like only yesterday that I was being installed here as the vicar this past July 10. Pastor Loder wasn't doing much exaggerating when he told me, "As soon as the school year starts, your vicarage is done." The time really has flown that quickly.

Honestly, even last April 26 when my placement was announced doesn't seem all that long ago either. Having absolutely no idea what church or town or district or state would be called after our names, anyone could have ended up here and any of us could have been sent anywhere else.

Yet I was blessed to hear it read after my name, "St. James Lutheran Church and School. Howard Lake, Minnesota. Minnesota South District," and to finally meet you all just a couple months later.

I am so thankful that I was given this opportunity to serve here among this group of saints. I've never before seen or received the kind of support this generous congregation has provided to me. It has been such a blessing to serve at a congregation and under a pastor so dedicated to the pure proclamation of God's Word, the right administration of the Sacraments, and to educating its youth. Far more surprising than the location or anything else when I heard my placement announced was the "*and School*"! It hadn't quite registered that it was even a possibility until I heard those words! And what an experience and opportunity that turned out to be teaching religion for 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade throughout the year!

I would like to thank Pastor Loder for all the guidance and opportunities, always working to steer me in the proper direction and to learn

not just the "*what*," but the "*why*" and the "*how*". Having a faithful pastor as my supervisor and a strong model of what a pastor is and does, and who provides ample opportunity to serve and to preach is so vitally important for a vicar and that is exactly what I got this year!

It was also a great blessing and I am very thankful for everyone I got to work and collaborate with over this past year, whether through the school or boards or any other functions that helped to teach me how a church runs and how a school works.

And for everyone else I was able to build a relationship with, have conversations with, preach to and teach, or simply having been united together in the worship of our One True God who brings us peace amidst all the struggles and turmoil of this life, I thank the Lord for you.

It is not with any eagerness that I must depart from you, but eras close and seasons change, and you've been blessed with a new vicar as I continue my studies.

I won't forget the experience and blessing that has been this past year and I will continue to hold all of you at St. James in my prayers as I give thanks to God for all of you! And yet in the meantime, I am still blessed with these final days among you and look forward to all that lies ahead.

In Christ,

Vicar Scofield



THE KEY TO GROWING CLOSER TO OTHERS IS BY GROWING CLOSER TO GOD. (Genesis 1)

June 11

"Strength Out of Weakness"

The human 'heroes' of the Bible are normal people, deeply flawed and dearly loved by the God Who made them. (Judges 6:14-16)

June 18

"Just Around the Corner"

Dr. Michael Zeigler discovers a place where God's love is being poured, just around the corner. (Romans 5:1-11)

June 25

"Tears, Fires, and a Song"

Despite their tears, prophetic Christians are on fire with the Word of God and always have a song to sing. We embody both the deep sadness and the unrelenting commitment of the God we serve, and we never lack a reason for praise. (Jeremiah 20:7-13)

Lutheran Women's Missionary League

Vicar Scofield opened our April 3rd meeting with a Bible study form the Quarterly entitled "Gods Chosen People, Yesterday & Today". It is a great blessing to be called God's children and we are to share His story of love, grace and salvation.

The business meeting was led by President Barb. Several names have been added to the funeral reserve lunch worker list as a result from the bulletin request. Thank you to all that donated socks to be given to Wright County Community Action to be distributed to those in need. Spring Rally at St. James April 22. The National LWML Convention to be held in Milwaukee June 22-25.

St. James LWML was host for the Litchfield Zone LWML Spring Rally held April 22nd beginning at 9:00 AM with registration and refreshments followed by the program with guest speaker Missionary Coral Rose. She spoke on the theme "I Love to Tell the Story" and her mission work in Ghana and South Africa. Your story is waiting to share God's Word!! Lunch and fellowship followed.

17 members and 17 guest gathered May 1st for our special Mother-Daughter meeting. Barb opened with devotions on the nurturing and sacrificial traits of motherhood. Our guest speaker Jaselyn Utecht presented an inspirational talk of her life's journeys, family and motherhood and stressed that God is our foundation and the importance of trusting wholly on Him in all circumstances. A delicious lunch of sandwiches and fruit was enjoyed followed by the sharing of various treasures from our mothers and grandmothers. Barb led a brief meeting. A motion to give Gifts from the Heart collected at the Spring Rally which were children's Bible story books to 3 Day Care and Pre-Schools; St. James Howard Lake, St. John's Buffalo and Good Shepherd Free Lutheran Church in Cokato. Our June 5th meeting will be a Farewell message from Vicar Scofield.

This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24



June: Marcus Bureau (1), Dorothy Koosman (3), Lily Deboer (2), Vicky Glessing (2), Mason Henning (2), Kelli Miller (2), April Koosman (3), Thomas Krohn (3), Cody Lemke (3), Steve Weber (3), Mason Anderson (4), Mark Drusch (5), Brian Lemke (5), Margaret Marketon (5), Dean Merges (5), Kimberly Helmbrecht (6), Ryan Muldoon (6), David Swanson (6), Debbie Gilbert (7), Jamie Remer (7), Jacob Zander (7), Darlene Kliche (8), Devan Stoll (8), Michael Uecker (8), Tonya Whitton (8), Melissa Eckhoff (9), Jerod Johnson (9), Joel Koch (9), Stacey Smida (9), Shirley Diers (10), Justin Hassa (10), Steven Heber (10), Corey Munson (10), Randy Hausladen (11), Robert Hausladen (11), Dorothy Buttenhoff (12), Marit Gueningsman (12), Stacey Heaver (12), Stacy Hirsch (12), Jeremy Peterson (12), Jeffery Schmieg (12), Lesley Stueven (12), Blake Peterson (13), Kelly Salmela (13), Patricia Gabbert (14), Randall (14), John Lind (14), Ricky Hausladen (15), Max Kittock (15), Lynette Kleve (15), Craig Maas (15), Kobey Woolhouse (15), Bryon Marketon (16), Destiny Skiles (16), Luke Zander (16), Kayti Heber (17), Courtney Smith (17), Carsen Stillwell (17), Macy Yager (17), Patty Diers (19), Chad Rasmussen (19), Jaidyn Wikoff (19), Zachary Hirsch (20), Nicole Knick (20), Jason Koch (20), Terry Ostgulen (20), Tami Zander (20), Caleb Diers (21), Peyton Long (21), Delores Glessing (23), Macee Miller (20), Eleanor Montgomery (23), Brian Krienke (24), Thomas Kittock (25), Alexander Stueven (25), Heather Zimmerman (25), Abigail Miller (26), Ian Davis (27), Robert Schendel (27), Heath Wieseler (27), Joshua Diers (28), Carly Stueven (28), Tylor Sullivan (28), Declan Zillmer (28), Jonah Reich (29), Dellarae Brabec (30), Seena Glessing (30), Alexis Hoskins (30), Aubrey Marketon (30) **July:** Logan Cardinal (1), Annita Power (1), Julie Smith (1), Colby Zillmer (1), LuAnn Ryks (2), Zachary Thorson (2), Lisa Johnson (3), Jacob Kieser (3), Anika Monson (3), Cari Schmieg (3), Richard Birkholz (4), John Brown (4), Madison Gueningsman (4), Austin Uecker (4), Randy Dalbec (5), Casey Diers (5), Arnold Hechsel (5), Janell Koch (5), Loren Wegner (5), Zoie Drake (6), Dean Lemke (6), Marjorie Helinske (7), Astrid Glessing (8), Kelsey Kieser (8), Teresa Schmieg (8), Megan Wiegand (8), Christopher Horsch (9), Cole Stillwell (9), Nathan Kotila (10), Paul Lindahl (11), Alexa Schumann (11), Jim Yukel (11), Daryl Buttenhoff (12), Pat Grangroth (12), Heidi Gulso (12), Greta Schlagel (13), Chase Main (14), Alyssa Stoll (14), Richard Streich (14), Wayne Schumann (15), Eric Stoll (15), LaVonne Burkett (16), Brycen Diers (16),

Jill Kittock (16), Charla Alexander (17), Becky Hagemann (17), Jack Montgomery (17), Michael Stueven (18), Roy Bakeberg (19), Brandon Diers (19), Hathaway Kritzeck (20), Kelly Reich (20), Bonnie Bistodeau (21), Luke Dahl (21), Michelle Droneck (21), Tyler Gruenhagen (21), Carolyn Kotila (21), Tammy Oestreich (21), John Scheuch (21), Julie Linder (22), Riley Bickmann (23), Lucas Kilpela (23), Carson Woolhouse (23), Clark Hassa (24), Peyton Helmbrecht (24), Brooke Gabbert (25), Aaron Horsch (25), Russell Gruenhagen (26), Julia Muldoon (26), Jonathan Smith (26), Wayne Birkholz (27), Mackenzie Helmbrecht (27), Emerson Diers (28), Eloise Doster (28), Linda Drusch (28), Erland Hoese (28), Fisher Laplant (28), Jenna Wiegert (28), Dustin Gustafson (30), Jason Hausladen (30), Lynn Burbank (31), Rhonda Grangroth (31), Jason Schmieg (31).



6/1 Wayne & Sharon Birkholz
 6/1 Dennis & Rhonda Frey
 6/2 Paul & Jodi Utne
 6/4 Paul & Belinda Eklof
 6/5 David & Lynn Burbank
 6/6 Daniel & Shayla Heller
 6/6 Robin & Mary Jo Painschab
 6/6 David & Annita Power
 6/11 Justin & Sara Niesen
 6/16 Kurt & Jodie Bobrowke
 6/16 Barrett & Karen Kirchenwitz
 6/16 Dean & Chris Koosman
 6/17 Jack & Marlene George
 6/20 Dale & Bonnie Engel
 6/23 Joshua & Kathy Stillwell
 6/24 Jeremy & Christine Cardinal
 6/24 David & Amanda Skiles
 6/27 Cody & Emily Long
 6/28 Andrew & Bilinda Jo Estrem
 6/29 Joseph & Bernice Pehl
 6/29 Wayne & Kelly Wiegand
 7/1 Jonathan & Brittney Menden
 7/8 Bernard & Margaret Marketon
 7/8 Steve & Bonni Weber
 7/8 Tim & Jaime Zander
 7/9 Brad & Jenna Davis
 7/9 Ryan & Kacy Muldoon
 7/10 David & Melissa Eckhoff
 7/12 Adam & Beth Koch
 7/13 Justin & Anglea Gabbert
 7/17 Lon & Michelle Droneck
 7/18 Daryl & Dorothy Buttenhoff
 7/18 Dustin & Katherine Gustafson
 7/19 Steve & Kim Koosman
 7/19 Terry & LaNette Thorson
 7/22 Jed & Tami Zander
 7/25 John & Darlene Lind
 7/26 David & Samantha Zillmer

Our Parish Nurse

GREETINGS TO ALL,

This summer season brings so many family celebrations and times of get togethers with neighbors and friends. After a long winter, and a long covid lock-down it is a pleasure to be out and about. I pray you will be able to enjoy each moment with loved ones. As you enjoy the out-of-doors, please be aware of the chance of contacting ticks that can attach themselves very quickly. When walking in tall grass or in a wooded area, wear long sleeved shirts and long pants. This will prevent ticks from getting onto the skin. Check yourself carefully after walking into an area that may have the ticks. Forecasters have predicted a highly likely large crop of ticks and mosquitoes due to the higher amount of rain.

ANOTHER AREA TO BE AWARE OF IS SKIN CANCER:

Skin Cancer is America's most common cancer. There are over 5 million cases of skin cancers diagnosed in the United States each year. Sadly, it is one of the most PREVENTABLE cancers.

Some Facts regarding skin cancer:

The biggest danger is unprotected sun exposure. Being aware of skin changes, especially in moles. Skin cancer is the cancer you can see! You can check yourself- look for

1. Anything new
2. Anything changing
3. Anything unusual.

1 out of 5 Americans will develop skin cancer by age of 70 years.

What is Skin Cancer?

It is the out of control growth of abnormal cells in the epidermis (the outermost skin layers) caused by unrepaired DNA damage that triggers mutations. These mutations lead the skin cells to multiply rapidly and form malignant tumors. The main types of skin cancers are Basal Cell carcinomas, Squamous cell carcinomas, melanomas and Markel cell carcinomas.

What do they look like?

It looks different in each person due to skin tone, size and type of cancer and the location on the body.

Causes: Main one is the Sun's harmful ultraviolet rays. The second highest cause is the use of UV tanning beds.

Considering the most common skin cancer: Basal Cell Carcinoma, as is the good news with any of the cancers, if caught early, can be treated with little or no scaring and good chance of eliminating the cancer.

The most dangerous is the Melanoma. This cancer resembles moles and sometimes develop from a mole. Can appear on any part of the body. Usually not typically due to exposure to the sun.

Just a few facts on Merkel Cell Carcinoma: It is rare, but aggressive. Usually appears on the head and neck as tumors. Painless and on a sun-exposed area. Can be on an eyelid. The cause is associated with a virus called the Merkel cell polyomavirus. Often fair skinned individuals over the age of 50. Early detection and treatment are crucial due to the high risk of recurring and spreading.

What to do to prevent or decrease the risk of developing any of these cancers?

Use a sunscreen (broad spectrum) with an SPF of at least 15 +

Wear sunglasses when outdoors.

Wear a wide brimmed hat when outdoors.

Protective window film in car and home.

Annual skin exam by a medical provider, as well as self exam, healthy diet.

If you are diagnosed with any type of cancer-different types of treatment will or should be offered. Ask questions. Be your own advocate and fight for yourself.

Wishing you a healthy and joy filled summertime. See you in church for worship!

Your Parish Nurse,
Darlene

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

LCMS Stewardship Ministry –stewardship
Newsletter Article – June 2023

What Do You Want?

One of the best-known and most-beloved psalms is Psalm 23, the “Shepherd Psalm.” There we learn that the Lord is our Shepherd. And since He is our Shepherd, we will not want. We will not suffer want because the Lord, our Shepherd, will lead us to green pastures and beside still waters. In other words, the Lord, our Shepherd, will provide for all that we need in both body and soul.

Yet, we live as though this is not the case. We live as though we actually suffer from want, that the Lord, our Shepherd, will not provide for all that we need. And thus, we live as though the Lord is not our Shepherd. And that means that we live as though we are not the Lord’s sheep.

When do we live as though the Lord is not our Shepherd? When we put anything else before Him and His provision for us. When we think that going to work is more important than receiving His gifts in church on Sunday (in violation of the First and Third Commandments). When we fail to give generously of the first fruits of what the Lord has provided for us because we don’t know what the future will bring (even though He has promised that He will lead us to green pastures and still waters).

We live as though we are not the Lord’s sheep when we think that the Lord is only in the business of helping those who will help themselves. We act this way because our minds are set on earthly, temporal things and not on heavenly, eternal things. We act this way

because we have stopped hearing the call of our Shepherd, which comes through His Word.

Through the Word of God, the Shepherd calls us to Himself. Through the Word, the Holy Spirit gathers and enlightens us with His gifts. Through the Word, we are kept holy and nourished in the one true faith, the faith that follows our Shepherd wherever He leads us. He promises to lead us to our true home, to the land flowing with milk and honey, to a better country, not of this world, but a heavenly one.

And so, here’s the Good News: the Lord is your Shepherd, even and especially for wayward sheep. For Jesus seeks and saves those who are lost. He finds the lost sheep and carries them back to the fold. He is the Shepherd who lays down His life for His sheep. The Lord is your Shepherd. Let us live as His sheep.

– LCMS Stewardship Ministry

The end of another school year has come upon us! What a great year we had as we learned so much by way of academics as well as God's love for His children under the theme of "Making Disciples for Life." Such a blessing it is to have a mission of providing a solid Christian education for many families in this and surrounding communities.

This year, we faithfully served 113 students and at last count are looking forward to serving the same next year. It is likely that we will gain a few more over the summer months. Please help continue to spread the word about St. James! Though our 8th-grade class only had two students this year, our next year's 8th-grade class has 6 students at the moment, with 9 7th-grade students. From 6th grade down to Preschool our class sizes are about 15 students. Again, a tremendous blessing St. James is!

A tremendous thank you to all who continue to support St. James School above and beyond your regular stewardship. From volunteers, prayer, and financial support, we could not do all we do without such support. Though quite below our campaign goal of raising \$75,000 to help offset the unbalanced projections for this year, there is still time to contribute. The campaign will go through the end of July. The current amount raised is just under \$20,000 – which is a fantastic blessing! – so if you know of any grant opportunities or businesses that could work St. James into their charitable giving plans, please talk with Pastor Loder. And, if you are willing to help above and beyond your regular stewardship, please consider doing so. Thank you for your consideration.

So many great things occurred during the school year from various field trips to local attractions to some further away such as the Minnesota Orchestra and the Minnesota Zoo gave our students wonderful opportunities to learn outside of the classroom. Various events within the school building also provide great opportunities for the students to interact across the grade levels giving the older students leadership opportunities and the younger students a big buddy up to whom they can look. And, it was a blessing to head to the care center a couple of times to share the gift of music with the residents.

As we look forward to next fall, we are gearing up for our re-accreditation site-team visit as St. James seeks to maintain accreditation through National Lutheran Schools Accreditation. This is a great opportunity for all the teachers and staff to take a close look at the curriculum and various practices within the school, ensuring that we are putting forth the best we can as we seek to faithfully equip and empower families and students through Christ.

If you happen to come across any of our teachers this summer, please take the time to thank them for all they do. Teaching is a blessing and a challenge. They all put a great amount of effort, care, and love into what they do. There are so many hours of work they put into their days that go unseen by many. And though they will tell you they don't do it for the praise, they, nonetheless do well to hear that they are appreciated. We praise God for them.

Thank you for your continued support of St. James School – your primary mission in this and surrounding communities. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to chat with Pastor.

June

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 1:30 Sarah Bible Study	2	3
4 The Holy Trinity 8:00 Divine Service 9:15 Bible Study 10:30 Divine Service	5 7:00 LWML Meeting 7:30 Trustees	6 Parish Nurse in Office	7 7:00 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Adult Catechesis	8	9	10 7:00 Iron Sharpening Breakfast 9:00 Elders Meeting
11 First Sunday after Trinity 8:00 Divine Service 9:15 Bible Study 10:30 Divine Service	12 1:00 Naomi Guild	13 Parish Nurse in Office 9:00 Circuit Pastors	14 7:00 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Adult Catechesis	15 1:30 Sarah Bible Study	16	17
18 Second Sunday after Trinity 8:00 Divine Service 9:15 Bible Study 10:30 Divine Service	19 7:00 School Board	20 Parish Nurse in Office 7:00 Leadership Council	21 7:00 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Adult Catechesis	22	23	24
VBS-God's Living Water						
Summer Begins						
25 Third Sunday after Trinity 8:00 Divine Service 9:15 Bible Study 10:30 Divine Service	26	27	28 7:00 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Adult Catechesis	29	30	

WORSHIP SERVICE INFORMATION — JUNE 2023

Elders: 8:00 AM Alan Montgomery and Harold Blanchette
10:30 AM Dean Koosman and Jeff Diers
Ushers: 8:00 AM Dennis Frey, Jack George, Mert Diers, Paul Lindahl
10:30 AM Allan Munson, Derek Nikko
Video Camera: Jeff Schmieg

Sunday, June 4, 2023

Color: White
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Is. 6:1-7, Rom. 11:33-36, John 3:1-15 (16-17)
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: John 3:1-15 (16-17)
Hymns: 506, 507, 802
Communion Hymns: 761, 571, 580
Organist: Nancy Butterfass

Sunday, June 11, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Gen. 15:1-6, 1 John 4:16-21, Luke 16:19-31
Sermon: Vicar Scofield
Sermon Text: Luke 16:19-31
Hymns: 768, 708, 748
Communion Hymns: 744, 588, 700
Organist: Luke Dahl

Sunday, June 18, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Prov. 9:1-10, Eph. 2:13-22, Luke 14:15-24
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: Luke 14:15-24
Hymns: 904, 623, 680
Communion Hymns: 622, 628, 632
Organist: Molly Loder

Sunday, June 25, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Micah 7:18-20, 1 Tim. 1:12-17, Luke 15:1-10
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: Luke 15:1-10
Hymns: 737, 608, 814
Communion Hymns: 687, 802, 635
Organist: Nancy Butterfass

WORSHIP SERVICE INFORMATION — JULY 2023

Elders: 8:00 AM Bill Wickesberg and Tom Johnson
10:30 AM Alan Montgomery and Harold Blanchette
Ushers: 10:30 AM Mark Diers, Jeff Diers, Al Montgomery, Peter Zander, Chris Zander, Jeff Kilpela, Mike Sparkman
Video Camera: Jeff Schmieg

Sunday, July 2, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Is. 11:1-5, Rom. 12:9-16, Luke 1:39-45
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: Luke 1:39-45
Hymns: 901, 611, 918
Communion Hymns: 725, 915, 706
Organist: Molly Loder

Sunday, July 16, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Ex. 20:1-17, Rom. 6:(1-2) 3-11, Matt. 5:(17-19) 20-16
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: Matt. 5:(17-19) 20-16
Hymns: 579, 562, 918
Communion Hymns: 637, 605, 581
Organist: Nancy Butterfass

Sunday, July 9, 2023

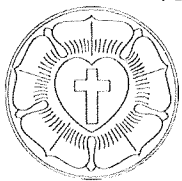
Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: 1 Kings 19:11-21, 1 Cor. 1:18-25, Luke 5:1-11
Sermon: Pastor Loder
Sermon Text: Luke 5:1-11
Hymns: 902, 718, 922
Communion Hymns: 631, 632, 643
Organist: Luke Dahl

Sunday, July 23, 2023

Color: Green
Liturgy: Pg. 184
Communion: Both
Lessons: Gen. 2:7-17, Rom. 6:19-23, Mark 8:1-9
Sermon:
Sermon Text: Mark 8:1-9
Hymns: 905, 849, 917
Communion Hymns: 625, 642, 629
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