

Program for the Week of May 28 – June 4, 2023

Sunday:

8:00 Worship
9:15 Bible Class
10:30 Worship
4:30 Book Club

Monday: *Office Closed*

Tuesday:

10:00 Staff Meeting
7:00 Worship Service on KTV

Wednesday:

2:00 Worship Service on KTV

Thursday:

9:00 Private Confession
9:30 Ruth/Lydia Bible Study Circle
10:00 Bulletin Deadline for June 4th
AND June 11th

Friday:

Saturday:

Next Sunday:

8:00 Worship
9:00 Coffee Time
9:15 Bible Class
10:30 Worship
5:05 Moon Dogs Game

NEW SUMMER SERVICE SCHEDULE! We will be moving to one worship service at 9:00 AM, followed by summer Sunday School and Bible study at 10:20. The start date for this new schedule is Sunday, June 11th.

About the Cover: Though the seventy elders of Israel did not continue to prophesy, two men in the camp did when the Spirit rested upon them. On Pentecost, the Lord again caused His Spirit to rest on His people as divided tongues of fire. However, the apostles did not cease prophesying in His name. though not in the same ways as the first Pentecost, the same Spirit has continued to rest upon the Lord's Church as He sends her out into the world with the same proclamation of the saving world of Christ's forgiveness.

Our Savior's Book Club meets from 4:30 – 6pm in the Fireplace room tonight, Sunday, May 28th. We will continue our discussion of Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. Tonight we will discuss volume 1, chapters 15 - 23. If you have any questions, please speak with Pastor Matheny.

Early Bulletin Deadline: Please note, bulletin announcements for both the June 4th and June 11th bulletin are due by Thursday, June 1st at 10am. Thank you.

Please join Our Savior's family for Faith Night at the Moon Dogs, Sunday, June 4th, at 5:05pm. \$5 per ticket, add a meal voucher for \$4 more (hot dog, chips, & pop). Handicap seating available. Sign up in the Narthex or call Lindsey Marso at 507-382-6168. **Sign-up deadline is TODAY, Sunday, May 28th.**

Ruth/Lydia Bible Study Circle meets Thursday, June 1st in the Fireplace room at 9:30am for fellowship and refreshments, with Bible study beginning at 9:45am. Our study from the Spring *Quarterly*, "Chosen for a Purpose" is on page 20. Visitors, Guests, you all come.

Student Scholarships Available: Our Savior Endowment Fund has scholarship money available for students in our congregation who will be attending CCA this fall. Scholarship money is also available for post secondary student members of our congregation who plan to pursue a career in full-time church work. Application forms need to be completed and submitted by July 15, for the upcoming academic school year. Forms are available in the church office. Please contact Rob Hobbs, chairperson of the Endowment Board, for more information at 507-340-6313.

Anyone interested in placing flowers for our worship services in June, please contact Marlys Snelson, 507-340-4235.

Supplies needed: Gallon size Ziplock bags, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, gently used washcloths and hand towels, Travel size: body wash, lotion, shampoo, and conditioner. Please bring any supplies to the Mission Center. Thank you! – Mission Service

Remember to choose your 8 from the new 45 Mission Mite Grants for 2023-2025.

Christian Reading Materials are for you, the Summer Quarterly, the large print Quarterly, the WOM, the Lutheran Layman Magazine, Sagacity, coloring pages and other new materials are available in the Narthex and the Mission Center.

Prayer Shawl: If you, or someone you know, may find comfort in a Prayer Shawl, please call Marcella B. Eilders, 507-317-4127.

S.A.G.E.S. Board Meeting is Tuesday, June 6th, 10am, at the District office. Volunteers are still needed. Come check it out, you may want to be the next volunteer. Catered lunch will follow the meeting. Call Trudy if you have any questions, 507-327-7082.

District Retreat: Mark your calendar now, September 16th, at the new Omega Lodge at Camp Omega.

Hear The Lutheran Hour every Sunday on radio station WCCO (830) at 6:00 a.m., KDHL (920) at 6 p.m., or KJLY (107.1) at 6 p.m. You can also listen any time on your computer at www.lhm.org. Click on "Hear This Week's Sermon".

From the Stewardship Committee: Acts 2:1 – “When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place.” Pentecost is the Old Testament harvest festival, taking place around the time when the wheat and oats are ready to be brought in. Of course, this was an image and foreshadowing of the great harvest of humankind that God means to carry out through the preaching of His Word, God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest. From first to last, in things temporal and things eternal, we stand only by His grace.

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Main Street Living airs each Sunday at 9am on WFTC Channel 29/9-2. This week’s *This is the Life* episode, “The Main Event” features a boxer who is hit by a car and becomes embittered until he meets a cheerful 8-year-old girl. The worship service begins at 9:30am with Rev. Dr. Dwayne Lueck, President of the North Wisconsin District of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, who will present a Pentecost Sunday message. For more information or to watch the program, go to www.mainstreetliving.com and select the “Twin Cities” tab.

Orphan Grain Train is in need of Disaster Relief items; please bring them to the Mission Center. Items needed: Duct tape, large tarps, bleach, mosquito nets, body wipes, paper towels, toilet paper, garbage bags, Ziploc bags (for storing cell phones), paper plates, non-perishable food in cans, bags of rice, peanut butter, new socks, bug spray, bags or boxes of rags/towels for cleanup. Thank you.

Martin Luther High School is pleased to invite all to the 38th Baccalaureate and Commencement Service for the Class of 2023 at 2pm on Sunday, May 28th in the Lutheran Activity Center at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School. Commencement speaker is Pastor John Henry. Salutatorian is Sutton Bohlsen and the Valedictorian is Jakob Fischer. The Class Verse is “Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.” Matthew 6:34.

Perennial Plant Sale, Bake Sale, and Rummage Sale: Immanuel Lutheran School, 50605 478th Street, Courtland. Friday, June 2nd from 8am to 8pm, and Saturday, June 3rd from 8am to 2pm. \$5 bag sale on Saturday. This is a fundraiser for the school. We appreciate your support!

Apologetics and Worldviews Conference at Bethany Lutheran College, Mankato. *A Culture of Deception? Equipping Christians with Truth & Love in Tumultuous Times*, Wednesday, June 21 (7-9pm) and Thursday, June 22 (10:30am – 2:30pm) in person or anywhere via livestream video. You are invited to this free event. Topics: Equipped with Words and Works of Love in an Angry and Frightened World; Equipped for the Worldview Battlefield in the Classroom and the Workplace; and Equipped to Steer Difficult Conversations toward Truth and Gentleness and Respect. For more information, visit: www.blc.edu/apologetics2023.

A Summer Art Camp will be held at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School, Northrop on Monday, June 12; Wednesday, June 14 and Thursday, June 15. Sessions are 9:30-11:30 a.m. for Grades 1-4 and 12:30-3:30 p.m. for grades 5-9. Instructor is Kim Koppen. Cost is \$50. Registration can be done at www.martinlutherhs.com.

The Play It Again Golf Benefit for the Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School Music Department will be held on Saturday, June 17 at Interlaken Golf Course in Fairmont. Registration begins at 12:15pm with a 1pm shotgun start. It is a two-person best ball tournament. Cost is \$80/golfer. Advance registration is needed at www.martinlutherhs.com.

Welcome to Our Savior's Lutheran Church! We are Christians gathered around the unchanging Word and Gifts of Jesus Christ which give forgiveness and salvation now and forever. Our Savior has more than enough blessings for everyone and promises that He will turn no one away. Please let us know who you are and how we can serve you by completing a registration card found in the seat backs and placing it in the offering plate at the entrances to the sanctuary.

At Our Savior Lutheran Church we live to make Christ known.

Monthly Memory Verse:

For sin will have no dominion over you,
since you are not under law but under grace.
Romans 6:14

Weekly Discussion Question:

How can being freed from judgment affect how you view things?

Holy Communion: Jesus promised that it was to our advantage that He go away and send the Holy Spirit for His church (John 16:7). That advantage became immediately evident on Pentecost as the Holy Spirit empowered the preaching of repentance and forgiveness and employed the use of baptism and the Lord's Supper to build the church of Christ (Acts 2). The Holy Spirit is still acting for our advantage as Christ comes to us with His true body and blood in the sacrament of Holy Communion today. Those who understand the meaning of communion and wish to receive it today are asked to review the statement on the back of the registration card.

Serving today:

Liturgist & Preacher Rev. Adam M. Matheny
Organist Edith Williams
Special Music..... Brass
Elder of the Day [8:00] Dave Hendley; [10:30] Mike Blomquist
Acolytes [8:00] Carson Kettner; Madison Kettner
..... [10:30] Olivia Naumann; Izzy Prince
A/V Tech Zak Tess