

FIRST THINGS

Lutheran Church



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July 2016

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Luther's Eatery

NEEDS YOU! during Prairie Pioneer Days ~ July 9th & 10th

We need a lot of volunteers....from cashiers to fryers, pie bakers to clean-up workers, to help make the booth a success. Please sign up for your choice of jobs in the Narthex.

Work days for pie making have been scheduled the following two days:

Thursday, July 7th at 8:30am to make pie crust

Friday, July 8th at 8:30am to make 100 pies

Any and all willing to lend a hand (and a pair of good strong arms)
is encouraged to help at one or both days.



POLKA WORSHIP

*Come and join us for a very special
Polka Worship Service!*

Sunday, July 31st at 1:00pm at East Side Park

(there will be NO 9:00am morning worship service at church)

Our musical guests will be the Wendinger Polka Band
from New Ulm! (This band is considered one of the premier
Polka bands in the upper mid-west!)

Following the service, stick around for an afternoon concert
of listening and dancing to all your favorite polka hits!
(concert will be about 2 hours)

Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and your friends! There will
be shade tents set up for added comfort and soft drinks and
water available for a nominal fee.

Come and be a part of this unique and FUN day
of worship and music! Invite all your friends!!!

Summer Worship Schedule

9:00am Worship

with Holy Communion

10:00am Coffee Hour



Join us for Summer Family Choir!

Come one, come all for a fun summer musical
opportunity! Once per month, singers of all ages
(bring the whole family!) are invited to take part in our
Summer Family Choir. We will meet at 8:00am in the
Fireside Room to learn an anthem and will sing that
same Sunday in worship....it's as easy as that! We
hope you will take part in this fun summer ministry!
***The upcoming dates for Summer Family Choir will
be July 10 and August 14.*** We look forward to
singing with you!

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Hey gang! I hope that those of you who attended the Lock-In have recovered all your lost sleep! Thanks to all of you who came and special thanks to Ann Erdahl for making that great French Toast breakfast and Becca Holland for all her chaperoning assistance! It was a fun time and we WILL do it again!

JULY YOUTH TRIP TO MINNEAPOLIS / ST. PAUL

On Friday and Saturday, July 15th / 16th we will be traveling to the twin cities to attend a Twins baseball game on Friday night and then go to Valley Fair on Saturday! We will be staying at Luther Seminary after the game and before we depart for Valley Fair on Saturday. We will tour the seminary and have a prayer service in the oldest church built by Norwegian immigrants exclusively for worship in this land. Built in the 1840's at the Muskego settlement in Wisconsin, in 1904 Muskego Chapel was taken apart piece by piece and reassembled on the grounds of Luther Seminary in St. Paul. We will then travel to Shakopee for a fun day at Valley Fair, arriving back in Morris around 8:30pm.

We will do our sign up like we did with the lock in and you can e-mail me at: revchristenson@yahoo.com. The cost will be \$40 per person to help cover the lodging, transportation, Twins ticket and Valley Fair admission. This is going to be a fun trip! You may invite a friend, but priority will be given to FLC youth as we have a limited number of seats on the vans.

YOUTH TO HELP OUT DURING PIONEER DAYS

As you know, First Lutheran church mans the "Luther's Eatery" booth during Prairie Pioneer Days at Eastside Park on July 9th and 10th. Although you do not need to sign up, any youth that can help out will be encouraged to do so. Come and help out for an hour or two or even all day if you want. Let's do our part to help our church!

CHAPARONES

We will be in need of at least two adult chaperones for the twin cities trip. One will need to be willing to drive one of the vans. Contact Pastor Dave if you are interested!

~Pastor Dave

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Summer Worship Schedule

(May 29—Sept 11)

9:00am Worship

10:00am Coffee Hour

Televised Services:

3:00pm on Monday and Thursday
on Channel 6 or 8

VBS DAY CAMP

Join us at Day Camp! We will be joining with Faith Lutheran for VBS this year.

Green Lake Bible Camp will be leading the youth for a week of fun!

Crafts, Bible stories, games, worship and more!!

August 1st-4th, 2016

9:00-11:45am for PreK and Kindergarten

9:00am-2:30pm for 1st through 6th grade

at Faith Lutheran Church, Morris



Please fill out the registration form on the back of this page and return to Faith Lutheran Church. Suggested (but not required) donation of \$10 per child (\$20 maximum per family).

A Typical Day at Day Camp! This is a rough outline to help give you an idea of what the day will look like. The schedule will be adjusted based on congregational needs and the number of kids attending.

9:00-9:30am	Registration / Welcome Activity
9:30-10:00am	Opening Worship
10:00-10:30am	Bible Study / Craft / Game Time (Rotation 1)
10:30-11:00am	Snack
11:00-11:30am	Bible Study / Craft / Game Time (Rotation 2)
11:30-12:00pm	Bible Study / Craft / Game Time (Rotation 3)
12:00-12:30pm	Lunch
12:30-1:00pm	Quiet Time Activity
1:00-1:30pm	Large Group Game
1:30-2:00pm	Closing Worship
2:00-2:30pm	Closing Activity / Dismissal

PLEASE NOTE: Children must be potty trained to attend the preschool session from 9:00-11:45pm each day. Parent should arrive to pick up preschoolers by 11:45am. All other children can be picked up at 2:30pm each day at Faith Lutheran Church.

"God—On the LOOSE!"

Look at the nations and see! Be astonished! Be astounded!

For a work is being done in your days!

—Habakkuk 1:5

2016 Vacation Bible School (VBS): Monday, August 1st - Thursday, August 4, 2016
held at Faith Lutheran Church, 108 West 8th St., Morris, MN

DAY CAMP REGISTRATION 2016

Please PRINT, complete and return to the church office.

Name of Camper: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: M or F Age: _____ Grade Completed: _____

Parent/Guardian(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Green Lake Lutheran Ministries is open to all, regardless of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age or handicap.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST AGREE AND SIGN:

"I give permission for my child to attend the Green Lake Lutheran Ministries Day Camp program, taking part in the normal program activities. I also authorize the camp to secure a doctor to provide any necessary emergency medical care. I also give permission of the use of photographs, video and electronic images including my child in camp promotion."

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____

Please DO NOT allow your child to bring iPods, MPS players, cell phones or hand held games to camp.

DAY CAMP HEALTH FORM

An examination by a physician is NOT needed, but please complete the following form for Green Lake Lutheran Ministries to have on file during the day camp week. This form is required by Minnesota State Law.

Health History: (check all that apply and give approximate date)

Diabetes: _____ Ear Infections: _____ Convulsions: _____

Asthma: _____ Rheumatic Fever: _____ Tetanus Booster: _____

Other: _____

Food Allergies: _____

Chronic or Recurring Illnesses: _____

Recent Injuries or Illnesses: _____

Medications to be brought to camp: _____

Family Doctor: _____ Phone: _____

If you are able, please donate \$10 per child or \$20 per family. Donation to be made to Faith Lutheran Church to help cover the costs for this fun VBS week.



Office Closed The church office will be closed on Fridays during the summer months.

Zipporah Bible will NOT be meeting during the summer months. We will begin again in September.

Women's Bible Study will meet on Tuesday, July 26th at 6:00pm in the First Lutheran Church Fireside Room. PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN DATE!

Men of Faith & First are invited to join in the Bible Study held at Faith Lutheran every Saturday morning at 8:00am. Coffee and donuts served...all are welcome!

Here's Your Chance to Make a Difference!
This summer we plan to replace the carpeting in the church offices, add a new Family Room and refurbish both the women's and men's bathrooms. The total cost is projected to be \$40,000. If you would like to support these projects, all donations are welcome and greatly appreciated! Donations can be dropped off or mailed to the church office.

Don't Forget Your Normal Sunday Giving!
Summer is a busy time of year, but please don't forget your normal Sunday giving. We need your support to keep things flowing. Your giving is important!!

Surplus Food Distribution July 19 and August 16 at the Morris Area High School. Distribution starts at 5:30pm and goes until food is gone. Simple qualifications...if you eat, you are eligible. All you need to do is fill out a brief survey about your household. Please bring boxes, bags or totes to carry your food. Want to volunteer at the distribution? Call 1-800-492-4805.

Open House 90th Birthday Celebration! All are welcome to an Open House Celebration in honor of Bernice Erdahl's 90th birthday. Saturday, July 9th from 12:00-2:00pm at the Morris Senior Citizen Center. No gifts please.

Open House 95th Birthday Celebration for Sylvia Yarger will be held on Saturday, July 9th from 1:00 to 4:00pm in the Cougar Room at Hotel 200 (Prairie Inn). Everyone is welcome!

Feed My Starving Children the Morris Area Churches will be holding the 9th Annual Feed My Starving Children Mobile Packing Event at the Morris Elementary School on August 16 & 17. Watch for more details on how you can volunteer!

One bedroom apartment available at West Central Christian Homes. Please contact Johnson Property Management at 320-589-2821 for more information.

VIOLIN, FIDDLE, GUITAR & PIANO LESSONS!

Where: First Lutheran Church
When: starting as soon as May 24
Instructor: Hannah Fuchs
Contact info: 320-290-2894 (cell)
or email: hrfiddle@hotmail.com
Cost: \$15 per 30 minute session
(\$12 discounted price for First Lutheran Church members)

First lesson (instrument fitting and sizing) is FREE!
During the summer months, lessons will be held on Tuesdays (11am-7pm) and Wednesdays (9am-6pm).
One 30 minute session per week is recommended.
When the school year begins in the fall, lesson times can be arranged to fit schedules.

BURGERS, BEVERAGES & BLESSINGS

Wednesday nights at 7pm

(meet at Met Lounge)

Please join us, along with Faith Lutheran, for *Burgers, Beverages and Blessings* every Wednesday night at the Met Lounge. We will sing hymns and songs of peoples' choice, have informal sharing and end in prayer. You can have a meal (\$5 burger and fries basket), drink beverage (yes, you can have a beer if you want), and be blessed by the fellowship.



MAY 2016

Monthly Budget	\$ 25,378.00
Actual	\$ 19,590.32
Needed Weekly	\$ 5,856.00

Don't miss our Church Without Walls Sunday! September 11, 2016



What is "Church Without Walls" Sunday?

It's an opportunity to celebrate who we are as the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA). One church, freed in Christ to serve and love our neighbor. We will gather to serve our community in ways that share the love of God with all of God's people. We are a church that rolls up our sleeves and gets to work! You work every day to love your neighbors and make your community a better place. Now let's do it together! Watch for more details in our upcoming newsletters!

Thanks to the Kindness Service Group for their upcoming help during the month of August as coffee hour servers, or any other special potluck.

Jon & Tabitha Amundson
Ryan & Laura Anderson
Doug Beyer
Earl & Evelyn Beyer
Gordon Dalseide
Kyle & Amy Dougherty
David & Yvonne Evenson

Jay & Joleen Hanson
Al & Elizabeth Harris
Dennis & Carole Johnson
Marge Kleinhans
Kristi Krusemark
Bruce & Laura McCormack
Brad & Ana Miller

Allen & Julie Monroe
Brandon & Christie Olhoft
Connie Randall
Jason & Selena Reed
Mick Rose
Ron & Deanna Rosen
Marilyn Smith

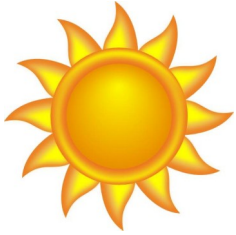
Paul & Kelsey Staples
Bob & Harriet Stevenson
Jim & Marian Thraen
Shirley Tullos
Jon & Shana Ulrich
Ward & Carol Voorhees
Steve & Sherri Wagner

Your help is much appreciated. Please take a moment to sign up on the bulletin board near the church office. Others are always welcome to serve if they wish. Please extend an invitation to your friends and family!

Support Missionary For A Day and honor a loved one ~ \$15.00/day

Pastor Tessa Moon-Leiseth and her family are ELCA missionaries serving in Pietermaritzburg, South Africa. Through our support they are able to share the Word and support families and friends in West Africa!

June 1	In memory of Florence Bremer from Dick & Deb Mahoney
June 3	In memory of Mary Jeanne Munsterman from Dick & Deb Mahoney
June 15	In honor of Zipporah Bible Study group
June 16	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Arlene Fellows
June 17	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Carol Day
June 18	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Cheryl Higgins
June 19	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Dick & Deb Mahoney
June 20	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Bernice Erdahl
June 21	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Evelyn Warnes
June 22	Happy Birthday Marvel Wagner from Cheryl Higgins
June 23	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Skip & Vicki Maanum from Emilie Brustuen
June 24	In memory of my son David from Sylvia Yarger
June 25	In honor of Eileen Kohlman's 90th birthday from Emilie Brustuen
June 27	Thank you to the twine giver from Ward & Carol Voorhees



Dealing with Heat Stress

Now that we are able to be outdoors more, we need to take precautions to avoid heat stress. Exposure to heat at 90 Fahrenheit and above can result in illnesses such as rashes, cramps, fatigue, strokes and even death. No matter what your reason for being outside, at work or at play, use the following precautions to prevent heat-related illnesses.

- **Drink plenty of water** before, after and during any physical activity. Water is the best fluid replenisher. Be aware that alcohol and beverages with caffeine (colas, ice teas, coffee, etc) can be dehydrating. Even though you may not feel thirsty, your body needs fluids. If you wait until your thirsty, you're already dehydrated.
- **Pay close attention** to weather reports and if possible, adjust your schedule accordingly. Try to do the most strenuous activities in the early morning or evening when the temperatures are cooler.
- **Wear light colored, loose, cotton clothing.** The light color reflects the sun and the cotton allows for air circulation. Wearing a hat can help to keep you cool as well.
- **Wear sunscreen** of SPF 15 or above. If you are swimming or engaged in physical activity that causes you to perspire, apply sunscreen often and liberally to exposed skin.
- **Take frequent breaks** out of the sun in a shady or cool area if possible. This is a good time to drink fluids.

Learn to recognize the early symptoms of heat-related illnesses, including nausea and dizziness. If you experience any of these symptoms, get out of the heat immediately and seek medical attention if appropriate.

Remember, a few basic precautions can make summer heat bearable.

Stocking Your First Aid Kit



Whether you're planning a trip or enjoying summer activities close to home, be prepared by keeping your first aid kits well-stocked. Include items such as:

- adhesive tape
- antibiotic ointment
- bandages and gauze of assorted sizes, as well as a roll of gauze
- sunscreen (SPF of at least 15)
- scissors
- cotton swabs
- over the counter pain relievers (ibuprofen, aspirin)
- thermometer
- tweezers
- insect repellent
- emergency contacts and list of allergy and prescription medications

Don't forget to replace items after you use them and be sure the kit is out of reach of young children. Make a kit for home and the car, as well as with your camping supplies if necessary.

Positive Outlook = Better Health?

Do you generally expect that good things will happen? If so, you may have more than a positive outlook on life. The link between optimism and personal health is a growing interest among researchers and medical practitioners.

Some of the latest studies show that optimists:

- cope with adversity in healthier ways
- build stronger social relationships
- have less pain and fewer physical complaints
- are more resistant to infections
- have a lower risk of heart disease
- may live longer after receiving a cancer diagnosis

Although several studies have found that optimism can improve your health, more research is needed to pinpoint exactly how and why.

Some experts suggest that optimism may be an aspect of resilience that helps reduce your health risks. Others say that having a positive outlook may help reduce our cortisol level. This stress hormone is tied to heart, metabolic and immune-related diseases, as well as type 2 diabetes, high blood pressure and depression.

July Worship Servants

Sunday, July 3

LECTOR: 9:00am—Cheryl Higgins
USHER: 9:00am—(H) Barry & Nancy Erdahl, Karen Bolling, Olivia Lebrija
GREETERS: 9:00am—Lauren Carlson & Ethan Lebrija
ACOLYTES: 9:00am—Brock & Brady Krusemark
COMMUNION PREP: (silver tray) 9:00am—Roger & Joan Boleman
COMMUNION SERVERS: 9:00am—Linda Holland, Mick Rose, Tim Grove
NURSERY: 9:00am—Pam Wiese **VIDEOGRAPHER:** 9:00am—Marty Ohren & Solomon Johnson
COFFEE HOUR: 10:00am—Karen Bolling & Evelyn Warnes

Sunday, July 10

LECTOR: 9:00am—Jim Krosch
USHER: 9:00am—(H) Skip Maanum, Jim & Jackie Krosch, Damien Warner
GREETERS: 9:00am—Kyle & Mason Dougherty
ACOLYTES: 9:00am—Shannon & Denner Dougherty
COMMUNION PREP: (silver tray) 9:00am—Vicki Maanum
COMMUNION SERVERS: 9:00am—Paul & Sandy Grove, Laurie Feuchtenberger
NURSERY: 9:00am—Amy Dougherty **VIDEOGRAPHER:** 9:00am—Steve Hokanson
COFFEE HOUR: 10:00am—Brian & Ann Erdahl family

Sunday, July 17

LECTOR: 9:00am—Ward Voorhees
USHER: 9:00am—(H) Dick Smith, Dorwin & Millie Tschetter, Grace Mortenson
GREETERS: 9:00am—Greg & Naomi Fynboh, Jacob Hanson
ACOLYTES: 9:00am—Isabel Fynboh & Gwyneth Hanson
COMMUNION PREP: (pouring chalice) 9:00am—Vicki Dalager
COMMUNION SERVERS: 9:00am—Ward Voorhees, Suzanne Smith, Barry Erdahl
NURSERY: 9:00am—Lindy Ekola & David Jungst **VIDEOGRAPHER:** 9:00am—Skip Maanum
COFFEE HOUR: 10:00am—Vicki Dalager & Cheryl Higgins

Sunday, July 24

LECTOR: 9:00am—Raelene Reimers
USHER: 9:00am—(H) Bob Heck, Doug & Sharon Ehlers, Claire Reed
GREETERS: 9:00am—Emilie Brustuen & Greta Hentges
ACOLYTES: 9:00am—Morgan & Gage Wevley
COMMUNION PREP: (pouring chalice) 9:00am—Judy Buro
COMMUNION SERVERS: 9:00am—Emilie Brustuen, Al & Elizabeth Harris
NURSERY: 9:00am—Robi & Ray Bowman **VIDEOGRAPHER:** 9:00am—Rich Buro
COFFEE HOUR: 10:00am—Kevin & Jeanne Williamson family

Sunday, July 31

USHERS: 1:00pm—(H) Steve Just, Steve & Jill VanKempen, Brienna Dybdahl

Come and join us for a very special Polka Worship Service!

1:00pm at East Side Park

(there will be NO 9:00am morning worship service at church)

First Lutheran Church Council Board Meeting—June 21, 2016

The June meeting of First Lutheran's Church Council was called to order by President Dick Smith on Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at 7:35 p.m. Present: Doug Ehlers, Laurie Feuchtenberger, Jill Van Kempen, Dennis Johnson, Dick Smith, Randy Staples, Al Monroe, and Barry Erdahl. Not present: Ryan Watzke, Kellie Hentges, Natasha Mortenson. Staff present: Pastor David Christenson.

Devotion: Pastor Dave gave a devotion about community followed by a prayer.

Pastor Dave presented the council with a written report and went through it. Currently there are 13 kids signed up for the lock-in.

Secretary's Report: It was moved by Barry and seconded by Randy to approve the minutes as printed. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Doug reported that the first 3 weeks of June were very good but the 4th week was not, even though that week had the most parishioners attending. The audit committee met last night. It was moved by Laurie and seconded by Al to borrow \$8000 from the New Wine fund to pay the upcoming insurance bill. Motion carried. It was moved by Laurie and seconded by Jill to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried.

Committee Reports:

- **Mission & Evangelism:** Church With Out Walls will be held on September 11th this year. The Synod has some ideas how to incorporate the 15th anniversary into our day. The committee would also like to do a bible study series untitled "My Neighbor Is Muslim" this fall.
- **Education & Youth Committee:** Pastor Dave reported that they have started talking about Sunday school for this fall. They did not pass out bibles to the 2nd graders last year and are looking into finding a more age appropriate one for them. Typically, Confirmation falls on Reformation Sunday and Pastor Dave would like to have it the weekend before.

Old Business:

- **Luther's Eatery:** Sign-ups are good on Sunday. Need more people to sign up on Saturday. We will not be serving past 5:00 on Saturday
- **Polka Fest:** It will be held on Sunday, July 31 at 1:00 at Eastside Park, worship followed by a 2 hour concert. Doug will look into a tent for shade cover. Laurie and Jill will help Pastor Dave with promotion. The youth will sell beverages.

New Business:

- **Common Cup:** Sue will be retiring in August. The Executive Committees from First and Faith will get together to talk about the direction/future of Common Cup. Pay needs to be increased to the manager.
- **Food for the Poor:** They would like to send a speaker to our congregation. Pastor Dave will request a copy of their annual report before we extend the invitation.

It was moved by Barry and seconded by Jill to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m., followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Laurie Feuchtenberger, Secretary

10 July Birthdays

Custodian Corner

by Babe Taylor



- 1) Sharon Ehlers
- 2) Justin Anderson, Cheryl Hawkinson
- 3) Dorwin Tschetter, Al Watson
- 4) Dolores Crow, Natalie Ketterling, Steven Sarlette, Robert Stevenson
- 5) Paul Grove
- 6) Lori Anderson, Taylor Anderson, Pat Barry, Reid Ketterling, Judy Olson
- 8) Dennis Fuhrman, Marty Ohren, Ben Staples
- 9) Rich Buro
- 10) Dustin Anderson, Jacoby Burnett, Jennifer Orr, Sharon Van Alstine, Victor Youle
- 11) Shelley Beyer
- 12) David Evenson, Todd Staples, Sylvia Yarger
- 13) Angie Gocha, Brittany Harrison, Thomas Wulff
- 15) Rebecca Holland
- 16) Gordon Dalseide, Brian Erdahl, Jacob Ulrich
- 17) Charles Heinrich Jr., Myron Syverson
- 18) Jennie Odello
- 20) Ian Grove
- 21) Anna Grove
- 22) Mason Williamson
- 23) Kendra Buro, Joel Harrison, Greg Schultz
- 25) Ethan Lebrija, Olivia Lebrija
- 26) Damien Warner
- 27) Carole Johnson
- 28) Robi Bowman, Durgin Decker, Tyson Grove, Connor Siegel, Lynn Watzke
- 29) Erwin Anderson, James Carlson, Thomas Holland
- 30) Jon Amundson, David Nelson, James Van Alstine
- 31) Rhonda Lair, Jeri Staples, Greg Thymain



Greetings everybody!

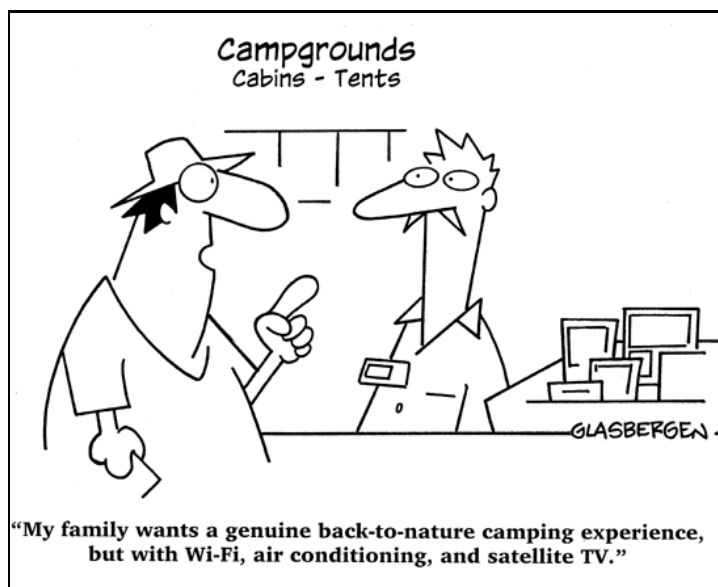
Slowly but surely little things around the property are starting to get accomplished. You'll notice that the floors are roughly 90% completed. We will be touching up certain trouble spots and problem areas as needed. Please keep an eye open for areas under repair.

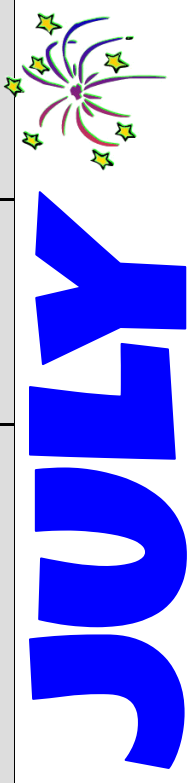
The custodial hours tend to taper off during the slow summer hours, so please leave any concerns, comments or suggestions in my mail box and I will attend to them as soon as possible. With that in mind please be considerate with food activities, remembering to remove food trash and rubbish after your event or leave a note in the office for me.

Very soon I expect to start seeing interior and exterior refurbishing in certain areas. These small improvements are intended to update the aesthetic atmosphere adding to the welcoming environment that we are known for. In addition, these improvements are also very vital to property health and functionality. So please keep an eye open for areas under construction and repair.

I would like to thank everybody who purchased chairs and God bless you for your generous donations! We still have a few available but quantities are now limited. Please contact the office.

Please have a safe summer and I hope to see you at Luther's Eatery! I can't wait!



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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3 9:00am Worship with Holy Communion 10:00am Women of First Meeting 10:00am Coffee Hour	4 Church office and building closed for Independence Day	5 7:00am Common Cup Mtg 3:00pm Staff	6 12:00pm Care Core 7:00pm Burgers, Beverages & Blessings	7 8:30am Work day for Luther's Eatery (making of pie crusts)	8 8:30am Work day for Luther's Eatery (baking of pies) church office closed	9 10:00am-5:00pm Luther's Eatery at Eastside Park
10 8:00am Family Choir (all welcome) 9:00am Worship with Holy Communion 10:00am Coffee Hour 10:30am-6:00pm Luther's Eatery at Eastside Park	11	12 3:00pm Staff Meeting	13 7:00pm Burgers, Beverages & Blessings	14 8:30am Share & Care (quilting) 3:00pm Pastor Dave at West Wind Village	15 Youth Trip (Twins game) church office closed	16 Youth Trip (Valley Fair)
17 9:00am Worship with Holy Communion 10:00am Coffee Hour 6:00pm Boy Scouts	18	19 3:00pm Staff 6:30pm All Committee Night 7:30pm Council Meeting	20 7:00pm Burgers, Beverages & Blessings	21 12:00pm Newsletter Articles Due 6:00pm Endowment Committee Meeting	22 church office closed	23
24 9:00am Worship with Holy Communion 10:00am Coffee Hour	25	26 3:00pm Staff 6:00pm Women's Bible Study in Fireside Room	27 7:00pm Burgers, Beverages & Blessings	28 8:30am Share & Care (quilting)	29 church office closed	30
31 1:00pm Polka Worship at Eastside Park (no morning worship service at the church)						

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First Lutheran Church (ELCA)

Chosen by Christ; Empowered to Serve

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Vicki Maanum, RN—Parish Nurse	