



FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

Faith Matters

AUGUST
2022

WORSHIP TIMES

SUNDAYS— 9:00 A.M.
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
WEDNESDAYS — 6:15 P.M.
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

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The Church Hive



Bees live in a cooperative way described as “eusociality,” or good relations. Each bee contributes a specific skill to the colony, synchronizing its efforts for the benefit of all. Likewise, a church’s health depends on all members fulfilling their responsibility to the organism as a whole. Descriptions of hive life mirror Paul’s words about the body of Christ, with members having different gifts “but the same Spirit” (1 Corinthians 12:4).

According to R.S. Beal Jr., who was both a pastor and a zoology professor, a beehive is the perfect “living illustration of how to walk in unity.” He wrote, “Those of us who have believed in Jesus belong to one another just as much as we belong to Christ. We cannot live independently of one another anymore than we can live independently of Christ. Like the bees, we must learn to practice the sacrifice, labor, sharing, and submission of love that together we ‘may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ’” (Ephesians 4:15, KJV). How are you using your own spiritual gifts to build up your church “hive”?



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VBS—What a MONUMENTAL week it was!





Thanks for your help in bringing in winter items for our Coats for Kids campaign. We collected over 130 winter items and over \$500 to donate to the Salvation Army. We appreciate your help in keeping kids in Manitowoc County warm this winter. Sincerely, Peter Cigler and Carter Valleskey



Finances

<i>Income - June 2022</i>		<i>Budget</i>	<i>YTD Actual</i>	<i>YTD Budget</i>
Envelope Offerings	\$17,917.00			
Other Income and Offerings	\$336.00			
General Fund Income	\$18,253.00	\$308,402.00	\$139,767.92	\$154,201.08
Dedicated Income	\$30.00		\$2,713.50	
Total Income	\$18,283.00		\$142,481.42	
<i>Operating Expenses - June 2022</i>				
Benevolence	\$1,460.24			
Board & Other Expenses	\$5,503.72			
Personnel Salaries/Benefits	\$10,857.49			
General Fund Expense	\$17,821.45	\$307,175.39	\$122,067.22	\$153,577.62
Dedicated Expense	\$ -		\$2,166.00	
Total Expenses	\$17,821.45		\$124,233.22	

Year to Date General Fund Net Income : \$ 17,700.70

Life Line Screening, the nation's leading provider of preventive health screenings, will offer affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Faith Lutheran Church on Monday, September 19. A package of five screenings to identify risk for stroke, heart disease and other chronic conditions will be offered:

Carotid Artery Screening (Plaque)

An ultrasound is performed to screen the carotid arteries (a pair of blood vessels in the neck that deliver blood to your brain) for buildup of fatty plaque. This buildup, called atherosclerosis, is one of the leading causes of stroke.

Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening

An Ankle-Brachial Index (ABI) test is performed using blood pressure cuffs on the arms and legs. It is important to screen for PAD because it increases the risk of coronary artery disease, heart attack, or stroke.

Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA)

An ultrasound is performed to screen the abdominal aorta for the presence of an enlargement or aneurysm. AAA can lead to a ruptured aortic artery, which is a serious medical emergency.

Atrial Fibrillation

A 6-lead electrocardiogram (EKG) is performed by placing sensors on the arms and legs to screen for Atrial Fibrillation. AFib can lead to blood clots, stroke, and heart failure, and other heart-related complications.

Osteoporosis Risk

An ultrasound is performed to measure the shin bone for abnormal bone mass density. This can help assess the risk of osteoporosis, a disease where bones become weak and brittle.

These 5 vital screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Register by calling toll free 1-888-653-6441, text the word "circle" to 797979 or online at <https://llsa.social/HS>

Liturgical Roles - Worship Responsibilities

Pastoral Acts

Funeral Joyce Wiegert

Membership

Baptized 803
 Confirmed..... 590
 Famillies 102

Worship Attendance

	Sunday		Wednesday
6/19	Worship— 68	Video— 67	50
6/26	Worship— 126	Video— 62	29
7/3	Worship— 65	Video— 64	40
7/10	Worship— 55	Video— 63	38

Altar Guild Servers

Communion:

August..... **Bev Torrison, Chair (Committee #2)**
 September **Marlene Evenson, Chair (Committee #1)**

Lectors

8/3 Kerry Schnell
 8/7 Joan Pritzl
 8/10 Kelly Meyer
 8/14 Ron Jones
 8/17 Cheryl Duchow
 8/21 Judy Harris
 8/24 Joyce Sorenson
 8/28 Tiffany Jandrey
 8/31 Don Schreiner

Communion Servers

8/3 Kerry Schnell
 8/7 Joan Pritzl
 8/17 Cheryl Duchow
 8/21 Judy Harris
 8/31 Don Schreiner



Head Usher Scott Reinertson

Acolyte Schedule

8/3 Tristan Teuke
 8/7 Makenna Kaderabek
 8/10 DJ Schisel
 8/14 Whitney Ulness
 8/17 Tristan Teuke
 8/21 Mollie Junk
 8/24 Addison Spindler
 8/28 Tristan Teuke
 8/31 DJ Schisel



Greeters

8/3 Ron and Kaye Jandrey
 8/7 Ellen Polifka
 8/10 Don Schreiner
 8/14 Ron and Jo Jones
 8/17 Ron and Kaye Jandrey
 8/21 Mardell Tienor
 8/24 Judy Valleskey
 8/28 Brian and Mary Thomsen Family
 8/31 Tom and Jan Behnke

Ushers

8/7 Dean and Rose Behnke Family
 8/14 Mark and Jenniffer Zutz Family
 8/21 Al Gilbertson and John Robley
 8/28 Dennis and Bonnie Gordon

Sound Operator

8/7 Loren Ulness
 8/14 Hunter Spindler
 8/21 Makenna Kaderabek
 8/28 Terry Huske

Video Operator/Live Stream

8/7 Jake Kaderabek
 8/14 Carter Lenzner
 8/21 Bill Riesterer
 8/28 Mike Lenzner



Projection

8/7 Ethan Ulness
 8/14 Gage Spindler
 8/21 Stefanie Kaderabek
 8/28 Terry Huske

This 'n That

The Fellowship Board wishes to thank the following who stepped up to help serve coffee and treats during Fellowship Hour. Thank you Jen and Mitchell Zutz, Ralph Christianson, Terry Huske, Al Gilbertson and Gladys Hansen. We are still looking for people to sign up for August. The sign-up sheet is on the serving table in the Gathering Space.

The Fellowship Board will also be making Soup for the Souls on September 11 during God's Work Our Hands Sunday. There will be sign-up sheets coming soon in the Gathering Space. So, if you like cutting meat, cleaning and chopping veggies or doing dishes, you are most welcome to come and join us. Thank you for responding so willingly when we seem to need a break during the summer months.



AUGUST STEWARDSHIP SCHOOL KITS

- (4) 70-SHEET NOTEBOOKS OF WIDE OR COLLEGE RULED PAPER 8 X 10 ½, NO LOOSE LEAF PAPER.
- (1) 30 CENTIMETER RULER, OR A RULER WITH CENTIMETERS ON ONE SIDE & INCHES ON THE OTHER
- (1) PENCIL SHARPENER
- (5) UNSHARPENED #2 PENCILS-(NO MECHANICAL)
- (1) BOX OF 24 CRAYONS
- (5) BLACK OR BLUE BALLPOINT PENS (NO GEL OR CLICK PENS)
- (1) BLUNT SCISSORS
- (1) 2 ½" ERASER (no smaller than 2 ½")

PLEASE PLACE ITEMS IN THE STEWARDSHIP CABINET NEAR THE CHURCH OFFICE, LABELED "SCHOOL KITS". Any monetary donations can be left in the office with Christine.

Our confirmation students had a great week at camp!



For 25 years we have been blessed to have Christine working as our church secretary. Her patience, kindness and willingness to always help has been an amazing gift from God. She truly is the "glue" that holds us all together. We are so thankful for all she does!



Our faithful quilters recently shared lunch together at the Marsh Inn.

Gospel Music Festival

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Watertown, WI



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Burton, MI



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McDonough, GA



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Rhineland, WI



Matt Carroll Family
Excello, MO



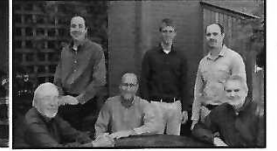
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Faith Lutheran Church Minutes— June 20, 2022

HOUSEKEEPING ITEMS: Sue Riesterer shared that the vinyl signage from Christel Sign is in the works. She has contacted a number of members to help “liven up” the Sunday School area through artwork and paintings. She reported that an existing painting will be removed from the hallway wall to accommodate this work. Sue and Gretchen reported that the Call Committee is conducting Zoom interviews with 3 candidates. Second interviews, if warranted, will be in person. Bill presented a reworked FLC Wedding Policy. Several members of the council questioned some of the wording in the document and whether it should be considered a guideline verses a policy. A motion was made and carried to accept the document, changing the title to FLC Wedding Guidelines and to revisit the wording of the document in July. Policy and Procedure Manual: Motion was made and carried to accept the Policy and Procedure Manual as assembled.

NEW BUSINESS:

Items needed for Sound System. Bill outlined several Sound System needs including a USB port, head phones, a portable mic system and laptop for use by our Council Secretary (and others as needed.) Expected costs are to be approximately \$1,000. Motion was made and carried to purchase needed items with expenses to be paid from the Video Equipment Fund. Serving Table and Round Tables in Gathering Space: Cheryl spoke to the need to improve the seating arrangement in the Gathering Space. She has been in touch with Lakeshore Business Interiors and will continue to investigate other options. Kitchen Maintenance: Cheryl also spoke to the need for maintenance on the kitchen dishwasher, garbage disposal, lighting and flooring. Mark Zutz explained that a part has been ordered for the disposal. Mark and Mike Zutz will check into the possibility of changing the kitchen light bulbs to LEDs. Mark or Ken O’Leary will need to show dishwasher/garbage disposal users the procedures/steps for getting things to work as needed. Youth Coordinator Candidate: Erin shared that an interview with a potential candidate had taken place. Interviewers did not see this person as a viable candidate. Erin has another individual she plans to reach out to.

Evangelism—Julie Endries

Julie reported that Evangelism will host a “hospitality area” at the Valders Community Picnic parade line up, but they will not have a parade entry.

Fellowship—Cheryl Domrath

Fellowship recently hosted the Appreciation Luncheon. A sign-up sheet has been posted for people to volunteer to host Fellowship Hour on Sunday mornings.

Church Properties—Mark Zutz

Mark reported that there will be sidewalk grinding done on church property. Shane Mulhaney will be replacing grass on the hill at no cost to the congregation. Bids are being acquired for parking lot patching and sealing. The water main from the sprinkler system was recently repaired by JF Ahrens Co.

Christian Education—Gretchen Spindler

Confirmation Camp is set for the week of July 10. They are working on a plan for Confirmation in light of possibly not having a Pastor.

Youth and Family Ministry—Erin Lenzner

They recently visited Dave and Busters. An event is being planned at the Ulness Cottage.

ADJOURN

Having completed all business, a motion was made and the meeting was adjourned with the Lord’s Prayer at 8:32.

Next meeting on July 18th at 6:30. Devotions by Stephanie Mittnacht.

Julie Endries
Acting Secretary

Celebrating Your Birthday!

AUGUST

2. Cathleen Luckow
Matthew Berge
Caleb Boll
3. Donald Sebo
Maelyn Miller
4. Stephanie Mittnacht
5. Myrna Lippert
Aubrey Hill
Hadley Beckman
6. Arlene Roehrig
Tammy Meyer
Taylor Zucchi
7. Thomas Madson
Scott Zucchi
Mary Reichardt
8. Guy Valleskey
Hunter Spindler
9. Mark Ulness
Hunter Griffin
10. Cheryl Domrath
Kylee Tuschel
Jordan Torrison
Matthew Brill
Kylee Griffin
Edyn Peterson

11. Gloria Giese
James Jandrey
Courtney Platten
Janice Pingel
12. Talon Meyer
13. Jeffrey Wittmus
Julie Hartman
Levi Wenzel
14. Tara Rutherford
Hunter Popp
15. Lauren Pritzl
Bridget Valleskey
16. Julie Endries
Bailey Koehler
17. Steven Tracy
19. Abigail Beckman
Kari Schisel
Carter Kuenstler
20. Brian Thomsen
Greg Evenson

21. James Giese
Lilliona Loucks
22. Caroline Alfson
Carol Zutz
Nicole Zucchi
Gary Exner
Alan Gilbertson
23. Daniel Pederson
24. Sage Peterson
25. Ronald Torrison
Jill Backus
27. Craig Klessig
28. Samantha Duchow
Isabel Gordon
29. Ronald Jones
Matthew Jones
31. Emily Menza
Daniel Griepentrog

SEPTEMBER

1. Ann Jeske
2. Karen Voss
Jeanette Schuessler
3. Gary Heeler
4. Chad Junk
5. Cynthia Kwasny
Caleb Madson
6. Kenneth Popp
Ethan Halverson
7. Mitchell Kaderabek
Julian Pope
8. Earl Griffin
9. Lee W. Evenson
Terry Huske
Larry Burzynski
Kamali Williams
Zachary Lenzner
10. Autumn Robley





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 6:00 Board of Lay Ministry 6:00 Televised Worship	2	3 6:15 Worship with Holy Communion	4 8:00 Quilting Wedding Rehearsal	5 3:00 Taylor Wittmus and Nicole Schoenberger Wedding	6
7 8:00 Boards of Christian Ed and Youth 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion 10:00 Fellowship Hour	8 6:00 Televised Worship	9	10 5:00 Board of Stewardship 6:00 Card Making 6:15 Worship	11 8:00 Quilting 8:30 Secretary's Meeting	12	13
14 9:00 Worship 10:00 Fellowship Hour	15 Newsletter info due 6:00 Televised Worship 6:30 Council	16 9:00 Senior Christians at Golden Flame	17 6:15 Worship with Holy Communion	18 8:00 Quilting	19	20 9:00-10:00 Open Pantry
21 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion 10:00 Fellowship Hour	22 5:30 Jazzercise 6:00 Televised Worship	23	24 6:15 Worship	25 8:00 Quilting 5:30 Jazzercise	26	27
28 9:00 Worship Baptism—Callie Wenzel 10:00 Fellowship Hour	29 5:30 Jazzercise 6:00 Televised Worship	30	31 6:15 Worship with Holy Communion			

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Thank you to everyone who contributed to making Monumental VBS an awesome success for 60 kids and 20 youth. Whether it was items we borrowed from your home, supplies you purchased, time you gave or a monetary donation - it is all very appreciated. VBS is truly a team effort and Faith Lutheran "rocks" at coming together to make this event happen. God is awesome and so are you!
 Sincerely,
 Chloe Cigler



SUMMER WORD FIND

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Beaches	Canoeing	Hiking	
	Boating	Fireworks	Picnic
	Camping	Four-Wheeling	Vacation