

Announcements for June 8th, 2025

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Office hours are Monday – Thursday 9am-1pm
Pastor Katie's day off is Friday

Mon. June 9 th	Counting Team 1; VBS 8:45am-11:45am
Tues. June 10 th	VBS 8:45am-11:45am
Wed. June 11 th	VBS 8:45am-11:45am; Choir Practice 6:30pm; Community Choir 7pm
Thurs. June 12 th	VBS 8:45am-11:45am; Family Program/Dinner 6pm
Fri. June 13 th	VBS 8:45am-11:45am
Sun. June 15 th	Worship 9am

Servers for TODAY

Reader: Brad Peters

Communion Assistant: Denise Schroeder

Servers for June 15th

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Altar Guild: Deana Jacobs

Fellowship: FLCW

Communion Assistant: Ardith Hamilton

Usher: Lou Schroeder & Barb Corr

Noisy offering is being collected for Clinton County Special Athletes

The Clinton County Special Athletes is a non-profit organization group of athletes from the ages of 8-108. They offer a variety of sports for individuals with intellectual and physical disabilities. Their team's name is "Rolling Thunder". All money that is raised will help athletes with equipment, uniforms, and transportation to district and state competitions. They not only focus on sports, but athletes also learn about respect, responsibility, perseverance, friendships, positive choices, and become a close family that sticks together and has fun.



We want to connect with you! Connect Cards are available in each pew. Visitors are encouraged to fill out their information to help us get to know you. Do you have a prayer request? Fill out the back side of the card. Cards can be placed in the offering box.



A "Prayground" is available in the overflow room for our littlest members (Kindergarten and younger) and parents for quiet, parent monitored play during worship.



VBS starts tomorrow! We are excited to see new and returning students for a fun week with counselors from EWALU!



All are welcome to join FLCW for a fun road trip to Camp Courageous for a tour and lunch on Wednesday, June 18th! Car pooling is available, meet at the church at 8:30am.

Please RSVP on the sheet in the entryway. We may possibly stop at the Manchester garage sale!



Please join us for Green Thumb Tuesdays at 5:30pm or at your convenience starting Tuesday, June 10th at the Faith Lutheran garden to weed and water. Many hands make light work!



We want to see your summer projects! Beginning in August, you will have the opportunity to showcase something you did over the summer. 4-H projects, a picture from vacation, a woodworking project are just some ideas! We will create a gallery to display your items for a few weeks and then return them to you.



Host Pastor Katie! Sign up for a time to have Pastor Katie over for tea or coffee, show her around your home/farm, bring her to your kid's activities, or whatever is meaningful to you! A signup sheet is in the entryway. You can also contact her at pastorkatiejensen@gmail.com.



This summer Faith will be hosting Firepit & Fellowship on Sunday evenings once a month at 6pm. Hot dogs and s'mores supplies will be provided! Bring your own chair and drink. You can even bring a friend! Mark your calendars for June 29th, July 20th, and August 17th!



Want to be a member or get a refresher on what it means to be a member? Pastor Katie is gathering interest in a new member session. Please email Pastor Katie if you are interested pastorkatiejensen@gmail.com.



Choir rehearsals continue on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm. Area congregations have been invited to join us at 7pm for an ecumenical choir beginning June 4th. Rehearsals are in preparation for the church service on July 13th at Miles Park for Thresher Days.



There are a few Sundays available for volunteers to serve fellowship in the summer. Remember to keep it simple. Just coffee, lemonade, water and a snack or two is all that is needed. You can sign up online with our Sign-Up link or contact Julie Peters. We are thankful to those who serve! Fellowship with others is a wonderful way to connect and check in with members of our congregation.



We continue to see various types of disasters leaving families, communities and foreign countries in need. Lutheran Disaster Relief donation forms are available in the entryway if you would like to make a donation. Donations can also be made online at www.ELCA.org/disaster



If you would like to acknowledge a family birth, death, wedding, etc. in the announcements or newsletter, please contact Jamie in the office. Due to policies set in place, you must contact the office.



If you or a loved one is hospitalized and desire pastoral visitation, **please contact Pastor Katie or the church office.** If you ask a member of the hospital staff to contact us about a hospitalization, they will often be prohibited from doing so by HIPAA laws.



We have Welcome Bags for those who are new to the area (found in the church office) and visitors at worship (found in the entryway). **ALL** members are invited to give a new or visiting family a bag. Please let the church office know if you have delivered a bag to an area family. Thank you for your help in welcoming new faces to the area!

Information found in the entryway:

- + Word in Season devotionals
- + Lutheran Disaster Response donation form
- + Council minutes, monthly newsletter, Annual Report & FLCW Program
- + Information about Braking Traffic, ELCA Good Gifts
- + Lost and Found