

GALILEE LUTHERAN CHURCH



OCTOBER 2025

***WALKING WITH JESUS,
SHARING GOD'S LOVE AND GRACE,
SERVING ALL FAITHFULLY.***



JOIN US FOR WORSHIP!

SATURDAYS AT 5:00PM

SUNDAYS AT 9:00 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL & ADULT
EDUCATION

SUNDAYS AT 10:15 AM



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PASTOR AMANDA APPLEHANS



I have a scar on my knee from a time when I fell off my bike when I was a kid. There is a scar on my ankle from the time I dropped a full Corelle baking dish full of baked beans and one of the pieces of glass cut me pretty deeply. There is a C-section scar on my abdomen from the day that Sam was born. I also have a scar on my wrist from when I worked at camp and a bit of flaming marshmallow goo hit my arm and burrowed in deep.

Our scars are the stories of our lives, written on our very flesh itself. And they can be a powerful reminder of events that shaped us. The scar on my abdomen brings up the fear of that day when I see it. I remember the care of my parents when I see the scars on my legs from all my misadventures as a child. I use the scar on my wrist as a cautionary tale to kids as they roast their marshmallows – flaming marshmallow goo can be pretty painful if you're not careful!

Part of the beauty of humanity is the scars we bear. They show the extreme vulnerability that we live with every day, while also attesting to the amazing power of healing that our bodies contain. We can be sliced open, sewed back together, and our bodies can knit themselves back into wholeness once again.

But while there is amazing capacity for healing in the human body, this healing often leaves a scar. Our bodies can heal themselves, but the experience leaves us changed. But that change is not necessarily a flaw – it is rather the story of our life written on our very selves. Scars are the testimonies of the adversities we have faced and the healing we have achieved. Scars are badges of honor, sharing with others all the way the world has hurt us, and how we have been healed.

To me, this is why the incarnation is so powerful. In the incarnation, Jesus got a human body – which would have on it the scars of the life he had led. And Christ entered the human experience all the way to death, so his body would have borne those scars as well. Scars that were the story of God's great love for God's people, written on God's very own body. The resurrection did not take away the evidence of the crucifixion – Thomas could still see Jesus's wounds after the resurrection. God's love for us is written on God's own body to this very day. This love is a part of God in a way that cannot ever be changed or left behind.

This month at Galilee we will contemplate grief and loss, and the scars these wounds can leave on our bodies and on our hearts. As we enter this time of contemplating the "Gifts of Grief," start by considering the wounds you currently bear and the scars old wounds have left on you. Consider the stories they have written on your body and on your heart. Then thank God for walking with you through those times that wounded you, and for the ability to heal that God has created as a part of who you are.

Yours in Christ ~ Pastor Amanda



Rally Day 2025!

Galilee folks participated in an outdoor worship service (we were blessed with sunny skies!) Following worship, there was a picnic, followed by fun carnival-style activities!

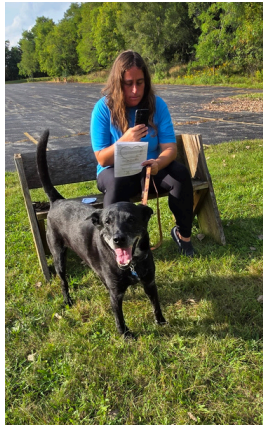


God's Work, Our Hands

After Rally Day, we headed over to Liberty Park in Pewaukee and helped spread mulch on the playground. Many hands made light work!



Blessing of the Animals 2025!



Photos by Braelyn Plesh

"God of Community, we thank you for animals that live in our homes. For pets and service animals, for dogs, cats, hamsters, fish, turtles and lizards, we say,
Thank you God for this beautiful world!"



MUSIC AT GALILEE



Vocal & Bell Choirs have started!

Wednesday Rehearsals

Vocal - 5:00 p.m.

Bells - 6:00 p.m.

Talk to Patricia if you'd still like to join in
6th Grade & Up Are Welcome!

Email: patricia@galileelc.org

Cell phone: (262) 888-3740

On **Sunday, October 26, at 3:00 PM**, Mount Carmel Lutheran Church, ELCA, and the Milwaukee Chapter of the American Guild of Organists are presenting DAVID CHERWIEN in a Hymn Festival at Mount Carmel, 84th & Center, Milwaukee. Choir members from our sister Synod congregations will be participating, including some from the Galilee Vocal Choir!

The Festival will have an All Saints theme. All of you know Mr. Cherwien's reputation for being a first-class improviser, as well as his gifts in presenting meaningful and thrilling programs of this kind. Mr. Cherwien was for many years the Cantor/Organist at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church in Minneapolis and the Conductor of the National Lutheran Choir.

VOLUNTEER AS A WORSHIP ASSISTANT!

Worship services flow so seamlessly that it is hard to believe how many "moving parts" must be coordinated to make this happen. Lately, we have been coming up short at times, and would like to train some new helpers in each of these categories...

Ushers

Altar Guild

Assisting Ministers

Greeters

Lectors

Communion Assistants



If you are interested in learning more about one of these positions, please contact **Diana Conway** at **262-366-5497** or dlmc@milwpc.com. You can be paired up with someone who can train you. Pick one and give it a try! Your help is needed and appreciated! Want to help out for worship services? Use the SignUp Genius for Galilee to schedule as an usher, assistant minister, altar guild, greeter, or a reader.

News from the Leadership Board

The Leadership Board has been working diligently to find a solution for the Saturday evening worship service. The consensus of what the Leadership Board learned was that the Saturday evening attendees preferred the evening service to be on Saturday rather than on Sunday.

At the meeting following the Saturday evening service on September 6th a plan of using supply pastors on various weekends was announced. The Leadership Board decided to allocate some of the money that was marked in the budget to pay for Faith Formation staff (which has not been hired this year) to paying for supply preachers for all but one of the Saturday evening services each month. It was also announced that the Leadership Board also liked the idea of a service on Sunday evening that might meet the needs for those existing members unable to make the other weekend services, as well as to provide an offering that may have an attraction for new members. So, in addition to the changes for Saturday night, we will still be pursuing the start of a Sunday evening service on a once-a-month basis, with worship to be led by Pastor Amanda, to begin in the near future.

Going forward, the intent is to have regular Saturday evening supply preachers, and we have found three pastors who are willing to lead one Saturday each month. The schedule for each month is as follows -

First Saturday of each month - Pastor Char Guiliani

Second Saturday of each month - Pastor Roy Nelson

Third Saturday of each month - Pastor Amanda Applehans

Fourth Saturday of each month - Pastor Jenny Nettesheim

This change will go into effect the first weekend of October.

Thank you to the Saturday evening service attenders, and to everyone in the congregation who shared their thoughts as we worked toward this new worship schedule. We hope to continue in conversation as we live into this new set up.

Sincerely,
The Leadership Board

Some New Faces for Saturday PM Services!



Pastor Char Guiliani
(First Saturday)

Pastor Char Guiliani (they/she) is currently the Pastor at Lutheran Church of the Great Spirit located in Milwaukee. This is Pr. Char's second career. After spending 25 years in law enforcement in the City of Milwaukee, they retired in 2008 and through working with youth and families at their home congregation, felt the call to the Ministry of Word and Sacrament. Graduating from Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, IA in 2019 with a Master of Divinity degree, being ordained in 2020. Pr. Char currently lives in Milwaukee and is the "Mumma" of twin 20-year-old sons, Joe and Greg and the "Gammy" of Gianna (4 years) and DJ (born 9/21/25). They are excited to join Galilee Lutheran Church on the first Saturday of each month.



Pastor Roy Nelson
(Second Saturday)

It's always a pleasure to be back at Galilee. Many of you know my lovely wife, Jean. I recently finished a 6 month stint as interim executive director at HOPE Center and will be continuing to work on their capital campaign. Before that I served as bridge pastor at Vernon LC and here at Galilee after I retired from full time ministry. Prior to retirement, I served 11+ years at All Saints - Wales and 4 years at First Lutheran - DeKalb, IL. Before dragging Jean and our children, Ben and Calla, off to seminary at Wartburg in Dubuque, IA, I was an attorney for 15 years in Milwaukee after serving as a law enforcement officer for 11 years at the City of Brookfield and 2 other agencies. Before all that, I was just another kid growing up in Menomonee Falls. Life has been a wonderful journey and God has blessed me richly along the way.



Pastor Jenny Nettesheim
(Fourth Saturday)

Hi! My name is Jenny Nettesheim, and I am very excited to meet and get to know all of you at Galilee. I was a school counselor for 19 years before starting my seminary journey at Wartburg Theological Seminary in 2021. I loved working with young people, but God started nudging me towards ministry in 2017 - as you can see, it took me a bit to agree to God's call! I'm grateful I finally listened, because seminary was an incredible experience with lots of growth, learning, joy, and laughter. I graduated this past May and started my first call in August at Good Shepherd Trinity in Milwaukee. My favorite thing about ministry is getting to know people and building relationships with people of all ages. I believe God's love is expansive and inclusive of all people, and I love sharing that message with others. In my free time I like to read, craft, garden, cook, and take my dog on walks. My family includes my husband, Matt, our two children, our dog, Phoenix, our cats, Leo and Tommy, and a bunch of chickens. We love going camping, playing board games, and exploring National Parks. I feel very blessed to be meeting all of you!

“The Gifts of Grief” Sermon Series

October 4-5th – Precarity

We will begin this series with a look at how our lives are precarious. “Precarious” means “uncertain – subject to potential collapse.” It also comes from an older Latin word that meant, “obtained through prayer.” We will sit with King Hezekiah and a Psalmist of the Old Testament and with Mary and Martha, sisters of Lazarus, of the New Testament as we consider how our lives, just as their lives, are uncertain, and constantly obtained through entreaty to our God.

October 11-12th - Vulnerability

Often we try to avoid thinking about how fragile and vulnerable we are in this life, but grief makes that all but impossible for us to do. We will learn with Naaman the Syrian and the man whose friends lowered him down through a ceiling just how beautiful it can be to let down our guard and lean into the reality that embracing our fragility and brokenness can lead to a more complex beauty as we walk together in faith.

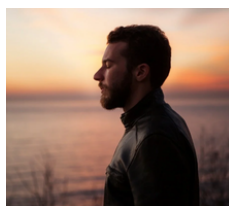
October 18-19th – Clarity

There is a basic human tendency toward “main character syndrome.” We make ourselves the protagonist of the story being told in our own inner monologue, and it can be easy to forget others even exist. But grief has a way of reminding us that life will go on even after our end. As the man contemplating bigger barns learns, the world is bigger than our own personal story, and the way to be a part of the world beyond our death is by caring for those who are in the world with us this day.

October 25-26th – Confirmation Saturday & Reformation Sunday

November 1-2nd – Community (All Saints’ Sunday)

As we celebrate All Saints’ we remember the whole cloud of witnesses that surrounds us. At the table of Holy Communion we feast with all those who have gone before us, all those who have contributed to our faith and are still with us in this world, and truly with all the saints in every time and every place who receive the body and blood of Christ. Today we will immerse ourselves in the unity that comes from being a part of this Body.



Stewardship **Committee** News



Our stewardship theme this fall, as we plan and prepare for continuing to engage in God's work in 2026, is "**Blessings Overflow.**" Are you a glass half-full type of person, or a glass half-empty sort? No matter which view you tend towards, we challenge you to consider a different perspective. What if you vision your cup as filled to overflowing? With a source that never ends. Imagine the possibilities as you realize that God has, and continues to, provide for everything you need. And enough to share. Without the cup ever running dry.

We ask that you prayerfully consider how you can financially support God's work at and through Galilee Lutheran in 2026. Your Estimates of Giving help Galilee's ministry leaders consider what is possible. What ministries can continue, and maybe even grow? What new ways of being God's hands and feet in the world might be possible? How can we be a greater presence and make a difference in the greater Pewaukee area?

Think of your contributions as giving **THROUGH** Galilee, rather than **TO** Galilee. Your giving doesn't just pay the bills. It helps change lives. It supports the work that God has called us to do as we are WALKING with Jesus, SHARING God's love and grace, and SERVING others faithfully.

Packets with information related to Estimates of Giving will be available beginning October 19. We ask that your Estimate of Giving (EOG) card be returned by November 16.

Questions? Contact Jean Nelson at 262-720-8346 or pianogirl1966@gmail.com or speak with Pastor Amanda.

Everyday

Stewardship

Using my time, energy, gifts, skills and resources

to share God's love



**Naming our everyday blessings
one by one**

"Count your blessings, name them one by one. And it will surprise you what our God has done." These are words from the refrain of a popular hymn written by Methodist pastor Johnson Oatman Jr. in the 19th century.

Have you ever tried to list or count your blessings? Good health and family probably quickly come to mind. Perhaps we can list a few others off the top of our head. But what about the myriad of ordinary everyday blessings that we might overlook? Can we name them? And claim them?

We are on a mission this month to publicly (but anonymously) name our specific blessings in a very visual way at Galilee. You will be invited to write down specific blessings and add them to a collection of blessings. Penny Van Weele and Karen Buelow are creating a visual display for this.

Each day brings new blessings. The goal is to think small and ask yourself, "How was I blessed by God today?" Perhaps you had an unexpected visit or phone call from a friend. Maybe your knees didn't hurt as much today. Perhaps your garden is overflowing with produce or beautiful flowers. Or you got good news from the doctor. Or a prayer was answered. Or you had enough money to fill your gas tank. Or you had a good night's sleep. Or you noticed the beautiful leaves on the maple trees as they change color. The list of possibilities is endless.

We hope to collect an abundant number of blessings written down as a visual reminder of God's love and provision. Look for a display in the narthex area and start naming your blessings one by one.



GALILEE LUTHERAN
CHURCH-PEWAUKEE

PUMPKIN FEST

OCTOBER 26

PUMPKIN CARVING & PAINTING
FOOD
GAMES

11:15AM-1:00PM

PUMPKIN FEST
HAPPENING OCTOBER
26 FROM 11:15-1:00

THERE WILL BE
PUMPKIN CARVING AND
PAINTING, FOOD,
GAMES AND FUN. ALL
AGES ARE WELCOME.

THERE WILL BE A SIGN-
UP IN THE NARTHEX
STARTING OCTOBER
1ST. ANY QUESTIONS
CAN BE DIRECTED TO
JILL PLESH
(262) 442-2226.



Galilee Happenings

On Thursday, October 2nd, Claire will only be in the office from **8:30am to 1:00pm**. Any additions for the weekly E-news and bulletin must be submitted by email **no later than** Wednesday, October 1st.



Claire will be back in the office on Monday, October 6th.



Galilee's Go-Getters

Next Gathering will be on **Thursday, October 9th**

Please join us for worship, lunch, and conversation!
All are welcome!



Please contact Carole Brinkman at carole.brinkman@yahoo.com

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Prayer Shawl Ministry



Did you know that the Prayer Shawl Ministry has been creating prayer shawls for 20 years? The Prayer Shawl ministry has provided hundreds of shawls to people that were in need of a tangible sign of God's love, mercy, peace, and grace. The shawls have been distributed all over the world!

We will be celebrating and thanking God for this ministry here at Galilee on October 9th! During the Midweek Service (11:30 am) shawls will be blessed. Following the Service a special luncheon will be provided. We are asking that you sign up ahead of time so that we will know the proper amount of food that needs to be ordered from the Olive Garden for our luncheon! There will be a sign up sheet on the table in the Narthex or you can contact me directly, Ann Dee Austin 262-510-1002 or anndeeaustin@gmail.com

We look forward to celebrating the Prayer Shawl Ministry with our Galilee Family!

LOSS & LIVING GATHERING - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2025 | 3:00 P.M.

Please join us in the Narthex on May 20th at 3 p.m. We listen, share, comfort and support each other through the loss process, even though our losses may be different. The Gathering is not limited to the loss of a loved one but includes any loss that affects us emotionally or physically. This could be a loss of a job, the move to a new location, the loss of a dream, a pet, a relationship, a material or physical loss, retirement or a life change. We care for each other, understand and give support. Your faith and insight may have a profound impact on our journey of healing. If you know of someone who might benefit from this living with loss, please invite them to join us.



If you have any questions, please contact Barb Barthel at 262-691-0711.

**Worship in Arts Save the Date: Kintsugi Class October 5th , 4:00-6:00pm
Lower Level @ Galilee, Follow-up finishing class
Monday October 13th @ 6pm.**

Dear Fellow Galileans:

During the month in October, Pastor Amanda will lead us in a series on Grief. We have suffered much loss in the Galilee family over the last year. I bet almost all of us are or have suffered from a personal loss, challenging health issues, reduced independence and capability and/or family sadness in the last year or two.

Many of us are suffering with feelings of grief, loss of control, and/or “no one understands me” right now! If it’s not you, it’s someone you know. We have a plan of action for you. When Pastor Amanda announced her grief series, I felt the Japanese art form known as kintsugi (Keent- soo – ghee) might be a perfect fit for the Worship & Arts Team. The attached article expresses to expresses how God heals brokenness and this technique fit perfectly.

Please save the dates above, RSVP and join us!

“Brokenness: no one makes it through life without avoiding it.”

- Anna Wishart, Christian writer

We do not go through life without becoming broken. – inside or out. We try to heal ourselves or wait for someone else to do it. Sometimes wounds don’t want to heal. It can take so much time! And they never heal without scars. But here’s the truth. The scars of our lives become part of where we’ve been and who we are. We are NOT getting rid of those scars people! Even Jesus rose from the tomb with his scars still visible. When He showed how they had healed, even Thomas believed! So our scars - internal and external - can AND WILL become beautiful in Christ. It takes time, courage and much faith.

In short, kintsugi means “gold” in Japanese, It’s an ancient technique that repairs a beloved (or very needed) piece of pottery, ceramic or porcelain with gold. Instead of throwing it away, it makes the piece more beautiful than when it was whole and new! Galilee is going to build a temporary kintsugi collection to display in October. A testament to Galilee’s healing strength in Christ! It’s a bit challenging, somewhat cathartic, sometimes frustrating ... just like healing. But emerging from the brokenness is a more beautiful vessel. It’s not new or ever will be the same. But it’s stronger in the broken places. Wiser. More resilient. A testament to the healing power of Christ. I am inviting you – YES YOU - to join in!

A few of us have started learning kintsugi. Some pieces will be on display soon. You may feel that your pain and grief – or that of a beloved friend or family member - is unique. Let me assure you... every kintsugi piece is a different challenge. And every piece repaired makes a unique statement of healing. I can’t think of a better gift for a friend facing challenges.

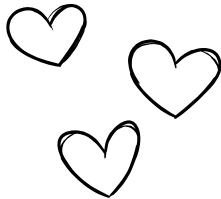
Please join the Worship in Arts Team in a journey to experience kintsugi as a way to express brokenness to beautiful You can a) rescue a beloved dish, vase or piece of pottery or b) make a unique piece from breaking it to golden restoration. If you don’t have any broken piece, we will provide many choices ! In the first week, we will break and repair! The second class, we will add the gold to the repaired breaks. We would like to display each of your pieces up through All Saints Day as a testament to the healing power of Christ. There is no cost – other than your time and focus.

Please RSVP to Karen @ buelowk@att.net or 262 215-1347. The 1st class is most important. We can teach you what to do at home if you can’t make the 2nd. Thanks!



This Year's Vendors include:

- Bub's Brews
- Creative Renovations
- Connect Chiropractic
- Fiddlesticks
- Happy Tails
- Jen's Sweetmix
- Java Twist, LLC
- Mai Lee Produce
- The Maker's Word Pottery
- Moleta, LLC
- Of the Land, LLC
- Old Shack, LLC Woodworks
- Plant Creations by Sashi
- Sassy Sweets
- & more!



Last Month of Pewaukee Farmers Market! Looking for Volunteers

We are looking for more help in three main areas:

1. Opening the Market – includes setting up signs in front of Galilee on Monday/Tuesday and setting up the Information/Music Tent(s) and table/chairs/supplies in tent(s) on Wednesdays between 2:00pm and 3:00pm.
2. Working During the Market – includes tending the information tent by tracking visitor visits on Reward Cards, answering questions, greeting shopper/directing traffic in the parking lots, and helping with activities in the Kids Tent on Wednesdays between 2:30pm and 4:30pm or 4:30pm and 6:30pm.
3. Closing the Market – includes removing and storing information/music tents, tables/chairs/supplies and removing and storing signs in front of Galilee on Wednesdays from 6:30pm-7:00pm.

Volunteer sign-up sheets are in the narthex. You can also sign up online at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D4CACA923A0F49-49532240-2024> or via the QR code.



Questions?

Contact Carole Brinkman

carole.brinkman@yahoo.com or (262) 352-7892

Steve Dethloff

dethloff5@gmail.com or 414-315-7555

Looking forward to hearing from you,
Steve Dethloff and the PFM planning team

Community Events

Greater Milwaukee Synod
RIC Ministry Team 
Presents:

Oct 2
7:00pm
Holy Cross
Menomonee Falls



ABOUT THE EVENT

Join Mikah Meyer on a humorous, heartfelt journey of pictures, video, and insights from his 3-year road trip visiting every National Park Service site in America. Hear behind-the-scenes stories that go beyond the (many) headlines covering this project, and learn from Mikah himself about what really fueled the project... and where it's going next.



Stay after the
presentation
for dessert!



ABOUT MIKAH MEYER

National Parks Expert, Mikah Meyer, has been described as a "Professional Road Tripper" by REI, but he's much more than that: A classically trained singer, social media personality, and speaker.

Raised as a Lutheran preacher's kid in Nebraska, Mikah is passionate about exploring all types of outdoor locations, and helping people of divergent backgrounds find joy and common ground through their shared love of nature.

SOPHIA

A Member of WISDOM
Presents:

TRANSFORMATIONAL JUSTICE TRAINING

Hosted by
Mark Rice

SATURDAY
OCTOBER 4TH
10-2 PM

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Zion Lutheran Church ELCA in Ashippun is
hosting its annual

OCTOBERFEST CELEBRATION!

Sunday, October 5th, 2025

10:00a.m. - Come join us for a Polka worship
service

11:00a.m. - Food & fellowship!

12:00p.m. - Polka music and dancing featuring
Goodtime Dutchmen Band until 4:00 p.m.

Raffles and food will be available until
3:00p.m. Admission to the dance will be
taken at the door.

The public is invited to participate in all
segments of the Octoberfest celebration.

**Zion Lutheran Church, ELCA is located at
N557 Main Street, Ashippun.**

For any questions, please contact the church
at (920) 474-7234.

Willkommen zu Oktoberfest!

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE
GETHESEMANE

PUMPKIN PATCH

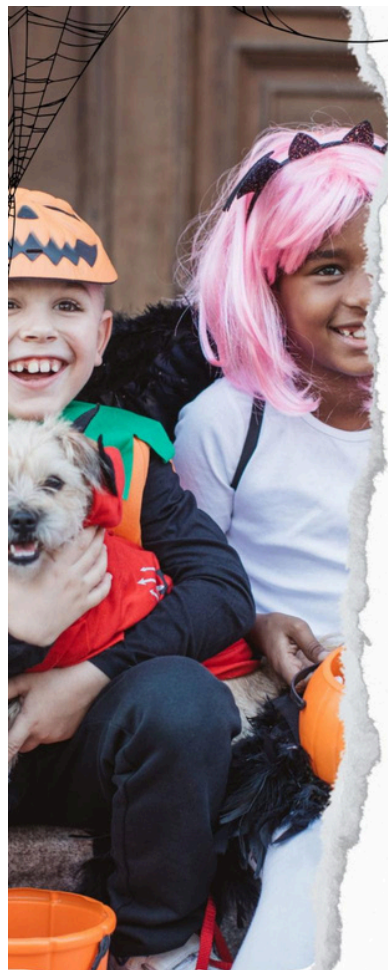
11:00 AM - 7:00 PM
OCTOBER 17 - OCTOBER 31

Pumpkins | Gourds | Photo Ops

A PORTION OF THE PROCEEDS GOES TO SUPPORT THE
NAVAJO INDIAN RESERVATION IN NEW MEXICO.

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BROOKFIELD, WI 53005

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262-782-8370




HALLOWEEN
 Fun Fest
 October 18th

DOWNTOWN TRICK OR
 TREATING
 & DOG COSTUME PARADE
 12-1:45PM
 DOG COSTUME CONTEST AT
 12PM

ENTRY LINE UP STARTS AT
 11:45AM IN NORTHSORE BANK
 PARKING LOT.

PARADE ENDS AT LAKE
 PAVILION.

Brought To You By:


Dog Treats Provided By:


Golfing with Jesus 2025

Join us on October 19 for Golfing with Jesus 2025 at Wanaki Golf Course in Menomonee Falls. Tee-times will start at 12:10 pm so we should finish up golfing in time to have a few refreshments and to watch the Packer game at 3:25 pm at the Turn Bar at Wanaki.

If you would like to join the Galilee Golf Team in action, please send an email to Steve Dethloff at dethloff5@gmail.com to get your name on the list.



Looking forward to a great day of Fall golf!

23.OCT
6 PM - 8 PM

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OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**

October 1

Vaughn Strosin

October 2

Matt Opie
Nick Corlett

October 3

Barb Barthel

October 4

Derek Wolf
Al Burgemeister
Ian Reinke

October 5

Nick Pjevach

October 6

Amber Glover

October 7

Joelle Bickel
Elijah Greig

October 8

Nicole Arzberger
Amanda Arzberger
Alyssa Olson

October 10

Brian Binder

October 11

Emilia Falter

October 12

Donna Chudada
Savannah Evans
Sawyer Sullivan

October 13

Jean Nelson

October 15

Josh Prins

October 16

Linda Klein

October 17

Hailey Liek
Carole Miller

October 18

Debra Sirovina

October 19

David Keller
David Piotrowski

October 20

John Wallenfang
Steve Hanson
Sarah Bowman
Madelyn Raschka

October 21

Casey Goss
Rachel Carlson

October 22

Laurie McGroarty
Mike Raschka
Kaye Doenier

October 24

Margaret Pick
Mary Calhoun
Gannon Huebner

October 28

Ava Prins
Emily Danner
Cari Wallenfang

October 29

Sharon Vitek
Jeanine Knutson
Emily Barth



PRAYER NEEDS

Please keep in your prayers - Patricia Alters, Cathy Bartlett, Mary Benrud, Mike Bohlmann, Donna Chudada, Pastor Joy McDonald-Coltvet, Isaiah Cramer, Jake Drover, Donna Frederick, Dan Heger, Tony Hofstede, Katie Hollister, Marjory Kloth, Bill Koehn, Deb Kohler, Margo Krumnow, Ray Mansker, Dan Maske, Laurie McGroarty, Eliana Metzger, Marilyn Morgan, Calla Nelson, Dennis Olson, Paul Osmundson, Justin Peare, John Ruf, Jody Wille, Penny Williams, and Nancy Wojcicki.



Pray for our
military.

Mike Anderson
Andrew Connolly
Jeremy Fossier
Tim Gilestad
Bill Groth
Morgan Mosher
Andrew Richardson

**Are you or someone you know in
need of prayer?**
**Simply contact the church office at
(262) 691-2380
or
email galilee@galileelc.org
with your prayer requests.**



October 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 9a Worship Service	29 Pastor Amanda out of the office 7:30p AA - Fellowship Hall	30	1 9:30a Text Study 3p Versiti Blood Drive 3p Pewaukee Farmer's Market 5p Vocal Choir Rehearsal 6p Bell Choir Rehearsal	2 8:05a AA - Room 41 8:30a Claire in office half-day	3	4 7:30a Men's Bible Study 5p Worship Service
5 9a Worship Service 4p Kintsugi Class	6 10:30a Staff Meeting	7 10:30a Staff Meeting	8 9:30a Text Study 1:30p Grace Group 3p Pewaukee Farmer's Market 5p Vocal Choir Rehearsal 6p Bell Choir Rehearsal	9 8:05a AA - Room 41	10	11 8a Women's Bible Study 5p Worship Service
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19 9a Worship Service 11a Leadership Board Election 12:10p Golfing with Jesus	20 10a Encore: Breast Cancer Support Group 1p Knitters & Crocheters - Crochet	21 10:30a Staff Meeting 3p Loss & Living Support Group	22 9:30a Text Study 1:30p Grace Group 5p Vocal Choir Rehearsal 6p Bell Choir Rehearsal	23 8:05a AA - Room 41	24	25 8a Women's Bible Study 5p Worship Service with Confirmation 5p Confirmation
26 9a Worship Service 5:30p Al-Anon 35th Anniversary	27 10:30a Staff Meeting	28 10:30a Staff Meeting	29 9:30a Text Study 5p Vocal Choir Rehearsal 6p Bell Choir Rehearsal	30 8:05a AA - Room 41	31	1 7:30a Men's Bible Study 5p Worship Service
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