



FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS SEPTEMBER 6 and 7
Divine Services: *Sundays — 8 am & 9:30 am; Mondays — 6:30 pm*
Website: *www.flcgb.com*



FAITH BASED CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

You may be a caregiver if you help support an aging parent, a loved one with dementia or cognitive changes or a family member with a disability, stroke or complex health needs. Caregiving is extremely difficult and high stress. Redeemer Lutheran Church is pleased to announce that they are starting a faith based Caregiver Support Group to provide a safe space where you can share with others who understand you in a way no one else can in addition to helping you find resources and education to help make day-to-day caregiving more manageable. Meetings will take place the first Wednesday of the month in the Redeemer Ministry Center meeting room (210 S Oneida, Green Bay) beginning on Wednesday, September 2nd at 10:30am to noon. All caregivers are welcome to join!

TRINITY MENASHA SUPPORT

The Alumni of Trinity Lutheran Church and School of Menasha are asking sister congregations and schools in supporting the students and families affected by the tornado on July 27, 2026. Trinity is three blocks away from the major destruction and 18 of their students were in the path of the tornado that went through Menasha. Let us help them out as they prepare for school to begin at the end of August. Items can be ordered through this online registry and will automatically ship to Trinity, Menasha. Please scan the QR code below to access the registry.



DEADLINE FOR ANNOUNCEMENT
SUBMISSION IS WEDNESDAYS BY 9 AM

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Bible Study begins soon! We will meet in the lounge at Faith on Wednesday, September 9 at 6:30pm and begin our study of Bryan Wolfmueller's book: ***Finally Free Three Lessons in the Parable of the Prodigal Son***. The study focuses on how Jesus has set us free from three different kinds of slavery.

SNACKS FOR WEBSTER SCHOOL

We know nutrition is important for children during the school year but, some parents find it difficult to provide snacks for them. The Evangelism Committee is collecting snacks during the month of September for the children of Webster Elementary School. There will be a collection box in the back of the church, if you would like to participate. Suggested snacks- Goldfish crackers, backed chips, fruit snacks, applesauce pouches, single-serve cheese and crackers, etc. **Snacks need to be single-serve- No nuts, please.**

Thank you for sharing God's love with the children in our neighborhood.

CHRISTIAN GROWTH 2026 - 2027

We are looking forward to the upcoming education year for Christian Growth! If you are interested in being a substitute teacher for this year, please reach out to Alex Wright at dce@flcgb.com. Teachers are in charge of attendance, helping maintain discipline, and facilitating the prepared activity for the morning.

Upcoming Dates for Christian Growth:

Sep 13 - First Day of
Christian Growth





We pray for:

Jim Peters
Connie Lenz

**FAITH'S ACTIVE
MILITARY MEMBERS:**

Thomas Brod &
Carter Barlament

Long-term prayer needs:

Joy Anderson	Dale Raby
Leroy Barber	Lori Reynolds
Kaylene Delvaux	Paul Reynolds
Arlene Doepeke	Robert Ruggles
Sandi Engebose	Kurt Steiner
Erica Errer	Vern Tamura
Ethan Garner	Barbara Tuttle
Scott Hanna	Jeff Walch
Bonita Hoffman	Jean Zimmerman
Glenn Hoppe	Rick Zimmerman
Eleanore Juza	Faith's Inactive
Donna Koehler	Members
Fredrick Meinel	
Toni Nelson	

Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:

Laura and Don Cormier (Friends of Deb and Dr. Tim Freeman)
Laurie Howard (friend of Patrick Smith)
Jonathan Peters (nephew to Jim and Janet Peters)
Lorraine Frank (mother of Carolyn Boeck)
Jessica Pluim (friend of Brian & Martha Patrycia)
Dan and Vicky Finco (friends of Marilyn and Rick Toninato)
Kay Daley (sister of Connie Lenz)
Lisa VanStraten (sister of Jenni Cherney and Angie Smet)
Melissa Raupp (daughter of Dave and Carol Riebe)
Sydney Miracle (friend of Dick & Kathy Rupiper)
Luvine Mielke (mother of Todd Mielke)
JJ Safranski (nephew of Todd & Karen Mielke)
Justice (grandson of Kappie Murray)
Cate Steiner (grand-daughter of Kurt and Judy Steiner)
Charles Bagneski (brother-in-law of Kelly Bagneski)
Laura Logsdon (friend of Lori Reynolds)
Kent Hillery (brother of Connie Lenz)

Sharon Samarziya (sister-in-law of Nancy Hauswirth)
Rotraud Alverson (sister of Christa Batiansila)
Jerry Mann (brother-in-law to Jim and Janet Peters)
Holly Morales (cousin of Alyssa Garner)
Christina Lange (niece of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Sophia Meinel (grand-daughter of Fredrick & Diane Meinel)
Jean Reynolds (mother of Paul Reynolds)
Nancy Kolar (sister of Judy Steiner)
Susan Yakel (mother of Deborah Welnetz)
Roger Dart (cousin/friend of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Judy Kostreva (sister in law of Debra Crozier)
Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)
Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)
Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)
Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)
Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)
Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)
Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)

If you would like to add (or remove) someone to (or from) the prayer list, please email office@flcgb.com.



Altar Flowers

Altar Bouquet 1	Altar Bouquet 2	Center Altar Bouquet	Baptismal Font Bouquet
In memory of Bob Neufeld's birthday	In celebration of Sylvie Nimmer's 3rd birthday	In celebration of Sean and Aria McKindles' 1st anniversary	In celebration of Rachel and Tony Matushak's anniversary

ALTAR FLOWERS:

The flower sign up is available at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$25.00 per bouquet.

The flowers are available for you to take home after Monday service or they will be at the Welcome Center Tuesday morning.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FAITH THIS WEEK

Sun. 09/06	8:00 am	Service
	9:30 am	Service
	10:45 am	"Today's News and the Bible" class
Mon. 09/07	6:30 pm	Service
Tues 09/08	6:00 am	Men's Bible Study
	9:00 am	Matins
	9:30 am	Bible Study
	10:45 am	Banners
	5:30 pm	Blood Drive
	5:45 pm	Handbells
	6:00 pm	All Boards
	6:45 pm	Adult Choir
Wed 09/09	7:15 pm	Council
	5:30 pm	Catechism Class
	6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study
	-	Youth Group
	7:00 pm	Teen Handbells
	7:30 pm	High School Youth
Sun. 09/13	8:00 am	Service
		(Livestreamed)
	10:30 am	Service

SERVING OUR LORD THIS WEEK AT FAITH

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS:

Sun. 8:00 am	Sun. 9:30 am	Mon. 6:30 pm
Kyle Zimonick	Dave O'Brien	Bruce Zittlow

ALTAR GUILD:

Debra Crozier | Fern Blasier
Annika Stafford | Kathy Cornell

Welcome Faith's
NEW MEMBERS

Al & Paula Dunahoo

Bible Studies, Groups & Classes

WEEKLY(FALL)

THE LUTHER YOU NEVER KNEW

Sunday | 09:15 am | Preschool room
Led by Rev. Ed Maniscalco Ph.D.
Beginning 9/13

Tuesday Men's Bible Study

6:00 am | Lounge | Book of Acts

TUESDAY MATINS PRAYER

9:00 am | Sanctuary

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

9:30 am | Lounge

The Congregation at Prayer:

Daily Devotion and Prayer

Available on our website (flcgb.com)
under 'Home Devotion Resources' tab

MONTHLY

THE FAITHFULS | WOMEN'S LUNCHEON

Monday, September 28, 11:30 am

Mackinaws Grill - 2925 Voyager Drive
Text/call Karen at 920-680-5249 if you plan to attend.

THE FEAST BIBLE STUDY

First & Third Tuesday of the Month
September 15 | 6:30 pm | Lounge

Young Adult Bible Study
Led by Alex Wright



BOOK GROUP

First Wednesday of the Month

Oct. 7 | 6:30 pm | Lounge

"The Measure by Nikki Erlick"

FAITH'S DAYTIME BUNGO

Sep. 10 | 2 pm | Lounge



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Oct. 12 | 12:00 pm | Lounge

Anyone who knits or crochets is welcome to come and learn about this ministry. For more information contact Cheryl Roohr at eroohr@new.rr.com



NORTH WI DISTRICT ADULT GATHERING

Make plans now to attend the next NWD Adult Gathering on Tuesday, October 14, 2025 at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church in Weston. Registration & morning refreshments begin at 9:30 am with the program from 10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Key note speaker, Rev. Dr. Dan Paavola, will share a message based on his book *Our Way Home: A Journey through the Lord's Prayer*. The \$35 registration fee includes refreshments, program, and catered lunch. Register at www.nwdlcms.org under 'Events and Info' by Sept. 26.

Orphan Grain Train School Kits

Thank you to everyone who donated school Supplies for this year's Orphan Grain Train School Kits project. Volunteers put together 192 backpacks this year, twice the amount of backpacks filled last year!

ITALY 2027

Italy 2027! Join me and members of our congregation as we spend ten days in Italy. Departing from Green Bay on October 12, 2027, we will visit Milan, Venice, Pisa, Florence, Rome, and more to take in the history, art, and beauty of this historic country. Only eighteen months away, plan now to join in this experience.

RALLY DAY

Remember, our Fall service schedule resumes next week, 9-13-26, with services starting at 8 am and 10:30 am, and Christian Growth hour between services.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 13— **RALLY DAY**—Service times return
To fall schedule 8 and 10:30 am
— The Luther you never knew
Bible study 9:15 am
(Preschool room)
- September 15—Blood Drive
- September 20—Faith Family Potluck
- September 27—Preschool Meeting
- September 28—Altar Guild Meeting
- October 10 — Lutherans Witness Differently
speaker event: Reverend Droegemueller
- October 24 — Fall LWML rally—Prince of Peace
Sturgeon Bay, WI

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS **MONDAY—THURSDAY** **8:00 AM—12:00 PM**

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Hearing Devices are available in the back of the Narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.

A Large Print Hymnal is available in the back of the Narthex for your use.

Low-Gluten Wafers Due to the special dietary needs of those diagnosed with **Celiac Disease**, low-gluten wafers are available during communion. If you would like to receive a low-gluten wafer, speak to Pastor Errer or an elder prior to the service.

Evangelism in Vocation

Vocation is a beautiful word. It means our callings in life. We are called to be followers of Jesus, and within that we are called to be faithful laypeople, vicars, elders, deaconesses, or pastors. We are called to be good sons or daughters and obey the fourth commandment. We are called to be good brothers or sisters, neighbors, friends, and citizens. We are called into our professions, to do them well with the aim of serving others and providing for our families. In our professions, God provides for us and for others, and indeed he is involved deeply in every single vocation we are called to.

Gene Veith, a foremost author on this subject, wrote in a 2001 *Lutheran Witness* article entitled “Masks of God.” In that article, he writes “God works through people, in their ordinary stations of life to which He has called them, to care for His creation. In this way, He cares for everyone— Christian and non-Christian—whom He has given life. Luther puts it even more strongly: Vocations are “masks of God.” On the surface, we see an ordinary human face—our mother, the doctor, the teacher, the waitress, our pastor—but, beneath the appearances, God is ministering to us through them. God is hidden in human vocations... God is hidden in us. When we live out our callings... God is working through us. Even when we do not realize it, when we fulfill our callings, we too are masks of God.” This is evangelism through vocation.

We serve God in our many and various ways, and through it we witness to the world the love that we receive from him. Serve well, live out the Gospel, and obey the Lord, being a mask of God for sinners needing a savior. “Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.” (Colossians 3:23-24) With patience, hospitality, and genuine care, you can point to Christ through what you do every day. Importantly, allow others to do the same for you.

You could wear a crucifix as you work, that others might look upon their savior hung on the cross for them. As you care for them in a joyful manner, baptized into his death and resurrection, you show peace that comes only through him. “Do everything without grumbling or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a warped and crooked generation, then you will shine among them like stars in the sky.” (Philippians 2:14-15) By faithfully living out your vocation, even when it is hard to do so, you shine before others, a reflection of divine love, showing them God’s care for all.

God’s peace be with you,
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