

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

SUNDAY July 12th

7:45 Worship H/C
9:00 Education Hour
10:15 Worship H/C
6:00 Campfire Bible Study at the Kohn residence

MONDAY July 13th

9:00-12:00 V.B.S.
6:00 School Board Meeting
7:00 Elders Meeting

TUESDAY July 14th

9:00-12:00 V.B.S.

WEDNESDAY July 15th

9:00-12:00 V.B.S.
6:30 Youth Group

THURSDAY July 16th

7:00 V.B.S. Closing Program

FRIDAY July 17th

SATURDAY July 18th

SUNDAY July 19th

7:45 Worship H/C
9:00 Education Hour
10:15 Worship H/C
6:00 Campfire Bible Study at the Kohn residence

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS IN PRAYER
Marlys Zemke-Wellington Place Assisted Living



THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

ELDERS FOR JULY

Eric Breitenfeldt, Bryan Piepenburg, Cliff Prahl

ALTAR GUILD FOR JULY

Diana Rux and June Dittbrender

USHERS THIS WEEKEND

Lisa Brost ~ 7:45
Stuart Vaughn

Steven Jome~ 10:15

Rick Borchardt

ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND

Finley Schlund~ 7:45
Parker Rogalla~ 10:15
July 16th~Parker Rogalla

CLEANING TEAM

July 12th-July 25th~Neal & Cindi Schalow

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

The Week July 12th-July 19th 2026

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Church Building Will Be Open This Summer

Tuesday-Thursday 9:00-12:00

Church & School Secretary Summer Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 AM-2:00 PM

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Happy Birthday this week to:

Kaysen Blom (7/13)
Debra Fenske (7/17)
Nancy Thorson (7/18)
Greg Lund (7/18)
Jenny Glapinski (7/18)
Lyle Juedes (7/18)



Happy Anniversary this week to:

Wayne & Lucy Syring (7/14)
Keith & Laena Klinger (7/15)
Kirk & Jaclyn Rux (7/15)
Daniel & Melissa Fenske (7/18)
Scott & Marcia Habeck (7/19)



God's Blessings on your special day!



Our Mission Statement

"St. John Lutheran Church and School is dedicated to worship, love, teach, reach out and care through the love of Christ Jesus."

ATTENDANCE REPORT	2025	2026
Thursday, July 2nd	15	17
Sunday, July 5th	111	88

OFFERING LAST WEEK

Envelope & Plate
 Week of July 5th, 2026 \$6579.00
 Tuition-\$666.00 Extended Care-\$0.00
 Debt Reduction (Line of Credit Only)-\$80.00
 Loose change collected for Hager House - \$8.45
 Electronic Giving
 General Fund-\$2868.00

PAYMENTS MADE/DUE

Line of Credit Balance as of July 7th - \$24,331.00
 Expenses paid June 28-July 4- \$7009.72
 In addition to the balance on the line of credit, we are currently holding check payments of \$1,599.22. The additional \$5,600 draw from the line of credit was needed to cover the transfer needed for the payroll scheduled next week.

Bethany Lutheran Church will be holding its annual Ice Cream Social on Thursday, July 16, from 4-7 p.m., in Bethany Church's fellowship hall, 174071 Church Road, in the Town of Easton. The menu will include BBQ, ham sandwich and hotdog plates; ice cream sundaes, root beer floats, banana splits, and homemade pie. Freewill donations will be accepted. Proceeds from the event will go toward Ringle tornado relief and refurbishing of Bethany's 31-year-old handbells. Everyone is welcome...we hope to see you there!

Leanna Crawford in Concert: Monday, July 13, VIP entry 5:00 PM • General Admission doors 6:00 PM. Show 6:30 PM at Mount Olive Lutheran Church, 6205 Alderson St, Weston. VIP includes early entry at 5:00 PM, a Q&A with Leanna, and VIP seating. General admission doors open at 6:00 PM. Leanna Crawford is an American contemporary Christian music singer and songwriter signed to Provident Label Group. Best known for her heartfelt and vulnerable pop-style lyrics, she often writes about self-worth, identity, and navigating faith through insecurities and doubt. To get tickets go to 89q.org/events/community-calendar.

Q1 Loose Change Offering: It's so great hearing that noisy offering each week knowing it's going to support an outside mission. The amount collected for Camp Luther in the first quarter was \$426.81! The Hager House in Wausau, a Christ-centered home for single mothers, will be the recipient of our second quarter loose change offering.

Same Big God For 80 Years. Praise be to God for an incredible year celebrating **80 years of Camp Luther!** Having officially marked this momentous milestone, we look back with immense gratitude for the eight decades of change, growth, hardships, and triumphs that have shaped this ministry. Through every single season, Christ has remained firmly at the center. What began in 1946 with just 91 acres, three cottages, and one lodge has blossomed into something truly remarkable. Over the years, God has expanded our acreage, blessed us with new facilities, and multiplied our community of staff, campers, volunteers, guests, and visitors. **Looking Back, Moving Forward:** Countless lives have been impacted and shaped by the ministry here. It is only by God's grace that we were able to

celebrate the profound blessing Camp Luther has been—and continues to be—to so many. Thank you to everyone who joined us in commemorating our 80th year in 2026. Your stories, your presence, and your prayers made this historic year unforgettable. As we look ahead to the future, we do so with joyful hearts, eager to see how God will continue to use Camp Luther for generations to come.

Bethesda Lutheran Disability Ministries (BLDM) and our mission to bring the love of Jesus to the IDD community. There is a glaring need for Gospel outreach to and with people who live with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD). Though this population of people are born just as sinful as anyone else and whose sins are paid for through the blood of Jesus like everyone in the world, too often they do not receive the kinds of spiritual nurture, worship, and fellowship opportunities that meet their needs and maximize their ability to hear God's Word, serve their Lord, and serve their congregations and communities. Together with individuals, groups, congregations and communities, we will create a new opportunity for people with disabilities to hear God's Word, grow in faith, and receive and share Jesus' love with others. Supporting the IDD Community: Bethesda Lutheran Disability Ministries uplifts the faith of individuals living with intellectual and developmental disabilities, ensuring they have the spiritual resources needed for a dignified and fulfilling Christ-centered life. Local Volunteer Opportunities: Are you eager to make a difference in the lives of individuals with disabilities in your community? Contact us to discover how BLDM can offer materials, support, and expertise for local volunteer initiatives focused on helping individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Prayer Opportunities, the Lord hears the prayers of His saints. Check out our prayer suggestions page for prayer and devotion ideas. Giving opportunities: Every penny donated to BLDM helps make an eternal impact on the IDD community. Discover how to donate to Bethesda Lutheran Disability Ministries! Go to bethesdalldm.org/get-involved/ to learn more.

Memorials received this week: In memory of Lorraine Krueger from Roger & Bev Tesch.

We're looking for a teacher for our Wednesday night **JAM** program! We have an opening to teach either **2nd-4th grade** or **5th-6th grade**. If you have a heart for sharing God's love with children and would like to make a difference in their faith journey, we'd love to have you! If you're interested or would like more information, please contact Lisa Fritz at lisa.fritz@greenheck.com

Help inspire the next generation! We're seeking a volunteer to lead our **6th-8th grade Sunday School** class. This is a wonderful opportunity to encourage young people as they grow in their faith, ask questions, and build a stronger relationship with God. If you feel called to serve in this role or would like to learn more, please contact Kris Prah at ckprahl@frontier.com or 715-581-4045

