



FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

WHERE WE ARE *family*

WELCOME

PREPARE

Pray | We encourage you to take time before each service to speak to God in prayer. Use your own words, or, if you're struggling to find the words, please refer to the Prayer Before Worship that is projected on the screens.

Be a good neighbor | Please greet those sitting near you and introduce yourself! Church is a place for the community of God's people, and we want you to be able to participate in it. So as not to distract others in worship, please silence your cell phone.

PARTICIPATE

The order of service is printed for you in this bulletin and is projected for you on the screens.

If you are hard of hearing, personal listening devices are available from the elder.

If you are hard of seeing, large print bulletins are also available from the elder.

Please take a moment to fill out a CONNECTION CARD that can be found on the backs of each pew. This allows us to have a record of you worshipping with us today. You can place them in the offering plate following worship.

RETREAT

Restrooms | The restrooms are located in the south hallway (over your left shoulder as you sit in the pew). Water fountains are in the hallways on either side of the sanctuary.

Restless children | We love having your children in worship and want to help little ones in their worship of our Lord! However, if you feel the need to leave the sanctuary but still want to follow along, a TV with a live feed of the service as well as rocking chairs, children's books and toys is located in the Library/Chapel across the south hallway.

YOU'RE INVITED

GUEST PREACHER

Today we welcome Pastor Jeremy Laitinen as our guest preacher. Pastor Laitinen has been serving as the Director of Youth Ministry at Shoreland Lutheran High School since 2020.

MONDAY NIGHT WORSHIP

Please note, we will not be holding a Monday Night Worship Service for the month of August. It will resume on Mon, Sept. 1 at 6:30pm.

THIS WEEK



Wed: 5:00pm - School Board

COMING UP

Aug 12 - Back to School Night

Aug 18 - First Day of School

Aug 22 - No School/Office Closed

SPIRITUAL GROWTH



JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

Sundays

9:00am

1st Monday of the Month

6:30pm

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR

Resumes September 14.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Resumes September 9.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Resumes September 11.



GET INVOLVED

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

We are making preparations for Sunday School to begin this fall! With that being said, we are looking for people willing to teach Sunday School on a rotating basis. For more information, please reach out to Kim Anderberg at hinska29@gmail.com or 262-215-0850.

GREETERS

DID YOU KNOW - You have a superpower??? Saying hello is a simple but powerful word, it's a way to connect with others. Saying hello is an effortless form of social interaction to friends, family, church family and even strangers. If you want to show off this superpower and interested in greeting this month, please sign up on the greeter sheet in narthex or contact Gabriela Lira at 262-203-6209.

MORE INFORMATION

WORSHIP STATS

Last week, 112 people joined us for worship and \$4,269 was gratefully given in offerings and tuition.

VACATION

Pastor Bartelt will be on vacation until August 5. If you need pastoral assistance during this time, please reach out to Pastor Kirk Lahmann from St. John's Burlington. He can be reached at pastorlahmann@stjohnsburlington.org or 262-210-2018.

MISSION ENVELOPE

In your packet of offering envelopes, you will find a special offering envelope dated August 10. Funds collected in those envelopes will be donated to East Fork Lutheran High School in Whiteriver, AZ. More information about East Fork and their ministry can be found by visiting, eastforklutheranschool.org

90+ BIRTHDAYS

Nancy Yaeger | 92 | August 8
N10644 Junet Road
Ironwood, MI 49938

EVERY STEP A BLESSING

The "Every Step a Blessing" capital campaign is a 24-month effort to complete a full replacement of the flooring throughout our church. This includes addressing aging materials, professionally removing hazardous asbestos where needed, and updating flooring with safe, functional, and beautiful surfaces that will serve our congregation and community well into the future.

We are prayerfully seeking to raise \$175,000 over the next two years to fully fund Phases 2 and 3. This is an investment in both our current ministry and the generations yet to come.

We invite every member of our congregation to take a step with us in faith and generosity. You can support the "Every Step a Blessing" campaign in any of the following ways:

Special Envelope Giving - A blue envelope can be found in the narthex.

Digital Giving - Visit our church's website to give today.

Make a Pledge - If you would like to give but cannot give right now, consider going to our church's website to make a pledge. Navigate to our Capital Campaign and click the "Pledge" button to fill out your information.

Collected to date: \$3,280

Pledged to date: \$1,000

DAILY BIBLE VERSE

Monday - Jeremiah 33:2-3

Tuesday - Psalm 119:130

Wednesday - Psalm 119:160

Thursday - Isaiah 33:22

Friday - Psalm 149:4

Saturday - Luke 12:6-7

Sunday - Psalm 46:1

PRAYER REQUESTS

PETE MARQUETTE

Thanks for blessings received after a recent procedure.

AVIS GRAUMANN

Receiving palliative care at home.

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Mon - Closed

Tues - Thurs: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Fri: Closed

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE IN THE COMING WEEKS

ELDER

Aug. 10 - Paul Nehlen
Aug. 17 - Jerry Thompson

ALTAR GUILD

Aug. 10 - Kris Hills and Jan Lazzaroni
Aug. 17 - Kelly Schwartz

PROJECTIONIST

Aug. 10 - Wendy Jo Ambrose
Aug. 17 - Brett Biwer

FELLOWSHIP

Aug. 10 - Lori Jacobson
Aug. 17 - Rachael Kamps