



Announcements
and Duty List



wiser lake
Chapel



August 16, 2026
Ordinary Time

Children of all ages are welcome and wanted in worship! A nursery (ages 0–3) & a nursing mothers’ room are available downstairs. Restrooms are located near the back door & downstairs.

Tonight — Join us for worship, prayer, studying 1 Samuel 24, and a shared supper.

August 18, 11:30 — Seasoned Citizens Lunch

September 13 — Chapel Picnic @ Hovander Park

September 20 — Informational Meeting

Duty	August 16	August 23	August 30	September 6	September 13	September 20
Morning Pianist	Bethany H.	Karen S.	Bethany H.	Bethany H.	Ruth D.	Karen S.
Greeter & Usher	Lovegren, N.	Tamminga, J.	Unrein	Wonder	Blok	Dickson
Sound Crew	Craig	Blaise	Jack L.	Ethan	Mac	Craig & Abram
Nursery	Ruth S.	Alexa O.	Elizabeth C.	Karen M.	Kelsey C.	Karen M.
Nursery Helper	Faye T.	Eva C.	Christian L.	Lucille M.	Abram M.	Faye T.
Snacks & Coffee Clean-up	Siebring, R. Olthuis	Gibson, E. Gibson, T.	Chambers Drury	Blok Johnson	Valle Vander Haak	Iverson Hilt
Eve. Leader	Austin M.	Ben M.	Nate L.	Dan G.	Nate G.	John D.
Eve. Pianist	Ruth D.	Emily G.	Jack L.	Emily G.	Ruth D.	Emily G.
Eve. Meal Host	Jan & Hosanna	Joel & Ruth	Perez Family	Dan & Emily	Austin & Sara	May P.

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Call to Worship — *Psalm 67*

*May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make His face to shine upon us,
that your way may be known on earth,
and your saving power among all nations.
Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!*
**Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon the earth.**
*Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!.*
**The earth has yielded its increase;
God, our God, shall bless us.
God shall bless us;
let all the ends of the earth fear Him!**

Songbook 31 — There Is One Gospel

Songbook 21 — Hold Me Savior

Prayer of Invocation

New Testament Reading — *Matthew 27:27–46* (p. 991)

GOD CALLS
US TO WORSHIP



Confession of Sin — *(adapted from Psalm 13)*

How long, O LORD? Will you forget me forever?

How long will you hide your face from me?

How long must I take counsel in my soul

and have sorrow in my heart all the day?

How long shall my enemies be exalted over me?

Consider and answer me, O LORD my God;

light of my eyes, lest I sleep the sleep of death,

lest my enemy say, “I have prevailed over him,”

lest my foes rejoice because I am shaken.

But I have trusted in your steadfast love;

my heart shall rejoice in your salvation.

I will sing to the LORD,

because He has dealt bountifully with me.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon — *2 Corinthians 4:16–18, 5:4*

Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen...While we are still in this tent, we groan, being burdened — not that we would be unclothed, but that we would be further clothed, so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life.

Hymn 521 — My Hope Is Build on Nothing Less

Prayer of Intercession

(we conclude by praying the Lord's Prayer together, found in the back of the hymnal)

Offering — *2 Corinthians 9:1–2*

Now it is superfluous for me to write to you about the ministry for the saints, for I know your readiness, of which I boast about you to the people of Macedonia, saying that Achaia has been ready since last year. And your zeal has stirred up most of them.

GOD DEALS
WITH OUR SIN



Sermon — *Psalm 22* (p. 539)

(we respond to God's Word with joy, saying together 'Thank be to God!')

GOD SPEAKS
TO US



* Something to discuss:

* Something to share:

Hymn 79 — My God, My God, O Why Have You Forsaken Me?

Confession of Faith — *Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 27*

Q. Wherein did Christ's humiliation consist?

A. Christ's humiliation consisted in his being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried, and continuing under the power of death for a time.

Benediction — *2 Corinthians 13:14*

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ
and the love of God
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit
be with you all.
Amen.

Doxology (words at Hymn 731)

GOD HEARS
OUR PRAYERS



GOD SENDS
US OUT

