

## Prayer Page

### Thanksgiving

- Confirmation students being confirmed
- Brenda & Lee Heims - moving

### Entrusting into God's Care

- Randy Schmith - servant event at Juarez/El Paso, May 14-21
- Wayne Schilling - hospice care
- The Kroemer family as they help a friend
- Persecuted Christians and refugees
- Those suffering after the storm and during the pandemic
- Peace in Europe and throughout the world
- Project 24 students, Yvonne and Lorine

### Healing

- Millie Zimmerman - recovering after surgery
- Lorelei Hackbardt - recovering after surgery
- Natalie Heller - recovering after surgery
- John Hamm - recovering after surgery
- Rob Willms - recovering after hospitalization
- Erin Wilson - health issues
- Kim Neuhaus - recovering after hospitalization
- Faye Sieck - health issues, upcoming surgery
- Doug Knutson - cancer treatment
- John Siebenmann - health issues
- Lee Rathje - recovering after surgery
- Cindy Broadwater - relief of foot pain
- Lynn Madsen - broken wrist
- Carol Griminger - recovering after hospitalization
- Joel Knutson - recovering after surgery
- Sharon Ramsey - recovering after surgery
- Dave Christian - recovering at home after cardiac surgery

### Homebound

- Larry & Sharon Easler - Summit Pointe, Marion

### Mourning

- Carol (mother of Angie Pfeil) - died 4/15

### Serving Our Country

- Ben - serving in the Iowa National Guard
- Mitchell & Benjamin (relatives of Schoens & Smiths) - U.S. Navy
- Harrison (son of Rob & Faye Sieck) - Deployed to Germany

## Servants of Worship

	Sunday, May 1	Sunday, May 8
<b>Elder</b>	Karl Hoech	Phil Hedtke
<b>Usher (8:30)</b>	Randy Schmith, Ed Schumacher	Mike Thomas
<b>Usher (11)</b>	Darrell Chiavetta, Steve Hanchera	Greg Dunn
<b>Greeter (8:30)</b>	Smith Family	Rick & Marvelene Foreman
<b>Greeter (11)</b>	Karen Schmidt, Rita Tiedt	Rob & Shelia Willms
<b>Lector (8:30)</b>	Mark Elias	Maren Elm
<b>Lector (11)</b>	David Johnson	Sheryl Knutson
<b>Video (8:30)</b>	Jeff Gebert	Chris Frampton
<b>Video (11)</b>	Stephanie Chittick	Mike Diers
<b>Sound (8:30)</b>	Aaron Moffett	Darin Elm
<b>Sound (11)</b>	Phil Hedtke	Karl Hoech
<b>Acolyte (8:30)</b>	Evan Ranbarger, Tristan Bond	Charles Clark, Aiden Erickson
<b>Acolyte (11)</b>	Madison Rinderknecht, Camden Brusius	Conner Kirkpatrick, Carter Kirkpatrick
<b>Coffee</b>	Ed & Gloria Schumacher	

## Church Staff

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**May 1, 2022**  
**Confirmation Sunday**  
**8:30 a.m. Service**

*Living and Sharing God's Love*

## Order of Service

Divine Service Setting III (pg. 184)

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn

*With High Delight Let Us Unite*

LSB #483

Invocation, Confession and Absolution

Introit

Psalm 145

Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis

Salutation and Collect of the Day

First Reading

Acts 9:1-22

Second Reading

Revelation 5:1-14

Gradual

*Jesus Shall Reign*

Handbell Ensemble

Alleluia

Holy Gospel

John 21:1-14

Nicene Creed

Hymn

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*

LSB #411

Sermon

Prayer of the Church

Preface, Sanctus

Lord's Prayer, The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini, Agnus Dei

Distribution

*Abide With Me*

Handbell Ensemble

*O Sing to the Lord*

LSB #808

*Feed Thy Children, God Most Holy*

LSB #774

Nunc Dimittis, Thanksgiving

Salutation and Benedicamus, Benediction

*In Thee Is Gladness*

LSB #818

## Notes and Announcements

**Confirmation** - God's blessings to the Bethany students who will affirm their baptismal vows in the Rite of Confirmation at today's 11:00 service: Charles Clark, Aiden Erickson, Carter Kirkpatrick, Conner Kirkpatrick, Jackson Rinderknecht, Taylor Theriault, Kellen Volden, and Bryce Wilson.

**A rummage sale** will be held on Saturday, May 14 at 8:00 - 3:00 to raise funds for the LCMS Youth Gathering. Have some items to donate? We will collect donations at Bethany at these times:

Saturday, May 7 at 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 8 at 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

May 9 -May 13 at 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. (or during office hours)

**Ask Pastor Anything** - On Sunday, May 8 Pastor Erickson will lead an "Ask Pastor Anything" Bible Study in the Family Life Center at 9:45 a.m. To help prepare for this study, please submit questions beforehand using the forms and box in the Gathering Area.

**We will collect boxes of tissues** to create a "tissue tower" in the Gathering Area to be donated to the pantry. This is in conjunction with a tissue tower drive at Trinity Lutheran School and Church to benefit Bethany Lutheran Food Pantry. Trinity has a goal of 250 boxes of tissues... can Bethany match that? Please bring in your donations of tissues now through May 15.

**Food Pantry** - Each Sunday we need six volunteers at 12:30-3:00. Please sign up to volunteer at [www.bethanycr.org/food-pantry](http://www.bethanycr.org/food-pantry).

We are pleased to welcome **Ryanne Molinari** as Bethany's new traditional music director. She will start on May 9.

**Blood Drive** - Thank you to everyone who gave blood Tuesday. The American Red Cross collected 28 units of blood, and said, "Thank you for restocking the blood banks; the patients will be forever grateful to you. Because each donation can save up to 3 lives, the possible impact could be 84 patients!"

**Serve the Lord Day** - Thank you to everyone who helped our Trustees care for the maintenance of our facilities yesterday!

## Our Calendar This Week

**Sunday** 8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional) w/ Comm  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary) w/ Comm  
1:00 pm Food Pantry Open

**Monday** 6:30 am Coffee Outreach  
10:00 am Women's Group  
1:30 pm LWML Board Meeting  
6:00 pm Trustees Meeting

**Tuesday** 6:00 pm Evangelism Meeting  
6:30 pm Handbells Practice

**Wednesday** 6:30 am Men's Bible Study  
6:00 pm Human Care Meeting  
6:00 pm Youth Gathering Meeting

**Thursday** 9:00 am Adult Bible Study

**Saturday** 9:00 am Holy Yoga - Opening Room  
9:00 am Rummage Sale Donation Collection

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Notes

**Church Office Hours:** Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.