

## Prayer Page

### Thanksgiving

- Memorial Day

### Entrusting into God's Care

- Persecuted Christians and refugees
- Those suffering after storms and during the pandemic
- Peace in Europe and throughout the world
- Project 24 students, Yvonne and Lorine

### Healing

- Nancy (sister of Julie Elias) - hospitalization after fall
- Joel Knutson - recovering after surgery
- Lucas McCarley - recovering after surgery
- Elaine Cook - recovering after surgery
- Ethel Doehrmann - recovering after hospitalization
- Larry Easler - recovering after fall at Hiawatha Care Center
- Tom Stock - health issues
- Lee Rathje - recovering after surgery
- Dave Johnson - recovering after surgery
- Janelle Dunbar - recovering after surgery
- Doug Knutson - immunotherapy treatment
- Bonnie Bubke - personal issues
- Rick Foreman - recovering at home after fall
- Deb Heitland - health issues
- Abi Clark - health issues

### Homebound

- Chuck Stoelting - Garnet Place

### Mourning, friends and family of

- Stephen Stepanek - died 5/20
- Wayne Schilling - died 5/19

### Serving Our Country

- Ben (son of Kroemers) - serving IA National Guard
- Devin (friend of Kroemers) - serving IA Army National Guard
- Mitchell & Benjamin (relatives of Schoens & Smiths) - US Navy
- Harrison - (son of Siecks) - US Army, deployed to Poland

## Servants of Worship

	Sunday, May 28	Sunday, June 4
<b>Elder</b>	Karl Hoech	Phil Hedtke
<b>Usher (8:30)</b>	Dave Karsten	Randy Schmith & Dathan Hinrichs
<b>Usher (11)</b>	Dave Johnson	Ben Mims & Chuck Kroemer
<b>Greeter (8:30)</b>	Ken Armbrrecht & Bev Rasmussen	Mark & Julie Elias
<b>Greeter (11)</b>	Dick & Karen Hass	Ben & Dawn Mims
<b>Lector (8:30)</b>	Nicholas Williams	Arlen Breiholz
<b>Lector (11)</b>	Lissa Novitch	Lori Dohrmann
<b>Video (8:30)</b>	Chris Frampton	
<b>Video (11)</b>	Greg Dunn, Charles Clark	
<b>Sound (8:30)</b>	Nicholas Williams	Karl Hoech
<b>Sound (11)</b>	Aaron Moffett	Aaron Moffett
<b>Acolyte (8:30)</b>	Camden Brusius	Landon Oja
<b>Acolyte (11)</b>	Ella Bricker	Tristan Bond
<b>Nursery (11)</b>	Sheila Willms & Dawn Mims	Rebecca Ballstaedt & Brooke Oja
<b>Coffee</b>	Kirkpatrick	Knutsons

### Church Staff

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*And they were all filled with  
the Holy Spirit and began to  
speak in other tongues as the  
Spirit gave them utterance.*

Acts 2:4

**May 28, 2023**  
**Pentecost**  
**8:30 Service**

*Living and Sharing God's Love*

## Order of Service

Divine Service Setting IV

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn of Invocation

*Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord*

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Confession and Absolution

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Introit

Psalm 104

Kyrie

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Gloria in Excelsis

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

Old Testament Reading

2 Timothy 4:22

Gradual

Second Reading

Acts 2:1-21

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

John 7:37-39

Apostles Creed

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Children's Message

Hymn of the Day

*Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid*

LSB #500

Sermon

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Luther's Morning Prayer

Benedicamus and Benediction

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Closing Hymn

*Hail Thee, Festival Day*

LSB #489

## Notes and Announcements

**Take me out to the ballpark!** Join Bethany friends on Sunday, June 25 at 1:05 p.m. to see the Cedar Rapids Kernels take on the Beloit Sky Carp. Special ticket pricing for Bethany members is \$10 for adults and kids under 18 are free! Kids 12 and under also get a free hot dog, popcorn, and drink courtesy of the Kernels. Please sign up for tickets at the Welcome Center by Sunday, June 4.

**Summer Sunday School** will be held June 11-August 13. We are looking for one teacher and one helper for each week to lead PreK-8th grade, which will meet in one large group. Curriculum is provided for the lessons. If you would like to volunteer for a Sunday, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

On June 11 we will start a new ministry for **emerging adults**: those aged 18-26 years old. All emerging adults are encouraged to join us for Bible study on Sundays at 5:00 p.m. Our study will focus on different topics and issues we face at this age, and look at them with a Christian lens. Contact Kierra for details.

A **new adult Bible study** will start Monday, June 12 at 7:00 p.m. This will be a six-week study on Monday evenings that dives into the topic of vocation. We will look at what vocation is and what that looks like in your everyday life. All adults are welcome!

On Sunday, June 4 we will celebrate **new Bethany members**. Be sure to welcome them and introduce yourself to new members!

**LWML will host a salad supper** for ladies on June 8 at 6:00 p.m.

Evangelism will host a **"Chalk the Walk"** event on Saturday, June 10. Mark your calendar and look for details to come!

**Paper-Palooza for Bethany Lutheran Food Pantry** - Thank you to everyone who has donated paper products this month!

**Stewardship Note - Acts 2:1** – *"When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place."* Pentecost is the Old Testament harvest festival, taking place around the time when the wheat and oats are ready to be brought in. Of course, this was an image and foreshadowing of the great harvest of human-kind that God means to carry out through the preaching of His Word. God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest.

## Our Calendar This Week

**Today**

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

**Monday**

Office Closed

**Tuesday**

9:00 am Walking for Exercise  
6:30 pm Handbells Practice

**Wednesday**

6:00 am Men's Bible Study  
6:00 pm High School Youth  
6:30 pm Vocal Choir

**Thursday**

9:00 am Adult Bible Study  
9:00 am Walking for Exercise  
6:00 pm Human Care Meeting  
7:00 pm Christian Faith Class

**Saturday**

9:00 am Holy Yoga

**Next 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

Notes

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