

## Prayer Page

### Thanksgiving

- New Bethany members

### 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

- Ivan Grimm (brother of Brenda Heims)
- Norma Sirotiak - died 5/26
- 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, June 4	Sunday, June 11
<b>Elder</b>	Phil Hedtke	Mark Elias
<b>Usher (8:30)</b>	Randy Schmith & Dathan Hinrichs	Wade Ramsey
<b>Usher (11)</b>	Ben Mims & Chuck Kroemer	Dave Johnson
<b>Greeter (8:30)</b>	Dave & Kay Karsten	Pete & Kris Larson
<b>Greeter (11)</b>	Ben & Dawn Mims	Karen Schmidt & Rita Tiedt
<b>Lector (8:30)</b>	Arlen Breiholz	Mark Bornemann
<b>Lector (11)</b>	Lori Dohrmann	Dave Johnson
<b>Video (8:30)</b>	Greg Dunn	Jeff Gebert
<b>Video (11)</b>	Doug Knutson	Mike Diers
<b>Sound (8:30)</b>	Karl Hoech	Ken Cook
<b>Sound (11)</b>	Aaron Moffett	Darin Elm
<b>Acolyte (8:30)</b>	Natalie Heller	Ella Bricker
<b>Acolyte (11)</b>	Tristan Bond	Alex Theriault
<b>Nursery (11)</b>	Rebecca Ballstaedt & Knutsons	Emily Kroemer & Abi Clark
<b>Coffee</b>	Knutsons	Freese

## Church Staff

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**June 4, 2023**  
**Trinity Sunday**  
**8:30 Service**

*Living and Sharing God's Love*

## Order of Service

Divine Service Setting III

Welcome and Announcements	
Hymn of Invocation	
<i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>	LSB #507
Confession and Absolution	LSB pg. 184
Introit	Psalm 16
Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis	LSB pg. 186
Salutation and Collect of the Day	
First Old Testament Reading	Genesis 1:1-25
Gradual— <i>Come, Christian, Join to Sing</i>	Handbells
Second Old Testament Reading	Genesis 1:26-2:4
Alleluia and Verse	LSB pg. 190
Holy Gospel	Matthew 28:16-20
Reception of New Members	
Hymn of the Day	
<i>Christ High-Ascended, Now in Glory Seated</i>	LSB #840
Sermon	
Athanasian Creed	
Prayer of the Church, Preface and Sanctus	LSB pg. 194
Lord's Prayer	
The Words of Our Lord	
Pax Domini, Agnus Dei	LSB pg. 197
Distribution	
<i>For The Beauty Of The Earth</i>	Handbells
<i>Now, My Tongue, the Mystery Telling</i>	LSB #630
<i>Christ Is the World's Redeemer</i>	LSB #539
Nunc Dimittis, Thanksgiving	LSB pg. 199
Salutation, Benedicamus, Benediction	LSB pg. 201
Closing Hymn	
<i>Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling</i>	LSB #650

## Notes and Announcements

Today we celebrate **new Bethany members!** Please welcome and introduce yourself to James Ball, Ann Balvanz, Beth Wright, Alan & Kathy Echtenkamp, Fred & Raylene Henkelmann, Sarah Nekola, Anne & Joseph Railsback, John & Karen Schaub and Shirley Witte.

**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. Today is the last day to sign up for tickets at the Welcome Center.

Evangelism will host a **“Chalk the Walk”** event this Saturday! Come to Bethany at 10:00 a.m. and decorate a sidewalk square with a scripture and a positive Christian message for our food pantry neighbors to enjoy. Chalk will be provided.

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!

**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.**

**LWML will host a salad supper** for ladies this Thursday, June 8 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

Bethany has set up a **service project with His Hands Clinic** for Saturday, June 24, at 10:00 a.m. The clinic needs volunteers to help clean, and to keep everything neat and sanitized. Mark your calendar and look for details to come about this opportunity.

## Our Calendar This Week

<b>Today</b>	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
<b>Monday</b>	1:30 pm LWML Board Meeting 6:00 pm Board of Education Meeting 6:00 pm Stewardship Meeting 6:00 pm Trustees Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>	9:00 am Walking for Exercise 6:00 pm Evangelism Meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:00 am Men's Bible Study - Zoom 6:00 pm High School Youth
<b>Thursday</b>	9:00 am Adult Bible Study 9:00 am Walking for Exercise 6:00 pm LWML Salad Supper
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00 am Holy Yoga 10:00 am Chalk the Walk
<b>Next Sunday</b>	8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional) 9:45 am Summer Sunday School 11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary) 1:00 pm Food Pantry Open

### Stewardship Note

**Matthew 28:19–20** – *“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.”*

Behold the threefold Name of God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We are baptized into this Name. We have been made a part of God's family. Now, we are called to live in harmony with our new family, to be godly and live in God's image. As God is loving, kind and generous, so are we all called to be.

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