

Bethany Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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Office Hours: Monday -Thursday 8:00 a.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.
Friday 8:00 a.m. ~ 12:00 p.m.
Facebook: Bethany Lutheran - Rice Lake, WI
Live Radio Broadcast: WJMC 96.1 FM & 1240 AM
Worship: Saturdays 5:30 p.m.
Sundays 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Live Streaming: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. on Bethany's website and Facebook page. Services archived for 90 days
Cable TV: Channels 992 (Spectrum) & 993 (Mosaic)
Sundays 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Thursdays 7:00 p.m.

Worship Assistants

Saturday at 5:30 p.m. in the Gathering Room

Musicians: Jan Wick, Paul Hanson
Projection: Kathy Osterloth **Host:** John Osterloth

Sunday at 8:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Organist: Susan Barta
Musicians: Con Eastwold, Sarah Haglund, Brad Wiedmann
Assisting Minister: Carol Hakala
Communion Assistants: Carol Hakala, Tom Lundquist, Tammy Lundquist, Max Nelson, Suzanne Arnevik
Reader: Max Nelson
Ushers/Greeters: Ted Hakala, Dave Myre

Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Musicians: Paul Baribeau, Tammy Roberg, Andy Denison, Ric Brekke
Assisting Ministers: Amy Brekke
Communion Assistants: Jodi Babineau, Amy Brekke
Reader: Wendy Denison
Ushers/Greeters: Molden Family

Sunday Projection/Video: Jan Wilking & Joe Erickson

January 20-21, 2024

General Offering —\$16,122.45; Building—\$2,635.00

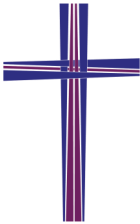
Attendance January 20-21, 2024

	5:30pm	8:00am	10:00 am
In Person	18	66	112
Online		48	27

January 28—February 3, 2024 The Week Ahead

Sunday 28	8:00 am Worship/SA 9:00 am Annual Meeting/SA 9:00 am Coffee 10:00 am Worship/SA
Monday 29	8:00 am Strong Women/107-109 10:30 am Staff Meeting/CR 1:00 pm Quilting/QR
Tuesday 30	
Wednesday 31	8:00 am Strong Women/107-109 3:30 pm Afterschool Programming 6:00 pm Here We Stand 6:30 pm Bethany Choir Rehearsal/CR 7:30 pm High School Youth Group
Thursday 1	9:00 am Elizabeth Circle/CR 1:00 pm Brentwood Communion Service 1:30 pm Naomi Circle/CR 7:00 pm Worship & Music/Zoom 7:00 pm AA/3rd floor
Friday 2	6:45 am Men of Bethany/Maxine's
Saturday 3	5:30 pm Worship/GR

“God will meet you where you are in order to take you where He wants you to go.” — Tony Evans



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Welcome to worship

We **INVITE** all;
We **GROW** in faith;
We **GO** to share God's love and grace.

Jan 27-28, 2024

Epiphany 4



Sympathy and Grief: The Family of Bea Hunt

Prayers for Strength & Healing: Janice Sheets, Jim Hagen, Bob Gerber

8:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Susan Barta
Welcome *Please stand*
Confession & Forgiveness
Opening Hymn *Open Your Ears, O Faithful People* #519
Apostolic Greeting
Hymn of Praise *Glory Be to God in Heaven* p. 204 v.1
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Max Nelson
Psalm: Psalm 111 Max Nelson
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia* p. 205
Gospel: Mark 1:21-28 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* #886
v.1,2,5,6
Prayers of the People Carol Hakala
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *Rise, Shine, You People!* #665
Please stand
Offering Prayer
Holy Communion
The Lord's Prayer
Please be seated
Distribution *Lamb of God* p. 208
Healer of Our Every Ill #612
Goodness is Stronger than Evil #696
Post Communion Blessing & Prayer
Announcements
In Remembrance
Please stand
Benediction
Closing Hymn *Jesus Shall Reign* #434 v.1,3,5
Dismissal Carol Hakala
Postlude Susan Barta

10:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Tammy Roberg
Gathering Music *What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine*
Open our Eyes, Lord
Welcome *Please stand*
Confession & Forgiveness
Opening Hymn *Open Your Ears, O Faithful People* #519
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Wendy Denison
Psalm: Psalm 111 Wendy Denison
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Thy Word Is a Lamp* W&P 144
Gospel: Mark 1:21-28 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *You Are My All in All*
Prayers of the People Amy Brekke
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *What Shall I Give*
Please stand
Offering Prayer
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Lamb of God*
Together in Christ
We Will Glorify
Post Communion Blessing & Prayer
Announcements/In Remembrance
Please stand
Benediction
Closing Hymn *You Are Holy* #525
Dismissal Amy Brekke
Postlude Tammy Roberg

5:30 p.m. Order of Service

Prelude Jan Wick
Song *There is a Balm in Gilead* #614
Welcome
Please stand
Confession & Forgiveness
Hymn: *Open your Ears, O Faithful People* #519
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Paul Hanson
Psalm: Psalm 111 Paul Hanson
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Thy Word Is a Lamp* W&P 144
Gospel: Mark 1:21-28 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn *Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* #886
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Postlude Jan Wick

Important Dates & Highlights

January

- 27-28 NOLA Cinnamon Roll Sale
- 28 Annual Meeting at 9:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

February

- 3-4 New Members received
- 10 Red Cedar Symphony Concert
- 14 Ash Wednesday
- 17 Walking Together 2024
- 21 Wednesday Lent Worship

Annual Meeting

**Sunday, Jan 28 9:00 a.m.
in the Sanctuary.**

Do you need to reference the Annual Report? Scan the QR Code for ease of access and convenience right at your fingertips!



**The wait is over!
Don't let your tummy
grumble.
NOLA Cinnamon Roll
Sale January 27-28**



Join us to offer a warm welcome to New Members of Bethany as they will be received in worship on February 3-4, 2024.



Join us in the Gathering Room at 9:10 a.m.
Jan 28—**No Cross Talk**—Annual Meeting
Feb 4—Cat Rescue presented by Jean Hose



Walking Together

Bethany Lutheran Church will be the host site for Walking Together 2024

Join us on February 17, 2024 from 9:00am—5:00 pm for a day of worship, workshops, and inspiration! Together we will enjoy Biblical storytelling and workshops about ministry innovation, creation care/green teams, Reconciling in Christ, hunger, and more!

Registration is \$25.00 per participant.

Register by going to the Northwest Synod of Wisconsin website: nswwi.org

LENT & EASTER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday ~ February 14 ~ noon & 6:30pm

Lent ~ Every Wed February 21—March 20 ~ noon & 6:30pm
Lunch will be served following the noon service & dinner is served starting at 5:15pm in the Fellowship Hall

Palm Sunday ~ March 23 ~ 5:30pm & March 24 ~ 8:00am & 10:00am
Breakfast will be served Sunday at 9:00am in the Fellowship Hall

Maundy Thursday ~ March 28 ~ 7:00pm

Good Friday ~ March 29 ~ 7:00pm

Easter Sunday ~ March 30 ~ 5:30pm & March 31 ~ 8:00am & 10:00 am
Breakfast will be served Sunday at 9:00am in the Fellowship Hall



Looking for a rewarding experience? ♥

Bethany has a variety of opportunities available for Worship Assistants. Sign-up Genius is available through the Bethany website or contact the office at 715-234-9028 to volunteer.