

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: Sundays 8:00 a.m.
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.

Worship Assistants

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

Musicians: Tammy Roberg, Paul Hanson
Projection: Kathy Osterloth **Host:** John Osterloth

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

Ushers: Kusilek Family
Greeters: Shirley Bergthold, Nancy Kann
Assisting Minister: Carol Hakala **Reader:** Sarah Haglund
Communion Assistants: Con Eastwold, Mikey Seymour, Carol & Ted Hakala, Deberra Slagstad
Organist: Susan Barta

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

Ushers: Brooklynne Jenkinson/Alexa Giddings, Cece Nelson/
Jan Wilking, Laura Doebereiner
Greeter: Owen Roethel/Russ Schnacky, Kylee Stipek/Julie Bever
Assisting Minister: Ellison Brown/Amy Pelle, Easton Gbeyetin/
Joe Wineinger
Reader: Abby Doebereiner
Communion Assistants: Khloe Thoreson, Braxton Wager,
Emma Anderson, Connor Carr, Porter Corbin
Musicians: Tammy Roberg, Tatum Diercks, Adam Bever, Lainie Tomesh, Eva Sevals, Kyle Tomesh, Adam Bever
Sunday Projection/Video: Preston Pearson, Lauren Pearson

The Week Ahead

Monday May 13

- Quilting—1:00pm
- Property Team—6:00pm

Tuesday May 14

- High School Youth—7:00am

Wednesday May 15

- Bethany Choir Rehearsal—6:30pm
- High School Youth Group—7:30pm

Thursday May 16

- Stewardship Committee—5:30pm

Saturday May 18

- **Worship—5:30pm**

Sunday May 19 ~ Day of Pentecost

- **Worship—8:00am**
- Cross Talk—9:15am
- **Worship—10:00am (Baccalaureate)**

Mark Your Calendars

- * May 25-26—Summer Worship Schedule begins. Saturday at 5:30pm and Sunday at 9:00am
- * June 10-13—Youth Vacation Bible School 1:00—4:30pm
- * August 5-8—Adult Vacation Bible School 8:30am—noon

The BLC Brief

Blood Pressure Screening in the Library, Sunday May 12
after 8am & 10am Worship Service

Sponsor a Radio Broadcast to honor that special someone or event. There are still a number of dates available! Contact the office to reserve.

We are seeking sponsors to help cover the cost of coffee & donuts. Sponsors may designate coffee hour to a special person or event. Cost is \$40/week. Sponsorship envelopes are located at the coffee station or stop by the church office. Thank you for your kind consideration!



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Welcome to worship

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

May 11-12, 2024

Easter 7



Prayers for Strength & Healing: Blaire Helstad,
Lynn Sulackow, Carolyn Kushel

Radio Broadcast: In Memory of Val Sulackow & 17 years of his passing, by Lynn & Marie

In Celebration: Carolyn Johnson will be celebrating her 100th Birthday on May 25, 2024. In honor of this milestone please send her a birthday card: 219 E St. Patrick, Rice Lake, WI 54868. Lets surprise her!

8:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Susan Barta
Welcome *Please stand*
Thanksgiving for Baptism
Opening Hymn *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* #392:1,2,5
Apostolic Greeting
Hymn of Praise *This Is the Feast* p. 149-150
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Special Music *In This Very Room* Deb Slagstad/Sarah Haglund
First Reading: Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Sarah Haglund
Second Reading: 1 John 5:9-13 Sarah Haglund
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia* p. 151
Gospel: John 17:6-19 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant* #659:1,2,4
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of the People Carol Hakala
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering Susan Barta
Please stand
Offertory *Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful* #184
Offering Prayer
Holy Communion/The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Touch That Soothes and Heals*
For the Bread Which You Have Broken #494
Post Communion Canticle *Jesus Remember Me* #616
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Carol Hakala
Announcements
Benediction
Please stand
Closing Hymn *Crown Him With Many Crowns* #855:1,3,4
Dismissal Carol Hakala
Postlude Susan Barta

10:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Tammy Roberg
Gathering Music *Let Us Go Now, to the Banquet* #523
Open Our Eyes Lord
Welcome *Please stand*
Call to Worship
Confession & Forgiveness
Opening Hymn *All Are Welcome* #641:1,4,5
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Special Music *Love Can Build a Bridge* Praise Team
First Reading: Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Abby Doebereiner
Second Reading: 1 John 5:9-13 Abby Doebereiner
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia*
Gospel: John 17:6-19 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant* #659:1,2,4
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of the People Ellison Brown/Amy Pelle
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *I Speak Jesus* Lainie Tomesh
Please stand
Offering Prayer
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Touch That Soothes and Heals*
Taste and See #493
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Easton Gbeyetin/Joe Wineinger
Announcements
Benediction
Please stand
Closing Hymn *Go, Make Disciples* #540
Dismissal Easton Gbeyetin/Joe Wineinger
Postlude Tammy Roberg

5:30 p.m. Order of Service

Prelude Tammy Roberg
Gathering Song *What A Fellowship, What a Joy Divine* #774
Welcome
Please stand
Thanksgiving for Baptism
Hymn *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* #392:1,2,5
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
First Reading: Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Paul Hanson
Second Reading: 1 John 5:9-13 Paul Hanson
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah* #172
Gospel: John 17:6-19 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant* #659:1,2,4
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of the People Paul Hanson
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *We Are An Offering* #692
Please stand
Offering Prayer
Holy Communion
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Touch That Soothes and Heals*
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Paul Hanson
Announcements
Please stand
Benediction
Hymn *Crown Him With Many Crowns* #855:1,3,4
Dismissal Paul Hanson
Postlude Tammy Roberg

Announcements



COMMUNITY SUPPORT OPPORTUNITY



Designate any Kwik Trip Cards purchased in May to the Helstad Family. They will use these gifts to support their travel to and from Madison to support their daughter Blaire as she is treated for a rare seizure disorder, while they also continue to raise their two other children in the Rice Lake area. See your 411 for more info and link to their CaringBridge site.

VBS ~ June 10-13 ~ 1:00-4:30 p.m.

Ages 4 years -5th Grade

Register Today by Scanning the QR Code



Get ready to embark on an amazing adventure with us! At Scuba VBS, kids dive into friendship with God. Scuba VBS is for ages 4 years -5th grade from 1:00-4:30 pm each day. There is a free bag lunch to students at 12:30 pm so registration is a must so we can plan accordingly. Please complete the registration online at bethanyricelake.org or scanning the QR Code.



Volunteer to Help with
Scuba VBS by scanning this QR Code or signing up online



CrossTalk

May 12—No Cross Talk—Parents Day Celebration in the Sanctuary

May 19—Pioneer Museum Updates—Tammy Schutz

Join us in the Gathering Room at 9:15AM

Pick up Flat Jesus in the Narthex & start your travels!



Take Flat Jesus with you this summer—everywhere you go. Take picture of Flat Jesus on all of your adventures and send them to us. This way we can all stay connected and enjoy hearing about one another's journeys.

Yummy Cinnamon Rolls Today!

NOLA Youth Gathering Group will be selling Cinnamon Rolls May 11-12, 2024.



THE DAY OF
PENTECOST

May 18 & 19, 2024

The Congregation is invited to wear red at all services



Baccalaureate Sunday

Sunday May 19, we will be recognizing graduating Seniors at 10:00AM Worship. Please join us and help us celebrate their success and wish them well on their future endeavors.



HAPPY Parents Day

Take a special picture by the balloon arch in the Narthex to celebrate Mom, Dad or anyone that is of importance in your life. Cherish these moments together.

