

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 9:00 a.m. (May 26—Sept 1)
WJMC 96.1 FM & 1240 AM
Worship: Saturdays 5:30 p.m.
Sundays 9:00 a.m. (May 26—Sept 1)
Live Streaming: 9:00 a.m. on Bethany's website and
Facebook page & You Tube (May 26—Sept 1)
Services archived for 90 days
Cable TV: Channels 992 (Spectrum) & 993 (Mosaic)

Worship Assistants

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

Musicians: Linda Mullikin, Paul Hanson
Projection: Kathy Osterloth **Host:** John Osterloth

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

Ushers: John Wick, Russ Schnacky, Mark & Darcy Vrieze
Greeters: Dan & Carol Johnson
Assisting Minister: Bun Hanson **Reader:** Deberra Slagstad
Communion Assistants: Deberra Slagstad, Bun Hanson,
Suzanne Arnevik, Dave & Sue Hildebrand
Organist: Susan Barta **Musicians:** Jenny Landes, Aurora
Erickson, Bethany Choir

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

Ushers: HWS 6th Grade
Greeter: Don & Pauli Storm, 2024 Graduates
Assisting Minister: Tom Stephens
Reader: Lucie Habas, Ben Wilder, Emily Scheu
Communion Assistants: Tom Stephens, Julie Miller, Kate
Stinson, Easton Stone, Remington Wager, Ben Wilder, Emily
Scheu, Lucie Habas
Musicians: Julie Stephens, Ric Brekke, Nolan Tomesh, Carson
Donze, Hanna Johnson, Morgan Musil
Sunday Projection/Video: Joe Erickson, Tatum Diercks

The Week Ahead

Monday May 20

- Quilting—1:00pm
- Council Meeting—5:30pm

Tuesday May 21

- High School Youth—7:00am
- Hannah Circle—1:30pm

Wednesday May 22

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

Saturday May 25

- **Worship—5:30pm ~ Holy Trinity**

Sunday May 26

- **Worship—9:00am ~ Holy Trinity & Special Memorial Day Remembrance**

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

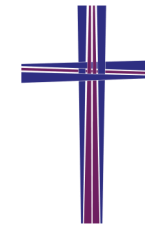
**Sponsor a Radio Broadcast for \$80.00 to honor
that special someone or event. There are still a
number of dates available! Contact the office to
reserve.**

We are seeking sponsors to help cover the cost of coffee &
donuts. Sponsors may designate coffee hour to a special per-
son or event. Cost is \$40/week. Sponsorship envelopes are lo-
cated at the coffee station or stop by the church office.

Thank you for your kind consideration!

Pray for one another. Our prayer list is always open. Call the church office to
be listed in our weekly church prayers and/or prayer chain.

715-234-9028



Bethany Lutheran Church

Welcome to worship

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

May 18-19, 2024

Day of Pentecost



Baccalaureate

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

Praise and Thanksgiving for the Baptism of: Ellie Rain Hoard,
child of Karianna & Jason Hoard

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!

High School Graduates: Carson Donze, Lucie Habas, Hanna
Johnson, Braeden Kretzschmar, Morgan Musil, Emily Scheu,
Emma Schnacky, Kate Stinson, Easton Stone, Nolan Tomesh,
Remington Wager, Taylor Weinstock, Ben Wilder

8:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Susan Barta
Welcome *Please stand*
Thanksgiving for Baptism
Opening Hymn *God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind* #400
Apostolic Greeting
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
Special Music *Holy Spirit Rain Down* Aurora Erickson
First Reading: Acts 2:1-21 Deberra Slagstad
PSALM: Psalm 104:24-34, 35B Deberra Slagstad
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia* p. 151
Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4B-15 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *Borning Cry* #732
Holy Baptism Ellie Rain Hoard
Prayers of the People Bun Hanson
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *Hope of Glory* Bethany Choir
Please stand
Offering Response *Praise God, from Who All Blessings Flow* #884
Offering Prayer
Holy Communion
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Gracious Spirit, Head our Pleading* #401
Spirit of Gentleness #396
Post Communion Canticle *Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise* #207
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Bun Hanson
Announcements
Please stand
Benediction
Closing Hymn *O Holy Spirit, Root of Life* #399
Dismissal Bun Hanson
Postlude Susan Barta

10:00 a.m. Order of Service

Prelude Linda Mullikin
Gathering Music *Let Us Go Now, to the Banquet* #523
Open Our Eyes Lord
Welcome *Please stand*
Call to Worship
Confession & Forgiveness
Opening Hymn *We Are Called* #720
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
First Reading: Acts 2:1-21 Lucie Habas/Ben Wilder
PSALM: Psalm 104:24-34, 35B Emily Scheu
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia*
Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4B-15 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Children's Sermon/Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn of the Day *You Are Mine* #581
Blessing of the Graduates
Prayers of the People Tom Stephens
Sharing of Peace
Please be seated
Offering *2024 Graduates Slideshow*
Please stand
Offering Prayer
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Please be seated
Distribution *Saint Saëns Bassoon Sonata* Morgan Musil
Ridente la calma Hanna Johnson
Touch That Soothes and Heals
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Tom Stephens
Announcements
Benediction
Please stand
Closing Hymn *As You Go On Your Way*
Dismissal Tom Stephens
Postlude Linda Mullikin

5:30 p.m. Order of Service

Prelude Linda Mullikin
Gathering Song *Spirit of Gentleness* #396
Welcome
Please stand
Thanksgiving for Baptism
Hymn *God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind* #400
Prayer of the Day
Please be seated
First Reading: Acts 2:1-21 Paul Hanson
PSALM: Psalm 104:24-34, 35B Paul Hanson
Please stand
Gospel Acclamation *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah* #172
Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4B-15 Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please be seated
Sermon Rev. Dr. Arthur Bergren
Please stand
Hymn *O Holy Spirit, Root of Life* #399
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 *Gracious Spirit, Head Our Pleading* #401
Post Communion Blessing
Post Communion Prayer Paul Hanson
Announcements
Please stand
Benediction
Hymn *They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love*
Dismissal Paul Hanson
Postlude Linda Mullikin

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.

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.

2024 BETHANY French Fry Booth at the Barron County Fair

This is an awesome fundraiser for our youth activities, summer trips, and especially the ELCA Youth Gatherings which occur every 3 years. Please consider signing up to work a shift. This can be done through SignUp Genius or by contacting Angie Buchli at abuchli@bethanyricelake.org or call 715-234-9028



May 19—Pioneer Museum Updates—Tammy Schutz
Join us in the Gathering Room at 9:15AM
Cross Talk will resume September 15, 2024



KWIK TRIP CARD SALES

The NOLA group will be selling Kwik Trip Cards between services on Sunday. You can also purchase them from Angie during the week.

We purchase Kwik Trip Gift cards at a 5% discount. You buy the cards at face value. The cards can be used for fuel and groceries.

Recycling Collection Bins

There have been a few changes to what can be accepted in the recycling bins. They can no longer accept cork or markers as there is no longer an outlet to recycle or reuse these products.

As a reminder: The only batteries that can be accepted in the bins are AA, AAA, C, D, & 9V NON-rechargeable batteries. If you have any questions on other batteries (eg. watch, rechargeable, or any odd size batteries not listed) please contact your municipality or county you reside in to see if they have a program for recycling.

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