

Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School

News & Notes for May 11, 12 & 15

ALTAR FLOWERS – Bev Fischer, in celebration of her birthday.

COFFEE HOUR – Hosted by the Board of Evangelism, in celebration of Mother's Day.

REQUESTED PRAYERS – Brendan Cullen, Charlotte Jump, Sandra Eckert, Dottie Conard, Chuck Kiehl, Tiffany Prescher, Tammy Barthels, Gwen Kolbe, Vicky Almgren, Annie Kress, Michelle Markevitch, Alan Schmidlkofer, Jeff Lampe, Brian Pool, Ken Gundlach, Lee Steffen, Barbara Prigge, Susan Schultz, and Jim Behrens.

STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE - APRIL ADULT GIVING INFORMATION –

- April Monthly Needed Amount = \$ 94,325.00
- April Adult Giving = \$ 59,153.40
- April Difference = \$-35,171.60

LHS PRESENTS “STAGE AND SCREEN” – A SPRING POPS CONCERT – Come and join the bands and choirs of Lutheran High in the Performing Arts Center on Wednesday, May 15th at 7:00 pm. During the *Stage and Screen* Pops Concert, you'll hear songs from movies, Broadway shows, and top hits from the '60s to now. You'll also get to hear solos, duets, trios, and barbershop quartets that the musicians have put together for you. Tickets are not required.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FAMILIES – The time has come to close out our Sunday School year with our annual “Last Sunday Sundae”! Join us on Sunday, May 19th at our usual time of 9:15am for ice cream and fellowship. We hope to see you there!

SCHOOL PICNIC – Bethlehem School will be celebrating its last day of the 23-24 school year on Friday, May 24th. We will be holding our annual end-of-year picnic at Kiwanis Park after the chapel service. Thank you, Bethlehem Church & School, for a wonderful year! Please consider donating some time to help at the picnic, by signing up with this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508084DAAA82CA3F85-49434476-school#/>

BETHLEHEM'S VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – Mark your calendar for July 29th – August 1st. “SCUBA: *Diving into friendship with God*” is the theme. Be sure to check out the information posted around the Century Room. Scan the QR code for more information or go to www.vbspro.events/p/c9a720

WHAT DO YOU DO AT 4:15PM ON SATURDAYS? – Maybe you're getting ready to attend the Saturday worship service. If that's the case, how about getting ready a little earlier and arrive in the Century Room by 4:15pm to learn more about the Scripture readings you'll be hearing soon. Pastor Niles or Pastor Hanson will be on hand to lead the way.

PASTOR NILES RETURNS TO THE CENTURY ROOM – At about 9:15am on Sunday, May 12th, you'll find Pastor Niles starting a new, thought-provoking Bible study topic. Details on the subject appear below. Be sure to read all about it!

HOW DO YOU VIEW THE BIBLE? – Does it seem to be a sort of “safety blanket” book that's good to have around in case of trouble? Can you imagine the Bible as a “spirit-breathed sword”? Well, that's exactly how Pastor Niles will be presenting it. On May 12th he'll delve into “What is the Bible and how did we get it?”. You won't want to miss this exciting 3-session series.

SUNDAY MORNING YOUTH BIBLE STUDY – Join Pastor Hanson at 9:15am in the downstairs Youth Room (#301), for a Bible study for 7th-12th grade students.

FIRST AID CERTIFICATION – Our Savior's Lutheran Church is offering a 4-hour Bloodborne Pathogen / First Aid / CPR / AED certification course for members of LCMS sister congregations on Sunday, May 19th, starting at 12:30pm. This class is perfect for anyone required to be certified for employment, or looking for a refresher course. The class is limited to 15 participants (age 16+). If interested, call Our Savior's at 920-452-4005. Certified instructor Todd Priebe of Safety Connections, Inc. will teach the class. It will be held in the fellowship hall at Our Saviors, located at 917 Mead Ave., Sheboygan. In kind donations will cover the cost of certification cards and instruction booklets, with any extra funds to be applied to Our Savior's new front doors fund.

THERE'S STILL TIME TO SIGN UP FOR THE NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY – If you haven't done so yet, please visit www.ucdir.com. Click on *Photography Appointment Scheduling Login*. Enter **wi339** in the Church Code field and enter **photos** in the Church Password field. You may also call the church office to schedule your appointment.

CRUSADER SUMMER CAMPS – Sheboygan Lutheran is excited to offer summer camps for children in grades K-12, including baseball, basketball, art, volleyball, fitness, weight training, soccer, and theater. Go to www.lutheranhigh.com/summercamps. Also, we're excited to offer a new summer camp... **FOR ADULTS!** Rick and Christina Zeuner are leading ‘Mission...Not-Impossible’, a 3-night series of board game introductions, snacks, and fellowship for adults only at LHS on July 15th, 17th and 22nd, 6:00-8:30pm. Register online at www.lutheranhigh.com/gamenight.

Upcoming Worship and Activities at Bethlehem

Sunday, May 12

Happy Mother's Day!

8:00am – Worship w/Holy Communion

9:15am -- Bible study

9:15am – Sunday School

10:30am – Worship w/Holy Communion

Monday, May 13

6:00pm – PTL meeting

7:00pm – Board of Christian Day School meeting

Tuesday, May 14

9:00am -- Quilters

Wednesday, May 15

1:00pm – Reading Partners (final one of the school year)

3:30pm – Public School Confirmation class

6:00pm – Worship w/Holy Communion

7:00pm – LHS Spring Pops Concert

Thursday, May 16

7:00pm – Adult choir practice

Friday, May 17

7:00pm – LHS Graduation service

Saturday, May 18

9:00am – Confirmation pictures

4:15pm – Bible study

5:30pm – Worship w/Holy Communion

Sunday, May 19

8:00am – Worship w/Holy Communion

9:15am – Bible study

9:15am – Sunday School (final one of the school year)

10:30am – Worship w/Holy Communion

1:30pm – Confirmation service



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Rev. Patrick Niles, Administrative Pastor

Rev. Jeremy Hanson, Associate Pastor

Mr. Patrick Vanic, Principal

Parish Music/Organist – Sandra Kasten

School Music/Resource – Rachel Bult

3 yr. Kindergarten – Joely Buss

4 yr. Kindergarten/Resource – Sonia TenPas

5 yr. Kindergarten – Holly Leibham

Grade 1 – Katrina Niles

Grade 2 – Jessica Usadel

Grade 3 – Ellen Vanic

Grade 4 – Heidi Wallner

Middle Grades – Jeff Wegner

Middle Grades – Pam Carlson-Gugel

Middle Grades – Jon Krueger

Middle Grades – Ryan Sines

PE/Spanish – Laurie Schultz

Band Instructor – Geoff Schuh

Extended Care / Aide – Rose Albertin

Aide – Sue Kubow

Aide – Katie Wheelan

Aide – Mary Irish

Church Office Manager – Amy Weir

School Secretary – Dawn Hemschemeyer

Custodian – Trisha Fischer

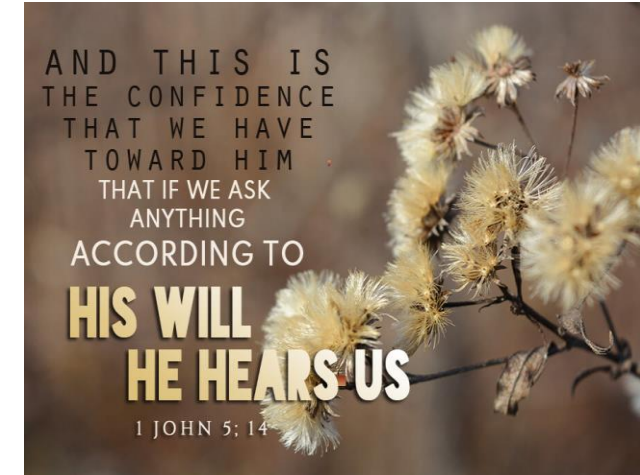
Lunch Coordinator – Amy Morrelle

Lunch Aide/Extended Care – Monica Cyr

Extended Care – Sarah Hanson

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 11, 12 & 15, 2024



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