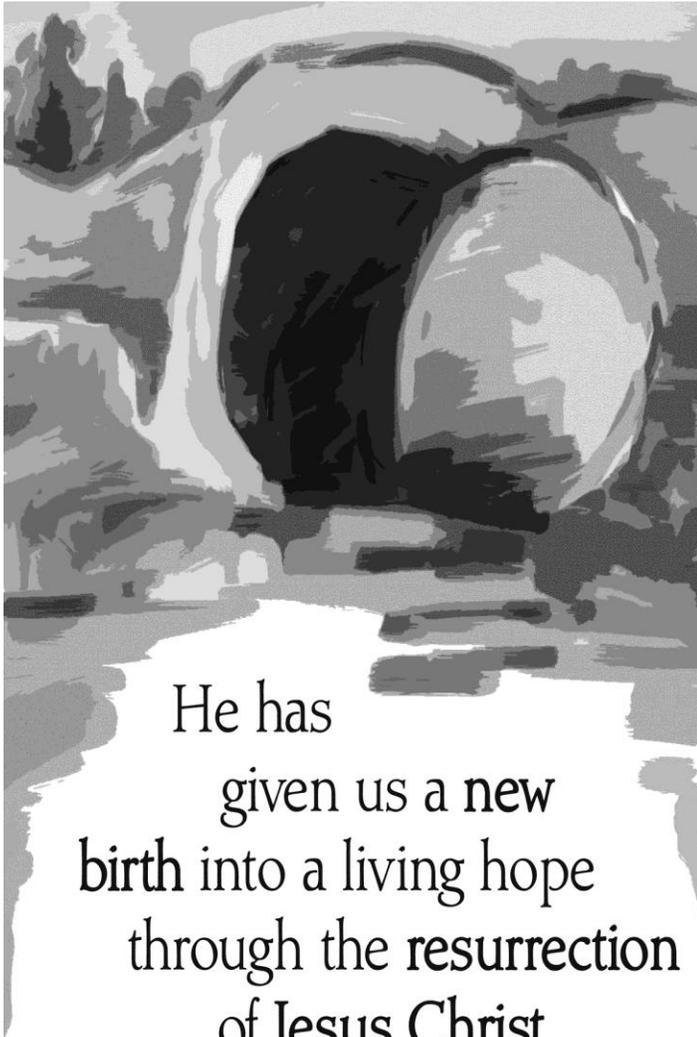




# The Bethesda Beacon

Monthly Newsletter of Bethesda Evangelical Lutheran Church, Carlton MN  
April 2019



He has  
given us a new  
birth into a living hope  
through the resurrection  
of Jesus Christ  
from the dead.

1 Peter 1:3, NRSV

## In This Month's Beacon:

\* Pastor Mary's April Newsletter  
Article

\*Financial Update

\*Member News

\*Committee Updates

\*Community Events

\*Upcoming VLM Events

\*And More!

*Easter Services will be April 21<sup>st</sup> at 8 & 10:30 am with breakfast being served in between services. Watch for sign-up sheets in the Narthex. There will be a need for food items and volunteers for set-up & clean-up. Please have all food items to the church by 11am April 20<sup>th</sup>.*



This winter felt like it lasted forever...even though it didn't seem to start until the end of January! Between lots of snow and those few REALLY cold days, it was hard to stay optimistic that spring would ever appear again. I can't say it enough about how happy I am to be seeing the sun today; writing this with my office window open trying to enjoy a nice breeze. In a way I think those of us in the upper Midwest feel the arrival of Easter a little bit more tangibly -- especially in years like this one where Easter is later in the year.

There's something about Lent falling in the colder, snowier parts of the winter that makes Easter all the more special when it arrives. Not only do we take the time to be introspective of our hearts and minds, but our weather also makes it easier to want to stay inside and reflect. And by the time we reach the warmer temps and Easter, we can appreciate these arrivals with more joy and gratitude.

For a long time Easter has been my favorite holiday because of the meaning of the resurrection. As Lutherans we have been known to be "Resurrection People" who put their hope and gratitude in the resurrection of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of our sins. We recognize that Jesus' death is not the end of the story, or God's plan for humanity -- instead it was just the beginning, and the resurrection was the start of something

new. When you live your life out of the resurrection, you see new life that comes from death, you see purpose in the pain, and you acknowledge just how much God loves you and what ends God went to in order to show us that love.

I can't wait to celebrate another Easter with the Bethesda family -- smelling the garden of flowers at the altar, opening up the buried box of "you know whats!", and singing my favorite Easter hymns. I pray that you have been taking the time to work on that introspection during Lent to prepare your heart and mind for what is to come on Easter Sunday. Because it makes the celebration all the more joyous when you celebrate it for exactly what it is: a celebration of resurrection and new life!

### **2019 Members of Bethesda Church Council**

- \*President – Lynn Beatty
- \*Vice President – Frank Curtiss
- \*Secretary - Linda Newlon
- \*Stacy Colich, Treasurer
- Jason Goad
- Beth Leseman
- Dave Beatty
- Deb Davis
- Jane Joki
- Teresa Solomon

*\*If you have items that you wish to be addressed by council, contact a member of the Executive Committee, who sets the council agenda. You can keep up to date with church business by viewing the Council Meeting Minutes on the rotating bulletin board or view them on our website.*

<b>Financial Update</b>			
Year-to-date ending 02/28/2019			
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Over/(Under) Budget</b>
Envelope giving	15583.00	17216.00	(1633.00)
Non-pledged income	1285.39	1295.00	9.61
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	16868.39	18511.00	(1642.61)
Salaries/Compensation	13985.13	14831.97	(846.84)
General Office Expenses	1709.26	1759.18	(49.92)
Utilities	2671.27	1899.98	771.29
Other Expenses	44.50	136.68	(92.18)
Benevolence Expenses	311.66	344.32	(32.66)
Evangelism Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00
Property Expenses	70.00	266.66	(196.66)
Social Ministry	54.00	58.34	(4.34)
Stewardship Expenses	0.00	66.66	(66.66)
Worship Expenses	1.06	215.00	(213.94)
CYFM Expenses	0.00	362.50	(362.50)
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	18846.88	19941.29	(1094.41)
<b>Net Income</b>	(1978.49)	(1430.29)	(548.20)

Non-pledged income includes Loose offering, Special Services, Meatball supper, Sunday School, Interest Income, etc. Memorial money is not included in any of the figures above.

### **Save the Date:**

DayCamp, FKA VBS,  
August 5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>

God's Work, Our Hands  
September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### **Men & Women of Bethesda:**

JOIN US every Wednesday at 9am at the Brickyard restaurant in Wrenshall for conversation and fellowship!

### *Member News*



### **Celebrating April Baptismal Birthdays:**

Vance Moench, Kristal Hanson, Sharon Bragge, Terrance Radtke, Colin Emerson, Patricia Durkee, Brittany Dahl-Holm, Craig Schmitz, Matthew Moench, Ross Soukkala, Lindsey Dahl-Holm, Liam Meagher, Desiree Sheda, Cassidy Sheda, Molly Sheda, Curtis Martin, Myrna Postal, Lydia Kiehl, Bernie Despot, Andrew Castle, Tanner Betts, Jackson Soukkala, Oliver Soukkala, Mark Vernon, Nevada Jo McCorison, Michael Lijewski, Hahna Hakala, Samantha Thompson, Scott Thompson, Terry Skutevik, Colton Clark, Melissa Clark, Sean Clark, Shelby Nygren, Wesley Harden, Brynlee Baasch, Spencer Thorman & Tanner Thorman.

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On February 24<sup>th</sup> we welcomed into the family of faith through the sacrament of Holy Baptism Madison, Aurora & Jaxon Graves children of Jennifer & Jed Graves.

### *Update on Together Here:*

People have been asking what is happening with the team who is working on building relationships with our native neighbors and just how our synod is doing toward the work we committed to at the 2017 synod assembly as we voted to approve a resolution repudiating the doctrine of discovery. Our synod's work is especially complicated as we acknowledge that we have five federally recognized reservations on our synod territory, all stemming from similar and yet different ancestral origins. A team gathered soon after the synod assembly to discuss ways to move forward with this important ministry to which we are all called. To be sure, it is a ministry of understanding history, truth telling, relationship building and purposeful reconciliation. The adoption of the name for the team was very deliberate, **Together Here**. It implies that no matter where we go in this synod or beyond, we acknowledge that God has brought each one of us together – right here, right now. Many hours were poured over a logo to help give an artistic vision of this ministry (see the logo above). In addition,



several learning opportunities have been hosted by the Together Here team across the synod in order to assist people in understanding important foundational information. These events have highlighted historical information about the doctrine of discovery, indigenous treaty rights and the interactive learning tool of the Blanket Exercise.

To further describe where Together Here has focused energy and deep conversation, Deacon Candidate Colleen Bernu writes the following: *As people created, redeemed and sanctified by God, we honor that God continues to create, redeem and sanctify all the world and invites us to participate in the reconciling work begun through Christ. Reconciliation is a process, on-going and constantly being renewed in the Spirit; thus, as disciples commissioned to share the Good News, we commit daily to living into Christ's reconciling work. For this reason, Together Here has committed to engaging in the ministry of mutual accompaniment through a process of learning, listening and authentic relationship building. This is not a process that can be measured using the quantitative measurements of the world. It is also not a process that can be governed or directed in isolation.*

**The goals of Together Here are:**

- To walk with our faith communities as we form a shared historical perspective with our Indigenous neighbors,
- To grow in love for our Indigenous neighbors for the sake of whom God has created,
- To guide our faith communities as God stirs our hearts into authentic repentance of the divisions caused by systematic oppression of which the doctrine of discovery was a piece,
- To work with members of our faith communities as we build authentic relationships with our Indigenous neighbors,
- To engage in a process of truth telling and healing, and
- To (first) participate in ceremonies of healing led by Indigenous people within their own traditions as they deem appropriate, then invite Indigenous communities to participate in an appropriate ELCA synodical ceremony of repentance and reconciliation.

We have no timeline on this process but are committed to consistently and intentionally journey in it.

Together Here organized the training of people by Prairie Rose Seminole to facilitate the Blanket Exercise in September 2018. Since then, facilitators have led the Blanket Exercise eight (8) times within

congregations, schools and local communities throughout our synod. Requests continue to be made for future events; already scheduled are Blanket Exercises at school districts for staff training and awareness, the spring AFSME/MAPE state conference, various synodical events here and in other synods, college campuses for students, faculty, medical school students, and several congregations. Facilitators have committed to developing teams that include Indigenous voices and each Blanket Exercise event is hosted with these voices included. Together Here team members have visited with rostered ministers in each conference to include them in and inform them on our work (this commitment is ongoing). We are organizing workshops to be held in multiple regions of our synod covering topics ranging from treaty rights to implicit bias training to understanding historical trauma and its implications. We are generating a resource library to be accessed and used by our congregations as they continue to grow personally and spiritually through this journey, and we are working with our congregations to dig deep and explore how they can make their communities a place where all feel welcomed and safe to express themselves as uniquely and wonderfully created in God's image.

We hope that you and your congregation will participate in this important ministry.

## 2019 Synod Assembly: May 3-4



DECC, Duluth

This year's Voting Members are Lori Bunge & Ginny Korte-Castle. We are looking for donations from Bethesda for the Silent Auction. The money raised goes toward ELCA Hunger Appeal. Raising money & awareness to end the suffering of hunger here at home and worldwide. Some Marketplace ideas are  
Liturgical items: Baptismal gowns, Baptismal quilt/blanket, Clergy crosses, Faith chests, Clergy Stoles  
Wooden items: Bowls/shelves/growing sticks, Quilt racks/quilt display systems, Garden items/pickles  
Gift baskets with themes, movie night, coffee lovers, chocolate lovers  
Pillowcases/embroidered dishtowels  
Honey, maple syrup, jams and jellies  
Jewelry/purses/bags Artwork,  
Handmade Cards, Pottery

Please prayerfully consider volunteering to assist at one of the Easter Services on Sunday, April 21, 2019. Times of Services are 8:00 am and 10:30 am. We will need Acolytes, Crucifix Holder, Ushers, Lectors, Greeters, Communion Assistants, Counters, Communion by Intinction Set Up and Clean Up. The sign-up sheets will be on the table in the Narthex beginning March 17th. If you have any questions, contact Pat Durkee, 384-3645. Thank you for your willingness to serve.



Please consider bringing a Lilly/Plant for Our Easter Flower Garden "In Memory of" or "In Honor of" a Loved One to help adorn our Sanctuary on Easter morning. Please have your plant at the Church by 11 am on Sat, April 20th. Let's fill the Sanctuary with lots of beautiful plants to add to the beauty of Christ's Resurrection!! Please let the office know by April 16th if you will be bringing a plant so your loved one(s) will be acknowledged in the bulletin on Easter morning. Thank you.

Pat Durkee

The quilters are running low on colorful fabric for quilts. If you have fabric you would like to donate you can leave it in the office or give to Lil Davis. Woven cotton or cotton polyester materials preferred.  
Thank you!

## Social Ministry



**Social Ministry** will be hosting coffee on **April 7<sup>th</sup>**. Donations will be designated for camper sponsorships. Please attend and help **support our campers!**

## WELCA

**WELCA Kettle River Conference  
Spring Gathering**  
Thursday April 4, 2019  
4pm-7pm  
Emmanuel Lutheran Church  
Sandstone.

### *Who is My Neighbor?*

*"I now realize that it is true that God treats everyone on the same basis who ever fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him, no matter what race he belongs to." Acts 10:34b-35*

Registration begins at 4:30pm  
suggested cost is \$10

There will be a program at 6:15-

Who is My Neighbor skit and Bible study - Becky Gaede and Pastor Kim  
Cross Cultural presentation by  
Pr. Mary Fiel

Offering: 1/2 church-wide, 1/2 Current  
for Curan

In Kind: Sacred Hoop - female hygiene items, toiletries, diapers or  
The Refuge - pillows  
Children are welcome



**Heart to Heart**  
Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup>

Zion Lutheran Church, Cloquet  
Watch for more information to come.

## Children, Youth, Family & Ed.

### 1st Communion

Family Retreat April 13th, 9am-Noon  
This is for the youth and their parents and will include instruction, making bread for Worship & stripping of Palm branches



The following students will be celebrating 1<sup>st</sup> Communion on Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup>; Austin Graves, Madison Graves, Ailie Gustafson, Kaden Lent, Katie Line, CeCe Moench & Kaydence Moench,. Please join us as we share in celebration of this milestone for these young people.

## **Confirmation**

Wednesday Lenten

Mentorship meetings continue through April 10<sup>th</sup>.

## **Agape Meal and Proclamation of Faith May 11<sup>th</sup>**

Prepared and served by the Confirmands to their parents and loved ones. Faith Statements that they prepared are shared with their families. Agape is a Greco-Christian term referring to love, "the highest form of love, charity" and "the love of God for man and of man for God".

## **Confirmation May 12<sup>th</sup>**

The following students will celebrate Confirmation; Alex Despot, Colin Emerson, Kristian Herman, Brock House & Michael Lijewski.

## **Save the Date:**

### **Graduation Dinner and Prayer Labyrinth**

For Graduates and parents -  
Wednesday May 15, 2019 or  
Sunday May 19, 2019

## **Senior Recognition and Blessing May 19, 2019**

Quilters present quilts to our 2019 graduates;  
Natalie Lijewski Cloquet Senior High  
Nevada Jo McCorison-MNVA  
Jayden Swanson Carlton High School  
Alena Wallin Carlton High School

*Thank you "Quilters" for recognizing our graduates with a Quilt made with love and full of blessings.*

## **4th Graders Prayer Class**

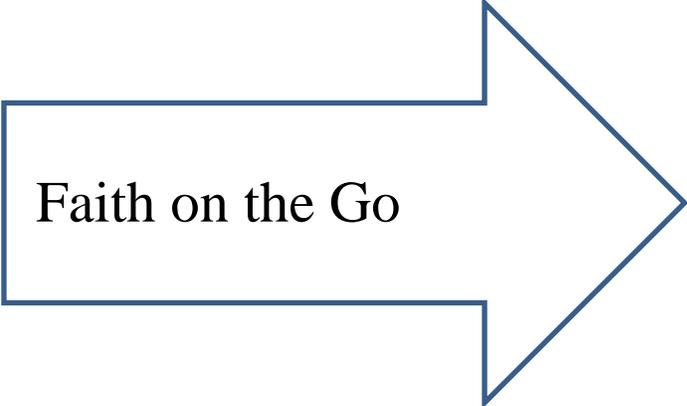
Learning to use prayer in your life.

### **Classes:**

Wednesday nights at 5:30pm. Meals provided. May 8, 15, 22, and 29.

### **Family Prayer Retreat:**

Wednesday, May 29, 2019.



Faith on the Go

## **Pray**

Loving and ever present God, we thank you for being with us in the midst of our daily lives: in our joy, in our troubles, in our gratitude and in our doubt. We pray that all of your people will have enough to eat and a safe place to live. In the name of your Son who came to love us and bring us to you, Jesus. Amen.

## Connect

Where did you notice God's renewal today?

What do you need God's renewal today?

## Bible

Luke 15:11b-32—The Prodigal Son

## Chat

### Day 1

Luke 15:11b-14

Have you ever done something that you wished later you had not? Or have you ever asked your parents for something that you really didn't need?

### Day 2

Luke 15: 15-19

When was a time that you knew that you needed to say you were sorry and accept the consequences of your actions? Was that difficult or was it a relief?

### Day 3

Luke 15: 20-24

Maybe this is connected to your day 2 story, but when have you received unconditional forgiveness and love when perhaps you didn't deserve it? When have you offered unconditional love and forgiveness? For either one of these parts-what was the "celebration" like?

### Day 4

Luke 15: 25-28

Often this brother is seen in a poor light. Is his anger understandable though? Is it sometimes hard to be glad when a sibling, family member or friend is treated perhaps better than they should be?

### Day 5

Luke 15: 29-32

Is love and forgiveness about equality and fairness? Is life and relationship with God about our past or about our present and future? What does God say about our past? What does God offer us each and every day-like this father in the story?

## Bless

*Jesus is with you always.*



*Contact info for events:*

*800-331-5148*

*email: [vlm@vlmcamps.org](mailto:vlm@vlmcamps.org)*

## **NOTICE TO ALL PARENTS!**

It's time to start planning for **summer camp**. Did you know we are a member congregation of **Voyageurs Lutheran Ministry**? That means we get special pricing at Camp Vermilion and Camp Hiawatha. They provide summer

programs for all ages including a one day experience for those new to camp, two night programs for those not ready for a full week, and full week experiences for elementary through senior high campers. Register before **April 1<sup>st</sup>** and get early bird pricing. The Bethesda Endowment committee also provides **camper sponsorships** to reduce your cost and encourage participation. There is also sibling discount, and bring a friend discount. Talk to Chris Mitchell if you have questions. Registration and campership forms located on the bulletin board in the hallway by the restrooms.

## **Upcoming VLM Events:**

Mark your calendars and rally the members of your congregation for Camp Hiawatha and Camp Vermilion Work Days! They are a time to prepare the sites for our summer camping season and we can't do that without your help!

**2019 Work Day dates:**

**Camp Hiawatha - April 27**

**Camp Vermilion - May 18**

**8:00 - 9:30** - Registration with rolls and coffee available

**8:30 - 12:30** - The work happens!

**12:30** - Lunch

**1:30** - The work continues for as long as people are able to stay.

A list of specific projects and goals for 2019 at Hiawatha or Vermilion is available by contacting the camp office. Additional details on each day will be mailed to VLM member congregations in April. If you have suggestions or ideas about doing a specific project, please contact the VLM Office at (800) 331-5148 or email [vlm@vlmcamps.org](mailto:vlm@vlmcamps.org)

### **Family Overnight**

Join us Friday night for dinner at 6:30 with games, campfire, and fellowship in the evening. After breakfast on Saturday, explore the camps on your own or join in on Work Day as we get our camps ready for the summer.

Open to youth groups also! This is a great opportunity to introduce new friends to camp – especially if the camper (or camper parent) is nervous about being away from home this summer. *This event is free if you help with work day. \$50 per family if you are unable to stay.*

**Friday, April 26 – Saturday, April 27** at Camp Hiawatha (RSVP by April 23)

**Friday, May 17 – Saturday, May 18**  
at Camp Vermilion (RSVP by May 15)

Register by calling the VLM Office or  
sending an **email** today!

## **Genealogy Retreat**

**May 3-5, 2019**

**Camp Vermilion**

**Gather around the table and explore  
your past!**

Join us in Voyageur Lodge for a day or  
overnight to explore your past. Guided  
by Cathi Weber and hosted by the  
camp staff, you will enjoy wonderful  
food and fellowship as you build and  
climb your family tree!

Cathi Weber has been researching her  
family for over 40 years and started  
NorthStar Genealogy to help others  
with their research and to teach  
classes. She is President of the Anoka  
County Genealogical Society. She has  
researched and compiled a number of  
charts and books for family, friends  
and clients.

**Overnight Retreat Cost:** \$165 per  
person includes instruction, four  
meals, lodging, and time to work.

**Day Retreat Cost:** \$60 per person  
Includes instruction and two meals.  
(Day Retreat hours are 10am-6pm)

Participants can bring their own  
laptops if they choose, but not  
required.

Please bring linens and towels. Dress  
to relax and be comfortable. There will  
also be time during breaks to get  
outside.

Satellite internet access available.  
Optional overnight provides time to  
start or continue work on building your  
own family tree.

## ***Hearts on Fire Gloria Dei, Duluth Open Houses***

Disciples' hearts were "burning" when  
the Risen Christ spoke to them on the  
road, opened scriptures and broke  
bread with them. Over the past three  
years since our fire, we too have  
encountered the Lord in the solidarity,  
hospitality, and generosity of many.  
With gratitude for the new life God has  
kindled in our hearts for ministry,  
Gloria Dei invites you to celebrate  
with us in our rebuilt facility at 219 N.  
6th Ave. E., Duluth MN 55805. One  
open house is planned especially to  
welcome Voting Members after Synod  
Assembly worship on Sunday, May 5,  
and there are also other times as well:

Sunday April 28, 1-3 pm  
Sunday May 5, 11 am-2 pm  
Saturday May 25, 1-3 pm

Sunday May 26, 1-3 pm  
For additional information and April  
worship times see  
[www.gloriadeiduluth.org](http://www.gloriadeiduluth.org)  
All are welcome at Gloria Dei  
Lutheran Church

*Lutheran Social Service of  
Minnesota offers free services to  
military members, Veterans and  
their families*

The Minnesota Department of  
Veterans Affairs (MDVA) partners  
with Lutheran Social Service of  
Minnesota (LSS) to support military  
members, Veterans, and their families  
in maintaining their well-being  
through the C.O.R.E. program  
(Counseling and Case Management,  
Outreach, Referral, and Education).

C.O.R.E. provides **free, confidential  
services** for eligible veterans, military  
members and their families. Services  
are available statewide. If access is a  
problem, let us know. We can bring  
our services to you.

*Our Services*

Our services include trauma-informed  
individual, family and couples  
counseling, financial counseling,  
therapy and wellness groups, and  
more. We believe that behavioral  
health builds the foundation for health  
and well-being. We assess each

individual's situation and create a  
personalized plan. We focus on giving  
individuals the tools they need to  
successfully navigate the challenges  
they are facing to create the best  
outcomes.

*Counseling*

- Deployment and reintegration support
- Diagnostic assessment
- Individual/couple/family counseling
- Stress and anger management
- Substance use and addictive behaviors
- Trauma-focused behavioral therapy

*Financial Counseling*

Financial counseling can help you  
strategize for a stable financial future.  
We offer expertise in budgeting, debt  
management, home buyer education,  
and student loan counseling.

*Support Groups*

Our support, therapy and wellness  
groups are facilitated by staff trained  
in trauma-informed care and  
experienced in working with military  
families.

Help is only a phone call away:  
1-844-577-2673 Call today to speak  
confidentially to a professional,  
compassionate counselor.

## April Volunteers

9:00

### Greeters

- 7. Ginny Korte-Castle
- 14. Sheri & Jon Kolb
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Paula & Noah Olsen

### Ushers

- 7. Jon Kolb & Paul Carpenter
- 14. Paula & Noah Olsen
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Ryan Swanson & Debby Johnson

### Lay Readers

- 7. Cheryl Ankrum
- 14. Renae House
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Ginny Korte-Castle

### Communion Assistants

- 7. Nixon Mitchell & Janice Dahl
- 14. Dave & Lynn Beatty
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Linda Newlon & Sharon Bragge

### Acolytes

- 7. Annabelle Soukkala
- 14. Lucas Radtke
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Ethan Krone

### Communion Prep & Clean

- 7. Mary Saarela (P & C)
- 14. Pat Durkee (P & C)
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Ryan Swanson (P)  
Bethany Leseman (C)

### Counters

- 7. Janice Dahl & Lorna Bryant
- 14. Gene Bryant & Jane Joki
- 21. Easter Sunday Sign-Up Sheet
- 28. Gladys Sievert & Lynn Beatty

### Coffee Servers

- 7. Social Ministry
- 14. Linda's Group
- 21. Easter Breakfast
- 28. Pat's Group

## May Volunteers

9:00

### Greeters

- 5. Janice Dahl
- 12. Debby Johnson
- 19. Jane Joki
- 26. Lynn & Dave Beatty

### Ushers

- 5. Dave & Lynn Beatty
- 12. Sharon Bragge & Des Holm
- 19. Paul Carpenter & Pat Durkee
- 26. Stacy Colich & JoAnn Gustafson

### Lay Readers

- 5. Linda Newlon
- 12. Paul Carpenter
- 19. Wendy Mitchell
- 26. Pat Durkee

### Communion Assistants

- 5. Mary Saarela & Pat Durkee
- 12. Bethany Leseman & Stacy Colich
- 19. JoAnn Gustafson & Renae House
- 26. Cookie Jaakola & Janice Dahl

### Acolytes

- 5. Johanna Bernu
- 12. Anna Bong
- 19. Nixon Mitchell
- 26. Annabelle Soukkala

### Communion Prep & Clean

- 5. Renee Kesty (P & C)
- 12. Sharon Bragge (P) Jane Joki (C)
- 19. Linda Newlon (P & C)
- 26. Mary Saarela (P & C)

### Counters

- 5. Linda Newlon & Mary Saarela
- 12. Gene Bryant & Bethany Leseman
- 19. Gladys Sievert & Chris Mitchell
- 26. Janice Dahl & Lorna Bryant

### Coffee Servers

- 5. Renae's Group
- 12. Jean's Group
- 19. Social Ministry
- 26. Beth's Group

**Just a reminder that if you have switched duties with someone please contact the office so changes can be made for the bulletin.**

**Thank you.**

# April 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 <b>7:00pm</b> Al-Anon Meeting	2 <b>5pm</b> Executive Committee Meeting	3 <b>5:30pm</b> Community Meal 6 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Mentorship Holy Communion Instruction <b>6:30pm</b> Lenten Worship	4 <b>1pm</b> Jam Group	5 <b>11am</b> Men's Bible Study	6
7 Social Ministry~ Camp <b>9am</b> Worship Sunday Story Time <b>10:15am</b> Coffee/ Fellowship Sing 'N Play	8 <b>7:00pm</b> Al-Anon Meeting	9 Kettle River Conference  <b>5:30pm</b> Council Meeting	10 <b>5:30pm</b> Community Meal 6 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Mentorship Holy Communion Instruction <b>6:30pm</b>	11 <b>3:15pm</b> Children, Youth Family & Ed. Meeting	12 <b>11am</b> Men's Bible Study	13 <b>9am</b> Holy Communion Retreat
14 Palm Sunday Holy Communion <b>9am</b> Worship <b>10:15am</b> Coffee/ Fellowship Sing 'N Play	15 Tax Day  Beacon Deadline  <b>7:00pm</b> Al-Anon Meeting	16	17	18 <b>1pm</b> Jam Group <b>6:30pm</b> Maundy Thursday Worship	19 <b>11am</b> Men's Bible Study <b>6:30pm</b> Good Friday Service of Light & Darkness	20
21 Easter <b>8am</b> Worship <b>9am</b> Easter Breakfast <b>10:30am</b> Worship	22 <b>7:00pm</b> Al-Anon Meeting	23	24 <b>5:30pm</b> Community Meal 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Prepares Proclamation of Faith Statement with Mentors <b>6pm</b> Faith Formation <b>6:30pm</b> Worship	25	26 <b>11am</b> Men's Bible Study	27
28 Pastor Mary Gone Holy Humor Sunday <b>9am</b> Worship <b>10:15am</b> Coffee Hour Sing 'N Play	29 <b>7:00pm</b> Al-Anon Meeting	30				