



Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Pastor Eric Hullstrom,
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Pianist: Mary Ann
May 21, 2023 @ 9:30AM
Seventh Sunday of Easter

Mission Statement:

*"Faith, Hope and
Love
Make us available
To our neighbors
near and far."*

Prelude and Bell
Quiet Time for Silent Prayer

Welcome and Announcements
Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn- **"When Peace Like A River"** LBW pg. 346 (vs.1,3,4)

Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness pg. 56

*Prayer of the Day: **Blessed Trinity, in Jesus you have made us all one. Grant that his prayer that all his disciples be one as you are one be manifest in our lives for the sake of your mission in the world; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Lesson: Acts 1:12-26 Pew Bible pg. 1080
Psalm 68:1-10 Please read responsively.

Noisy Offering/Children's Sermon

Hymn of the Day- **"Crown Him With Many Crowns"** LBW pg. 170 vs. (1,3,4)

Preaching Text: 1 Peter 5:1-11 Pew Bible pg. 1205

Message- **"Get Over Yourself"** Pastor Eric

*Apostles Creed pg. 65

Offertory/Offering brought forward: **"Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful"** pg. 66

Prayers of The Church
Prayers for Healing and Strength and those in our Care Centers

The Great Thanksgiving pg. 68

The Meal

*The Words of Institution pg. 69

The Lord's Prayer (sing) pg. 71

Communion Hymn-**"Lamb Of God"** pg. 72

Communion Medley MaryAnn

The Blessing
Closing Hymn- **"Sent Forth By God's Blessing"** LBW pg. 221

Have A Great Week!

Upcoming Events and Announcements:

May

21-Traditional Comm Worship @9:30am
28-Worship @9:30am

June

3-Grad Party for Elizabeth Olson, 11-1pm
4-New Member Sunday
6-Bible Study with Pastor @2pm
10-Music and Mingle fundraiser @6:30pm
12-Church Council meets @6pm

Ushers and Greeters

May

21 Amy Walk & Mary Badje and Thomas & Amanda Blodgett
28 Chris Berggren Family

June

*4 Carter Wubben(c) Family and Shirley Hagenson
*12 Norah Blodgett(c) Family and Jeff Ostermann Family
18 Billy Jensvold Family and Maryls Dotseth
25 Dana Greensky Family and Linda Berhow

Prayers for our members and friends:

Marcia Aukes
Brian Bashans
Harlan Melz
Randy Melz
Christina Coughlin
Carolyn Bartz
Clarice Stonebreaker
Deloris Steffensen
Claire Hinz
Jaya
Logan Sabin

Giving

05.14.23 **\$2975.00**
Attendance **143**
Online Views
(Through the week) **21**
Budgeted weekly giving **\$2,830.00**

**New Member Sunday
June 4th
Please join
in welcoming them!**

Making ourselves available...

Food Bank for May: Can Chicken, Tomato soup, Can Veggies, Can fruit, Cereal and Cookie Mixes.

"Our numbers are increasing, so anything you donate will be helpful. Thank You.

All donations can be dropped off in the Narthex of the church.

Our goal is to keep the Project Fund ongoing so that we will be able to address and take care of the unexpected and ongoing care of our church building and parsonage. This way we are not dipping into our property fund budget. As this does not cover bigger expenses that may come about.

We are so Blessed and Thankful.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT HIGHLITES



Okoboji Lutheran Camp

Team Building on a very small box.

Getting placement right on a log. (With out falling off)

Study time with Pastor.

Graduating Senior

Elizabeth Olson

Open House

Saturday June 3rd 11-1pm

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Heritage Center...June 10th...6:30-8pm

All are welcome for a night of

Music, Mingling, and More!

Nate and Mindy Sletten will be providing a variety of music for our enjoyment.

A silent auction will begins at 6:30.

Snacks/refreshments will be available.

Hosted by BLC Property and Stewardship boards.

Free will donation.

The Vanco QR code is a great and easy way to give. You can set it up to your giving preference. Please see Jen or Thomas if you have any questions. Thanks.



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