Woodlawn Weekly News

Weekly Calendar - June 18 - June 26, 2023

(also available at www.woodlawnlutheran.org)

Sun. June 18 – Worship at 8:00am & 10:00am

Mon. June 19 - PBJ at GS Church at 2:30pm; Worship at GS at 6:30pm

Tue. June 20 – Living Hope Church Council meets at GS at 6:30pm

Wed. June 21 - Work Day at Woodlawn/Lamb of God 1:00-8:00pm

Thu. June 22 – LWMS Convention

<u>Fri. June 23</u> – *LWMS Convention*

<u>Sat. June 24</u> – *LWMS Convention* Work Day at Good Shepherd's 8:00am-8:00pm; Stretch at GS at 9:00am; Worship w/Communion at 5:00pm

Sun. June 25 – LWMS Convention Worship w/Communion at 8:00am & 10:00am

Mon. June 26 – PBJ at GS Church at 2:30pm; Worship at GS at 6:30pm

Remember in Your Prayers

Shut-in members of our congregation – Dorothy Schiller (101st birthday this week), Bill Siekert, Mary Unteutsch, Lorraine Froemming

SERVING NEXT WEEK

Church Cleaning

We would like to thank our volunteers Trenten Fieldstad and Ki Downs for stepping up to clean our church this weekend.

Next week Rebecca Schwall is scheduled.

Ushers (June 24 - 25)

Saturday - 5:00pm - (1A) J. Warras, B. Warras, S. Baker, D. Baker

Sunday - 8:00am - (3B) J. Klein, S. Van Lieshout, D. Fieldstad, T. Fieldstad

Sunday - 10:00am - (1C) D. Frankowski, D. Wieting, M. Machin, J. Davis

Flower Thanks

Thanks to the Tim & Donna Keller for providing flowers in celebration of Michaela's birthday.

Attendance Last Week

| Saturday | 62 | |
|----------|---------|-----------------------------|
| Sunday | 34 / 62 | |
| Total | 162 | (includes 4 online viewers) |



Announcements

Volunteers Needed!

We need many hands and strong backs to help us move church items to Good Shepherd's and school items to Lamb of God. Classrooms need to be cleaned, cleared, moved, and reset. Please sign up at: https://tinyurl.com/mergermove. If you don't have email and want to help, just come to Woodlawn on Wednesdays at 1:00pm and you will be directed where and how to help from there.

Call

Pastor Zarling has received a call to serve at Mountain View Lutheran Church in Springbank, Canada, in the Calgary metropolitan area in the province of Alberta. Please keep him in your prayers. He is currently on vacation and will be out of town until later this month. You are invited and encouraged to talk with him when he returns.

New Sunday Bible Class Topic at Good Shepherd's

The Sunday Bible Class will look at some of the "other people" from Acts and the New Testament. You know Peter and Paul, but there were many other people at work in the early Church. We will spend time looking at some of those "other people." Classes are in the lower level at Good Shepherd's from 9:15am-10:00am.

Flock Notes

As our merger process continues, we are merging our weekly announcements via email. You will now receive Flock Notes (LH Weekly) every Wednesday with a short devotional thought, calendar, announcements and a reminder of who is serving the coming weekend. This will be our new form of communication moving forward as Living Hope. Please let us know if you are not receiving these emails.

Thank You

Dear friends at Woodlawn Lutheran Church and Living Hope Lutheran Church and School,

It's time to offer some long overdue thanks to all of you for your kindness and generosity. The meal and program on June 4th was wonderful! All of your cards, gifts, and kind words are humbling and very much appreciated. It is overwhelming to think of the blessings we have been able to enjoy together as God's people. All praise to our God, who is gracious to us day after day. Throughout our lives and God-willing, into eternity, we will treasure the friendships, the love, and even the struggles we have experienced together. You are in our hearts and thoughts as we look forward to new ministry opportunities and pray our Lord Jesus will bless your new ministry opportunities. May the Holy Spirit work powerfully for your unity in the faith and in the mission that your leaders set before you. Where the Word of God is faithfully proclaimed, the Holy Spirit does work powerfully through Christ Jesus, our Redeemer. Through every change that happens in our lives, the Lord remains faithful – holy, yet merciful. Always look to him and to his Word to guide your thoughts about what is going on in your life.

"Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:4-7)

We are gradually getting settled in at our rental home in Kawkawlin, MI. The address is: 2275 Fraser Road, Kawkawlin, MI 48631

For now, our phone numbers remain the same: (414) 315-1821 (Ben); (414) 315-1897 (Lynn) God bless you all, Pastor Ben and Lynn Wessel

Chair

Please try out the sample of the chair that is by the sanctuary entryway. This is one of different chairs we are considering purchasing for worship. Please try it out and let someone on the Living Hope council or one of the pastors know what your opinion is. More samples will be coming in the future.

Now Enrolling

Living Hope Lutheran School is now accepting applications for enrollment. If you are interested in attending this fall, please pick up an application from the carousel by the main door. Contact Mrs. Gasper 414-321-8780 or Mrs. Woller 414-774-1184 with any questions.

Worship at Woodlawn

Woodlawn will continue to hold worship services on 99th Street **through July 2nd**. Our Sunday late service is at 10:00am. Please continue to mark your offering envelopes with a "W" (or "J" or "GS"). There are white offering envelopes with the Living Hope logo on the table in the entryway for anyone who may wish to occasionally give cash or a check, but doesn't receive the envelopes in the mail.

Living Hope worship services will begin at the Good Shepherd's campus (1234 S. 100th Street) **the weekend of July 8-10**. Saturday services will be at 5:00pm. Sunday services will be at 8:00am and 10:30am. Monday night services will be at 6:30pm.

Any questions or concerns about worship should be directed to Pastor Kneser at pastor.kneser@woodlawnlu-theran.org; Pastor Wempner at twempner@goodshepherds.net; Pastor Zarling at jzarling@goodshepherds.net; or Pastor Aufdemberge at <a href="mailto:mailto

Scrip / Raise Right

We still have a few cards left in our on-hand inventory. The list is posted on the school side of the bulletin board. Please contact Mrs. Gasper if you are interested in any of these cards. You can also order online during the summer to receive e-cards, reloads, or physical cards sent to your home. <u>Please note that cards should not be shipped to school; you would have to choose the Ship-To-Home option!</u> Go to RaiseRight.com for details.

Lamb of God Ornaments

The Lamb of God PTO has an ornament marking the last year of Lamb of God Lutheran School. Each student and staff member has received one as a special memory. There are some leftover that we would like to give to former graduates and staff. A sample is on the wall in the entryway. If you would like one, sign up on the sheet on the table in the entryway or email Mrs. Gasper at mgasper@logls.org and one will be put in your information box. Please, only former students and staff at this time. Ornaments are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact Mrs. Gasper with questions.

Usher Volunteer Opportunity

We will be working on the Living Hope usher schedule for the remainder of 2023, starting with our joint worship services on July 9th. If you would like to be part of an ushering team, both men and women are invited to contact the church office at 414-774-1184 or email church@goodshepherds.net. Current ushers should also reach our to update status and availability.

Special Choir Announcement

Choir will be singing in small groups during July and August. There will be one more choir practice on June 29 at 7:000pm at Woodlawn. All former and potential future choir members are welcome. We will be singing during July and August. Please contact Jean Kaludnski with questions at jakal329@gmail.com.

Living Hope Member Directory

With the merge of Good Shepherd's, Jordan and Woodlawn congregations into Living Hope, we want to make sure all member contact information is accurate for church records. In doing this, we also want to create a Member Directory that will be available to all members. Please fill out an Updated Living Hope Membership Information Form on the back table in the Narthex and place it in the box provided. You may contact the church office directly to update this information via email at church@goodshepherds.net or 414-774-1184. Information should be submitted by July 1.

Hospitality Committee

Volunteers are needed for our newly formed Hospitality Committee! We are introducing *Sunday Morning Fellow-ship* beginning Sunday, July 9th. We will serve light refreshments between the services and offer warm greetings to our members and guests. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve as well as build new friendships. Please join our team by contacting Ki Downs at Downs.g@sbcglobal.net or call: 414-807-1471.

Babysitter Volunteer Opportunity

Although Kids Club has ended, we are continuing Adult Bible Class on Sundays at 9:15am. Beginning on June 4, we would like to give adults with young children the opportunity to still join us by offering childcare during this time. We are looking for 5-10 responsible students, from 6th grade to high school senior, to watch after the children from 9:00am to 10:15am. To learn more or to volunteer, please call/text Sarah Barth at 414-617-1599.

Cleaning Team Volunteer Opportunity

We want to thank all of our volunteers who have helped to clean our church each week. Your service is greatly appreciated! Soon we will be working on the Living Hope Cleaning Team schedule beginning with July until the end of the year. If anyone is interested in volunteering, please contact Sarah Barth in the church office at 414-774-1184 or email at church@goodshepherds.net.

Living Hope Member Business Directory

Do you run your own business? Whether you offer home repair services, photography, are a computer whiz, or sell sweet treats, we want to support our Living Hope brothers and sisters with their business! A Member Services Directory will be created to accomplish this. If you would like to be included, please fill out a *Business Information Sheet* on the back table in the Narthex and drop it in the box provided. Any questions, please contact Sarah Barth via email at church@goodshepherds.net.

Stretch Class

Stretch class will continue through summer. Starting next Saturday, June 24th, the class will be at the Woodlawn campus in the gym. If you have any questions, please contact Rich Gross – Rgross@goodshepherds.net or 414-349-0242.

Free Choral Concert

Canticum Novum, a WELS chamber choir, is presenting a free concert entitled *The Everlasting Light*. Concert performances are Saturday, **June 24**, 7:30pm at Grace Lutheran Church in Downtown Milwaukee and Sunday, **June 25**, 10:30am at Morning Star Lutheran Church in Jackson. Visit <u>canticumnovumwels.org</u> and follow us on Facebook (https://www.facebook.com/CanticumNovumWELS) for more information.

Miriam's Walk for Life

You're invited to Miriam's Walk for Life to honor Miriam Kremer and to benefit WELS Lutherans for Life. Miriam was a friend of the organization, who passed away after a lengthy bout with leukemia. Miriam's Walk is **July 15th**, 8:00am—11:00am, at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School in Jackson. The event features themed laps around the high school track, carnival-like events, and musical groups. We're encouraging people to do peer-to-peer fundraising to support the pregnancy medical clinic. Find all the details and register at www.alife2.com/miriams-walk. For questions call 414-727-8176 or email dianet@ALife2.com. More details are on the bulletin board.

Outside Property Maintenance

The Lord has blessed us with wonderful (and extensive) property. One of the challenges we face is maintaining the landscaping throughout the summer. Please consider making the commitment to take care of a small section that is more easily managed, 3 or 4 times a year. Will you please consider "adopting" a section of our property and taking care of it? You don't need permission to come on your own schedule, but if you have questions or need equipment, please reach out to any of our maintenance people: Woodlawn members Mike Larsen, Steve Unger, Al Schumacher, Ron Krenz, David Fieldstad, and Joe Lucchesi. Please sign-up on the display map as you enter church.

Discovery Day

High school students and their parents are invited to attend Wisconsin Lutheran College's Admissions Discovery Day on Tuesday, July 11. Register for the event or set up a personal campus visit at <u>wlc.edu/visit</u>.

Job Openings at Wisconsin Lutheran High School

Wisconsin Lutheran High School has two job openings for positions as commons supervisors and Honey Creek Hall supervisors. If interested, please submit a resume to Becky Glass at hr@wlhs.org. Candidates must be members in good standing of the WELS or ELS.

Commons Supervisor-Wisconsin Lutheran High School is looking for staff to supervise students in a study hall environment in both large group and small group settings during school days as a Commons Supervisor. This position will also maintain study hall policies on attendance, cell phones, food and drink, behavior, passes, and study environment. Experience working in an educational field is preferred.

Honey Creek Hall Supervisor-Wisconsin Lutheran High School has open positions to live and work in our student residential facility, Honey Creek Hall. Part-time residential and non-residential positions are available for men, women, or married couples. Applicants should have experience working in an educational or residential setting, preferably with international students.



