



From the Pastor

¹*O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.*

²*Sing to the Lord; bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.*

³*Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples.*

⁴*For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; ~Psalm 96:1-4a*

WARNING: What follows are my thoughts.

Actually, that's always the case, so maybe these articles should always have a warning label. However, usually I have corroborating research, insight from actual scholars, paid and published theologians, and/or much more direct Bible quotes that can give you more confidence that I'm on the right track. To boot, that's all when I'm making much less intimate claims about God than I'm about to offer in this space. However, my hope is that, as always, my thoughts aren't actually ever mine alone, but inspired by God and faithful to the Truth.

A few weeks ago, as I was preparing for the funeral service and homily for Marilyn Flint (if you don't know who that is, that's ok, I didn't either, but she was a lovely woman who sang in choirs, including Westminster Presbyterian's choir for many years), quite suddenly and clearly an idea came and lodged itself in my brain. Still with me? Thanks. Here it is. Music is one of the primary native languages of God.

Love, I believe, has primacy and priority. That is to say that love is the first and most important language by which God communicates God's self, which is evidenced from God creating to begin with, as well as Jesus affirming that loving God and loving neighbor, while implying loving ourselves, are the most important directives to our lives. After love, though, and often intertwined with it, music is a principal means by which the Divine is communicated.

The cosmos are ordered and rhythmic, just as music is. Although space is said to be silent, on a scale so grand that it's hard to imagine, I believe that orbits and revolutions reflect the song of Creation and sing back the song of their Maker. In *The Chronicles of Narnia*, C. S. Lewis supports this kind of imagining, as he presents Aslan singing worlds into existence. In our hymnals, ELW 861 (WOV 799) is subtitled *The Singer and the Song* and is all about God singing Creation into existence and all Creation singing it back. Ironically, we haven't ever sung this hymn because the tune is challenging, but the point is there – music is a primary language of God and is woven into all that is in order that we might innately be communicated to by God and communicate back to God.

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Evidence of musical instruments exists alongside of the records of every ancient civilization, which seems to me to be evidence of God giving humanity music as a means of communicating with each other, Creation, and God, in whose likeness we were created. Looking at the biblical witness, as early as Genesis 4, Jubal is mentioned as the father of those who play string instruments and pipes. When Saul is tormented at losing the favor of God, it is David's music that is able to sooth him and bring him peace. David was also an accomplished songwriter. Although it is very unlikely he authored as many psalms as are attributed to him, it is very likely he actually wrote some, since there are so many references to him being a composer. Interestingly, David is also called a man after God's own heart, which is for a number of reasons, but perhaps with his talents in music, David speaks God's language in an intimate way.

Worship wouldn't be the transformative, communing with God experience that it is without music. Down through the ages of Christianity back to our earliest Jewish roots, music has helped God's people connect with the transcendent presence of God. You don't need me to tell you how music can move and inspire you, wrap around you and permeate your very being. Lyrics are an important part of that, but even music in human languages we don't understand or without words at all can move us in ways that words alone cannot. Music unlocks us and links us, moves in time and transports us across time, and helps us to both find and lose ourselves.

In order to accomplish such lofty feats, music must be a gift from God. Sure, it can be misused as any other gift or blessing can, but at its best, music connects us to God, one another, and ourselves in and out of time and communicates to our hearts and souls in ways that our words cannot. This is what I mean when I say music is a language, and its universality points to it being native to God.

Language is meant to be shared, God singing Creation into being and the birds and brooks returning their pieces of the melody. Humanity was created in the image of God for relationship with God. Relationships are built on communication. Music is one of those means by which God speaks to our souls and we have the opportunity to communicate back with God. When our music speaks with human voices, we add words, just like God spoke through prophets that humanity might know God and God's will. Praise is the primary lyric to the song we were made to sing back to God.

When we sing our praises to God, we are doing that for which we were created in the very language of God. Make a joyful noise to the Lord! Praise God early and often. Through your ears and via your heart, open the channel to your soul that receives and returns the divine language of God. Thanks be to God for the gift of the language of music, for all those who speak it way better than I do, and for God's grace that God listens to me and hears me, even when my songs are not as polished as the song of the stars or stable. Let's never stop singing God's word to a weary world in need of God's harmony.



Apple Dumpling Time

Thank you to all who helped! Over 1,000 delicious dumplings were baked & sold.



A special thank you to everyone who helped in any way to make Apple Fest 2026 possible. The love and support that went into making this fundraiser was incredible. Thank you to everyone who helped in any way!



Apple Butter Fun

Sweet success on Saturday after lots of chopping and stirring.
Days of volunteers doing all sorts of jobs and a rain storm that seemed to want to wash us away.
You showed up and made it happen yet again.



Rally Day & Rummage Sale

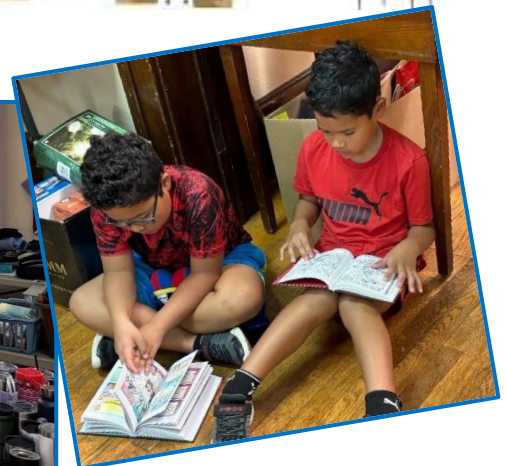


September 13th, members of all ages came to our annual Rally Day Sunday School celebration. We gathered in the picnic shelter and sang a Sunday School favorite, *Step, Step, Step, Step We're Going To Our Church* as we moved inside for a game of *Let's Make a Deal* with host Pr. Johns.

Thank you to all our Sunday School leadership for their dedication to this vital program. Sunday School is for all ages and you are invited to join in the fun at 9 am every Sunday!

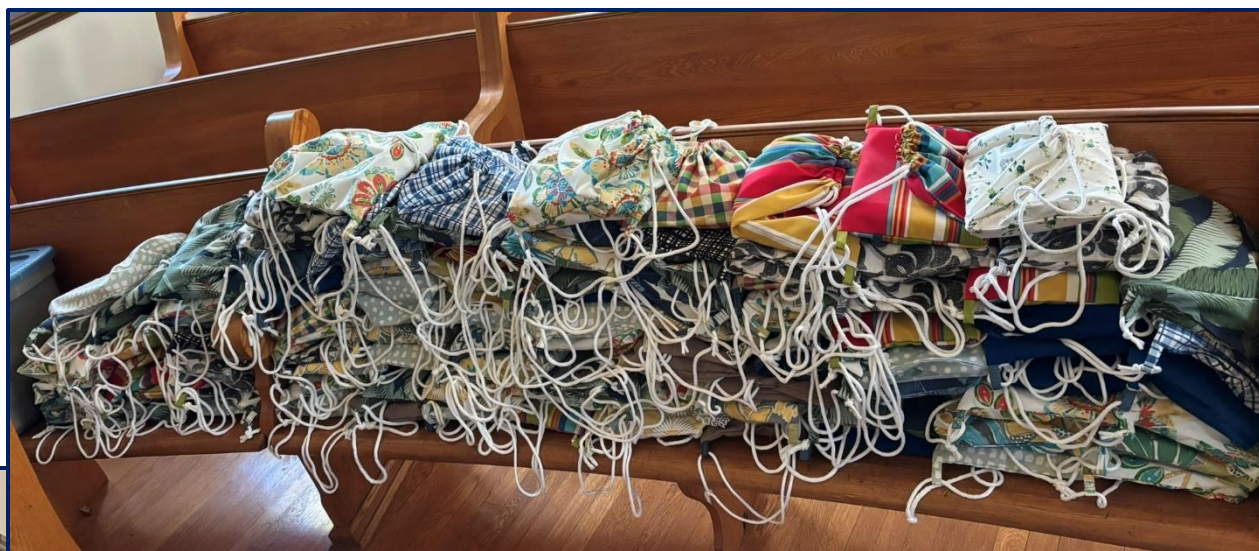


Many thanks to everyone who donated time, funds, and treasures to make our Rummage Sale a huge success. We were able to raise over \$2,700 for youth ministries.



Women of the ELCA

The women of the WELCA are extremely grateful for the many donations that made the 2026 school kits possible. Thank you to everyone who donated items for the kits, for helping to make the 101 bags that everything went in, and for all of the help with assembly!



Our Pastor and children offered a blessing for the School Kits and the people who will receive them before we send them on their way!

Regular Monthly Meetings:

1st Thursday of each month @ 1pm
Book Study & snacks at the church

&

4th Tuesday of each month @ 7pm – Bible Study & Dessert
This gathering is hosted in member's homes.

Save the Date

10/23 – Bunco Night – Look for a sign up next week

11/7 – Come and Sing to the Lord! St. Peter's will host the

Cluster Fall Gathering on Saturday, November 7th at 9:00am. The cost is \$6.00.

Breakfast is provided. Deb Mort will accompany us for a Hymn Sing.

Join us and make a joyful noise to the Lord.

Reservations to Teresa O'Malley by November 1st.



**** Every Thursday our quilters meet upstairs in the quilting room. All skill levels welcome!**

Upcoming Events & Announcements

500 Card Club – Friday, October 2nd at noon.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. No experience needed! If you would like to learn to play, you are welcome to join in the fun. It's a potluck event so bring whatever you would like to share.



After Church Fellowship Time

If you are able to sign up either individually or as a group to provide snacks for after church fellowship, please see the sign up in Luther Hall. We gather to share time with each other after worship. It's a special time together, made sweeter by the goodies you provide.

Join us every Thursday wherever you are. The group gathers on zoom at 7:00 pm.



The link is emailed weekly. If you would like to join let Pastor Johns or Christine know that you would like to be added to the group email.

Raise A Fork For A Good Cause



Harvest Home



We encourage you to bring a nonperishable food item with you to worship **Sunday, Oct. 11th** as we celebrate Harvest Home and share with those who are in need.

Special offering envelopes for Harvest Home will support the Food Cupboard. After our fellowship time, you're invited to help carry donated items downstairs and stay to pack up bags and boxes of food for our neighbors.



Join your church family and friends for our monthly lunch outing **Wednesday, October 14th at 12 pm.** This month's restaurant is **Union Brothers.**

Anyone is welcome to attend. Let Pr. Johns know how many will be joining from your party so he can pass that along to RSVP.

Helen's Helpers & Nancy's Needlers

meet once a month to work on sewing service projects. They are currently working on school kit bags and clothing protectors. No experience necessary. There are tasks that can be done by all skill levels. Join them **Monday, October 12th.**

Transform a life
and your own

St. Peters Lutheran Church



Please consider participating, then mark your calendars for **Monday, October 26th** for the 4th Annual Elisa Walker Memorial Blood Drive. Make your appointment **TODAY!**



More Upcoming Events & Birthdays

EVENTS Mark Your Calendar

Sundays in October

9 am Sunday School
10:15 Worship
11:30 Fellowship
12:00 Bell Choir

Wednesdays in October

5:30 pm Manna Night
7 pm Cantata Choir
8 pm Senior Choir

Thursdays in October

10 am Quilting
7 pm Bible Study



St. Peter's Church Family Wishes Many Blessings to You

2 David Fulghum	20 Donna Daugherty
3 Jason Plank	21 Perry Brosius
3 Leah Plank	21 Jimmy Hendricks
4 Melissa Bonicky	25 Paul Volz
4 Jocelyn Thomas	25 Holly Lingenfelter
4 Christine Johns	26 Michael Fulghum
10 Dan Vicheck	29 Meera Lindgren
11 David McKinnis	30 Mark Brosius
14 Josie Guerriero	30 Linda Middleton
16 Chloe Rengers	31 Calvin Jason
17 Tom Ayres	31 Kate Norris
18 Zach Rengers	



Turkey Dinner

Save the date for our annual Turkey Dinner. It will be on Saturday, November 14th. If you would like to be a part of planning this annual event, please come to the Fellowship meeting on October 5th at 6:30 pm. Even if you can't make the meeting, you can still help with donations, preparing, serving, and cleaning up will be needed and welcomed too.

Thank you!



ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

PUMPKIN FEST

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
5:30-8:30 PM

PICK A PUMPKIN & CARVE IT!

Hot Dogs, Chips, & Hot Chocolate

CARNIVAL FOR KIDS

Pumpkin Ice Cream & Bake Sale

202 Van Buren St. Evans City

Community & Worship News

Amen to ACTION

IN NOVEMBER 2025, THOUSANDS OF VOLUNTEERS AND THEIR CHILDREN MET AT CHURCHES AND ORGANIZATIONS ACROSS OUR CITY, WHERE THEY PACKED OVER 1 MILLION MEALS FOR DISTRIBUTION BY THE GREATER PITTSBURGH COMMUNITY FOOD BANK TO OUR NEIGHBORS..

This November, we have the opportunity to join with St. John's UCC for this annual service project. We will go with them to Orchard Hill Church in Wexford on Saturday, November 7th from 8:30-11:30 am.

Volunteer space is very limited, so please let Pastor know ASAP if you would like to join with him in this opportunity to help our neighbors.

VOLUNTEER

you can make a difference!

Every Sunday morning we have the opportunity to welcome others here at church. Just about everyone will find themselves on the list of greeters, unless we are told otherwise. If you would prefer not to serve as a greeter, or you are scheduled for a day on which you cannot serve, please let Adam know so he can adjust the schedule. Greeters should arrive no later than 20 minutes before worship time. One person should stand near the main doors in the back of the nave and one should stand near the entrance to the nave from Luther Hall. Greeters should hand out the bulletins to those people arriving and have a friendly greeting. Greeters also should assist any visitors who arrive. Greeters should remain in place until the bell rings.

Thanks for serving!

Adam Price, Chair of Worship Committee

St. Peter's volunteers help pack food for the Evans City Community Food Cupboard the second Sunday of each month. Join in the fun after worship on October 11th and help those in need in our community.

Worship Volunteers

Anyone, third grade and older interested in learning how to acolyte or teens and adults interested in becoming lectors, assisting ministers, ushers, or bell ringers, please see Pastor and we'll schedule a training when it works for those interested.



Come sing with us!

Our Cantata practices will begin in October. If you ever wanted to sing, it's a great time to be part of our choir. All are welcome to join us on Wednesdays at 7pm. Senior Choir is at 8pm. And Bell Choir rehearsal takes place after worship. Grab a snack then ring for joy!

Praise



Heading into the last quarter of 2026, we have completed at least 32 projects utilizing Thrivent Action Team cards. That's \$8,000 provided by Thrivent as seed money for the work of our congregation! Thank you to those who have led projects to support our mission. Reach out to the office if you would like assistance developing a project to use your Thrivent cards.

Financial Facts

August 2026 Contributions:

Fund Description	Amount
208 Lutheran Campus Ministries	25.00
212 Food Cupboard	90.00
213 Synod Benevolence	1,103.50
241 Evans City Fire Department	10.00
242 EDCO Park	20.00
400 Current Fund Income	23,508.50
401 Music Fund Income	10.00
402 Memorial Fund Income	50.00
405 Flower Income	200.00
406 Youth Fund Income	70.00
407 Priority Project Income	3,852.00
408 After School Program Income	250.00
410 Campership Income	10.00
413 Applefest	911.00
441 Church Outings Income	70.00
Grand Total	30,180.00



Our Monthly Benevolent Cause for September will support **Lutheran Service Society**. If you would like to support this cause please mark the "Other" line on your contribution envelope.

Based on recent giving and the recommendation from the Finance Committee, Council voted to direct undesignated envelope offerings fully to the Current Fund as the Synod Benevolence pledge has been met in the previous year and is on track to do so again this year at the current level of giving.



Finance Update

Altar flowers are in need of sponsorship for several weeks in November and December. Please check the sign up poster if you can contribute.



2026 Contributions to Date:

Fund Description	Amount
208 Lutheran Campus Ministries	25.00
211 Meals on Wheels	232.00
212 Food Cupboard	2,369.74
213 Synod Benevolence	10,374.95
217 ELCA Lutherlyn Prospect	138.76
218 Lutheran Service Society	215.66
228 Seminary	121.00
234 Sherri Ifft - Missionary	82.00
240 Evans City Library	114.50
241 Evans City Fire Department	139.00
242 EDCO Park	494.00
244 ALS of Western PA	1,928.00
245 Batten Disease	5.00
299 Pastor's Disc. Fund	1,150.00
400 Current Fund Income	129,331.41
401 Music Fund Income	999.00
402 Memorial Fund Income	1,050.00
403 MIF Endowment (M.M.)	2,000.00
404 Youth Money Market	3,000.00
405 Flower Income	2,538.00
406 Youth Fund Income	2,012.96
407 Priority Project Income	32,202.45
408 After School Program Income	18,947.96
410 Campership Income	3,058.47
412 Manna Night	688.96
413 Applefest	911.00
421 Vacation Bible School	26.00
440 Softball Team Income	600.00
441 Church Outings Income	1,247.00
Grand Total	216,002.82

A Financial Update – To keep everyone informed about our current financial situation, the reconciled treasurers report of our current fund as of the end of August 2026 is as follows:

Current Fund \$15,843.06

Memorial Fund \$11,547.05

Youth Fund \$8,752.94

Manna Fund \$6,907.61

Priority Project Fund \$1,218.90

After School Program (\$577.11)

Many thanks to those who continue to give to these funds which give us the ability to serve Christ and others.

Thank You

Thank you to Vic & Brenda Pepper for spending many hours clearing out and tending to the landscaping. It has a fresh new look.



Our Christian Education leaders were installed on Sunday, September 13th. Thank you to all those who serve our congregation in this way.



With only a few weeks left on this season's schedule, thank you to the rotation of people who showed up throughout the spring and summer to keep the grass cut.



Thank you for your recent generous support of Women of the ELCA and its ministries. Your partnership with us is essential in our work to continue to mobilize women to act boldly on their faith in Jesus Christ. Your gift helps us remain committed to inspiring women to follow the call of Jesus and to provide avenues for women to grown in faith, love, and hope. Thank you.

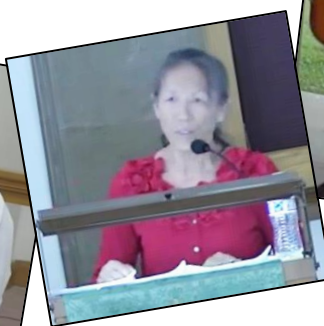
Sincerely,
Linda Clarke



Thank you for making a difference at Lutherlyn! It is friends like you who make it possible for Lutherlyn to keep our vitally important promise to never turn a child away from summer camp for financial reasons. We are truly grateful for your dedication to this ministry and for the many Life-Changing Adventures in Faith you have made possible for campers this summer at Lutherlyn!

Yours in Ministry,
Deacon Deb Roberts

Thank you to all our musicians who provided special music this summer.



Thoughts and Prayers

Beverly Barkley
 Cole Barkley
 John, Summer, Timothy Barron & Family
 Peter Barry
 Debbie Beahm
 Ricky Benson
 Tom Broeren
 Eilene Budisky
 Kay Burr
 Lisa Burr
 Arlene Cameron
 Jane Carruth (*Colon Cancer - B.Barkley*)
 Luke Clawson
 Randy Crump
 Donna Daugherty
 David English (*Lung Cancer*)
 Diane Fair
 Karen Ferrari
 Michelle Follet & Family
 Mary, Glenn, and David Fulghum
 Lori Goodwin
 Michael Grigorovich
 Patti Grubbs
 Joan Gump
 Richard Hutchins (*Cancer*)
 Annastyn Hogan
 Stephanie Hogan
 Ella Jason
 Greg John



INTERCESSIONS FOR CONSOLATION IN GRIEF

Members and friends who have entered the Church Triumphant in the previous 3 months:

The family of:
Charles Harbaugh

Val Kurth (*Breast Cancer*)
 Todd Manuel (*Blood Cancer*)
 Diane Marburger
 Dick Marburger
 Joe Marburger
 Patty Marburger
 Jane Mashuda
 Diamond McCracken
 Bertie McMillen
 Cole Moretti (*Cancer*)
 Carmen and Sandra
 Kerren Morra
 Mark Phillips
 Emma Plank
 Jason Plank
 Erin Price
 Bill Puryear (*Cancer*)
 Lori Rasp
 Rick Reifenstein
 Tammi Rossi
 Dominick Scarpino
 Pastor Tony Schneck
 Kay Marburger Terry
 Julie W
 Matthew Wible
 Roland Wise
 Pat Wolfe
 Audray Muscatello Yost



PRAYERS FOR OUR HOMEBOUND

Please contact the church office as soon as possible to request additions or changes.

Gini Rinkus
Nancy Zattiero

St. Peter's Lutheran Church Council Minutes

September 15, 2026

Present: Staci Bettencourt, Pat Capella, Patti Flach, Casey Guerriero (Zoom), Janice Hogan, Pastor Johns, Ted Lindgren II, Robin Plank (Zoom), Linda Schmidt, Robin VanDyke, Corey Walker, Marge Wearing

Absent: Bev Critchlow

Devotions: President Ted Lindgren called the meeting to order at 7:12 P.M. Following this, the Pastor shared a voting session regarding hymns related to the Pastors' weekly meeting with other Pastors. Prayers followed.

Minutes: The August meeting minutes were read and approved. Corey motioned to accept the minutes and it was seconded by Pat Capella. Motion carried.

Reception of Visitors/Communications: None

Pastor's Report: A detailed, written report was submitted addressing, among many items including his recent trip to Texas for his committee work on the ELCA Companion Engagement Team. This church-wide engagement was established to embolden global missions. In addition, there was time for church softball, vacations, the typical meetings, and planning for several fall activities.

Treasurer's Report and the Financial Secretary's Report: The August 2026 report was reviewed and discussed.

Financial: A written report was submitted. Patti seconded the committee's recommendations:

1. Return unmarked envelope offerings to the current fund as the Synod Benevolence pledge has been met in the previous year and is on track to do so again this year at the current level of giving.
2. Designate Harvest Home offerings for this year to the Food Cupboard.
3. Transfer \$72.28 from the current fund to the Campership Fund to cover a deficit. The motion carried.

Fellowship: A written report was submitted. The 2026 Wine and Cheese event occurred on Saturday, August 22nd at the Raupp's. Heidi Beahm is the chairperson for the PumpkinFest activities this year. There also was a price increase this year for the apple butter and the dumplings. Many volunteers helped to make these that will be sold during the festival. A spaghetti dinner fundraiser to benefit Matt & Nicole Otto's adoption process will be held on October 3rd. The theater trip to see Elijah is scheduled for October 10th.

Learning Ministry/Youth: A written report was submitted. Rally Day was held on Sunday, September 13th with an enthusiastic game of *Let's Make a Deal*. Manna Night will begin again tomorrow evening with the theme *Stories of Abraham in the Bible*. Volunteers are welcome and needed. The Rummage Sale supporting youth activities will once again occur on Friday, September 18th and Saturday, September 19th during the PumpkinFest. Set up is scheduled for Wednesday, September 17th and Thursday, September 18th. Volunteers are needed for all days.

Property: A written report was submitted. The Education Building's roof redesign and repair has been completed. There is still a hole in the third floor ceiling that must be repaired. Pastor will take photographs of this to help determine what repairs need to be made. Additional cleaning in the basement as a result of the bathroom renovations needs to occur. Plans are in the works to repair the railing at the vestibule entrance.. Mike Mashuda installed parking lot bumpers in the upper lot. Gus's Eagle Scout project of the new swing set has been completed. There is also a safety issue with the top ledge of the stone wall. The driveway paving project is almost complete. The fire extinguishers have been checked. Work is being done to prepare for another hillside cross.

Worship and Music: A written report was submitted. Rally Day will occur on September 13th. The Community Worship will be held downtown on September 20th with Pastor Griffin leading the service. Blessing of the School Kits will occur on September 27th. Harvest Home will be on October 11th. Setting 4 will also begin on that date. Reformation Sunday is to be held on October 25th.

Other Official Reports:

Unfinished Business:

Bathroom Project: This project was hopefully completed; however issues have developed that are being explored. Since this was accomplished, Bev Barkley cleaned the church's nursery room so it could once again be used.

Education Building Roof: A special congregational meeting was held following church services on Sunday, August 16th to discuss the leaking roof, the repairs, the cost, and the funding of this project. The Hostetler Roofing Company has since completed the work.

Immigration Discussion Group: Following the church service on Sunday, September 13th, Pastor Linda Theopolis presented a session on the history, practices and policies regarding immigration in the United States. If there is interest, further sessions may occur.

Building Insurance: The exploration of a new company has begun. Brotherhood Mutual has provided us with an estimate, and an additional one is expected from Church Mutual. Pastor is also exploring a possible change in his health insurance.

Nursery: Staci is applying for a Thrivent Card to update the nursery which would include paint and an organizational system for the toys.

Future Discussion on Potential Capital Campaign: A potential, future discussion item may be held regarding emergency, property items. Ted will attend the next Finance Meeting.

New Business/Miscellaneous:

Due to Pastor's participation at another event he will Zoom in for the next meeting on October 13, 2026 at 7:00 P.M.

Adjournment and Prayer: The meeting was adjourned at 8:37 P.M. Jan moved to adjourn and it was seconded by Robin Plank. Motion carried. The meeting concluded with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Patti Flach, Council Secretary



Calendar & Volunteers

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
				10am - Quilters Group 1pm - Mary's Circle 4pm - After School 7pm - Bible Study	12pm - 500 Club & Lunch 4pm - After School	4pm - Spaghetti Dinner
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9am - Sunday School 10:15am - Worship 11:30am - Fellowship 12pm - Bell Choir	4pm - After School 6:30pm - Fellowship 7pm - Boy Scouts	9am - Pr. Cluster -Zellie. 4pm - After School 7pm - Property Mtg.	9am - E.C. Ministerium 10am - Community 4pm - After School 5:30pm - Manna Night 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Quilters Group 4pm - After School 7pm - Bible Study	4pm - After School	Theatre Show
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Harvest Home 9am - Sunday School 10:15am - Worship 11:30am - Fellowship 11:45am - Pack Up Food 12pm - Bell Choir	10am - Helen's Helpers 4pm - After School 7pm - Boy Scouts	4pm - After School 7pm - Council Meeting	10am - Community 12pm - Lunch Bunch 4pm - After School 5:30pm - Manna Night 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Quilters Group 4pm - After School 7pm - Bible Study	4pm - After School	5:30pm - Pumpkinfest
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
9am - Sunday School 10:15am - Worship 11:30am - Fellowship 12pm - Bell Choir	4pm - After School 7pm - Boy Scouts	4pm - After School	10am - Community 4pm - After School 5:30pm - Manna Night 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Quilters Group 7pm - Bible Study	6:30pm - W/ELCA Bunco	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Reformation 9am - Sunday School 10:15am - Worship 11:30am - Fellowship 12pm - Bell Choir	Blood Drive 4pm - After School 7pm - Boy Scouts 7pm - Worship Mtg.	4pm - After School 7pm - Dorcas Circle	10am - Community 4pm - After School 5:30pm - Manna Night 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Quilters Group 2pm - Devotions at 4pm - After School 7pm - Bible Study	4pm - After School	

OCTOBER VOLUNTEERS 2026

Date	10/4/2026	10/11/2026	10/18/2026	10/25/2026
Acolyte	Rylee Taylor	Penelope Erin	Owen Price	Lily Johns
Altar Flowers (\$20/vase)	Inez & Dennis Schmidt	Staci & Michael Bettencourt	Debbie & Jim Merrison	Karen Ferrari
Altar Guild	Pat Capella & Janice Marburger	Pat Capella & Janice Marburger	Pat Capella & Janice Marburger	Pat Capella & Janice Marburger
Asst. Minister	Deb Mort	Robin VanDyke	Janice Hogan	Teresa O'Malley
Bell Ringer	Josh Green	Wes Schmidt	Davin Beahm	Corey Walker
Eternal Candle (\$15)	Luann Brosius	Luann Brosius	Luann Brosius	Luann Brosius
Greeters	Amy & Walt Grigorovich	Cindy & Tom Ayres	Jenn & Dan Erin	Jan Hogan & Becky Rengers
Lector	Marsha Reedy	Ted Lindgren II	Larry Mort	Jane Taylor
Nursery	Emily Taylor	Colleen Prenovitz	Cheryl Thomas	Marge Lindgren
Offering Counters	Patti Flach & Linda Schmidt	Patti Flach & Linda Schmidt	Patti Flach & Linda Schmidt	Patti Flach & Linda Schmidt
Tech Support	Adam Price	Heidi Beahm	Adam Price	Heidi Beahm
Ushers	Debbie & Jim Merrison	Jenn & Dan Erin	Heidi Beahm & Austin Schmidt	Brenda & Vic Pepper

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Pastor Brandon Johns

Heidi Beahm,
After School Director

Marlene Domhoff,
Organist / Music Director

Joe Ludwik, *Sexton*

Christine Johns,
Secretary



The Sunday Bulletin Deadline is
Wednesdays at 10 am

Monthly Newsletter Deadline is the
3rd Sunday of each month

Sunday School at 9 am

Weekly Worship Service on Sundays at 10:15 am

Check Our Weekly Calendar for other events.

Office Hours for Secretary:

Monday thru Friday 9 am—noon

Newsletter
October 2026

This month's newsletter is sponsored
by Jane Taylor
in memory of Kenneth Clawson