

*Grace Lutheran*  
*Worship Folder*

*June 6 & 7, 2026*



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Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore thee, prais - ing thee, their sun a - bove.  
stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.  
well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean - depth of hap - py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, drive the gloom of doubt a - way.  
Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flow - 'ry mead - ow, flash - ing sea,  
Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our broth - er, all who live in love are thine;



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day.  
chant - ing bird, and flow - ing foun - tain call us to re - joice in thee.  
teach us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the joy di - vine!

Text: Henry van Dyke, 1852–1922

Music: HYMN TO JOY, Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770–1827, adapt. This selection is in the public domain.

## GREETING

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C:** And also with you.

## KYRIE (Sing twice)



Take, oh, take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall be;



set your seal up - on my heart and live in me.

Text: John L. Bell, b. 1949

Music: TAKE ME AS I AM, John L. Bell

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## HYMN OF PRAISE

Lord, I lift your name on high; Lord, I love to sing your prais-es.  
I'm so glad you're in my life, I'm so glad you came to save us.  
You came from heav-en to earth to show the way, from the earth  
to the cross, my debt to pay, from the cross to the grave,  
from the grave to the sky; Lord, I lift your name on high.

The musical score is written on five staves in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It features a melody with various note values including quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes, along with rests and ties. The lyrics are placed below the corresponding notes.

Text: Rick Founds, b. 1954

Music: Rick Founds

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LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME

PM

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**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And also with you.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**O God, you are the source of life and the ground of our being. By the power of your Spirit bring healing to this wounded world, and raise us to the new life of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## WORD

*God speaks to us in scripture, preaching and song.*

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

#### **Hosea 5:15--6:6**

*Because the people have trusted in military powers and not God, God decides to withdraw from the scene until Israel acknowledges its guilt and seeks God's face. The response of the people does not acknowledge this guilt and is as fickle as fog or dew burned away quickly by the sun. God desires loyalty rather than words or meaningless deeds.*

<sup>15</sup> I will return again to my place until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face. In their distress they will beg my favor: <sup>6:1</sup> "Come, let us return to the LORD, for it is he who has torn, and he will heal us; he has struck down, and he will bind us up. <sup>2</sup> After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will raise us up, that we may live before him. <sup>3</sup> Let us know, let us press on to know the LORD; his appearing is as sure as the dawn; he will come to us like the showers, like the spring rains that water the earth." <sup>4</sup> What shall I do with you, O Ephraim? What shall I do with you, O Judah? Your love is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes away early.

<sup>5</sup> Therefore I have hewn them by the prophets; I have killed them by the words of my mouth, and my judgment goes forth as the light. <sup>6</sup> For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice, the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.

**L:** The word of the Lord.

**C:** **Thanks be to God.**

#### **Psalm 50:7-15**

*Call upon me in the day of trouble, says your God. (Ps. 50:15)*

<sup>7</sup> "Listen, my people, and I will speak: Israel, I will bear witness against you; for I am God, your God.

<sup>8</sup> **I do not accuse you because of your sacrifices;  
your burnt offerings are always before me.**

<sup>9</sup> I will not accept a calf from your stalls,  
nor goats from your pens;

<sup>10</sup> **for all the wild animals of the forest are mine,  
the cattle on a thousand hills.**

<sup>11</sup> I know every bird of the mountains,  
and the creatures of the fields are mine.

<sup>12</sup> **If I were hungry, I would not tell you,  
for the whole world is mine and all that is in it.**

<sup>13</sup> Do you think I eat the flesh of bulls,  
or drink the blood of goats?

<sup>14</sup> Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving  
and make good your vows to the Most High.

<sup>15</sup> **Call upon me in the day of trouble;  
I will deliver you, and you shall honor me.**

### **Romans 4:13-25**

*Paul presents Abraham as a living model of right relationships. For Abraham and for us, a right relationship with God involves trusting that God's promises will be fulfilled because God makes the dead alive and calls into existence what otherwise does not exist.*

<sup>13</sup> The promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. <sup>14</sup> For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. <sup>15</sup> For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law, neither is there transgression.

<sup>16</sup> For this reason the promise depends on faith, in order that it may rest on grace, so that it may be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (who is the father of all of us, <sup>17</sup> as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations"), in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. <sup>18</sup> Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become "the father of many nations," according to what was said, "So shall your descendants be." <sup>19</sup> He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), and the barrenness of Sarah's womb. <sup>20</sup> No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, <sup>21</sup> being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. <sup>22</sup> Therefore "it was reckoned to him as righteousness." <sup>23</sup> Now the words, "it was reckoned to him," were written not for his sake alone <sup>24</sup> but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, <sup>25</sup> who was handed over for our trespasses and was raised for our justification.

L: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

*(The assembly stands as they are comfortable for the Gospel)*

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -

- le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -  
 lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

**P:** The Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

**C:** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

**Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26**

*Jesus demonstrates God’s mercy and power, accepting the unacceptable and curing the incurable. Even the dead receive new life.*

<sup>9</sup> As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax-collection station, and he said to him, “Follow me.” And he got up and followed him. <sup>10</sup> And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with Jesus and his disciples. <sup>11</sup> When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?” <sup>12</sup> But when he heard this, he said, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. <sup>13</sup> Go and learn what this means, ‘I desire mercy, not sacrifice.’ For I have not come to call the righteous but sinners.” <sup>18</sup> While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader came in and knelt before him, saying, “My daughter has just died, but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live.” <sup>19</sup> And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. <sup>20</sup> Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from a flow of blood for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, <sup>21</sup> for she was saying to herself, “If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well.” <sup>22</sup> Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, “Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well.” And the woman was made well from that moment. <sup>23</sup> When Jesus came to the leader’s house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, <sup>24</sup> he said, “Go away, for the girl is not dead but sleeping.” And they laughed at him. <sup>25</sup> But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. <sup>26</sup> And the report of this spread through all of that district.

**P:** The Gospel of Our Lord.

**C:** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

**HOMILY**

(The assembly stands as they are comfortable)

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "Will You Come and Follow Me"

**R798**



1 "Will you come and fol - low me if I but call  
2 "Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call  
3 "Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call  
4 "Will you love the you you hide if I but call  
5 Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call



your name? Will you go where you don't  
your name? Will you care for cruel and  
your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners  
your name? Will you quell the fear in -  
my name. Let me turn and fol - low



know and nev - er be the same?  
kind and nev - er be the same?  
free and nev - er be the same?  
side and nev - er be the same?  
you and nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, will you let my  
Will you risk the hos - tile stare, should your life at -  
Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as  
Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the  
In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and



name be known, will you let my life be  
tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer  
this un - seen, and ad - mit to what I  
world a - round, through my sight and touch and  
foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and



grown in you and you in me?"  
 pray'r in you and you in me?"  
 mean in you and you in me?"  
 sound in you and you in me?"  
 grow in you and you in me.

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## APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only son, our Lord,  
 who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.**

**He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again;**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
 the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
 the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

*(Response after each petition)*

**P:** God of grace,

**C:** hear our prayer.

## OFFERING

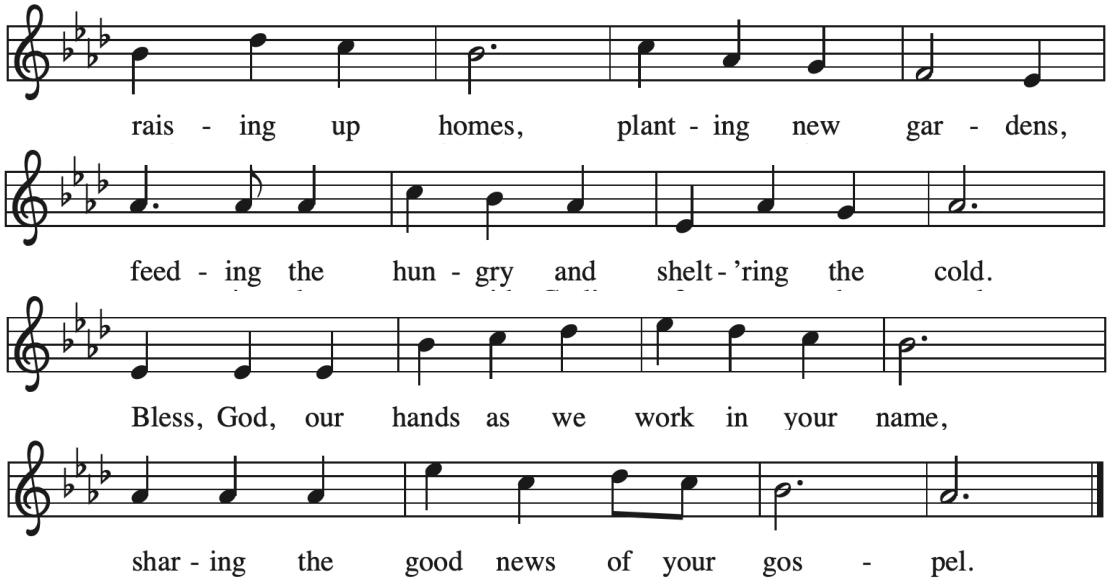
**OFFERTORY** *(the assembly stands as they are comfortable and sings as the gifts are brought forward)*



1 God's work, our hands: work - ing to - geth - er,



build - ing a fu - ture, re - pair - ing the world,



rais - ing up homes, plant - ing new gar - dens,  
 feed - ing the hun - gry and shelt - 'ring the cold.  
 Bless, God, our hands as we work in your name,  
 shar - ing the good news of your gos - pel.

Text: Wayne L. Wold, b. 1954

Music: EARTH AND ALL STARS, David N. Johnson, 1922-1987

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P: Let us pray...Loving God,

**C: we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever. Amen.**

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

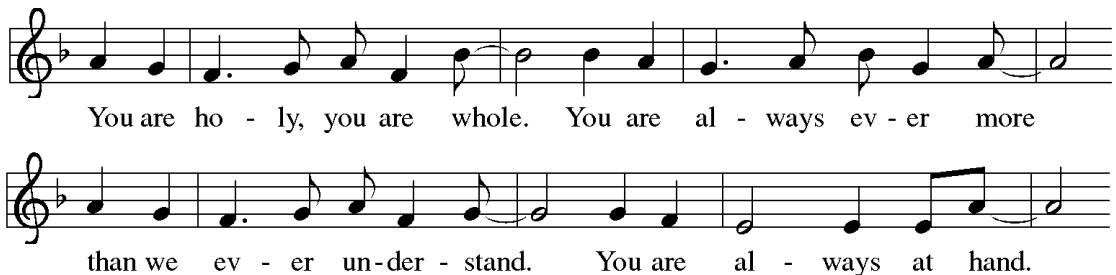
P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise...(concluding)...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more  
 than we ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand.

Bless - ed are you com - ing near. Bless - ed are you com - ing here  
to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead.  
<sup>2</sup>  
You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,  
you are pres - ent. Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord!  
Sing ho - san - na in the high - est!  
Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

Text: Per Harling, b. 1945

Music: DU ÅR HELIG, Per Harling

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## EUCHARISTIC PRAYER/WORDS OF INSTITUTION

**P:** We give you thanks, Father, through Jesus Christ, your beloved Son, whom you sent in this end of the ages to save and redeem us and to proclaim to us your will. . . . Send your Spirit upon these gifts of your church; gather into one all who share this bread and wine; fill us with your Holy Spirit to establish our faith in truth, that we may praise and glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ; through whom all glory and honor are yours, almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy church, both now and forever.

**C:** Amen.

## LORD'S PRAYER

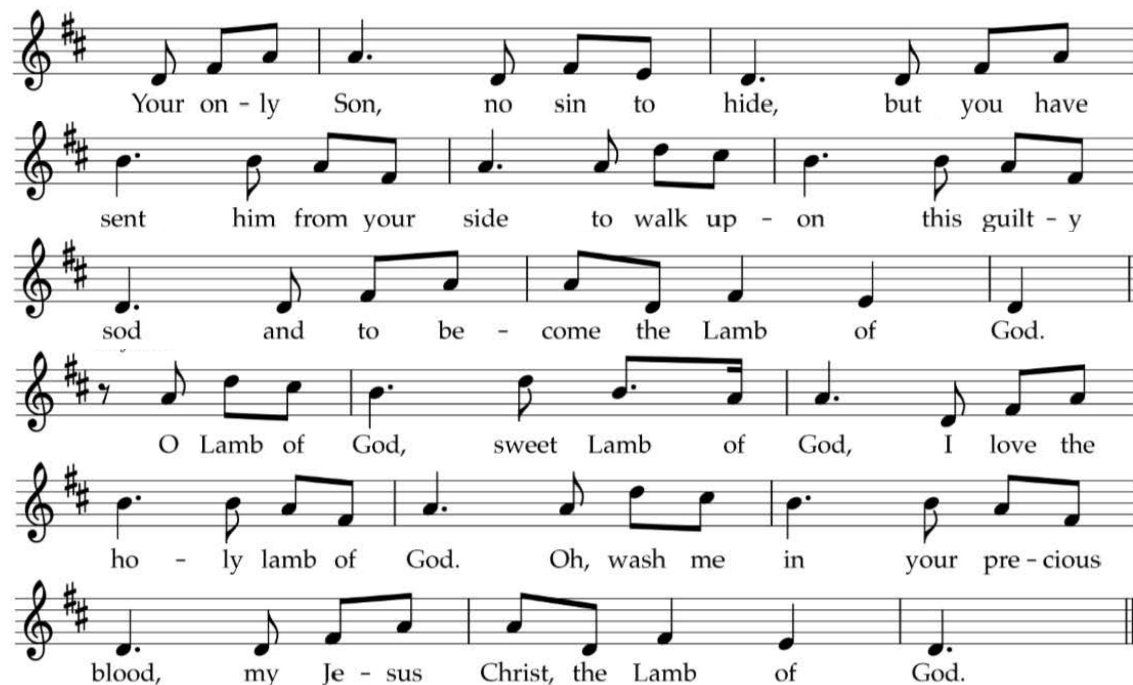
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;**

**and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

### HOLY COMMUNION

*(All who desire to receive Christ's presence in bread and wine are welcome to participate in the Eucharist)*

P: Heaven has come near. Come, share in the feast!



Your on - ly Son, no sin to hide, but you have  
sent him from your side to walk up - on this guilt - y  
sod and to be - come the Lamb of God.  
O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the  
ho - ly lamb of God. Oh, wash me in your pre - cious  
blood, my Je - sus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Text: Twila Paris, b. 1958

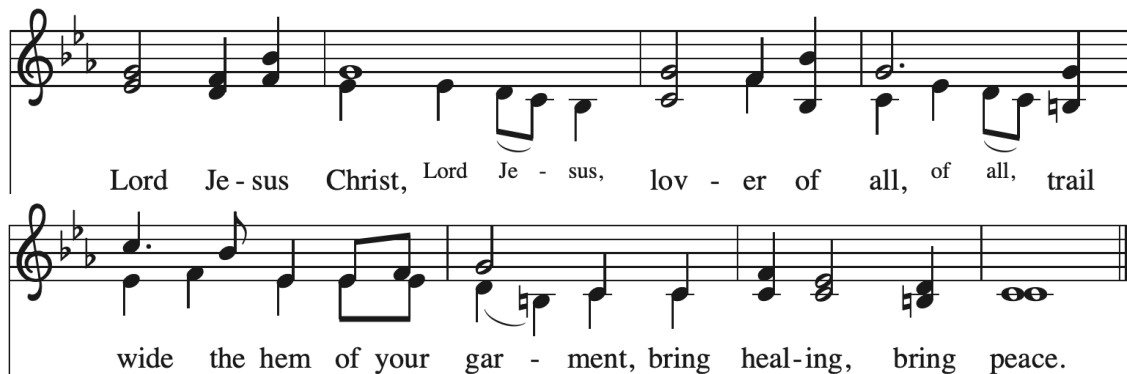
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### COMMUNION HYMN

“Lord Jesus Christ, Lover of All”

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Lord Je - sus Christ, Lord Je - sus, lov - er of all, of all, trail  
wide the hem of your gar - ment, bring heal - ing, bring peace.

*(the assembly stands as they are comfortable)*

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

P: Let us pray...Compassionate God,

C: **through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever. Amen.**

## SENDING

### BLESSING

P: Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, + one God, bless, heal, and hold you today and always.

C: Amen.

### SENDING HYMN

“I’m So Glad Jesus Lifted Me”

R860



1 I'm so glad I'm so glad  
2 Sa - tan had me bound, Je - sus lift - ed me. Sa - tan had me bound,  
3 When I was in trou - ble, When I was in trou - ble,



Je - sus lift - ed me. I'm so glad  
Sa - tan had me bound, Je - sus lift - ed me,  
When I was in trou - ble,



sing - ing glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah! Je - sus lift - ed me.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: JESUS LIFTED ME, African American spiritual

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**P:** Heaven has come near. Go, share the good news!

**C:** **Thanks be to God.**



## POSTLUDE



### WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT GRACE LUTHERAN

**A congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**

We are glad to have you here worshiping with us. For visitors, we would be glad to tell you more about Grace Lutheran and how we share God's love. Please leave the best way to contact you on the visitor sheets in the Sanctuary Narthex or the Office Lobby or use the bulletin and give it to an usher.

### COFFEE HOUR AFTER SUNDAY WORSHIP

Join us for a time of fellowship with coffee/tea/juice and treats in the Fellowship Hall off the Office Lobby after our Sunday worship.

## PRAYER PARTNERS

From the LARCC (Lutheran, Anglican, Roman Catholic and Congregational UCC) parishes of Alpena, this weekend we pray for Catholic Women of Alpena at All Saints Catholic Parish. Our Synod Prayer Partner for this week: Peace Lutheran Church/South Haven, Rev. Travis Wilson; and Bishop Julie Schneider-Thomas and Synod Staff.

## PRAYER LETTERS

*Please sign* the prayer letter(s) each week that we send out telling other churches and ministries they have been included in our prayers. **Fill the page with our names.** The letter(s) are on the podium by the table in the Office Lobby.

## **IN OUR PRAYERS**

Rich McTaggart, Myra Cross, Larry Garant, Patti Tucker, Bonnie Cross, Darlene Freel, Hope Kamyszek, Bill Whitscell, Sandy Malaski, Janet Chroninger, Elfie Jahnke, Marlene Jobson, Meredith Smith, Robert Larsen, Elaine Hatch, Scott Lancaster, Emma Nelson, Michele Amelotte, Jim Malaski -- Grace, Cheryl Gauthier, Alexi Charter, Cory Golder, Tamyra Rychlinski, Tom Watson, Ho-Ok Nam Lin (Pastor Seok Nam Lin's mother), Maria Shelton, Paul Kroll, Jim Marquardt, Aggie Jakubiak, Jerry McConnell, Lysie, Becky & Dante, Willow & Tato, Tyson, Lyle Beck, Candy & Tom Laughlin, Margaret Kamyszek, Michelle, Joan Vanover, Paige Lancewicz, Mychele Allmacher, Daphne Flack, Linda, Kaye Harry, Sandra Beck, Laura Fettes (Don Cross' granddaughter), Donna Kendziorski, Jeff Kendziorski, Herb Schiller, Jimmy Lappan, Donna Hatch, Jordyn, Maggie, and Joseph Hansen. Military: Will Stafford (Rich & Sherie McTaggart's grandson), Amelia Berles, US Air Force Pilot Training, and Michael Herrmann, US Air Force.

## **COMMUNION AT THE RAIL**

Since it is the weekend of the first Sunday in the month, we will be receiving communion at the rail on both Saturday and Sunday. As always you may receive as you are comfortable, kneeling if you wish. After everyone at the rail, the entire table, has taken communion, all receive a blessing and are dismissed together to return to their seats.

## **PASTOR TOM'S RETIREMENT**

The date for Pastor Tom's finishing of pastoral ministry at Grace Lutheran has been set for August 31 of this year. At May's Council meeting Bishop Julie Schneider-Thomas of our North/West Lower Michigan Synod ELCA joined in via Zoom to inform the Council of the Call Process and the actions to begin taking now. She shared the support the Synod gives in the process and where they are involved. Council is beginning active work on the next steps and would welcome any questions from church members.

## **ADULT CHRISTIAN ED - JUNE 7**

### **Pastor Satisfaction**

The Wired Word for the other week was the results of surveys on pastor's satisfaction with being a pastor. So lets talk about that. Then also flip that and talk of church's members expectations of and satisfaction with pastors. I think the two are interrelated. And good conversation to have for the coming time in Grace Lutheran's life. See you at 11 in the Lounge.

## **RANDOM ACT OF GRACE - STARLITE CLEAN UP - JULY 2 AT 5:30 PM**

We're going down to the Park and Beach to clean up again, helping Alpena welcome our July 4th visitors. Join us for a good time and pizza. Will do some work and then have supper together. Sign up sheet in the Office Lobby.

## **PUTT-PUTT GOLF FUN DAY! - JUNE 14**

Join us on Sunday, June 14th, from 12p ~ 2p at Lee's Miniature Golf Course in Alpena for a miniature golf outing. This is a fun activity for all ages, so recruit the kiddos and form your team. We will be enjoying lunch first and then complete 18 holes of golf on Michigan's oldest, continuously running, mini-golf course. There will be prizes & refreshments, and you are encouraged to wear your brightest "golf" attire for some fun photo ops! The fee for this event is only \$10 per person. Sign up in the church lobby or call the church office at 989-354-2640. *Please watch for alternate rain date announcements.*

## **RUN WITH YOUR HEART**

**Race for a Cause 5k and 1 mile fun run Saturday June 20, 2026**

**Northern Lights Arena - North Parking Lot - Woodward Avenue, Alpena**

- R Run. Walk. Honor.** Join us as we remember our sister and daughter Ryan Marie Szymanski who passed away from congenital heart defects in July 2006. She is our reason for all that
- w we do and we invite you to celebrate your reason and loved ones with us. All proceeds will go to Children's Hospital of Michigan pediatric cardiology unit where Ryan was treated.
- T To learn more, Register or Donate @ <https://runsignup.com/Race/MI/Alpena/RunWithYourHeartAlpena>

## **QUILTERS RUMMAGE SALE**

**The Quilters Rummage Sale is coming soon...Friday & Saturday, August 28 & 29.**

Donations of items will be greatly appreciated. Please no pieces of furniture or other large items. Also, please keep your items until close to the dates, so moving them from the basement to the Fellowship Hall is eliminated. Thank you in advance!

## **SUNDAY WORSHIP LIVESTREAMED AND RECORDED**

Our Sunday worship service is livestreamed, shown on the internet, as it is happening and recorded for viewing online later. People in the sanctuary attending the Sunday service may be seen as part of the livestream and recording.



# ***Congratulations Graduates!***

## *Alpena High School*

### *Izzy Grace Szymanski*

Izzy will be attending Michigan State University this fall.

She will be studying Animal Sciences pre-vet.

## *Northern Michigan University*

### *Madison Ane Szymanski*

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Madi will be working at Munson Medical Center  
in Traverse City as a pediatric nurse.



*We are blessed as a congregation to honor our youth as  
they graduate and begin this new phase in their lives.*



## SYNOD ASSEMBLY REFLECTIONS

Attending the Synod gathering was a meaningful reminder that the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America is stronger together through its three expressions of church: the congregation, the synod, and the churchwide organization.

Hearing Presiding Bishop Yeheil Curry speak about the vision statement “Called to Serve and Give” and the 2026 theme, “Members of One Body in Christ Jesus,” emphasized the importance of unity, compassion, and service. The message centered on Christ’s commandment to “love one another,” reminding us that we are never alone but connected as one body through faith.

Discussions and resolutions, including motions addressing the dangers of climate change, reflected the church’s commitment to caring for God’s creation and living out our faith through action and hope for the future.

Serving Christ together,

Shirley Diemond

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I attended my first Synod Assembly on May 15 – 16 and would like to share my experience.

It was held at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Portage MI and roughly 250-300 people attended. The church was welcoming and had many volunteers on hand if we had any questions or couldn’t find our way around. There were several booth displays in the entrance, sharing information from Living Water Ministries, Small Talk Children’s Advocacy Center and more.

The 2-day event was busy & full, but it was such a wonderful experience. We had the opportunity to see and hear our Presiding Bishop Yeheil Curry who offered the Keynote Address. He shared the 3 priorities of the Synod...Welcoming, Thriving and Connected. He proposed that they are in the wrong order. He feels a connection creates a thriving church where all will feel welcome.

Bishop Julie Schneider-Thomas, who attended and participated, despite a (non-contagious) mosquito born infection, stated that Bishop Curry is humble and relatable. I found them both sincere, encouraging and witty and both offered heartfelt and inspiring messages. Clearly, they are both suited for their important roles.

The event offered 6 different workshops in 2 different sessions. The 2 workshops that I chose were informative and interesting and made me think in ways that I haven’t before.

The evening prayer service included music, readings and a Sermon by Reverend Dr. Lillian Daniel, United Church of Christ Conference Minister of Michigan. She is a nationally recognized preacher, teacher and writer who cares deeply about clergy and congregations. She wore a medallion around her neck and shared what the words on the back “*That They May All Be One*” meant to her.

If you have never attended a Synod Assembly, I encourage you to sign up for next year’s event. It was announced that the dates will be May 14 -15, 2027 and the location is Midland MI.

Donna Morgan

# June



## Anniversaries of Baptism

**June 2**  
Matthew Gillard

**June 3**  
Nancy Amelotte

**June 6**  
June Daly

**June 7**  
Kendra McInerney

**June 8**  
Dawn Anderson  
Emma Barber  
Laurie Hansen

**June 12**  
Jan Charter  
Peggy Tomaszewski

**June 13**  
Amelia Berles

**June 14**  
Pamela Nowak

**June 15**  
Connor Freel  
Craig Weise

**June 16**  
Brianna Himes

**June 20**  
Pamela Agius  
Kayla Bertrand  
Everett Haske

**June 21**  
Tiffany Oliver  
Bryan Stafford

**June 22**  
Matthew Kibbe

**June 24**  
Betty Bedford

**June 25**  
Nicholas Fraley

**June 26**  
Alecia Lewis  
Tyler McKenzie

**June 27**  
Tracie Granata  
Roger Pankey

**June 29**  
Josie LeMonds  
Chad Lewis  
Erin Nowak  
Karen Suszek

**June 30**  
Lorah Lappan

## Birthdays



**June 1**  
Raymond Reynolds

**June 4**  
Hope Kamyszek

**June 5**  
Shelly Olsen  
Nicklas Schultz  
Valerie Slaght

**June 11**  
William Matzke

**June 13**  
Nicholas Fraley  
Jason Slominski  
Izzy Szymanski

**June 16**  
Beckett Granata  
William Whitscell

**June 18**  
Jessica Gillard  
Erin Nowak

**June 19**  
Josie LeMonds

**June 20**  
Rhonda Anderson  
Sara Lappan

**June 21**  
Amelia Kamyszek  
Gregory Walker

**June 22**  
Ava Lappan

**June 25**  
Kelly Pankey

**June 26**  
Savannah Kamyszek

**June 28**  
Tim Schultz

**June 29**  
Nathan Engstrom  
Anne Gentry  
Isaac Matzke  
Gerri Moors

**June 30**  
Trey Garant  
Andrew Lappan  
Mary Lappan  
Lucas Palmer  
Marco Wade  
Owen Wade



## Wedding Anniversaries

8th Peter & Pamela Nowak  
14th Mark & Rhonda Himes  
23rd Mark & Tawny Freel

30th Wayne & Chris Christopherson  
30th Rodney & Emily Szymanski

## HAPPENING THIS WEEK!

### Sunday – 7th

9:00 am Sunday School  
9:30 am **Worship**  
11:00 am Adult CE - Lounge

### Monday - 8th

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED  
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved

### Tuesday - 9th

8am-noon Church Office Open  
9:00 am Sewing/Quilting  
11:00 am Pastor's Text Study

### Wednesday - 10th

8am-noon Church Office Open

### Thursday - 11th

8am-noon Church Office Open  
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved

### Friday - 12th

8am-noon Church Office Open  
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved  
9:00 am Digital Disciples Mtg

### Saturday - 13th

5:00 pm **Worship**

## SERVING JUNE 6/7

**Ministers**..... God's People  
**Pastor**.....Rev. Tom Orth  
**Music Director** ..... Claire Witt  
**Organist**..... ..Kat Tomaszewski  
**Comm. Asst.** Sherie McTaggart, Jo Ann Smith  
**Lector**..... Audrey Garant  
**Ushers** ..... Wayne & Chris Christopherson,  
Mary Rowader, June Daly  
**Greeters** ..... Joe & Dawn Gentry  
**Altar Guild** ... Kathy Piontkowski, Kelli Liske  
**Livestream Team** Dawn Anderson, Jan Charter,  
Don LaBarre, Alex Struble  
**Counters** ..... Cheryl Lang, Cindy Suszek,  
Stephanie Suszek

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**Organist**..... ..Kat Tomaszewski  
**Comm. Asst.** Sherie McTaggart, Jo Ann Smith  
**Lector**..... Dawn Anderson  
**Ushers** ..... Wayne & Chris Christopherson,  
Mary Rowader, June Daly  
**Greeters** ..... Mary Rowader, Cindy Domrase,  
June Daly  
**Altar Guild** ... Kathy Piontkowski, Kelli Liske  
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Don LaBarre, Alex Struble  
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