

## Mother's Day

**May 10, 2026**

**10:30AM**

*Welcome to Worship at Memorial United Methodist Church.*

*Blue attendance books are in the pews. Please sign in, and please include contact information if you are a visitor.*

**Music to Center Ourselves**     *Abide With Me* (Wood)

**Welcome to Worship** and **The Wave**

**Mission Moment:** Church World Service's Blanket & Tool Program  
Susan Lagina and Laurie Kaufman de la Garza

### \*Call to Worship

Gather us in, O God.

**Amidst fire and storm, make us whole.**

Bring us into your presence, Holy One.

**From suffering and pain, save us.**

Shelter us in your loving arms, Precious Lord.

**On the highways of life, guide us.**

Make us your disciples, Great Spirit.

**As we worship this day, lead us home.**

\*Hymn                     *To God Be the Glory*                     UMH 98

Epistle reading                     1 Peter 3:13-22                     Kathy Young

\*Gospel reading                     John 14:15-21

Anthem                     *What God Can Do* (Besig)                     Jubilee Choir

**Children's Time**

Message     Pastor Terri Branstrom

\*Hymn                     *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*                     UMH 89



### Offering Our Gifts and Commitments

**Offertory**     *Reflection on "Bunessan"* (Landin)

Ushers will pass the offering plates to receive today's offering and any prayer requests (please write requests on the green cards found in the pews). You may also make financial contributions on the square reader in the fellowship area, or online on our website.

\*Doxology: *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*     UMH 95

\*Offering Prayer

### Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

\*Closing Song                     *The Gift of Love*                     UMH 408

\*Departing Blessing

### Music for Going Forth

*Celebration March on "To God Be the Glory"* (Macchia)

\* The asterisk indicates times in worship where we're invited to stand.

*Please join us after worship for coffee and conversation.*

### Assisting Today

Altar Guild: Val Johnson and Robyn Casey  
Counters: Nancy Peterson and Chris Morrow  
Greeters / Ushers: John and Sarah Myers  
Projection: Dylan and Denise Messina  
Snack: Chris Jensen

MONDAY 5:30 Bible Study: "Embracing the Prophets"

WEDNESDAY 9:00 Knitting and Crocheting

FRIDAY 5:00 Game Night *Bring a dish to pass and your favorite game.*

NEXT SUNDAY 10:30 Worship and Noisy Offering  
1:30 Worship at Lakeview Assisted Living

MAY 21 4:30 Church Council

MAY 27 Newsletter deadline

**Nuway Laundry & Escanaba Steam Laundry** gave us a 50% discount on the tablecloths for MARSP.

**Game Night** this Friday at 5:00. Hot dogs, buns, chips, and pop will be provided. Maybe you could bring a side dish or a dessert. Also, bring your favorite game.

**Coffee Hour** If you enjoy coffee hour after church please

- Donate a can of regular coffee
- Sign up on the bulletin board to bring a snack

**Sunday School teacher needed**, especially for May 31, when Lisa will be at Annual Conference. Please sign up on the bulletin board to teach Sunday School for one Sunday (May 31 or a different Sunday).

**Wear RED** on Pentecost (May 24).

**Card Ministry** Nancy Campbell used to send out sympathy, get well, and thinking of you cards. If you would be willing to take over this ministry, please contact the church office. We will provide you with stamps and cards.

**Day Camp** (Vacation Bible School) for children going into 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade is June 29 – July 2 9am-3pm at First Lutheran Church. Registration forms are in the narthex.

We'll begin Day Camp week with **ecumenical worship & a potluck** at First Lutheran at 10:30 on Sunday, June 28.

Volunteers are needed during the week of Day Camp (6/29 – 7/2) to register children, assist in the classrooms, bring snacks, and provide lunch & supper for the 4 counselors. Please sign up in the narthex.

Memorial Church will be hosting the youth counselors in our building June 28 – July 2 because we have showers!

**The scrap metal drive** will end as soon as the bin is full. Hurry and bring your scrap metal.

## Prayer List

### New Concerns

Dale and Sue Jamison  
Tammy Martin  
Family of Ann Hayes  
Judy Smith

### Recent Concerns

Family of Bonnie Hannaman  
Family of Mary Hubbard  
Family of Ginger Weber Moore

### Ongoing Concerns

Pray for all wars to stop.  
Lorna Benson  
Kim Bessonon  
Pat Clark  
Ian Goldi  
Cheryl Harger  
Ron Houle  
Berta Johnson  
Christopher Lund  
Beverly Martin  
Ryan Minor  
Kathy Jo Myhren  
Helen Palo  
Margaret Richard  
Debbie Rosen  
Pam Thorbahn  
Eileen Wittenmore

Richard Abbott  
Beth and Sarah Benson  
Tom and Alice Butch  
Richard Demeuse  
Adam Haberstitch  
Lettie Houghton  
Richard Hull  
Dora and Andy Leonard  
Toni Marchese  
Beverly McCarley  
Elijah Moffitt  
Betty Nyquist  
Josiah Pryor  
Elizabeth Peltz Richardson  
Lisa Richer Barta  
Mark West  
Brian Wood

### **Memorial United Methodist Church**

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