

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 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.

~ Please cease your conversation at this time in preparation for worship. ~

Music to Center Ourselves *It Is Well with My Soul* (Harmon)

Welcome to Worship and **The Wave**

Annual Conference report

Susan Lagina

***Call to Worship**

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,

we have already come.

Through days of joy and nights of fear,

we've traveled this far by faith.

Through life, through death,

Christ walks with us.

We are not alone.

thanks be to God!

In this promise,

let's worship God together.

***Hymn** *I Need Thee Every Hour* UMH 397

Responsive reading Psalm 85:1-10, 16-17 Kathy Young

Epistle reading Romans 6:1b-11

Children's Time and Noisy Offering for Heifer Project International

Message Rev. Terri Branstrom

***Hymn** *His Eye Is on the Sparrow* TFWS 2146

Offering Our Gifts and Commitments

Offertory *Grace Alone* (Hayes)

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** *Nearer, My God, to Thee* UMH 528

***Departing Blessing**

Music for Going Forth *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* (Lau)

* 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: Carol Borden

Counters: Peggy Richter and Chris Morrow

Greeters / Ushers: Bill and Bonnie Buchmiller

Projection: Dylan and Denise Messina

Snack: Bonnie Buchmiller

TODAY 1:30 Worship at Lakeview Assisted Living

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

WEDNESDAY 9:00 Knitting and Crocheting

NEXT SUNDAY **9 a.m.** Ecumenical worship at First Lutheran Church, followed by brunch potluck

JUNE 29 – JULY 2 9a.m. – 3p.m. Day Camp (Vacation Bible School)

JULY 10 – 11 Rummage Sale

Prayer List

Next Sunday we will be worshipping ecumenically at **First Lutheran Church**. The 9:00 worship service will be followed by a **potluck brunch**, where you will have an opportunity to meet the Day Camp (VBS) counselors.

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

Volunteers are needed during the week of Day Camp (6/29 – 7/2) to assist in a classroom on Wednesday or Thursday, or provide Thursday lunch for the 4 counselors. Please sign up in the narthex.

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

Sunday School teachers needed on **July 12, Sept. 13 and Sept. 27**. Please sign up on the bulletin board to teach one of those Sundays.

We thank Gary LaMarche for recently working on fixing 2 church vacuums, the TV on the cart, and a space heater.



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New Concerns

Carolyn Morrow

Family of Eileen Wittenmore, including her young son navigating this world with his momma.

Recent Concerns

Riley Hansen

Lexi Johnson

Family of Marie LaRose

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

Elijah Moffitt

Betty Nyquist

Josiah Pryor

Elizabeth Peltz Richardson

Lisa Richer Barta

Pam Thorbahn

Brian Wood

Richard Abbott

Beth and Sarah Benson

Tom and Alice Butch

Richard Demeuse

Adam Haberstitch

Lettie Houghton

Richard Hull

Dora and Andy Leonard

Toni Marchese

Ryan Minor

Kathy Jo Myhren

Helen Palo

Margaret Richard

Debbie Rosen

Judy Smith

Mark West

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