

ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 19th & 20th 2023

A warm welcome to any visitors today. If you are interested in more information about our church, please fill out the welcome card located in the pews, and place it in the offering.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Sara Kittleson, Helen Ladwig, Terri Naylor (Dennis & Mary Lokken's daughter), Linda Wahlgren, Pete Strube, Anita Laabs, Mary Greenlaw-Meyer (Vicky Rosenbaum's friend), John Scheele & family (Char Smith's Brother in Law) Linda Stoenner, David Field (Donna Miller & Dawn Kellesvig's brother), Betty Tharp (Katie Zelle's grandmother), Ken Rabideau (Helen Ladwig's Brother in Law), Nick O'Connell, Paul Kerscher (Amy Thompson's Dad), Steve Mueller, Joyce Fargo, Alycen McKinney, Harold "Chick" & Rick Gullickson (Brothers of Mary Krantz), Cara Mavis, Amy Hall, Joan Schraepfer (Rita Schraepfer-Derke's Sister in Law), Todd Collins, Norm Hefty, Lincoln Kuhn, Brooklynn Kreul, Mary Jane Ellis (friend of Bonny Kellogg), Connie Peterson, Bonnie Bender, Ginger Quaderer (Diane Mueller's cousin), Delores Bryant, Makenzee Smith, Shirley Thompson, Brock Howe, Jeannie U'Ren, Mike Olson, Grace Aavang, Carol Johnson.

Our partner congregation IGLESIA EVANGÉLICA LUTERANA DIVINO SALVADOR (Divine Savior Lutheran Church) in Cataño, P.R

OUR DEEPEST AND SINCEREST SYMPATHIES for Chris Laabs and his family. Chris's wife Anita passed away on Wednesday the 16th. Please hold them in your hearts and prayers during this difficult time of loss.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

COLLEGE ADDRESSES: With many of our young adults moving this fall, we are updating our contact information for college students of ELC. Please use the link or the QR code. For those attending UW Madison, UW Whitewater and UW Platteville, we share names and contacts with Lutheran Campus Ministry. They reach out to them, to help them with their faith

journey. <https://forms.gle/L5zG8jocro1NTBP7>

COLLEGE
ADDRESSES





2024 ELCA Youth Gathering

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Young Adult Gathering

REGISTRATION TO BEGIN FOR 2024 YOUTH GATHERING

- July 16 - 20, 2024 in New Orleans (**SAVE THIS DATE**)
- Students, who will be 8th - 12th grade in fall of 2023 may attend
- Opportunity of a lifetime!
- **Priority Registration begins September 15th.**

*Every three years, 30,000+ high school youth and their adult leaders from across the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America gather for a week of faith formation known as the ELCA Youth Gathering. Through days spent in interactive learning, worship, Bible study, service and fellowship, young people grow in faith and are challenged and inspired to live their faith in their daily lives. **Let's begin our list of youth for the Gathering, so we are ready to sign up on Sept 15th. Contact Brenda.martin@elcmthoreb.org.***

9th GRADE CONFIRMATION HIKE - Our 9th graders will be hiking on **Wednesday, August 23rd at Blue Mounds State Park**. If you wish to carpool to the park, please meet at church at 8:45 a.m. Youth may meet us at the park at 9 am. We will return to ELC by 12:00 pm. Bring a sack lunch. This is a day to hike and talk about faith and life.



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**Mount Horeb Community
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Evangelical Lutheran Church

315 E Main

Friday, September 1, 2023
12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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August Benevolence



LUAD
LUTHERANS UNITED ASSISTING AFTER DISASTERS

Did you know that our Synod, the South-Central Synod of Wisconsin, has an outreach mission to assist survivors during times of disaster? It's called Lutherans United Assisting after Disasters (LUAD). This assistance is available to anyone connected to our Synod. Should a disaster strike, be it fire, flood, tornado, etc., we want to help.

We are an experienced and dedicated team of volunteers with a trailer full of tools and equipment ready to respond to those in need. LUAD serves Lutherans and all others as well. LUAD is owned by no one and pays no one for their services. We do not charge survivors for any assistance provided.

In order for LUAD to do this work, we need a contact person in your church. A Congregational Contact person or church committee member is someone who agrees to allow LUAD to call them when a disaster occurs and is then able to contact/recruit potential members in their congregation. Please prayerfully consider becoming a LUAD Congregational Contact person for your church. Contact LUAD at 888-237-0433, email us at Info@LUAD.org, or visit us at www.LUAD.org. Benevolence offerings in the month of August will be forwarded to LUAD to further their ability to respond to the needs of people in Southern Wisconsin.

ELC MEN'S BREAKFAST RESUMES on **Thursday, September 7th**. We will continue to meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month.

COFFEE TIME RESUMES on **Wednesday September 6th at 10 am** in Fellowship Hall.

ELC SEWING DAYS - Thursdays from 9am to Noon in Fellowship Hall.

FARMER'S MARKET Thursdays 2pm to 7pm on the ELC front lawn.

BETTER TOGETHER

*Have you experienced the loss of a life partner and wish to connect with others who understand your situation? ELC's newly formed group, **Better Together**, welcomes **YOU**. A social gathering will be held on Tuesday, August 29th as we set sail for an afternoon on Lake Geneva. We will cap off the day with an early dinner at Mars Resort. Tickets for the cruise will be purchased that day on the dock. Carpools are forming. If you are interested in joining us, a reply by August 28th is requested. Should you wish more information about the vision for this supportive ministry, please contact Cheryl Wille-Schlessler at 608-219-4464. Please leave a voice message; all calls are screened.*

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL KITS:

A container for donations is in the Narthex with other collection bins. # Needed indicates how many items are needed to reach 100 kits. Back to School sales are in progress now. Your favorite big box or office supply store is offering good deals to make each dollar go farther.

| Items for each kit | # Needed |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| 4) 70 Page Notebooks | 184 |
| 1) 30 cm rulers | 34 |
| 1) Pencil Sharpener | 49 |
| 1) School Scissors | 40 |
| 5) Unsharpened Pencils | 0 |
| 5) Blue or Black Ballpoint Pens | 137 |
| 1) Box 16 or 24 Count Crayons | 47 |
| 1) 2 ½ "Eraser | 14 |
| Shipping money | \$0 |

****Also needed- shipping boxes!**

Amazon boxes size 15x15x24 work great!

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**SUMMER HOURS
MONDAY-FRIDAY 9AM – NOON**

THANKYOU FOR ASSISTING WORSHIP

| | <i>This Week August 19th & 20th</i> | <i>Next Week August 26th & 27th</i> |
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| READERS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kate Hook • Diane Bartz | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available • Ben Brothers |
| ACOLYTES | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emmett Zimmer • Eve Kellesvig | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zoe Stack • Evelyn Wyse |
| USHERS | Team 2 Mary & Wayne Knudson | Team 3 Dennis Lokken Irv Steinhauer |
| NURSERY | Open but Not Staffed -Located across from the library | |
| ALTAR GUILD | Jean Bower, Mary Lokken, Teresa Schult, Diane Twiton | |
| COUNCIL DUTIES | Andy Mullendore | |