

# Summer 2026



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He makes me  
*lie down in green pastures,*  
He leads me  
*beside quiet waters,*  
He refreshes my soul.

Psalm 23:2-3, NIV

## A Letter from Pastor Rudolph

*Yes, let them which have been redeemed of the Lord, shew how He hath delivered them from the hand of the oppressor. When they wandered in the desert wilderness out of the way, and found no city to dwell in, both hungry and thirsty, their soul was overwhelmed in them. Let them confess before the Lord His loving kindness and His wonderful works before the sons of men.*

*(Psalm 107:1-5, 8, William Bradford in Of Plymouth Plantation)*



In May, our Adult Bible study took some time to do something a little different. We took a look back in history to see how God's Word has been used by different people in a different time and in a different place. Christians have been in the world since Creation, and they have been in America since the first colonists came here in the 1600s. As we celebrate America's 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary of signing the Declaration of Independence, let's look back at some of the first Europeans to set foot on American soil: the Pilgrims.

Even though Christopher Columbus set foot in the Caribbean in 1492 (just 25 years before Martin Luther nailed 95 theses to the castle church door!), the groups that set the stage for our country's foundation were were Englishmen in the 1620s. Earlier settlements

had varying success in Virginia and in the Southern colonies, but there was a unique group that sailed from England to Holland and set foot on the shores of Cape Cod in 1620. These Pilgrims sailed from Plymouth and landed at Plymouth Rock after six months of harsh sea travel. They endured hunger, thirst, threats, mockery, and much grief because of their travels to America, but they did so for one main reason: to worship as they wanted to worship.

England had made laws about how churches needed to worship, contrary to how the Pilgrims wanted to lead worship. As a result, the Pilgrims separated from the Church of England and sailed to Holland, but when Holland showed signs of hedonism (just doing what feels right, regardless of what Scripture says), they set sail for

for the New World. They figured that the danger to their beliefs was as dangerous with the Catholic Church's Inquisition as any travels across the sea. So they set off with trust in their Lord for care and support.

We read all of this from a history written by William Bradford (see the picture I took while at Cape Cod in April) that showed their faithful attitudes as they crossed the Atlantic. He wrote, "So they lefte ye goodly and pleasante citie, which had been their resting place [near] 12 years, but they knew they were pilgrims, and looked not much on those things, but lift up their eyes to ye heavens, their dearest [country], and quited their spirits." They knew their citizenship was in heaven and trust in God, no matter what hardship they encountered. With trust in God, they left their homes with the purpose of "propagating and advancing ye gospel of ye kingdom of Christ in those remote parts of ye world, yea though they should be but even as stepping stones unto others for ye performing of so great a work." *(continued on next page...)*



## A Letter from Pastor Rudolph. . . continued

Here in 2026, we look back at their voyage as just that, a stepping stone toward the country we live in today, where we are free to believe in Jesus and speak about this belief in many ways. This 250<sup>th</sup> year, let's join the Pilgrims in their goal and pray for Christ to open more avenues for the Gospel in our country and for the ability to speak boldly and publicly about everything Christ has done for us. We give thanks for all that God has brought us through, as the Pilgrims thanked God continuously, and we trust in His plans no matter where He leads us, just as our forefathers in New England did.

### PASTOR'S SCHEDULE

Pastor Rudolph is working as "Pastor of the Week" at Camp Lutherhaven on Sunday, June 28 through Friday, July 3, during their "High School ReGroup" camp session. Peace welcomes Pastor Wayne Berkesch as guest preacher on Sunday, June 28, while Pastor Rudolph is at camp.

Pastor Rudolph will also be out of the office on Wednesday, July 8 and Thursday, July 9. If you need emergency pastoral care during this time, please contact the church office.

## Thoughts and Musings from an Aging Pastor

*In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.  
Genesis 1:1*

God said, "Let there be light," and *BAM!*, there was light. In the next few days, He created everything. On the sixth day, He created man in His image, male and female. God blessed them and said to them, "be fruitful and increase in number, fill the earth and subdue it". *WOW!* From that couple came all the people living on the earth today!

But what amazes me more is the "subdue" part. Where do all of our thoughts and ideas come from if not from God? Villages and churches have been built into the mountains. How did humans long ago do that? Whoever came up with the idea of a hammer, a saw, and everything else that we have? Or the idea of a piece of wire making a sound and ending up in a piano and then someone putting these wires together to make beautiful music? Pick out anything you see and think about how God gave the people he created the idea, and others to add to that idea to the end that it becomes a beautiful thing.

As I have matured (gotten old), I am more and more amazed by God helping His creation of humans to subdue the earth. Thank you, God, for all you have given us beyond your greatest gift of all, Your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

All praise be to you.

Pastor Don Wunrow

**THANK YOU!**

Thank you for the beautiful flowers from the Merciful Mamas group. It made my day! Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated. -Deloris Ward

Thank you to everyone for their prayers and concerns. How nice it was to have so many people going the extra mile for me! To God be the glory! -Ralph Thiele

“Roses and Tulips and Dahlias” to all of the good and faithful people of Peace Lutheran Church for your bountiful and faith-filled contributions to the ministry of Concordia Lutheran High School's “Bold Step” mission endeavor. I am truly honored and humbled by your generosity and thank you profusely. You are indeed such a blessing. Always growing in Jesus. -Don Luepke



Peace youth, ages Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade are encouraged to go to Camp Lutherhaven!

Through generous donation, campership funds are available through Peace. If your child need financial assistance for your child to attend camp, please contact Pastor Rudolph.

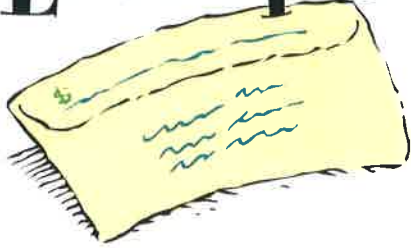


## Clear Lake VBS

Clear Lake Lutheran Church will host VBS June 22-26, 9:00am-12:00pm. Step through the mist into Rainforest Falls, overflowing with wild waterfalls, towering trees and colorful creatures. Beneath a canopy of chattering birds and howling monkeys, kids plunge into a life-long adventure, discovering the nature of God, and exploring what it means to be rooted in relationship with their creator, a safe place in life's storms.

To register, visit: <https://vbspro.events/p/6775bb>

# Offering Envelopes



We will be placing our annual order for giving envelopes VERY SOON. If you have switched to online giving and/or find that you aren't using your envelopes regularly and would prefer to not receive a box of envelopes for 2027, please let the church office know by September 1. Please know that you will still have a giving number even if you choose not to have a box of envelopes.

## Missional Life Team

*Are you excited when we have new visitors in Church?  
Do you have a passion for connecting people with Peace?  
Would you like to work on your witnessing/evangelism skills?*

Join Pastor Rudolph on Monday, August 17 at 5:00pm to learn more about our new Missional Life Team! We hope to make an impact on our members, our visitors, and our community so that all people can know Jesus as their God and Savior! Let Pastor Rudolph know if you're interested, and join us as we renew our mission to *Praise and Proclaim, Learn and Love, Care and Celebrate!*



## MILITARY PRAYER REQUEST



As we look toward the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, we want to include any family members who currently serve as active or reserve members of our military in our regular prayers.

If you would like to include a family member's name who is currently serving our nation in this way, please send their name, the branch of the armed forces they are serving in, and whether they are Active (deployed or not) or Reserve members to Pastor Rudolph and we will include them in our prayers on July 5th.

*Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.*

*John 15:13*

## Bible Studies



If you have topics that you would like to talk about through our next year of Bible studies, please fill out a "I'd like to know about..." card on the information desk so that Pastor can plan for next year's studies!

# Church Office SUMMER HOURS



**MEMORIAL DAY THROUGH LABOR DAY,  
THE CHURCH'S SUMMER OFFICE HOURS  
WILL CHANGE TO THE FOLLOWING:**

**MONDAYS 8:00AM - 12:00PM**

**TUESDAY 8:00AM-12:00PM**

**WEDNESDAYS 8:00AM - 12:00PM**

**THURSDAYS 8:00AM - 12:00PM**



**Wee Creations will be closed  
June 29th-July 3th for their  
summer break.**



**Lutheran Women  
in Mission**

**FALL GATHERING  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2026**

**LWM Fall Gathering will take place on Saturday, September 12,  
at Prince of Peace in Stroh, Indiana.**

**More details coming soon!**

Lutheran Women in Mission will be collecting items for their mission project for their Convention this year. If you would like to contribute any of the following, please have them to the church office by Sunday, June 21 so that they may be forwarded to the Zone co-president. Please see Sharon Aldrich with any questions.

- Wishlist items include:
- glue sticks
  - dry erase markers
  - construction paper
  - 84" round disposable tablecloths
  - cocoa packets
  - reusable shopping bags
  - Christian-themed coloring books
  - crayons
  - cardstock
  - small Bibles
  - devotional books/booklets

## The Blessings of Stephen Ministry 2026



- Stephen Ministry multiplies blessings throughout the church and community.
- Congregations carry out Christ's commandment to "Love one another as I have loved you" (John 15:12 RSV) in a powerful and practical way.
  - Pastors have a team of gifted, trained, and committed lay caregivers ready to minister to hurting people.
  - Laypeople nurture and use their gifts in meaningful ministry, growing spiritually as they serve others.
  - People who are hurting have a caring Christian presence to provide emotional and spiritual support.

In short, Stephen Ministry helps carry out the mission of the church. If you or someone you know who you think could benefit from a Stephen Minister, please contact Pastor Rudolph or one of our Stephen Leaders (Ellen Luepke or Rick Kirkton).



## 42 Field Events

**Peace members are invited to join the fun this summer at 42 Field!**

*Located in Pioneer, Ohio, 42 Field is northwest Ohio's only backyard baseball field.*

Check out below for some of this season's activities! For additional information, check out 42 Field on Facebook, Instagram and TikTok.

**Sandlot Saturday, June 20:** A showcase of baseball at 42 Field including a traditional doubleheader and, if needed, a tiebreaking backyard game. The event features lunch for all players, 42 Field merchandise and bat trophy for the winning team.

**Kickball for Pioneer, July 11:** A first at the field, Kickball for Pioneer is a fundraiser for Pioneer Community Church's food pantry. All proceeds will be donated to the church.

**The Tourney, July 24-26:** A three-day backyard, slowpitch baseball tournament that will take one back to their childhood. The Tourney is 42 Field's longest running event dating back to 2016.

**Wiffle Ball Day, Aug. 8:** The idea of Pioneer resident Daniel Miller, Wiffle Ball Day is a fundraiser for Safe Harbor, Inc., a domestic violence nonprofit based in Pioneer.

**The Real One, Aug. 22:** Since 2020, the season at 42 Field has ended with the Real One, a live baseball game in the middle of nowhere. An invite-only game, players who played the year prior are given first dibs on a spot. Players will be served Tano's Pizza after the game.

All events at 42 Field are for players high school age and older. All ability levels are welcome.

## JOIN THE PARADE!

Wee Creations Ministry and Peace Lutheran Church are entering a float in Fremont's Music Festival Parade on Saturday, July 18!

All Peace members are invited to participate! Meet at Fremont Elementary at 9:30am that morning to walk in the parade.



# MERCIFUL *mamas*

Merciful Mamas had a very busy May! We held our first ever “Arrange and Sip” event this past May! We enjoyed delicious snacks and wonderful fellowship while we arranged beautiful fresh blooms. It was night of laughter, friendship, and service. We had nine ladies in attendance, and eight arrangements were gifted to some of our homebound members to brighten their homes ahead of Mother’s Day. Thanks to all who arranged the flowers and to those who provided food, extra vases, and other supplies for this event. We also want to thank those who offered up their time to deliver the flowers to our homebound members. The recipients of the arrangements were very grateful to all involved!



Additionally, Merciful Mamas hosted a church picnic towards the end of the month at the pavilion to celebrate before we break for the summer. We had beautiful weather, great food, and wonderful conversation. A highlight for everyone was enjoying the beautiful view of God’s creation right on our own church’s property! The kiddos had a blast playing with bubbles and yard games. Thank you to all who helped prepare for this event, whether it was cleaning up the pavilion, grilling hot dogs, or preparing food for this event!



AMERICAN RED CROSS

# BLOOD DRIVE



Peace Lutheran  
Blood Drive

Wednesday, July 22  
1:00pm-5:00pm

If you are interested in donating, please visit:  
[www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)  
or call:  
1-800-RED-CROSS



The Coldwater Housing Commission along with the nonprofit Coldwater Housing Matters, broke ground May 4<sup>th</sup> on a new Outdoor Family Engagement Space at the Family Promise shelter marking a significant investment in the wellbeing of families experiencing housing instability in Branch County.

The project centers around a covered pavilion with a concrete pad, designed to provide a safe and welcoming outdoor space where families can gather, share meals, read, and spend time together. The space will also include a new playground area and lighting to ensure accessibility and safety during evening hours.

The Coldwater Family Promise shelter was one of only 4 sites selected statewide to participate in this pilot project which is focused on rethinking shelter environments to better support young children and their caregivers, recognizing that many shelters are traditionally designed for adults who also happen to have children, rather than intentionally designed for families.

Family Promise has been intentional about creating a calm, supportive environment inside the shelter, and now they are extending the approach outdoors, giving families space to simply be together in a positive, healthy way.

Our next opportunity to provide meals will be the week of July 20. For questions how to participate, contact Connie Sweeney at 260-665-5146.



## Join Team Dove!

*Interested in joining the Comfort Dog team but not sure where to start?*

You are invited to the informational meeting on Sunday, July 12, between worship services to learn how *anyone* can get involved.

# **PTSD AWARENESS**

Information taken from Mayo Clinic website. If you would like to read more, please visit:

<https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/post-traumatic-stress-disorder/symptoms-causes/syc-20355967>



Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) is a mental health condition that's caused by an extremely stressful or terrifying event — either being part of it or witnessing it. Symptoms may include flashbacks, nightmares, severe anxiety and uncontrollable thoughts about the event. Most people who go through traumatic events may have a hard time adjusting and coping for a short time. But with time and by taking good care of themselves, they usually get better. If the symptoms get worse, last for months or years, and affect their ability to function daily, they may have PTSD. Getting treatment after PTSD symptoms arise can be very important to ease symptoms and help people function better.

## **SYMPTOMS**

Post-traumatic stress disorder symptoms may start within the first three months after a traumatic event. But sometimes symptoms may not appear until years after the event. These symptoms last more than one month and cause major problems in social or work situations and how well you get along with others. They also can affect your ability to do your usual daily tasks. Generally, PTSD symptoms are grouped into four types: intrusive memories, avoidance, negative changes in thinking and mood, and changes in physical and emotional reactions. Symptoms can vary over time or vary from person to person.

## **INTENSITY OF SYMPTOMS**

Over time, PTSD symptoms can vary in how severe they are. You may have more PTSD symptoms when you're generally stressed or when you come across reminders of what you went through, including the same time of year when a past traumatic event happened. For example, you may hear a car backfire and relive combat experiences. Or you may see a report on the news about a sexual assault and feel overcome by memories of your assault.

## **WHEN TO SEE A DOCTOR**

Talk to your healthcare professional or a mental health professional if you have disturbing thoughts and feelings about a traumatic event for more than a month, especially if they're severe. Also, see a health professional if you're having trouble getting your life back under control. Getting treatment as soon as possible can help prevent PTSD symptoms from getting worse.

***If you have suicidal thoughts or someone you know has suicidal thoughts, get help right away!***

Reach out to a close friend or loved one. Contact a minister, spiritual leader or someone in your faith community. Contact a suicide hotline. In the U.S., call or text 988 to reach the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline, available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

If you think you may hurt yourself or attempt suicide, call 911 or your local emergency number right away. Or, if you can do so safely, take the person to the nearest hospital emergency department.

# DOVE TALES: FREE!!



*So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. John 8:36*

Happy Summertime, Everybody! The year has been so hectic and now school's out. I bet you've been busy with graduations, Mother's and Father's Day, weddings, vacations, reunions, lake life, sports, camping, Memorial Day - all kinds of fun things (like celebrating my birthday)! It's so good to be free to do the things we don't always get to do. Free is even one of my commands! It means I no longer have to do what I was just doing like lying on my mat or staying seated or waiting. It also means that I am free to get close to a person and I love that!

God loves for you to be free, too - free to spend time with Him, to show your love and care for other people, to do what He wants you to do sometimes in the spur of the moment just like I get to be free to get close to you. School is out but I still see some of my friends at church, in stores, at the YMCA and libraries, or at events. You never know where I'll pop up next! And I still get to go see many of my other friends at the hospital, respite centers, senior homes, and other wonderful places where God sends me.

I hope you find me in one of your favorite summertime places. When you do, give me a hug!

Love, Dove

*PS: There are many ways to help!*

*Email Stephanie Paradine at [comfortdog@plcms.org](mailto:comfortdog@plcms.org) to find out how.*





## Blessing Boxes

The blessing boxes in our west parking lot provide a special opportunity to serve others in our community. You are welcome to place non-perishable food items inside the boxes at anytime, or to help yourself to food items within the box. Donation items may also be placed in the designated basket under the mailboxes in the West Lobby.

*Suggested items for the Blessing Boxes include:*

- canned tuna, chicken, or beef
- breakfast cereal
- creamy peanut butter
- granola bars
- Spaghetti-O's or canned ravioli



The Food Co-Op at Concordia Theological Seminary is open to all seminary students and their families. Food and household items are available to these families at no charge. Students volunteer service time for the privilege of shopping. The Food Co-Op is set up like a small grocery store.

This month's donation wish list items include:

- canned fruit
- ketchup, mustard, mayo
- salad dressing, any type or flavor
- hot sauce



## Operation Christmas Child

We are so excited to begin collecting shoebox items for Operation Christmas Child year-round! Donations may be placed in the blue tote in the corner of the coat room, in the West Lobby.

*Items for the summer months will focus on Boys and Girls, ages 2 though 8. Suggested items to be collected are:*

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|--------------------------|-------------------|
| • coloring books         | • stuffed animals |
| • dolls                  | • jump ropes      |
| • toy trucks             | • water bottles   |
| • flip flops             | • sunglasses      |
| • chalkboards with chalk | • compass         |
| • hair bows              | • toothbrushes    |



Thank you for your continued support of this fun and faith-filled ministry! Please see Tiffany Baas with any questions, or stop by the church office.



## **PRAISE TEAM**

### ***Will you join us?***

Peace Lutheran Church's Praise Team was created in June 2022, to incorporate Christian praise music accompanied by live music into our worship services.

The mission of our praise team ministry is to glorify God and edify the people of Peace through the gift of music during our worship services.

Under the direction of Judy Scharpenberg, the praise team consists of an ensemble of instruments and singers. lead congregational singing as well as special contemporary praise selections.

We provide worship songs and contemporary praise music with live accompaniment for 10:00am/10:30am Sunday worship services and each for the 6:30pm Monday evening worship services, with participants choosing to be part of any or all of these worship services. Practice for praise team is primarily on Mondays, 5:30pm-6:30pm, with an occasional Sunday, noon-2:00pm.

If you would like to become part of the praise team, please contact Judy Scharpenberg at 260-248-1166.



### ***Caring for Grieving People***

*"Learning that every person has a story and I am not alone... ever!"*

*– GriefShare Participant*

Many in our congregation have heard of GriefShare, but may not know its story or impact. GriefShare is a faith-based, non-denominational Christian grief recovery support group for adults over 18 who have experienced the death of a loved one.

In 2017, through the encouragement of Karla Cordes following the loss of her husband, Thomas, Peace Lutheran began offering GriefShare under the leadership of Pastor Don Wunrow. Since then, God has used this ministry to reach not only our church family, but many individuals throughout our community who are searching for hope and healing during one of life's most difficult journeys. Everything shared during our weekly meetings remains confidential, but participants consistently tell us that GriefShare helped them realize their feelings were normal, reminded them they were not alone, and provided practical and Christ-centered ways to process their grief.

Doug and I have been humbled to walk alongside nearly 50 participants to date, witnessing growth, healing, friendship, and spiritual renewal. We are grateful for previous facilitators, Charla and Steve Cygan, your prayers, Peace Lutheran encouraging friends to attend, and participants who have helped make this ministry possible.

As Doug retires from GriefShare leadership following this recent spring session, we thank God for the opportunity to serve and welcome Laurie Lehman as a new facilitator. We also extend our sincere thanks to Karla Cordes, Pastor Wunrow, and Pastor Rudolph for helping establish and support this valuable outreach ministry. Please know that our fall session will begin again in August!

Praise God,

Luanne Haupt

# WEE CREATIONS PRESCHOOL & DAYCARE

Congratulations to our 2026 preschool graduates!



How long have we attended Wee Creations??

- + 4 Infants
- + 1 Bear Cavers
- + 3 Blue Room
- + 6 Yellow Room
- + 6 Green Room
- = 20 friends

Our graduates want to be...

|                       |                  |                 |                |              |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|
| Cow girl              | Daddy            | Doctor          | Doctor         | Fire Fighter |
| Knight                | Librarian        | Pokémon Trainer | Police officer | Princess     |
| Princess Fire Fighter | Princess Mermaid | Rock star       | Teacher        | Zoo helper   |

# WCM PEACE GARDEN FIELD TRIP

On a recent walk, WCM children visited the Peace Gardens. Thank you, Mr. Don Luepke, for taking the time to teach us all about growing potatoes!



# Peace Resources

## OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION

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## We welcome you to join us for our Worship Services:

**Sundays**

**8:00am & 10:00am**

**Mondays**

**6:00pm**

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**E-News** – Just a reminder that we continue to publish our e-news and announcements every week. If you haven't signed up to receive e-news through your email, please email Secretary Emily and she will get you signed up! If you did sign up and haven't seen it, please double check your SPAM folder; it is an email that comes from the secretary's email address: [secretary@plcms.org](mailto:secretary@plcms.org)



**SUBSCRIBE**



## BIRTHDAYS

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|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>6/3</b> Mark Schollenberger | <b>6/21</b> Jim Schuller  |
| <b>6/4</b> Jan Thiele          | Dove, Comfort Dog         |
| <b>6/5</b> Jill Crosby         | <b>6/23</b> Brea Harris   |
| <b>6/6</b> Cathy Frastaci      | <b>6/24</b> Lynn Hoffman  |
| <b>6/7</b> Bonnie Handlin      | <b>6/25</b> Rita James    |
| Pat Ervin                      | Liz Thomas                |
| <b>6/8</b> Inge Hermann        | <b>6/27</b> Carol Frenger |
| Chad Korte                     | Larry Oberst              |
| Pam Freeman                    | <b>6/28</b> Jon Armstrong |
| Linda Keele                    | Cindy Bond                |
| <b>6/9</b> Rick Kirkton        | Chad Murphy               |
| Corey Lahnum                   | Oliver Ross               |
| <b>6/11</b> Janet Ahlersmeyer  | <b>6/29</b> Yvonne Berlew |
| <b>6/12</b> Sandy Hathaway     | Carol Gepfert             |
| <b>6/14</b> Margie Eyster      | <b>6/30</b> Kathy Driver  |
| <b>6/20</b> Bill James         |                           |
| Angie Hendrickson              |                           |
| Alfred Baas                    |                           |

## ANNIVERSARIES

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|------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>6/1/2013</b>  | Jack & Ann Clark         |
| <b>6/2/1984</b>  | Steve & Linda Soldano    |
| <b>6/3/1995</b>  | Larry & Marie Font       |
| <b>6/4/1977</b>  | Scott & Cindy Bond       |
| <b>6/5/1965</b>  | Ron & Sandy Heilman      |
| <b>6/7/1980</b>  | Rick & Gay Kirkton       |
| <b>6/7/1989</b>  | Bill & Patty Utsler      |
| <b>6/9/1984</b>  | Larry & Linda Reidenbach |
| <b>6/9/1995</b>  | Frank & Pam Hall         |
| <b>6/10/1989</b> | Kenn & Laurie Lehman     |
| <b>6/12/1999</b> | Ryan & Kelley Smith      |
| <b>6/13/1987</b> | Mike & Judy McCrea       |
| <b>6/14/1968</b> | Jim & Judy Schuller      |
| <b>6/16/1990</b> | David & Aimee Biddle     |
| <b>6/21/1953</b> | Bill & Margie Eyster     |
| <b>6/21/2014</b> | Dean & Brenda Von Deylen |
| <b>6/22/1963</b> | David & Alice Phillips   |
| <b>6/22/1968</b> | Norm & Tina King         |
| <b>6/22/2001</b> | Brian & Lisa Harris      |
| <b>6/25/1983</b> | Rod & Lori Olson         |
| <b>6/25/1988</b> | Philip & Christy Mann    |
| <b>6/26/1993</b> | Brian & Pam Freeman      |
| <b>6/27/2010</b> | Ken & Annette Hullinger  |
| <b>6/27/2015</b> | Adam & Courtney Tuttle   |
| <b>6/30/1973</b> | Bill & Jackie Richter    |



## Altar Flowers 2026

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|-------------|--|
| <b>6/7</b>  | Rick & Gay Kirkton                           |
| <b>6/14</b> | Larry & Marie Font                           |
| <b>6/21</b> | Bill & Margie Eyster<br>and Norm & Tina King |
| <b>6/28</b> | Ryan & Kelley Smith                          |





## BIRTHDAYS

- 7/1 Carol Hepp  
Kris Murphy  
Dot Othersen  
Brian Naus
- 7/2 Bert Schulz
- 7/3 Anne Griffith  
Dean Hepp
- 7/5 Mark Fortuna  
Annette Hullinger
- 7/6 Gay Kirkton  
Lukas Mann
- 7/8 Karen Roudebush  
Tami Sumney
- 7/10 Ava Harris  
Randi Keck
- 7/11 Dave Sorg
- 7/12 Victoria Miller  
Summer Ross
- 7/13 Noelle Keiser
- 7/14 Jaedon Mann
- 7/15 Gerry Ferrell
- 7/16 Tim Caldwell  
Charla Cygan
- 7/17 Mya Ball  
Alex Biddle
- 7/20 Kay Bright  
Larry Font
- 7/21 Ron Lovell
- 7/23 Oliver Koch
- 7/24 Lisa Harris
- 7/25 Dan Frasier
- 7/27 Lane King
- 7/28 Michelle Armstrong  
Dennis Hieber  
Luke Honer
- 7/30 Diana Traycoff
- 7/31 Don Luepke

## ANNIVERSARIES

- 7/6/1963 Dave & Bonnie Handlin
- 7/6/2002 Ross & Tami Sumney
- 7/8/2006 Kirk & Angie Smith
- 7/10/1965 Ralph & Jan Thiele
- 7/10/2021 Alfred & Tiffany Baas
- 7/11/1970 Dave & Linda Emch
- 7/11/1970 Alan & Sue Korte
- 7/11/1992 Joe & Kelly Honer
- 7/18/1987 David & Julie Clary
- 7/19/1969 Tom & Susan Fisher
- 7/21/1984 Jim & Rose Ehle
- 7/24/1976 Dean & Jeanette Meridew
- 7/25/1987 Mark & Sue Shollenberger
- 7/26/2021 Richard & Wanda Hullinger
- 7/28/1973 Dean & Deb Twitchell
- 7/29/2000 Scott & Sara Miller

## Altar Flowers

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7/5 Scott & Sara Miller

7/12 Ralph & Jan Thiele

7/19 Dean & Jeanette Meridew

7/26 Richard & Wanda Hullinger



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| SUN   | MON   | TUE   | WED   | THU               | FRI  | SAT                             |
|---|---|---|---|-------------------|--|---------------------------------|
|   |   |   | 1<br>WCM Closed<br>9:30am-Sewing Sisters<br>12:30pm-Chair Yoga<br>5:00pm-Adult Choir<br>6:00pm-Handbells              | 2<br>Summer Break | 3  | 4<br>Independence Day           |
| 5<br>8:00am-Worship<br>10:00am-Worship/HC                                 | 6<br>10:00am-Women's Bible Study<br>5:30pm-Scouts<br>6:30pm-Worship/HC  | 7<br>10:00am-WCM Chapel                                       | 8<br>9:30am-Sewing Sisters<br>12:30pm-Chair Yoga  | 9                 | 10<br>10:00am-Stephen Ministry Supervision | 11                              |
| 12<br>8:00am-Worship/HC<br>9:00am-Comfort Dog Info Mtg<br>10:00am-Worship | 13<br>5:30pm-Scouts<br>6:30pm-Worship                                   | 14<br>10:00am-WCM Chapel<br>6:30pm-Board of Directors Meeting | 15<br>9:30am-Sewing Sisters<br>12:30pm-Chair Yoga   | 16                | 17   | 18<br>Fremont Music Fest Parade |
| 19<br>8:00am-Worship<br>10:00am-Worship/HC                                | 20<br>10:00am-Women's Bible Study<br>5:30pm-Scouts<br>6:30pm-Worship/HC | 21<br>10:00am-WCM Chapel<br>4:30pm-Comfort Dog Meeting        | 22<br>Family Promise Meals Week<br>9:30am-Sewing Sisters<br>12:30pm-Chair Yoga<br>1:00pm-5:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive | 23                | 24<br>10:00am-Stephen Ministry Supervision | 25                              |
| 26<br>8:00am-Worship/HC<br>10:00am-Worship                                | 27<br>5:30pm-Scouts<br>6:30pm-Worship                                   | 28<br>10:00am-WCM Chapel                                      | 29<br>9:30am-Sewing Sisters<br>12:30pm-Chair Yoga   | 30                | 31   |                                 |