

Summer 2026 Youth & Family Ministry - Registration is now open for our Youth & Family Ministry offerings for Summer 2026! **Vacation Bible School** is from June 15th-18th. K-5th graders are welcome to participate, and youth and adults are welcome to be helpers! **Summer Stretch** is June 29th-July 2nd. 6-12th graders are welcome to participate. **Luther Park** registration is open for any time - be sure to use Hope's discount code. Details about all our youth and family ministry Summer offerings can be found in the gathering area or on our website under faith formation tab! Reach out to Grace with any questions.

Neighbor to Neighbor Thrift Sale — Neighbor to Neighbor Ministries is hosting a thrift sale to fundraise for scholarships to UW-Eau Claire and CVTC. If you have items to donate, there are collection days on May 8, 9, and 14 **at Spirit Lutheran Church**. Look for more information about drop off days, on the posters in the Narthex and on the Kiosk in the gathering space, the synod website, or the Neighbor to Neighbor Facebook page.

Just interested in shopping, the thrift sale will be on May 15 9-3pm and May 16 9-12pm at **Spirit Lutheran Church**.

Worship Leaders—Lauren is working on the schedules for the summer months. If you are unavailable for any Sundays in June, July, and August, please let Lauren know by May 10. Reach out to lauren@hopechurchec.com or (715) 832-1414

New Directory!

Photography Dates are: **Wednesday - Saturday, June 17 - 20**
Schedule your photography appointment online go to **www.ucdir.com** click the "Photography Session Sign-Up" button.

The "Church Code" is **wi477** The "Church Password" is **judy** The Church Code and Password are case sensitive!

You will receive a free 8x10 portrait and a free copy of our Directory just for coming in for a portrait!

Caramel Roll Sunday Caramel Roll Sunday is today! Can you smell them already? Join the Board of Outreach for a yummy treat after worship. Proceeds from this event will go to support the Neighbor to Neighbor ministry led by Deacon Lidixe Montoya and Feed My People food bank. Please join us in Olson Hall on May 2nd and have one of THE best caramel rolls you can get. We will also celebrate our graduating seniors!

Summer Special Music

We are looking for musicians to provide special music during the summer months. If you are interested, please reach out to the Hope office and we will get you signed up!

Tech Team—Would you like a special role during worship?

Tech team is looking for a couple more people to help run the slide show on Sunday mornings. This role is as simple as paying attention and clicking a button. Reach out to Lauren if you are interested!

First Communion Class—We will be having a First Communion Class on Sunday, May 17th. If you are interested in enrolling your child, please reach out to the Pastor Judy. Her email is judy@hopechurchec.com or call the office, 715-832-1414

2026 WELCA Women's Retreat at Luther Park Bible

Camp—Monday, June 29 and Tuesday, June 30. The theme is "God is Writing Your Story" featuring presenter, Pati Kachel. Pati tells humorous, heartwarming and Christ-centered stories using colorful characters in her homespun tales. There are many activities to participate in during free time: Trail church, Foot soaks, Chair Massages, Card Making, Sit & Sip Wine, and more. Come for Monday only or stay overnight and participate in both days. Enjoy Luther Park for yourself! It is not just for the kids! Early bird rates apply if postmarked by 6/5/2026. There are registration forms on the kiosk in the gathering space.

May 3, 2026

Easter 5

Order of Service

Welcome and Announcements

Mission Statement

Confession and Forgiveness

Opening Hymn: #558

Greeting

Kyrie

Hymn of Praise

Prayer of the Day

Special Music—Voices of Hope

Children's Time

First Reading: Acts 7:55-60

Second Reading: 1 Peter 2:2-10

Gospel Acclamation—Page 151

Gospel Reading: John 14:1-14

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: #770

Apostles' Creed

Prayers for the People

Sharing God's Peace and Noisy Offering

Offertory

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution Music: #377 & 389

Post Communion Prayer

Blessing to the Graduates

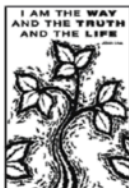
Benediction

Sending Hymn: #697

Dismissal

Finding the Way

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6
The puzzle is based on John 14:1-14 (NIV).



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ENOUGH	WAY	HEARTS	TROUBLED	TRUST
THOMAS	LIFE	MIRACLES	HOUSE	SEEN
SHOW	BELIEVE	KNOW	ROOMS	LIVING
FATHER	FAITH	PLACE	PREPARE	TRUTH

Beacon House / Family Promise of the

Chippewa Valley Our Hope members will once again be providing evening meals for the guests at Beacon House from Thursday, June 4th through Saturday, June 6th. We'd love your help! We're looking for volunteers to bring a main dish, side dish, or dessert each evening. It's a wonderful opportunity to serve together as a family or with friends.

Sign-up sheets are available in the Gathering Area. Food can be dropped off between **5:30–5:45pm** (note: dinner is now served at 6:00 pm). You'll receive the expected number of adults and children a few days before your meal.

A big thank you to **Korena Covill** for graciously stepping into the Coordinator role for Hope Lutheran Church! She'll be your main point of contact and our liaison with Beacon House. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Korena at korenacovill@gmail.com. We're so grateful for your support and generosity!

PARISH PAPER



Weekly Calendar

Sunday, May 3

9:00am Worship & Graduate Sunday
 10:00am Coffee Connections
 Caramel Roll Sunday

10:00am Joyful Noise

Monday, May 4

8:30am Monday Coffee

Tuesday, May 5

9:00am Quilting

Wednesday, May 6

5:45pm Bells

6:30pm Choir

Thursday, May 7

9:30am Feed My People

1:00pm HOPEful Hands

Friday, May 8

Saturday, May 9

Sunday, May 10

Mother's Day

9:00am Worship

10:00am Coffee Connections

This week we pray for:

Leona Fuerbringer, Jeanette Perry, Sue Carlson, Richard Brownell, Joanne Martin, Don Rassbach, Nathan, Allison Price, Johnna Bresina

Today we celebrate our graduating seniors.

Congratulations, Olivia Proffitt, Ashlyn Hoernke, Landon Knecht, Brett Williams, Cashton Kainz, Evon Sova!

Worship Statistics at Hope:

April 12—145—\$3,674.00

April 19—164—\$7,925.00

April 26—139—\$6,328.00



Thank you for your gifts to Hope!

In Memory of:

Deloras Harrison.....Jim and Jean Wold

At Hope Lutheran we acknowledge that we are on the ancestral homelands of indigenous peoples of the Council of Three Fires including the Ho-Chunk, Dakota, and the Anishinaabe (Ojibwe). Each of these Nations is unique and sovereign. We are grateful to their ancestors for their deep commitment to caring for the land.