



LORD of LOVE
Lutheran Church

Fourth Sunday of Easter



Good Shepherd Sunday



Welcome! We are so happy you have come to worship today! Someone has described worship as “a joyful dialogue with God.” God speaks to us in his Word, and we speak to him in praise and prayer. May God richly bless you through this “joyful dialogue” today!

Restrooms – The restrooms are located straight ahead as you enter the building. You will also find restrooms in the lower level gathering space at the end of the classrooms on the right side before the exit doors.

Parent’s Room – The sound of children in the house of the Lord is music to our ears! However, there is also a parent room to the right just before you enter the sanctuary if your little one needs a moment. It is accessed as you exit the sanctuary, on the left, next to the seats reserved for families with small children.

Assistance Getting Around – There is a walker and a wheelchair available in the fellowship hall. Anyone who needs them is welcome to use them. Please speak to an usher if you need help accessing them.

Offering Message – The offerings gathered this morning supports the Gospel ministry of Lord of Love locally, and the global mission of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. Visitors need not feel obligated to give but certainly may if you wish.

Holy Communion is celebrated today. Mindful of the Scriptural teaching concerning church fellowship, we practice close (or closed) communion. Communicant members of this congregation, or other congregations of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (or the Evangelical Lutheran Synod), are encouraged to commune this morning. Guests are asked to speak with our pastor, before the service, if they wish to commune.

Explanation of the theme of the day: Without the resurrection of Jesus, I would have to choose my own direction in life. I would be terrible at it, because, like a sheep, I can generally see only what’s in front of me at the moment, and I get myself into trouble. It is especially difficult for me to look far into my future as planned by Jesus. If he had not risen from the dead, I would be on my own. But he lives, and it makes a difference. I have the reliable direction of the Good Shepherd. He feeds us with his Word. He protects us from the roaring lion, Satan. He is leading us into the green pastures of eternal life. For centuries, the Church has observed this Fourth Sunday of Easter to celebrate that Jesus lives to be our Good Shepherd.

Lord of Love Lutheran Church

April 26, 2026

THE COMMON SERVICE

OPENING HYMN (CW 360)

The Lord's My Shepherd; I'll Not Want



1 The Lord's my shep - herd; I'll not want. He
2 My soul he doth re - store a - gain And
3 Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, Yet
4 My ta - ble thou hast fur - nish - ed In
5 Good - ness and mer - cy, all my life, Shall



makes me down to lie In pas - tures green; he
me to walk doth make With - in the paths of
will I fear no ill; For thou art with me,
pres - ence of my foes; My head thou dost with
sure - ly fol - low me, And in God's house for -



lead - eth me The qui - et wa - ters by.
right - eous - ness, E'en for his own name's sake.
and thy rod And staff me com - fort still.
oil a - noint, And my cup o - ver - flows.
ev - er - more My dwell - ing - place shall be.

Text: *The Psalms of David in Meeter*, Edinburgh, 1650.
Tune: BELMONT (CM) William Gardiner, 1770–1853, adapt.

STAND

M: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



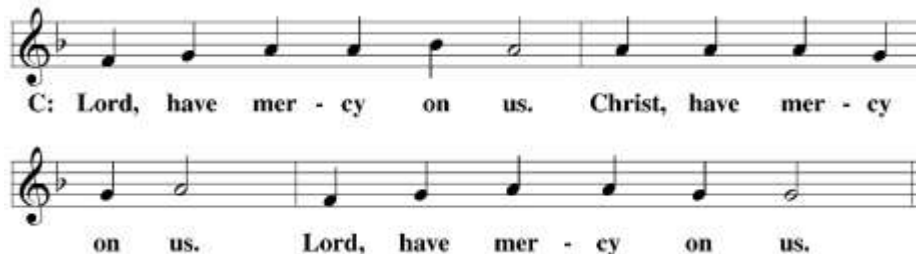
CONFESSION OF SINS

M: Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

C: **Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Kyrie



M: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.



PRAYER AND PRAISE

M: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

He is a - ris - en! Glo - rious Word! Now rec - on - ciled
is God, my Lord; The gates of heav'n are o - pen.
My Je - sus did tri - um - phant die, And Sa - tan's ar -
rows bro - ken lie, De - stroyed hell's fierc - est weap - on.
Oh, hear What cheer! Christ vic - to - rious, Ris - ing glo - rious,
Life is giv - ing. He was dead, but now is liv - ing!

Text: Birgitte K. Boye, 1742–1824; tr. George A. T. Rygh, 1860–1942, alt.
Tune: WIE SCHÖN LEUCHTET (887 887 22 44 48) Philipp Nicolai, 1556–1608, alt.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: The Lord be with you.



M: Let us pray.

O Lord Jesus Christ, you are the Good Shepherd who laid down your life for the sheep. Lead us now to the still waters of your life-giving Word that we may abide in your Father's house forevermore; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



BE SEATED

THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

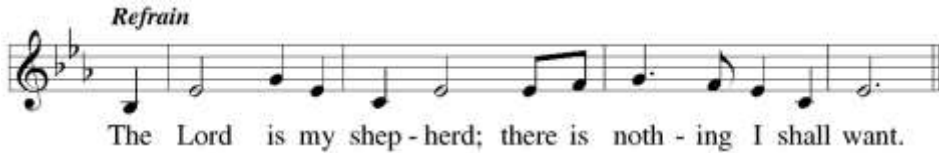
Acts 2:42-47

⁴² They continued to hold firmly to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of the bread, and to the prayers. ⁴³ Awe came over every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ They were selling their possessions and property and were distributing the proceeds according to what anyone needed.

⁴⁶ Day after day, with one mind, they were devoted to meeting in the temple area, as they continued to break bread in their homes. They shared their food with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷ as they continued praising God and being viewed favorably by all the people. Day after day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

PSALM OF THE DAY

Psalm 23



The LORD is my shepherd,*
I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures;*
he leads me beside quiet waters.

He restores my soul;*
he guides me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley
of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil,*
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ***Refrain***

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.*
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and love will follow me
all the days of my life,*
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son*
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning,*
is now, and will be forever. Amen. *Refrain*

SECOND LESSON

1 Peter 2:19-25

¹⁹ For this is favorable: if a person endures sorrows while suffering unjustly because he is conscious of God. ²⁰ For what credit is it to you if you receive a beating for sinning and patiently endure it? But if you suffer for doing good and endure it, this is favorable with God.

²¹ Indeed, you were called to do this, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example so that you would follow in his steps. ²² He did not commit a sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth. ²³ When he was insulted, he did not insult in return. When he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly. ²⁴ He himself carried our sins in his body on the tree so that we would be dead to sins and alive to righteousness. By his wounds you were healed. ²⁵ For you were like sheep going astray, but you are now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

STAND

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**



1 The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose
 2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, My
 3 Con - fused and fool - ish oft I strayed, But
 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill With
 5 You spread a ta - ble in my sight, A



good - ness fails me nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
 Sav - ior gent - ly leads me; And where the ver - dant
 yet in love he sought me And on his shoul - der
 you, dear Lord, be - side me; Your rod and staff my
 ban - quet here be - stow - ing; Your oil of wel - come,



I am his, And he is mine for - ev - er.
 pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feeds me.
 gent - ly laid And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
 com - fort still, Your cross be - fore to guide me.
 my de - light; My cup is o - ver - flow - ing!

6 And so through all the length of days
 Your goodness fails me never.
 Good Shepherd, may I sing your praise
 Within your house forever!

Text: Henry W. Baker, 1821–77, alt.

Tune: ST. COLUMBA (87 87 Iambic) Irish melody, c. 18th century, alt.

“Amen, Amen, I tell you: Anyone who does not enter the sheep pen by the door, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber. ² The one who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. ³ The doorkeeper opens the door for him, and the sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. ⁴ When he has brought out all his own sheep, he walks ahead of them. The sheep follow him because they know his voice. ⁵ They will never follow a stranger, but will run away from him, because they do not know the voice of strangers.” ⁶ Jesus used this illustration in speaking to the people, but they did not understand what he was telling them. ⁷ So Jesus said again, “Amen, Amen, I tell you: I am the door for the sheep. ⁸ All who came before me were thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. ⁹ I am the door. Whoever enters through me will be saved. He will come in and go out, and find pasture. ¹⁰ A thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.”

Only One Gate...for Shepherds and Sheep

STAND

After the sermon, the congregation sings:

C: Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
 way from your pres - ence, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it
 from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of your sal - va -
 tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it. A - men.

OFFERING IS GATHERED AND BROUGHT FORWARD

While the offering is being collected, please sign and pass the Friendship Register.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

For steadfast faith to hear the voice of our great Shepherd, that passing through the valley of the shadow of death we may receive our portion in his abundant life, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For all pastors, that God would bestow Christ's wisdom and tenderness upon those called to shepherd the souls of his people, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For all Christian homes, that by good deeds the ignorance of foolish people may be put to silence before God's divine institution; for all married couples, that God would preserve them in love and faithfulness; for all parents, that God would strengthen them as teachers of the faith; and for the unmarried, that God would uphold them honorable and unashamed in their station, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For those who would govern the people of the Church, that they would be held accountable and honor the purpose of the Good Shepherd as they protect his people and serve the cause of justice and liberty, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For those who eat of Christ's body and blood this day, given and shed for the forgiveness of our sins, that even amid sin, death and the devil, the Lord's goodness and mercy would follow us all the days of our lives and we would dwell in his house forever, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

Graciously receive our prayers, deliver and preserve us, for to you alone we give all glory, honor and worship, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

M: The Lord be with you.



M: Lift up your hearts.



M: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.



M: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, and we praise you especially for the glorious resurrection of your Son, the true Passover Lamb, who by his sacrifice took away the sins of the world and by his resurrection restored everlasting life.

Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Sanctus

C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of heav - en - ly hosts:
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san -
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san -
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

M: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: A - men.

O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD

Agnus Dei



C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;
have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God,
you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.
O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;
grant us your peace. A - - - men.

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DISTRIBUTION HYMN (CW 436)

Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep



1 Je - sus, shep - herd of the sheep, Who your
 2 In your prom - ise firm we stand; None can
 3 By your blood our souls were bought; By your
 4 Fa - ther, draw us to your Son; We with
 5 We, in robes of glo - ry dressed, Join th' as -



Fa - ther's flock does keep, Safe we wake and
 take us from your hand. Speak— we hear— at
 life sal - va - tion wrought; By your light our
 joy will fol - low on Till the work of
 sem - bly of the blest, Gath - ered to e -



safe we sleep, Guard - ed still by you.
 your com - mand, We will fol - low you.
 feet are taught, Lord, to fol - low you.
 grace is done, There to live with you.
 ter - nal rest In the fold with you.

Text: Henry Cook, 1788–1868, alt.

Tune: CAPE TOWN (777 5) Friedrich Filitz, 1804–76, alt.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN (CW 515)

Shepherd of Tender Youth



1 Shep - herd of ten - der youth, Guid - ing in
 2 You are our ho - ly Lord, Christ, the in -
 3 You are our great High Priest; You have pre -
 4 Oh, ev - er be our guide, Our shep - herd
 5 So now and till we die Sound we your



love and truth Through de - vious ways, Christ, our tri -
 car - nate Word, Heal - er of strife. You did your -
 pared the feast Of ho - ly love; And in our
 and our pride, Our staff and song. Je - sus, O
 prais - es high And joy - ful sing; In - fants and



um - phant King, We come your name to sing
 self a - base That from sin's deep dis - grace
 mor - tal pain None calls on you in vain;
 Christ of God, By your en - dur - ing Word
 all the throng Who to your Church be - long



And here our chil - dren bring To join your praise.
 You might thus save our race And give us life.
 Our plea do not dis - dain: Help from a - bove!
 Lead us where you have trod; Make our faith strong.
 U - nite to swell the song To Christ, our King.

Text: attr. Clement of Alexandria, c. 170–c. 220; tr. Henry M. Dexter, 1821–90, alt.

Tune: OLIVER (664 6664) Lowell Mason, 1792–1872, alt.

THANKSGIVING

STAND

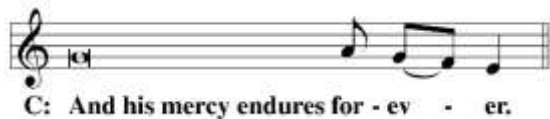
SONG OF SIMEON

Nunc Dimittis



C: Lord, now you let your servant de - part in peace ac-cord-ing
to your word. For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have pre-
pared be - fore the face of all people, a light to light - en the
Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of your peo-ple Is - ra - el.

M: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.



C: And his mercy endures for - ev - er.

M: We give thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us with this holy supper. We pray that through it you will strengthen our faith in you and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.

M: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look on you with favor and (+) give you peace.



BE SEATED

CLOSING HYMN (CW 432)

I Am Jesus' Little Lamb

1 I am Je - sus' lit - tle lamb; Ev - er glad at heart I
 2 Day by day, at home, a - way, Je - sus is my staff and
 3 Who so hap - py as I am, E - ven now the shep - herd's
 am, For my shep - herd gent - ly guides me, Knows my
 stay. When I hun - ger, Je - sus feeds me, In - to
 lamb? And when my short life is end - ed, By his
 needs and well pro - vides me, Loves me ev - 'ry
 pleas - ant pas - tures leads me; When I thirst, he
 an - gel hosts at - tend - ed, He shall fold me
 day the same, E - ven calls me by my name.
 bids me go Where the qui - et wa - ters flow.
 to his breast, There with - in his arms to rest.

TEXT: Henrietta L. von Hayn, 1724-82; tr. composite.

TUNE: WEIL ICH JESU SCHÄFLEIN BIN (77 88 77) Choralbuch . . . Brüder-Gemeinen, Leipzig, 1784.

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Personal Prayers for Worship

Before Communion:

Lord, I am not worthy to be a guest at your holy table. But you are the friend of sinners, and you will not cast me out. This bread is your body, which bore my sins upon the tree. This wine is your blood, which purifies me from all guilt. At your invitation, I come rejoicing. Receive me, my Savior.

After Communion:

Thank you, Lord Jesus Christ, for nourishing me in this sacrament with your body and blood. You have given me forgiveness, life, and salvation. Let me always remain in you as a branch remains in the vine. Send me out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

O living Bread from heaven, how richly you have fed your guest! The gifts you now have given have filled my heart with joy and rest. Lord, grant me that thus strengthened with heavenly food, while here my course on earth is lengthened, I serve with holy fear. And when you call my spirit to leave this world below, I enter through your merit where joys unmingled flow.

Gluten Free communion wafers: Gluten free communion wafers are available each Sunday during the Lord's Supper. They are placed on the baptismal font at the start of communion. If you would prefer this wafer, please pick it up as you approach the altar.

In Our Prayers: Roger LaGrange, Peter Leege, Mary Mundt, John Schueman, and Bonnie Gotzion who are experiencing difficulties.

A special prayer for all our men & women who are serving in the Armed Forces. Among them are Carter Chavez (grandson of John & Sherry Hill), and Shannon Garrett

Weekly Bible Studies

Sunday 9:15 am: Exodus, *sanctuary*

Tuesday 9:00 am: Kings and Prophets of Israel, *lower level*

Wednesday 6:30 pm: 1 & 2 Timothy, *lower level*

Thursday 6:30 pm: Christian Doctrine Bible Information Class, *lower level*

Friday 6:00 am: Breakfast 6:00, Bible study 6:45 | The Book of Proverbs, *DeForest Family Restaurant (505 W. North Street, DeForest)*

Sunday April 26: Fourth Sunday of Easter

Worship Service: 8:00 & 10:30 am with Holy Communion

- Pastor: Joel Jenswold
- Organist: Sharon Freund
- Councilman/Elder: 8:00: Henry Nitz, 10:30: Paul Crary
- Ushers 8:00: Gene Freund and Bob Degnan
- Ushers 10:30: The Holzman Family
- Counters: Gene Freund and Bob Degnan
- Altar Guild: Sue Jenswold
- A/V & Recording: Jake Scott
- Refreshments: Sharon Freund

Sunday May 3: Fifth Sunday of Easter

Worship Service: 8:00 & 10:30 am with Holy Communion

- Pastor: Joel Jenswold
- Organist: Jennifer Boll
- Councilman/Elder: 8:00: Paul Crary, 10:30: Steve Kalscheuer
- Ushers 8:00: Steven and Sef Fox
- Ushers 10:30: The Holzman Family
- Counters: Donna Cotter and Sharon Kalscheuer
- Altar Guild: Bonnie Punzel and Reagan Oughton
- A/V & Recording: Julie Doyle
- Refreshments: The Nitz Family

Happy Anniversary We wish God's blessings to John and Sherry Hill (4/30), Gene and Sharon Freund (5/1), and Eileen and Ron Betzer (5/2) as they celebrate their anniversaries this week.

Happy Birthday We wish God's blessings to Pam Timm (4/27), Steve Tobison (4/27), Kim Bauer (4/29), Gregg Andler (4/30), Gavin Bauer (4/30), Penny Hershberger (5/2), Linda Jordan (5/2), Noelle Kirsch (5/2), Samuel Kolander (5/2), and Karen Tobison (5/2), as ad they celebrate their birthdays this week.

COMING UP AT LORD OF LOVE

April 27: Evening Quilting | 6:00 pm – Lower Level

May 2: Spring Clean-up Workday | 8:00 am

May 11: Evening Quilting | 6:00 pm – Lower Level

May 14: Ascension Worship Service | 6:30 pm

May 16: Ladies Coffee/Breakfast at M-N-M's Coffee House, Waunakee

May 17: Confirmation Sunday | 10:30 am Worship Service

May 18: Council Meeting | 6:00 pm – Fellowship Hall

May 21: Ladies Friendship Circle Dinner Outing to Rodeside Grille | 6:00 pm

May 25: Evening Quilting | 6:00 pm – Lower Level

Wednesday Evening Bible Class Resumes

Wednesday evening, April 29, we will resume our evening Bible study. This week we will begin a study of 1&2 Timothy, sometimes called the “pastoral letters” of St. Paul. Class will run from 6:30-7:30 p.m. What could be better in the middle of the week than hearing from your loving Father in his Word? Join us Wednesday!

Sunday School Children Singing Next Week May 3rd.

The Sunday School Children have been working hard on several songs and will be singing at the beginning of both services on May 3rd. There will be a final rehearsal in the worship area on May 3rd. Parents, please plan to have your children meet in the worship area that day by 7:40 a.m.

April Food Drive | Continues through April 30

You may drop donations off during office hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 – 2:00 p.m. All donations go to the DeForest Area Needs Network. (DANN)

2026/27 School Year Enrollment:

As we prepare for the 2026/27 academic year, we kindly ask families to let us know if their children are currently or plan to enroll at one of our sister congregation schools. Your response helps us make important budgeting decisions. Please call or email Kristin during business hours.

Book Fair - Order Pick Up

If you ordered books from our Christian Book Fair, please pick up your books from the glass cabinet in the narthex. If your books are not there, they have been ordered and you will be notified once they are received. Thank you to all who purchased books!

Ladies Friendship Circle Dinner | May 21, 2026 – 6:00 pm – Roadside Grille:

The Ladies Friendship Circle would like to invite all the Ladies of the congregation to enjoy some common fun and fellowship over dinner at the Roadside Grille in Windsor Thursday evening May 21 at 6:00 pm. If you are interested, please sign up prior to May 17th, so we can provide a final number of attendees to the restaurant. All are welcome, & bring a friend if you would like.

Saturday 5/2 | Spring Clean Up Workday & Pizza Lunch

Our spring clean-up/workday is this Saturday, 8:00 – 12:00 p.m. Please join us to assist with the annual maintenance of our grounds. There are areas both indoors and outside to work, so all ages are welcome. If you have a preference as to if you would prefer indoors or outside, we are happy to accommodate. We will finish promptly at Noon for a quick lunch of pizza & soda so you can get on with the rest of your day. We hope you will consider helping us to maintain our beautiful Church and grounds.

Many hands make for light work.

Committee Invite:

We would like to respectfully invite anyone who may be interested to consider serving on one of our church committees. We have several committees that support different areas of church life such as worship, outreach, fellowship & friendship. These ministries provide meaningful opportunities to support the work of our church. Participating is flexible and no prior experience is needed – Just a willingness to serve. If you would like more information or are considering joining a committee, please feel free to reach out to the church office for more information on our current committee offerings.

Thank you for your consideration, and for being part of our church family!

Ladies Friendship Circle Summer Outing | Thursday, June 25, 2026

Planning ahead... Our Ladies Friendship Committee has an exciting trip planned in June to visit the Anderson Japanese Gardens in Rockford, IL on Thursday, June 25, 2026. The gardens were very carefully designed and patiently pruned according to aesthetic principals to create a work of natural art. Though most Japanese garden materials are not unusual, the way that all these basic elements are brought together is what makes the Japanese gardens unique. This event will be open to all members to enjoy the beauty of the gardens, with time for lunch to follow onsite. Additional details to follow in the coming weeks.



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Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod - ***Christ's Love, Our Calling.***

**“I rejoiced with those who said to me,
‘Let us go to the house of the LORD.’”
Psalm 122:1**



*Today's 8:00 service will be recorded including the Service of the Sacrament.
Individuals taking communion will not be visible in the recording.*