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We are on Facebook-look for  
Good Shepherd Fort Dodge

**Little Lambs Preschool**  
576-6308

We extend a special welcome to all who worship with us in God's House today. If you have no church home, we invite you to make Good Shepherd your church home.



**June 7, 2026**

**The Second Sunday after Pentecost  
Welcome Guest Pastor Haney**

Please sign the attendance binder in the pew and mark Communion if you partake

If you need communion at your seat, please let pastor know before service.

### **Order of Service-Saturday**

**Divine Service: Setting 1 Page 151**  
**Opening Hymn: 793**  
**Sermon Hymn: 611**  
**Distribution: 547, 621, 566, 567**  
**Closing Hymn: 702**

### **THIS WEEK WITH OUR LORD**

#### **TODAY**

9:00am-Divine Worship w/HC

10:30am-Adult Bible Study

#### **MONDAY**

7:00pm-VBS Volunteer Meeting-All are welcome

#### **TUESDAY**

9:00am-Sewing

1:30pm-Friendship Haven

5:30pm-Group LWML Cookout Mtg

#### **WEDNESDAY**

6:00pm-Swaddling Clothes

6:30pm-Trustees

7:00pm-Council

#### **THURSDAY**

7:00am-Men's Bible Study

#### **FRIDAY**

#### **SATURDAY**

5:00 pm – Divine Worship w/HC

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

9:00 am-Divine Service w/HC

10:30am-Adult Bible Study

5:15pm-VBS Meal

5:45pm-VBS Begins!



### **In Our Prayers:**

Wanda Wiese  
Sharon Musselman  
Bill Peterson  
Sharon McNeil  
Norman Prewitt  
Mardell Prewitt  
Brexton Hines  
Ken Ropte  
Peggy Anderson  
Sandra Fiala  
Sherry Richardson  
Dorothy Kester  
Debbie Monical  
Bea Naeve  
Marlys Ditzenberger

The family of Richard Hay  
He was taken to his eternal rest this  
week. (Brother of Judy & Dave Zoch  
and Rita & Wayne Lussman)

### **Baptismal Birthdays:**

Jaxton Jones-June 7  
Rita Lussman-June 8  
Mardell Prewitt-June 9

### **Celebration of Life Birthdays:**

Irene Gutz-June 6

**Attendance** – 30, 78

### **Gifts to the Lord:**

Envelope/Plate - \$2685.54  
Online \$685  
Total of all Gifts: \$3,370.54

### **Organist/Pianist:**

6/6-Jan Altemeier  
6/7-Judy Zoch

### **Elders in Charge of Communion:**

6/6-Mike Wiese  
6/7-Dennis Detmering & Terry Allers

### **Ushers:**

Steve Doty and Gary St. John



### **Flower Chart**

The flower chart is in the entryway  
if you would like to sign up to  
provide flowers for future worship  
services.

### **Old Newspapers**

If you have a few old newspapers  
to get rid of, Tanner would like  
some for cleaning the windows.  
Please bring them to the office  
and he'll put them away.

### **JOY Group Potluck**

Join us Tuesday, June 16th  
@ 11:30am

Bring a dish to pass and come  
enjoy some fun and fellowship.

Reminder date change for Trustee/  
Council Meeting for June. New  
Date is Tuesday, June 10th. Trus-  
tees at 6:30pm and Council at 7pm.

### **Stewardship**

In faithful endurance, we trust  
God's provision and steward our  
lives with perseverance, knowing  
He sustains us in all things.

"But the one who endures to the  
end will be saved." — Matthew  
10:22

**The nursery** is located in the back  
of church. Parents are welcome to  
take their children in there at any  
time during the service. Please  
note, there is a changing table/  
restroom in the back.

## Introit

*Psalm 50:7–10; antiphon: v. 1*

P: The Mighty One, God the LORD, speaks and summons the earth

**C: from the rising of the sun to its setting.**

P: Hear, O my people, and I will speak; O Israel, I will testify against you.

**C: I am God, your God.**

P: Not for your sacrifices do I rebuke you;

**C: your burnt offerings are continually before me.**

P: I will not accept a bull from your house

**C: or goats from your folds.**

P: For every beast of the forest is mine,

**C: the cattle on a thousand hills.**

**All: 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.**

P: The Mighty One, God the LORD, speaks and summons the earth

**C: from the rising of the sun to its setting.**

## Collect

Almighty and most merciful God, You sent Your Son, Jesus Christ, to seek and to save the lost. Graciously open our ears and our hearts to hear His call and to follow Him by faith that we may feast with Him forever in His kingdom; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## Let's welcome Caleb Krueger, our new DCE Intern!!

On June 21st, we will be inducting our DCE Intern for a year. After the service we will have a reception to welcome him. Do you want to know how you can be a part of it? Great! We want to fill his apartment. So, we are having a **"fill Caleb's pantry"** drive. For the next couple weeks you can bring in toiletries, non perishables, perishable food, frozen food; anything a young man needs to get started. Remember, he has been living in a dorm for three years now. Wow!

Let's also help Caleb get to know the area! Let's help him out with gift cards to our favorite local stores and restaurants. We will fill a **"gift tree"** to help him get started.



GIVING TREE

## Old Testament Reading

*Hosea 5:15—6:6*

<sup>15</sup>I will return again to my place, until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face, and in their distress earnestly seek me. <sup>16</sup>“Come, let us return to the LORD; for he has torn us, that he may heal us; he has struck us down, and he will bind us up. <sup>2</sup>After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will raise us up, that we may live before him. <sup>3</sup>Let us know; let us press on to know the LORD; his going out is sure as the dawn; he will come to us as the showers, as the spring rains that water the earth.” <sup>4</sup>What shall I do with you, O Ephraim? What shall I do with you, O Judah? Your love is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes early away. <sup>5</sup>Therefore I have hewn them by the prophets; I have slain them by the words of my mouth, and my judgment goes forth as the light. <sup>6</sup>For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice, the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.

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until they acknowledge their guilt  
and seek my face, and in their  
distress earnestly seek me.

**Hosea 5:15**

## Epistle

*Romans 4:13–25*

<sup>13</sup>The promise to Abraham and his offspring that he would be heir of the world did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith. <sup>14</sup>For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. <sup>15</sup>For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law there is no transgression. <sup>16</sup>That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his offspring—not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, <sup>17</sup>as it is written, “I have made you the father of many nations”—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. <sup>18</sup>In hope he believed against hope, that he should become the father of many nations, as he had been told, “So shall your offspring be.” <sup>19</sup>He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was as good as dead (since he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah’s womb. <sup>20</sup>No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, <sup>21</sup>fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. <sup>22</sup>That is why his faith was “counted to him as righteousness.” <sup>23</sup>But the words “it was counted to him” were not written for his sake alone, <sup>24</sup>but for ours also. It will be counted to us who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord, <sup>25</sup>who was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.



## Holy Gospel

*Matthew 9:9–13*

<sup>9</sup>As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, “Follow me.” And he rose and followed him. <sup>10</sup>And as Jesus reclined at table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were reclining with Jesus and his disciples. <sup>11</sup>And when the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?” <sup>12</sup>But when he heard it, he said, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. <sup>13</sup>Go and learn what this means, ‘I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.’ For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners.”

## MEMORY VERSE

**In Christ Jesus  
you are all  
sons of God,  
through  
faith.**

**GALATIANS 3:26**

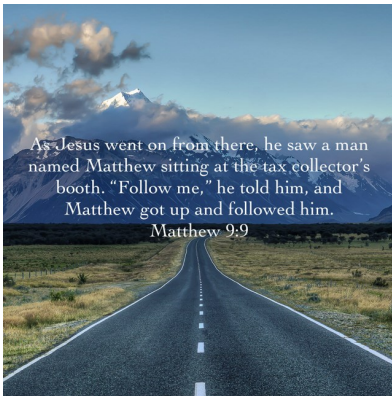


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## Stewardship Corner:

**Matthew 9:9 – “As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, ‘Follow me.’ And he rose and followed him.”**

When Jesus talks, Matthew listens and acts. Jesus says, “Follow me,” and Matthew follows. What does this tell us about Matthew? It tells us that he believes in Jesus. Our actions flow out of our faith. Show me what a man does, and I’ll tell you what he really believes. Our sinful actions uncover our false beliefs and our need for repentance and a return to the forgiveness we find in Jesus. Our godly actions display our faith in Jesus. What kind of faith (or false belief) do your financial actions display?



## Building Healthy Families:

Humility is hard to come by during a difficult conversation—especially when you’re sure you’re right and your husband (or wife, or child, or parent, or co-worker, or neighbor, or pastor...) is wrong. Here are three simple but powerful words to remember that will help when conflict comes in any relationship: I am sorry. Learn from God’s word: “A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.” Proverbs 15:1

## Lutheran Family Service

[www.LutheranFamilyService.org](http://www.LutheranFamilyService.org)

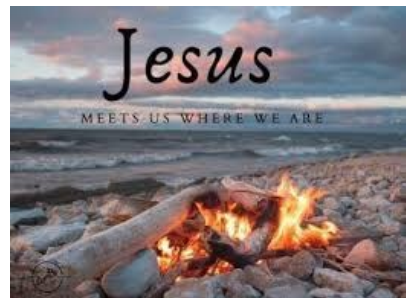
**“Remember that our Savior was born into a human household ... He is our Friend, our Brother, He will help us in our time of need, especially when we seek Him out in God’s Word and fervently in prayer. As you relate to others in your home, ask God’s Holy Spirit to give you wisdom in difficult situations, mercy in abundance when forgiveness is needed, and love to cover all your family’s interactions.”**  
*Rev. Dr. Oswald Hoffmann, former speaker of “The Lutheran Hour”*  
**A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [lutheransforlife.org](http://lutheransforlife.org)**

## “Peter’s Restoration—and Ours”

Jesus forgives and restores us and He sends us out to offer this restoration to others, in His name.

(John 21:1-19)

Hear about it on the Lutheran Hour WHO (1040 AM) 7:30 am. Sunday, KTLB (105.9 FM) at 8:00 am Sunday, KQWC (95.7 FM) at 11:00 am KHBT (97.7 FM) at 11:30 am Sunday. Log on to [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org) for other stations and details.



# LWML MEETING

Tuesday, June 9<sup>th</sup>

Social 5:30 Eat 6:00

Bring a salad/side to share  
Mary's Circle will provide pie for  
dessert

**In-service for the SALT Center**

Items needed:

bottled water, toiletries, coffee, snacks,  
paper plates, paper towels, cleaning supplies,  
laundry soap or 40gallon trash bags



**Join us for Vacation Bible School This  
Summer!**

**June 14th-June 18th**

We will start each night with a meal  
for students and families from 5:15pm-5:45pm  
We will wrap up at 7:45pm each night.

We need solid colored bed sheets of any size to make togas.  
Please bring them to the church office.

**Call the Church Office to Register  
515-573-3174**

If you would like to volunteer please call  
Cheryl Eichler at 620-366-3023



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Register for VBS