

May 2026

# GraceNotes

## THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF GRACE

Dear Grace Lutheran Family,



The Season of Pentecost is a time when we remember the mighty rush of wind that swept through Jerusalem and set the early church ablaze with new life. The Holy Spirit did not ask the disciples to stay comfortable — it called them forward into something they could not yet fully see.

Each year, the Season of Pentecost stretches across the long green weeks of summer and fall, calling us to grow deeper in faith and discipleship. It is sometimes called “Ordinary Time” — but there is nothing ordinary about what the Spirit can do in a congregation that is willing.

With the potential arrival of a new pastor, we are entering one of those extraordinary moments together. The arrival of a new pastor is never just an administrative change. It is a pastoral transition — a time of grief for what was, gratitude for the journey shared, and genuine hope for what God is preparing. As we look forward to welcoming a new pastor, we are invited to trust that same Spirit is at work among us. A new shepherd brings fresh eyes, new gifts, and a unique call — and while change can feel unfamiliar, Pentecost reminds us that the Spirit has always moved the Church forward through exactly these kinds of holy disruptions.

A new pastor does not replace what has come before. Rather, they arrive as a fresh instrument of that same Spirit — shaped by different experiences, carrying different gifts, and called to walk with us in this particular season of Grace Lutheran’s life. A new pastor will bring a different voice to the pulpit, a different presence at the bedside, and perhaps new ways of doing things we have always done. That is not a loss — it is the Spirit renewing us from within!

Let us enter this season with open hands and open hearts, ready to see where the wind of the Spirit will carry Grace Lutheran next. After all, Pentecost is not just a day on the church calendar. It is a promise — that God is not finished with us yet.

Grace and peace to each of you,  
Allison Fink, Church Council President



## **Call Committee Update**

The primary candidate for Pastor will be here to preach, lead worship and meet the congregation on Sunday, May 31, with a "Meet and Greet" following the service. A Congregational Meeting will be opened immediately following the service and before the Meet and Greet. Following the Meet and Greet, a vote will be conducted in order to issue a Call and approve the Compensation Package.

We are unable to live stream our service on Sunday due to privacy for our primary candidate. If you would like to experience his preaching, you may do so at the YouTube Link to April 19th Service with Pastor Alex: <https://www.youtube.com/live/VhJIq76e7lY?si=G-6cKsTOQou3T9Fb> <<https://www.youtube.com/live/VhJIq76e7lY?si=G-6cKsTOQou3T9Fb>>

Here is the Zoom link we will use downstairs for the Congregational Meeting....)

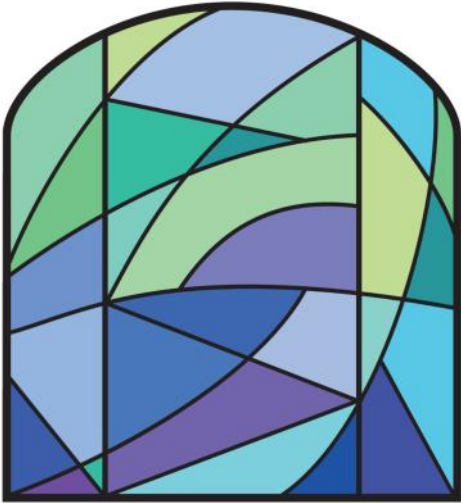
Zoom: Topic: GELC Congregational Meeting Time: May 31, 2026 11:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Join Zoom Meeting\_

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## Supply Pastors



## Visiting Pastors

Parish in Luray.

**June 7—Eric Hilker**

**June 14—Pastor Sandy Wisco** attended Trinity Lutheran Seminary followed by a first Call to Reading, PA in 2003. Sandy came to VA to serve as Pastor at St. Mark Lutheran Church in Charlottesville August 2008 - December 2016. After retiring, she served as Interim Pastor at Grace and Glory in Palmyra for a couple of years. She also served as Dean for the Germanna Conference for a few years, and she recently concluded as Vice Pastor at Stony Man Lutheran

**June 21—Hymn Sing**

**June 28—Rev. Walter “Chip” Bouzard** served as a parish pastor in Houston, Texas, before becoming a professor of Bible and theology at Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa. For 25 years, he bored students senseless before retiring in 2019. Generally humorless, his few friends describe him as “dusty,” “tepid,” and “milquetoast.” He is married to the Rev. Dr. Ramona Bouzard whose friends say openly and often: “She married beneath her.” He remains grateful for her poor discernment.

## Grace News

### ***Congratulations to the 2026 Graduates:***



**Blake Arnold**, son of Katie and Ryan Arnold, grandson of Jim and Gloria Nelson, is graduating summa cum laude from James Wood High School in Winchester on May 28. Blake intends to work a year for AmeriCorps before continuing his education at William and Mary University.

**Hannah Pingel**, daughter of Paul and Jill Pingel, is graduating magna cum laude from James Madison University with a degree in Architectural Design and a minor in Art History. She will be Project Engineer at E. E. Reed Construction in Herndon, Virginia.

**Lindsey Skelton**, daughter of Lee and Sharon Lynch, is graduating from Mary Baldwin College with a Masters in Education with an emphasis on Autism. Lindsey will continue teaching locally.

**Josh Traynor**, grandson of David and Vivian Proctor, is graduating from Piedmont Virginia Community College and has been accepted to Virginia Commonwealth University for the fall.



As America approaches its 250th Anniversary, three of Grace's quilters, Jane Blosser, Gloria Nelson and Mary Huerth collaborated with quilters across the country to create **The Great American Birthday Quilt**. The Quilt measures 500 feet long and 5 feet wide and is on display at the Colonial Williamsburg Visitor Center throughout 2026.

## Grace News Continued



I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, thoughts, and cards during my recent surgery and hospital stay. It means the world to me to have the support of my Grace family. I look forward to seeing you all as soon as I am able to return to Sunday services.



The **2026 CROP Walk** is scheduled for Sunday, September 20, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. and will be on the Greenway again. I am continuing to serve on the Steering Team. Local recipients of CROP donations will be the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank, VPAS and Disciples Kitchen as in years' past. We would like to have additional members on the Steering Team, so if you know of anyone who would be interested, please let me know. Karen Walck 765-480-9920

### Grace will celebrate the following holidays (see calendar):



- **Juneteenth** is a federal holiday in the United States celebrated annually on June 19 to commemorate the emancipation of enslaved African Americans. It marks the date in 1865 when Union soldiers arrived in Galveston, Texas, to enforce the Emancipation Proclamation, over two years after it was initially issued.



- **Independence Day**, in the United States, the annual celebration of nationhood held on July 4. It commemorates the passage of the Declaration of Independence by the Continental Congress on July 4, 1776. This document announced the separation of the 13 North American colonies from Great Britain. In 1870 the U.S. Congress made Independence Day an unpaid holiday for federal workers, and in 1938 it became a paid federal holiday. Also called the Fourth of July, the holiday is celebrated across the United States with parades, fireworks shows, picnics, concerts, and other festivities. Independence Day is also notable for its displays of patriotism, as many Americans commemorate the day by flying the American flag and dressing in the flag's colors of red, white, and blue.

## Lay Ministry Academy — Donna Gum

Just to update the congregation on my Lay Ministry Academy classes.

We delved into the Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) with The Rev. Kelly Bayer Derrick, Assistant Pastor at St. John's Episcopal Church in Roanoke. The textbook is *Introducing the Old Testament : A Historical, Literary and Theological Survey* written by Rolf A. Jacobson, professor at Luther Seminary whom I have heard several times at Power in the Spirit events and Michael J. Chan, previously at Luther Seminary and now teaches at Concordia College. This class lasted for six weeks, spending much of our time in the Pentateuch (the 1<sup>st</sup> five books of the Bible), Israelite History, and ending with some of the Prophetic literature in the Old Testament, ending the week before Holy Week.

Two weeks later, we continued six more weeks of class study of the New Testament with Pastor Kelly Bayer Derrick. We used The Rev. Dr. Mark Allan Powell's textbook, *Introducing the New Testament: A Historical, Literary and Theological Survey*. He is a Lutheran minister and Bible Scholar who teaches at Trinity Seminary in Ohio. We covered all four Gospels, Acts, Romans, 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians, Galatians, and Ephesians concluding with Revelations.

Given that we only had six weeks for each testament, we could not cover everything or even the books we did study in detail, but studied the important and theological scriptures, taught by the Apostle Paul, important to Lutherans, most notably Romans 3:23-31 and Galatians 3:10-14.

I also attended a retreat, *Baptized for Life: Called, Gathered, Sent* as part of the Lay Ministry Academy at The Roslyn Retreat and Conference Center in Richmond, May 15-17, 2026. During the weekend we learned about the Synod's structure: 11 conferences, staff, and synod council; committees, and ministries as well as the various communication avenues of the Virginia Synod. Bishop Milton joined us for most of the day sharing with us her work as Bishop of the Virginia Synod. We also enjoyed worship, fun, and fellowship as this was the 1<sup>st</sup> time for us to be together in person and not on zoom.

After having the summer off, I will go to Danville for a preaching intensive September 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. After studying preaching techniques, I still have Worship/Sacraments and Healthy Boundaries and Communications before being commissioned during Synod Assembly in June 2027.

I continue to appreciate your prayers, support and concerns. Thanks be to God for this opportunity to learn and grow in my faith. Amen!

## Grace News Continued



**Rise Against Hunger Event Revised Date**—This year's Rise Against Hunger Food Packing Event will be **Saturday, September 19, from 10:30 to 12:30** at Kate Collins Middle School in Waynesboro. Last year, we had 21 churches participate and over 37,000 meals were packed. Save the date for this year's event. More information will be provided as we get closer to the September date.



**Food Pantry Collections:** A huge thanks to everyone as you continue to bring food for the food bank box near the office. Your donations are much appreciated. To date, we have collected over **5,636** pounds of food (we have made **fifty-eight deliveries**, twenty-eight to Main Street United Methodist, and thirty to Calvary United Methodist, Stuarts Draft). **New Notice!!!** There is a need for diapers, especially sizes 3-6. All diapers will be, and have been, delivered to Calvary United Methodist. 38 pounds of diapers were delivered to them on April 14. In addition, 20 pounds of condiments have been delivered to the Bread Basket.

## Grace News Continued

### Hiker Ministry 2026: May 25 – June 20

For the 22<sup>nd</sup> year, the Grace Hiker Ministry will again welcome Appalachian Trail thru-hikers stopping in Waynesboro for respite and refueling. We offer a place to sleep and clean up overnight, snacks and breakfast foods, information, and ways to stay in contact with families.

Overall planning and coordination continue to be provided by long-time members/associate members of Grace – Irma and Woody Graf. During the four (4) weeks the ministry will be open we also have coordinators from the community. Liaison with the ministry will be provided by Jean Morgan and Linda Meyer.

#### What we need:

**People** – a calendar for sign-ups will be in the back of the nave every week during mid-May through mid-June and will include the duties of each type of volunteer.

- Overnight volunteers
- Check-in and check-out volunteers
- Small groups of members to coordinate with our community dinner team to provide dinner on Wednesday evenings during the time we are open

**Donations:** cereal, juices, bread, jam, peanut butter, and snacks milk, fresh fruit, ice cream and home-baked goods once we open, self-care items – shampoo, body wash, skin moisturizer, razors, ear plugs, Band-Aids, ibuprofen, etc. A bin will be available in the back of the church beginning May 3.

**Please help:** Grace Church has a reputation up and down the AT for being a welcoming and safe space, and that depends on Grace members and friends coming down to help out and getting to know the hikers who are attempting to hike the 2,000+ miles from Georgia to Maine each year.

**Questions or concerns?** Contact Linda (540-256-2277) or Jean (540-649-4422). We're happy to help you decide where your participation would help the most. You don't have to be a hiker or even like being outside – just be a welcoming face to people on a life-changing journey.

## **Thanking Grace...**

Good afternoon Friends at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your support of The Haven's Kitchen Program! I'm reaching Out to share a brief update on our kitchen program since your donation in September 2025.

From September 2025 through February 2026, with the support of 776 community volunteers over those 6 months our kitchen program served 12,379 meals to our neighbors experiencing housing instability and/or food insecurity. Due to our strong partnerships in the community, the generosity of donors, and the creativity of our excellent kitchen team, the average cost per meal during that time was \$1.05. Please refer to this document <[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1O1kM8iX-Dpzj16wyrFWJ\\_7O2tBsTCMx4VWCVCSTZ4Uo/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1O1kM8iX-Dpzj16wyrFWJ_7O2tBsTCMx4VWCVCSTZ4Uo/edit?usp=sharing)> for an update on the impact of our kitchen program and the recent improvements our team has put in place. Thank you for our support of Our important community work!

Feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions, would like any additional details, or would otherwise like to support The Haven!

All the best,  
Kay

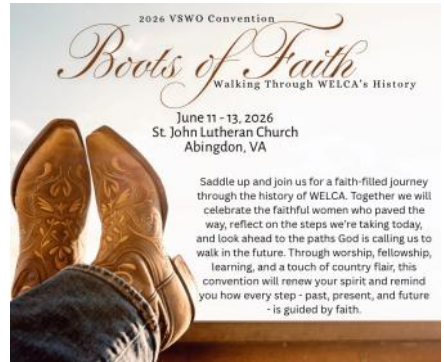
## News from the VA Synod



**For more information on Virginia Synod events, please visit <https://vasynod.org/> for more information on any of the following events:**

### **The Virginia Synodical Women's Organization (VSWO) Convention will be June 11 to 13, 2026.**

- Convention Without Walls (fun and inspiring activities)
- Meeting with Conferences
- BBQ Picnic
- Ice Cream Social
- Abingdon Attractions
- Service Project – **Mended Women**
- Bishop Attending
- We hope you can attend (AND bring a friend!).



**Mended Women Lifestyle Recovery** is a 70-bed residential recovery program for women in Abingdon. It is the only facility of its kind in southwestern Virginia serving a 150-mile radius. Residents graduate from the program better equipped to navigate successfully lifelong recovery with the skills and healing necessary to reclaim a life of purpose and joy. The 2026 VSWO service project will benefit Mended Women.

## News from the VA Synod



**Kairos is our annual week-long faith sharing event for youth who will be in 9th-12th grades in the fall! This year's event will take place June 21-26, 2026 (Sunday evening through Friday noon) **at Roanoke College** in Salem, VA. Kairos is an event where youth and adults gather together for lots of singing and skits and fun and friend-making and prayers, then participants gather in small groups that meet throughout the week. There are so many beloved features of Kairos: event theme t-shirts, Open Talent Mic Show, faith Testimonies, comic**

relief, reflection time, prayer stations, speed friending, t-shirt fashion show, and more! This event is a chance for youth who are already committed to a life of faith to be part of a unique Christian community for an entire week, to have a fresh experience of the grace and presence of God in that community, and to develop habits for discipleship that can be taken home as they live out their baptismal call to be followers of Jesus. Unlike our weekend events (Lost & Found, Winter Celebration), congregational adult advisors are not required to accompany youth to this event. The small group leader staff serves as adult leaders for the week.

# POWER I N T H E SPIRIT

Join us in celebrating the  
40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of  
Power in the Spirit!

This year's gathering will take place on the campus of Roanoke College **July 16-18, 2026**. We are excited to have the Presiding Bishop of the ELCA Yehiel Curry attending and speaking at our event.

## Our Theme

*But you will receive power and ability when the Holy Spirit comes upon you; and you will be My witnesses [to tell people about Me] both in Jerusalem and in all Judea, and Samaria, and even to the ends of the earth."*

Acts 1:8



Power in the Spirit is an inspirational event for people of all ages who wish to explore God's call to service through joyous worship, Bible studies, keynote addresses, workshops, and fellowship.

## Our Speakers



**Presiding Bishop  
Yehiel Curry**

Guest  
Speaker



**Rev. Susan  
Briehl**

Bible Study  
Leader



**Rev. Drew  
Tucker**

Keynote  
Speaker



**Michael  
Benshish**

Musician

Come join us and discover how Power in the Spirit will encourage, nurture, and challenge as we embrace the Spirit who empowers, equips, and enlightens!

[vasynod.org/power-in-the-spirit](http://vasynod.org/power-in-the-spirit)



## Community News



**Waynesboro Community Read May-July 2026**—The Waynesboro community is invited to slow down, reconnect, and rediscover the power of story through "Stories that Restore", a community read hosted by Waynesboro Public Library in partnership with Stone Soup Books. From May-July 2026, residents will explore the work of Robin Wall Kimmerer through her books **The Serviceberry**, *Braiding Sweetgrass* for Young Adults and the children's book "Bud Finds her Gift". Through discussions, nature-inspired programs, and family activities, the community will reflect on themes of reciprocity, gratitude, and our relationship with the natural world. Books will be available beginning May 4 at Waynesboro Public Library and Stone Soup. A brochure with all programs is available at the Library.



## Finance Committee Report

We finished April with a surplus of \$7,956.26. At the end of April 2025, the surplus was \$6,086.96.

### **FINANCE REPORT**

There were no extraordinary expenses in April.

The Finance Committee and Council will continue to monitor the financial health throughout 2026.

### **Financial Status**

| <b>2026</b> | <b><u>Difference</u></b> |
|-------------|--------------------------|
| January     | <b>-\$1,514.65</b>       |
| February    | <b>\$7,631.27</b>        |
| March       | <b>\$1,227.81</b>        |
| April       | <b>611.83</b>            |
| May         |                          |
| June        |                          |
| July        |                          |
| August      |                          |
| September   |                          |
| October     |                          |
| November    |                          |
| December    |                          |
| <b>YTD</b>  | <b>\$7,956.26</b>        |
| <b>2025</b> | <b>\$6,086.96</b>        |



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### ***The Finance Committee***

*Ron Almarode  
Jerry Kite*

*Allison Fink  
Susan Myers*

*Chuck Goodrich  
Vivian Proctor*



| Sunday                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Monday                                                                                                     | Tuesday                                                                                              | Wednesday                                                                                                          | Thursday                                                                                                                                                        | Friday                                                                                                                                               | Saturday                                                                                                                                              |
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| <p>31</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>The Holy Trinity</b></p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br/>Service of the Word &amp; Holy Communion<br/>Rev. Alex Zuber</p> <p>Meet &amp; Greet<br/>Congregational Meeting</p> | <p>1</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b><br/>All God's Children<br/>(Conference Room)</p> | <p>2</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b><br/>Round Tables<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p> | <p>3</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Community Meal</p>  | <p>4</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b><br/>Bridge<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>5:30 p.m.</b><br/>CCE&amp;J @ Panera Bread</p>            | <p>5</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>Office Closed</b></p>  | <p>6</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b><br/>CCE&amp;J<br/>Prayer Vigil<br/>Constitution Park</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> |
| <p>7</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>Second Sunday After Pentecost</b></p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br/>Service of the Word<br/>Eric Hilker</p>                                                                 | <p>8</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p>                                                                      | <p>9</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p>                                                                | <p>10</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Community Meal</p> | <p>11</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b><br/>Bridge Club<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b><br/>Council<br/>(Conference Room)</p> | <p>12</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p>                           | <p>13</p> <p><b>Hiker Ministry</b></p> <p><b>9:00—11:00 a.m.</b><br/>VMA<br/>(Conference Room)</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p>                  |

| Sunday                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Monday                                                                                                             | Tuesday                                       | Wednesday                                                                                                                                                                                               | Thursday                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Friday                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Saturday                                                                        |
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| <p><b>14</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p> <p><b>Third Sunday After Pentecost</b></p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br/>Service of the Word &amp; Holy Communion<br/>Rev. Sandy Wisco</p>  <p><b>FLAG DAY</b></p> | <p><b>15</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b><br/>All God's Children<br/>(Conference Room)</p> | <p><b>16</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p> | <p><b>17</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br/>Encircle Managers' Meeting<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Community Meal</p> | <p><b>18</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p>  <p>Juneteenth Observed</p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b><br/>Bridge Club<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>5:30 p.m.</b><br/>CCE&amp;J @ Panera Bread</p> | <p><b>19</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p>   | <p><b>20</b></p> <p><i>Hiker Ministry</i></p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> |
| <p><b>21</b></p> <p><b>Fourth Sunday After Pentecost</b></p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br/>Hymn Sing</p>                                                                                                       | <p><b>22</b></p>                                                                                                   | <p><b>23</b></p>                              | <p><b>24</b></p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br/>Community Meal</p>                                                                                                            | <p><b>25</b></p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b><br/>Bridge Club<br/>(Fellowship Hall)</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                | <p><b>26</b></p>                                                                                                                 | <p><b>27</b></p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b><br/>Yoga</p>                              |



| Sunday                                                                                                                      | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday                                                          | Thursday                                                                                                                                                                         | Friday                                                                             | Saturday                                                                            |
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| <b>Fifth Sunday After Pentecost</b><br><br><b>10:00 a.m.</b><br>Service of the Word & Holy Communion<br>Rev. Walter Bouzard |        |         | <b>6:00 p.m.</b><br>Yoga<br><br><b>6:00 p.m.</b><br>Community Meal | <br><br><b>4th of July Celebrated</b><br><br><b>12:30 p.m.</b><br>Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall) |  |  |





# JUNE

## Birthdays

|      |                         |      |                            |
|------|-------------------------|------|----------------------------|
| 6/1  | <i>June Stiehl</i>      | 6/2  | <i>Susie Driskill</i>      |
| 6/5  | <i>E. G. Rankin</i>     | 6/6  | <i>Jan McCombs</i>         |
| 6/7  | <i>Brian Lundstrom</i>  | 6/20 | <i>Jessi Blosser</i>       |
| 6/21 | <i>Gwen Kite</i>        | 6/21 | <i>Libby Caister</i>       |
| 6/22 | <i>Kara Beth Glover</i> | 6/24 | <i>Gigi Werner Winslow</i> |
| 6/26 | <i>Donna Yobs</i>       | 6/29 | <i>Happy Denis</i>         |




# JUNE

## Baptisms

|      |                          |      |                         |
|------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------|
| 6/9  | <i>Zoey Mahoney</i>      | 6/16 | <i>Bethanie Glover</i>  |
| 6/18 | <i>Ron Knicely</i>       | 6/19 | <i>Jessi Blosser</i>    |
| 6/20 | <i>Marge Cloutier</i>    | 6/21 | <i>Trotter Franklin</i> |
| 6/22 | <i>Sylvia Almarode</i>   | 6/25 | <i>Malachi Dolan</i>    |
| 6/26 | <i>Bobby Moyer</i>       | 6/26 | <i>Easton carper</i>    |
| 6/20 | <i>Raegen Van Bremen</i> |      |                         |



| <b>June 7</b>                          | <b>June 14</b>                        | <b>June 21</b>                         | <b>June 28</b>                         |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Second Sunday<br>After Pentecost       | Third Sunday<br>After Pentecost       | Fourth Sunday<br>After Pentecost       | Fifth Sunday<br>After Pentecost        |
| <b>Preaching and<br/>Presiding</b>     | <b>Preaching and<br/>Presiding</b>    | <b>Preaching and<br/>Presiding</b>     | <b>Preaching and<br/>Presiding</b>     |
| Eric Hilker                            | Rev. Sandy Wisco                      | Hymn Sing                              | Rev. Walter<br>Bouzard                 |
| <b>Altar Flowers</b>                   | <b>Altar Flowers</b>                  | <b>Altar Flowers</b>                   | <b>Altar Flowers</b>                   |
| Deloris Wertman                        | David & Nancy<br>Schwiesow            | Rick & Kathy Bump                      | Amy Warren                             |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>                     | <b>Altar Guild</b>                    | <b>Altar Guild</b>                     | <b>Altar Guild</b>                     |
| No Communion                           | Nelsons                               | No Communion                           | Gigi Werner<br>Winslow                 |
| <b>Assisting<br/>Minister</b>          | <b>Assisting<br/>Minister</b>         | <b>Assisting<br/>Minister</b>          | <b>Assisting<br/>Minister</b>          |
| Linda Meyer                            |                                       |                                        | Kathy Bump                             |
| <b>Communion<br/>Assistant</b>         | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant</b>        | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant</b>         | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant</b>         |
|                                        | Carolyn Hite                          |                                        |                                        |
| <b>Communion<br/>Assistant/Acolyte</b> | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant</b>        | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant/Acolyte</b> | <b>Communion<br/>Assistant/Acolyte</b> |
|                                        | Karen Walck                           |                                        |                                        |
| <b>Council Person<br/>of the Week</b>  | <b>Council Person<br/>of the Week</b> | <b>Council Person<br/>of the Week</b>  | <b>Council Person<br/>of the Week</b>  |
| Allison Fink                           | Gail Johnson                          | Jerry Kite                             | Linda Meyer                            |
| <b>Offering<br/>Stewards</b>           | <b>Offering Stewards</b>              | <b>Offering<br/>Stewards</b>           | <b>Offering<br/>Stewards</b>           |
| Pat Brady                              | Pat Brady                             | Pat Brady                              | Pat Brady                              |
| David Proctor                          | Jean Morgan                           | Jerry Kite                             | Linda Meyer                            |
| <b>Ushers</b>                          | <b>Ushers</b>                         | <b>Ushers</b>                          | <b>Ushers</b>                          |
| Karen Walck                            | Ron Almarode                          | Fred Biggers                           | Jack Eckstrom                          |
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## **Church Office Hours**

**Monday–Thursday:** 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

**(Closed for Lunch 11:30 – 12:30 p.m.)**

**Friday: Closed**

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