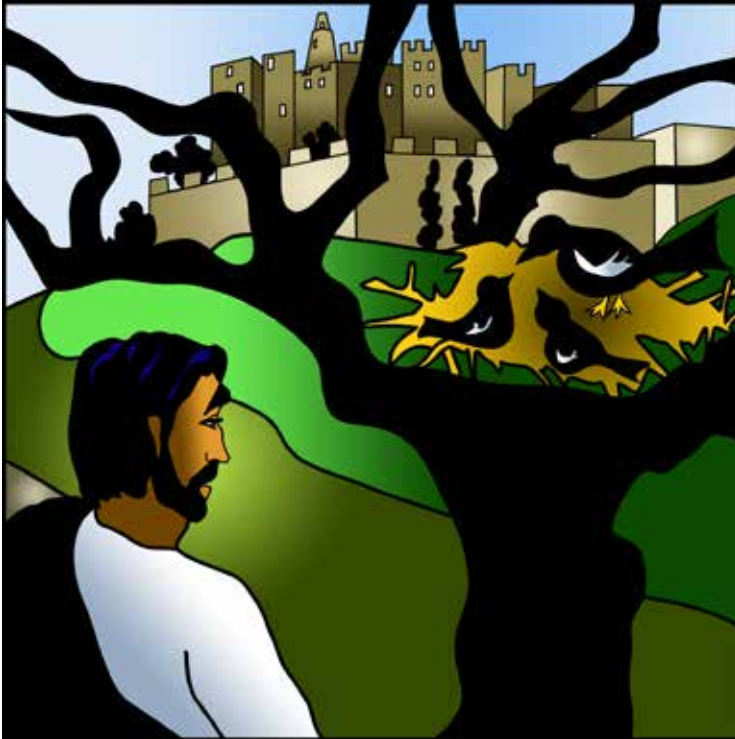


Saturday
June 25, 2022

3RD WEEKEND
IN PENTECOST

Sunday
June 26, 2022



Bethesda Lutheran Church
GATHER...GROW...GO



An Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
(ELCA) congregation



A Reconciling in Christ
(RIC) congregation



A welcoming congregation
for immigrants and refugees

Welcome

Welcome to Bethesda Lutheran Church where all people are respected and valued. We invite you to join our community, which is committed to inclusion, racial equity and anti-racism. We share in God's abundant grace knowing that we cannot be separated from the love of God by our age, race, ethnicity, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, marital status, political beliefs, socioeconomic status, physical or mental abilities or faith background. Learn more about our inclusivity at www.reconcilingworks.org/ric . If you don't already have a church home and would like to join ours, please call the office at 515-232-6256 and we'll connect you to one of the Pastors, and make it easy.

OUR MISSION

GATHER all people into a living relationship with Jesus Christ
GROW as disciples by worship, prayer and study of God's Word
GO into the world to share the gospel in word and deed

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MODERN . . . 5:30 pm on Saturdays . . . Livestream & In-person

TRADITIONAL . . . 9:30 am on Sundays . . . Livestream & In-person

Children are welcome!

Age-appropriate activities during worship
are available in "Busy Bags" at the main entrance to the Sanctuary.

HOLY COMMUNION is available weekly to all.

Bread, wine (red), and grape juice (white) served.

Gluten-free wafers are available.



Hearing assistive devices are available
for the sanctuary in the sound booth.



LIVESTREAM ACCESS

Livestream worship service at www.bethesdaames.org—click on the banner that says "Livestream - Click here 5:30pm Saturdays, 9:30am Sundays and 6:30pm Wednesdays."

Our Facebook page also hosts the Livestreams—facebook.com/BethesdaAmes/ .
Just "Like" our Facebook page and you will receive notification that the stream is starting.

Café Bethesda 2 ways to volunteer

- 1) coordinate a month (*call the church office*)
- 2) just bring treats to supplement our wraps*

Bethesda Congregational Life & Care



JULY 7

Saving Suds

1st Thursday each month Choose one of two shifts: **3:45-5:15** OR **5:15-7:00 pm**

@ Squeaky Clean Laundromat
Give out quarters and soap pods

SIGN-UP TO VOLUNTEER!

tinyurl.com/yvkybd3v



Saturday, June 25

GATHERING

Temple Talk

Gathering Song: *Down to the River to Pray*

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Prayer of the Day

WORD

Reading: Luke 9:51-62

Children's Message

Sermon

Song of the Day: *Come to the Table*

Installation of Leaders in the Congregation

Prayers

Peace

MEAL

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion All are welcome at the Lord's table. Red is wine; white is grape juice.

Communion Song: *Here I Am to Worship*

Communion Blessing

Prayer

SENDING

Blessing

Sending Song: *Everlasting God*

Sunday, June 26

GATHERING

Prelude

Temple Talk

Gathering Hymn: *Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now* (Red #527)

Confession & Forgiveness

Greeting & Kyrie (Red p. 147)

Canticle of Praise (Red p. 149)

Prayer of the Day

Welcome & Announcements

WORD

First Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

Gospel Acclamation (Red p. 151)

Gospel Reading: Luke 9:51-62

Children's Message

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *Will You Come and Follow Me* (Red #798)

Installation of Leaders in the Congregation

Prayers & Peace

MEAL

Offertory

Offering Prayer

Words of Institution & Lord's Prayer (Red p. 154)

Invitation to Communion All are welcome at the Lord's table. Red is wine; white is grape juice.

Lamb of God (Red p. 154)

Communion Hymn: *I Come with Joy* (Red #482)

Table Blessing & Prayer

SENDING

Blessing

Sending Hymn: *Sent Forth by God's Blessing* (Red #547)

Dismissal

Postlude

GIVING
made
easy



SCAN ME

Service, Mission & More



B Sure to Save the Date for our annual Bethesda BBQ Cook-off! We're working on sign-ups and will let you know when we go live!

This position would involve having a knowledge of how the food pantry operates but not necessarily involve any physical/active work within the food pantry.



PRAYER AT BETHESDA

GRIEVING: Bruce & Connie Johnson on the death of her mother, Nadine Cordes, on June 20

HEALING: Bob Ahlstrom; Mark Allen; Katie Brockmeier; Marianne Chalstrom; Sharon Forssman; Mary Kappelmann; Lynzee Makowski; Fred Miller; Caroline Monnig; Tim Burkgren Morgan; Joyce O'Donnell; Julie Pike; Mike Philpott; Cooper Schmidt; Alice Sorenson; Jana Tschopp

SERVING OUR NATION: Colonel Mark Kappelmann, (Senior Army Advisor to Iowa National Guard, Camp Dodge, IA), son of Glenn & Mary Kappelmann

Registration is
LIVE for Vacation
Bible School 2022!
Visit [tinyurl.
com/5d9kdbcc](https://tinyurl.com/5d9kdbcc) or
use the QR code at
right, to view details
and register your
kiddos!



Aug. 8-12 .. 9am-3pm
at St. Andrew's Lutheran
209 Colorado Ave, Ames

...
in partnership with
Bethesda Lutheran and
EWALU Camp/Retreat Center
...
REGISTER tinyurl.com/5d9kdbcc

VBS 2022



**25 Years in the
Neighborhood**
GOOD NEIGHBOR CELEBRATES!



All are invited to a
Block Party: July 3, 4-7
pm, on Clark Ave be-
tween 6th & 7th Streets
(park at Fareway).
Volunteers are needed
too. Visit [tinyurl.
com/4dsw89ed](https://tinyurl.com/4dsw89ed) for
details and to sign up.

We've invited St.
Andrew's middle &
high schoolers to
join us for a GLOW
PARTY! Everyone
is welcome to bring
a friend to the fun,
too. Games, snacks,
music & more!



St. Andrew's with Bethesda

Middle/High Schoolers

@ Bethesda Commons

LET'S

GLOW

CRAZY

Friday, August 5 .. 7-11pm

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Minister	Pastor Bryan Simmons
Saturday Hosts	Joann Short Byrd, Dan & Karen Nettleton
Saturday Musicians	Ed Kaizer, Praise Band Members
Sunday Greeters	Walter & LuAnn Armstrong
Sunday Readers	Arnie Cowan, Glenn Kappelmann, Larry Otteman, Darlene Schmidt
Sunday Musician	Randy Ewing
Sunday Communion Assistants	Russ Melby, Darlene Schmidt, Vicky Thorland-Oster
Coffee Fellowship	Dean & Sharon Axland

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Monday–Thursday
9:00 am–4:00 pm

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Worship Schedule

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