



# Luke Lines

## ***"Daily Bread Isn't Just a Metaphor" by Pastor Corey Shaffer***

*Most of us are pretty disciplined about daily essentials. We drink coffee. We check the weather. We look at our phones (sometimes before our eyes are fully open). But when it comes to God's Word—the one thing Scripture itself calls life-giving—we often treat it like a "when I get around to it" item. ... Peter doesn't.*

*In his first letter, written to Christians who were tired, scattered, and under pressure, Peter reminds them where real strength comes from: "Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation" (1 Peter 2:2).*

*Notice the assumption. Babies don't need reminders to eat. Hunger does the work. Peter says the Christian life works the same way: God's Word is not an optional supplement—it's how faith grows, matures, and survives.*

*That's why daily time in Scripture matters. Not because it earns God's approval (Christ has already done that), but because God actually gives His approval, forgiveness, and strength through His Word. The Bible isn't just information about God; it's one of the main ways God is actively at work for you. The psalmist puts it this way: "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path" (Psalm 119:105).*

*If you've ever tried to navigate a dark room without a light, you know how this goes. You move slowly. You stub your toe. You guess. God's Word doesn't promise to show us the whole map of life—but it does promise enough light for the next step. And that's usually what we need most.*

*This is also why weekly Bible study and Sunday School matter. Christianity has never been a solo project. We hear, learn, ask questions, laugh, and grow together. Sometimes we come confident. Sometimes we come confused. Either way, God meets us in His Word and in the fellowship of His people.*

*With that in mind, I'm excited to invite you to a new Pastor's Daytime Bible Study on the book of 1 Peter, beginning Thursday, February 12th, at 1:00 PM (and continuing weekly at that same day and time). We'll start with a brief icebreaker—just a chance to get to know each other—then dig into this short but powerful letter about hope, endurance, and living as God's people in a complicated world.*

*Come hungry. God is ready to feed you.*

*In Christ, Pastor Corey*

## “Member Care: Making Sure No One Falls Through the Cracks” by Pastor Corey Shaffer

One of the quiet blessings of a healthy church is knowing that when life gets heavy, you’re not carrying it alone. Scripture says, “*Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ*” (Galatians 6:2). That verse isn’t just inspirational wall art—it’s a calling. And it’s one we do best together.

On **Thursday, February 19th at 2:00pm**, immediately following my 1:00pm Bible Study, we’ll be holding an **All-Hands Member Care Meeting in Room 103**. This is a gathering for everyone who has a heart for caring, connecting, noticing, listening, praying, visiting, calling, or simply showing up.

I especially want to invite those who currently *or previously* served in any of the following areas: **pastors, social workers, Lydia Circle** (past members who visited seniors in local nursing homes), **Elders and Couples who take communion to shut-ins, the Prayer Chain, Voice of Caring** (past members who made check-in calls and passed along prayer requests), **Stephen Ministry** (one-on-one long-term care), **Men’s and Women’s Ministries, Family Ministry** (caring for elderly family members), **Social Concerns** (community needs), **Hope Group** (support for caregivers), **Compassionate Care** (outreach missions), **Grief Share, Ministry on Worship** (even if not planning to do visitations with shut-in communion being discussed), and **Discipleship** (developing a needs-based approach to being church).

That’s a long list—and intentionally so—because member care doesn’t belong to one committee or one program. It belongs to the whole body of Christ. And yes, that includes **any worshiper** who might be thinking, “*I don’t know where I fit, but I’d be willing to help in some small way.*” Small ways are often the biggest ways.

Here’s the honest truth, shared with both seriousness and hope: **we have members slipping through the cracks**. Not because we don’t care—but because our efforts are spread out, sometimes disconnected, and occasionally invisible to one another. At this meeting, I’ll be sharing a clear vision for how we can **unify our care**, strengthen communication, and more faithfully serve those who are hurting, isolated, grieving, or homebound—especially our shut-ins.

This won’t be a meeting about adding guilt or piling on obligations. It *will* be about aligning hearts, clarifying roles, and asking a simple question: *How can we love one another better—together?* It will also be an opportunity for you to share your ideas and wishes.

If Christ has placed compassion in your heart (and He has), please join us. Let’s make sure no one walks alone.

In Christ, Pastor Corey

## Council Meeting Minutes

December 9, 2025

6:30 pm

**Attendees:** Jim Nooyen, Paula Heil, Ron Herman, Jeff Rieckenberg, Cindy Weigel, Heather Stainbrook, Jan Fisher, Pastor Corey Shaffer, Dave Mancusi, Nancy Koch, Joel Jensen, John Klingforth

**Not present:** Chuck Gibbons, Jody Cook, Meeting came to order with a quorum at 6:25pm Jim opened in prayer. Minutes from November 11, 2025, were read and reviewed. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Jeff Rieckenberg and seconded by John Klingforth. Motion was carried.

**Treasurer Report given by Jeff Rieckenberg**  
Income for November was \$40281.30 and Expense was \$44035.81 with a negative balance of -\$3754.51 Motion was made to accept the Treasurer's Report was made by Nancy Koch and seconded by Heather Stainbrook. Motion carried.

**Pastor's Report- given by Pastor Corey Shaffer**  
There were 20 private communions, 1 wedding and 1 funeral  
Wedding Thomas Hannum and Tamika Heck  
Requesting Transfers out: Robin Ireland, Tracie Griffith  
Pastor Corey will change up how communion is usually done by forming a single line. He will do it at each of the coming services before doing it for the Christmas Eve Services. This will only be done for special services and not a permanent practice. Motion was made to accept the Pastor's Report was made by Cindy Weigel and seconded by Heather Stainbrook. Motion Carried.

**Parish Administrator report given by Paula Heil**  
No report given

**Family Ministry Report given by Heather Stainbrook**  
Sunday School will host a Happy Birthday Jesus Celebration.

**Worship Ministry Report** given by Ron Herman  
Reminder to ushers that when a door offering is held, an usher must hold the basket at the door to have it remain secure. No Elder meeting will be held in December.

### **Missions Report given by Nancy Koch**

Mission is seeking approval of funds as follows:

\$750.00 TIM Bakers 1 Of 4  
\$750.00-Ashley Lehr 1 of 4  
\$500.00-Peace Campus 1 of 2  
\$500.00- Wis Rapids Family Center  
Total of \$2500

Motion was made to approve the above listed funds by Heather Stainbrook and seconded by Cindy Weigel. Motion carried.

### **Lay Person Report Joel Jensen- No report given**

### **Discipleship Report given by Chuck Gibbons-Not present**

**Social Concerns report given by Jan Fisher-**  
Alums is rewriting the process of which how it is handled. Asked the council if they would be willing to help with the Neighborhood Table if we signed up for a third meal.

### **Other Business**

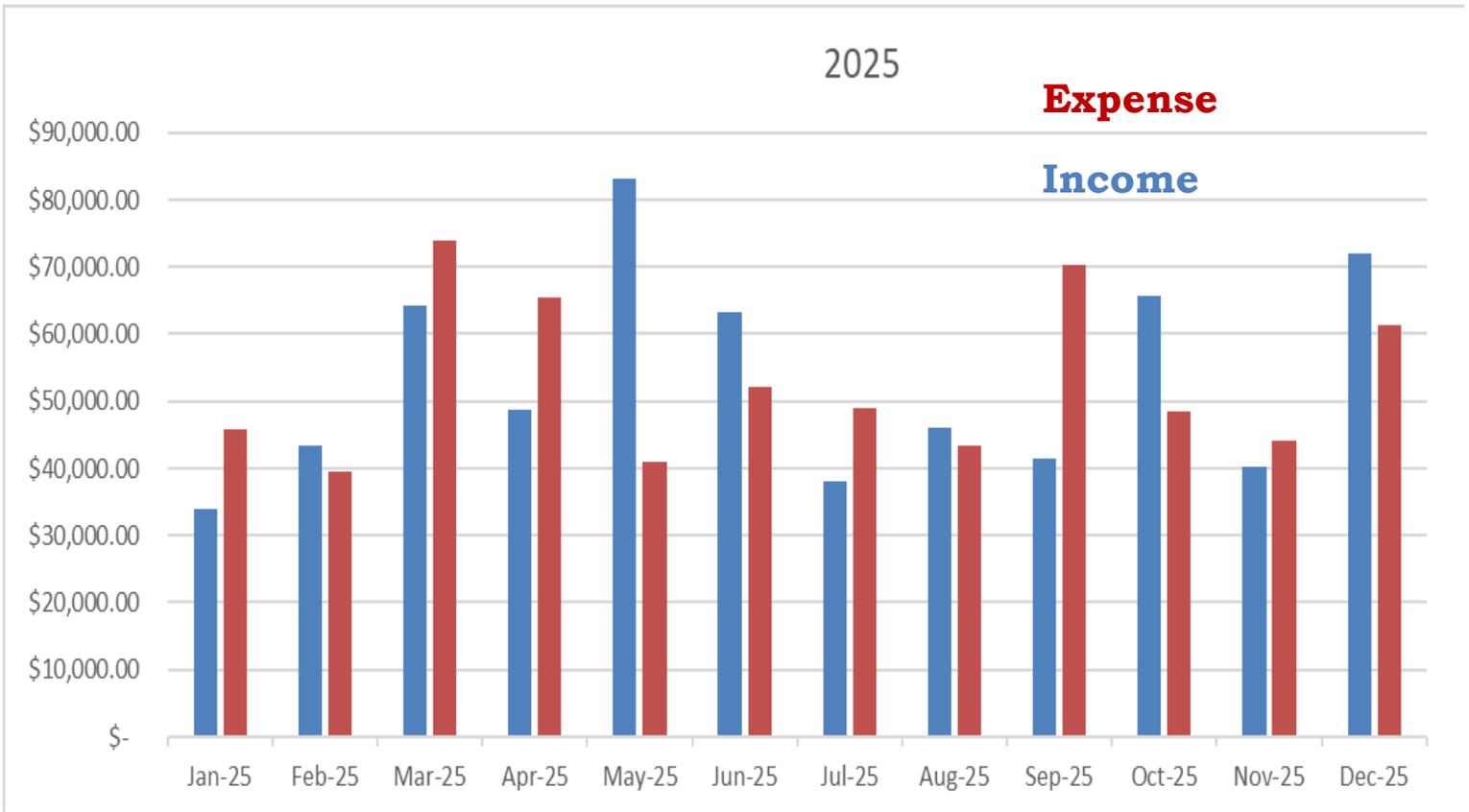
Council approved the proposed short versions of the Qualifications of a Pastor to be presented at the December 14<sup>th</sup>, congregational meeting.

Motion was to approve the shorter version of the Qualification of a Pastor was made by Heather Stainbrook and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Cindy Weigel. Motion Carried

Motion was made by John Klingforth to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Cindy Weigel. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:15pm

Pastor Corey Shaffer closed in prayer.



### OFFICE STAFF E-MAILS

**Pastor Corey Shaffer, Admin Pastor**  
**Elaine Herman, Youth Director**  
**Paula Heil, Parish Administrator**  
**Victoria Hahnenberg, Staff Assistant**  
**St. Luke's Preschool/4K**  
**Newsletter Items (Paula & Victoria)**  
**Jim Nooyen, Congregation Chairman**

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Hello from the library at St. Luke's Church. We are working on making it more usable than just a library. It will be getting a new table and chairs and a new book tower. There will be an open house when all is said and done.

We hope people will feel free to use it for meetings or little gatherings, especially when privacy is needed. You can shut the door and pull up a chair and figure out your problems or at least work on them.

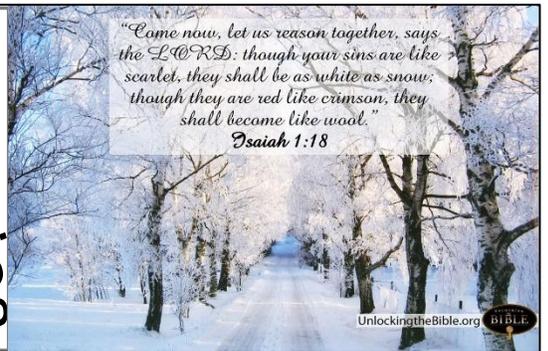


Meanwhile, everyone is still invited to come and borrow a book or two or more on several different topics. Or a movie or so, from children to adult type.



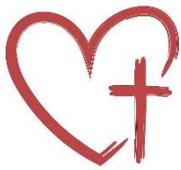
# St. Luke's Youth Activities

## FEBRUARY



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1  Youth Bible Study 412 Young Adult Group	2	3	4 	5  Starla Bungert	6	7
8  Youth Bible Study	9	10	11 	12	13 YOUTH GROUP LEAVES FOR YOUTH QUAKE at 4:00 pm	14 YOUTH AT 2026 DELLS YOUTH QUAKE
15  YOUTH GROUP RETURNS FROM YOUTH QUAKE about. 12:30 pm	16	17	18 	19	20  Samuel Pixler	21
22  Youth Bible Study	23	24	25   YOUTH serve Lenten Meals	26	27	28
25  Youth Bible Study	26	27	28 			

**SUNDAY YOUTH BIBLE STUDY ..... 9:15 - 10:15 AM**  
**WEDNESDAY EVENING YOUTH GROUP ..... 6:00 - 8:00 PM**  
**YOUNG ADULT 412 MEETING ..... 12:00 - 2:00 (meet first SUNDAY of each month)**



# Christ be our Leader

## JAN/FEB 2026

St. Luke's youth seek to be united in Christ, share His love and celebrate our growth in faith.

**THANKS to St Luke's Congregation for all of the support and prayers that you gave to us in 2025!**



As Youth Group members age out they miss the connections that they had with St. Luke's and their former ties to the Youth Group. As a result, the **412 Group** was formed. It is open to all St Luke's Youth that are 18 yrs old and up. We meet the first Sunday of every month from 12:00 to 2:00 pm. Pictured here are Ayden, Kasia, James, Dawson, and Caleb. Put it on your calendars, you are invited to join this new group for study, fellowship, fun, and food!!



After years of use the projector and DVD unit in the Youth Room wore out. Thanks to the generosity of the Veterans of the Cross group, the Youth now have a 65" television in their room. The Vet's group realize that the future of St Luke's lay in our Youth. **THANK YOU VETRANS of the CROSS!!!**



Wintertime puts a bit of a damper on the variety of activities that the Youth get to do, limiting them to having indoor fun. But there is still a vast array of things to do...pool, ping-pong, cards, jigsaw puzzles, basketball, pickle ball...and with the new Big Screen TV and Netflix gaming, they can now play Pictionary, Tetras, etc. They can also use the new technology for Bible study, Christian based family movies and DVDs. To God be the Glory!!!

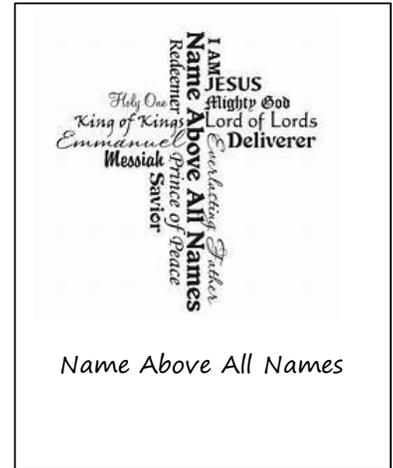
# ALL ABOUT SUNDAY SCHOOL

## January Recap:

- † The Unknown Revealed – Paul Preaches in Athens - Acts 17:16-34
- † Preaching & Perils – Paul’s Ministry & Hardships - Acts 20:1-12; 2 Corinthians 11:22-28
- † Paul’s Prison Protection – The Plot to Kill Paul - Acts 23:12-24
- † All Overboard – Paul’s Shipwreck - Acts 27: 9-44

This year is off to the races; we are already into February. The month that we celebrate Valentine’s Day. There are many people that have a significant other and there are many people that don’t. Whether we have someone or not, there is someone that is always with us. Jesus said that he would never leave us or forsake us. Jesus is not waiting for us to get everything all together. He will take us right where we are. His mercies are new every morning. Jesus wants that relationship with us, He will stand at the door of our heart and knock. How many of us will answer?

Bread of Life. We heard this statement in church and in Sunday School. What does that mean? In the Bible we know the story of the Israelites in the book of Exodus it talks about how they did not have any food to eat. God sent down manna from heaven that they could gather every morning for the day to fill their tummies. It is great when we are satisfied but how many of us have a longing that we feel. As the day go on, we try to fill that hunger (longing) with material things like new toys, new video games, having lots of friends, or the newest technology. God had sent Jesus to fill that hunger. He is called the Bread of Life. Jesus with the help of the Holy Spirit can fill that hunger that cannot be filled by any materials things. This is something only Jesus can do.



Jesus said to them. “I am the bread of life: whoever comes to me shall not hunger and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.” – John 6:35

The bread that came down from heaven – John 6:41

The Living Bread – John 6:51

If you have any questions about Sunday School please contact Heather Stainbrook at (715) 459-6815 or Cindy Weigel at (715) 741-1020.

## Scripture for 2025 – 2026

He said to them, “But who do you say that I am?” – Matthew 16:15

## Book Store News

**Thank you for all your support in 2025!**

**Please stop by and check out the remaining Christmas items, including Christmas cards (if you like to get a head start for next year!)**

**We offer a nice selection of boxed greeting cards. Treat yourself to a devotional book.**

**God’s blessings to you in the new year!**



St. Luke's Preschool / 4K

## February 2026 Preschool

St. Luke's Preschool/4K is always an exciting place to be! Our ministry is to share the love and Gospel of Jesus Christ with families of St. Luke's and the community through a quality Christian early childhood educational experience for 3-5 year olds.

At the end of January the 4K students performed "The St. Luke's Circus under the Big Top!" We saw some AMAZING acts! There were acrobats, tumblers, dancers, strongmen, animals, and a magician. In February the children will hear messages about how much Jesus loves them and celebrate Valentine's Day in their classrooms with valentine exchanges, fun, and games! The week of February 2<sup>nd</sup> we will be celebrating Lutheran Education Week and have lots of fun with special days all week, as well as a family breakfast.

4K will also be starting their community helpers unit. Their classroom will be transformed into a small community that includes a construction zone, a bakery, a daycare, a school, a grocery store, a library and a doctor's office.

PRE-REGISTRATION continues for the 2026-2027 school year. Our theme next year is:

**"Growing with God" – 2 Peter 3:18**

St. Luke's Preschool/4K offers a 5 day class for 4K with a 3 day option. The 3-year-old classes are 2 days a week. Your child needs to be 3 or 4 before September 1, 2026 to be eligible. Be sure and register now to reserve a spot in the class of your choice. Our quality Christian early educational experience incorporates the WI Model Early Learning Standards including a Jesus time curriculum. Our school is nationally accredited and state licensed with an experienced staff. We'd love to have you a part of our Preschool/4K family! Sign up today! Forms can be found in the preschool or church offices, the church's welcome centers, and online.

We would like to say THANK YOU to everyone who helps support our mission in any way! We are very blessed and truly appreciate all you do!

Praying God blesses you this coming year!

### St. Luke's Student Fund

**Vicar Josh Henry is one of the three students the St. Luke's Student Fund has provided grants to for the 2025-26 school year. Following is an update from him:**

Hello extended St. Lukes family,

My name is Josh Henry, one of the students that you have graciously supported through your education funds, it is greatly appreciated. I am writing to give you all an update on what is happening with my family. The two boys, Howard and George, are currently enjoying their winter break and will soon get anxious to return to school. The littlest one, Nora, will then miss her brothers as she desperately wants to start attending school. My wife Jenna and I are very busy with managing all the family functions, working full time, and managing time for me to get my studies in. As this reaches you, I should be returning from my week intensive at St. Louis and completed my fourth class out of sixteen, when I complete class nine, I can be ordained. I have been very busy at church, preaching full time due to the retirement of our pastor, he is now preaching part-time in Kansas and is enjoying the climate due to his health issues he had up north here. We have had some significant illnesses in the family and have appreciated all the prayers that have been sent. I am looking forward to the coming year and the struggles, joys, and opportunities that will bring, most of them unlooked for. God's blessings to you all and again, thank you for all of your support.

Vicar Josh Henry

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Webster, Wisconsin.

**Financial Grants to students going into full time church work or attending a Lutheran college are supported solely by St. Luke's Bookstore sales and by personal donations. Please consider supporting the Student Fund so we can continue supporting students seeking out these professions or schools. A heartfelt thank you for all those members who have provided donations!**



## WOMEN'S MINISTRY CORNER

*From Julie Spice, Vice President,  
St. Luke's Women's Ministry*

Women's Ministry is starting a new year with new officers and a new budget. We have had our Joint Meeting and selected new goals, outreach and inreach funds. We are looking forward to new fundraisers, our Spring Rally and May Women's Ministry Month. Do you have a suggestion for a fundraiser? Either something new or a change to a tried and true one? Contact Pam Hilke (715) 421-3817 or Julie Spice (715)570-7235 if you do. Our first fundraiser is our Pie & Bake Sale March 7 & 8 before and after services.

### Upcoming dates:

- Feb 3**                    6:00pm      WM Exec. Board Meeting - Room 102
- March 3**    6:00pm      "                    "                    "                    "
- March 7 & 8**                                      Pie & Bake Sale – before and after services

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY JANUARY CIRCLE MEETINGS

Lois Circle	Monday, February 9	6:00 pm	Room 103
Anna Circle	Thursday, February 12	10:00 am	Bookstore
Eunice Circle	Thursday, February 12	1:00 pm	Renaissance
Eve Circle	Not meeting in February		
Rebekah Circle	Tuesday, February 24	8:30 am	Room 105
Dorcas Circle	Monday/Tuesday, February 9, 10, 23,	9:00 am	Fellowship Hall

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***Senior Women will meet Monday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>  
at 11:30am at American Table Restaurant***

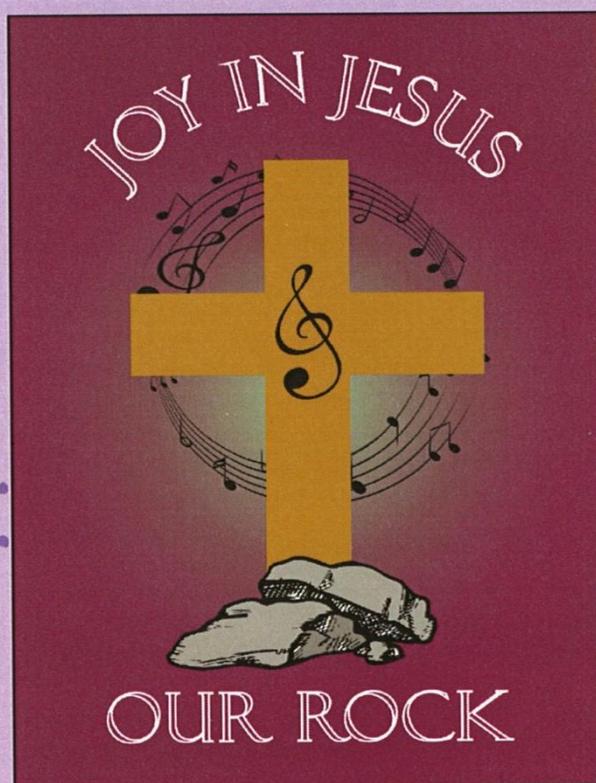
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*We Invite you to Come Join Us*

LUTHERAN WOMEN IN  
MISSION-NORTH WISCONSIN  
DISTRICT

BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO RE-CREATE AND  
RECREATE ON THIS FAMILY FUN WEEKEND



THURSDAY, JUNE 18 - SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2026  
NORTHERN CENTER, NORTHERN MICHIGAN  
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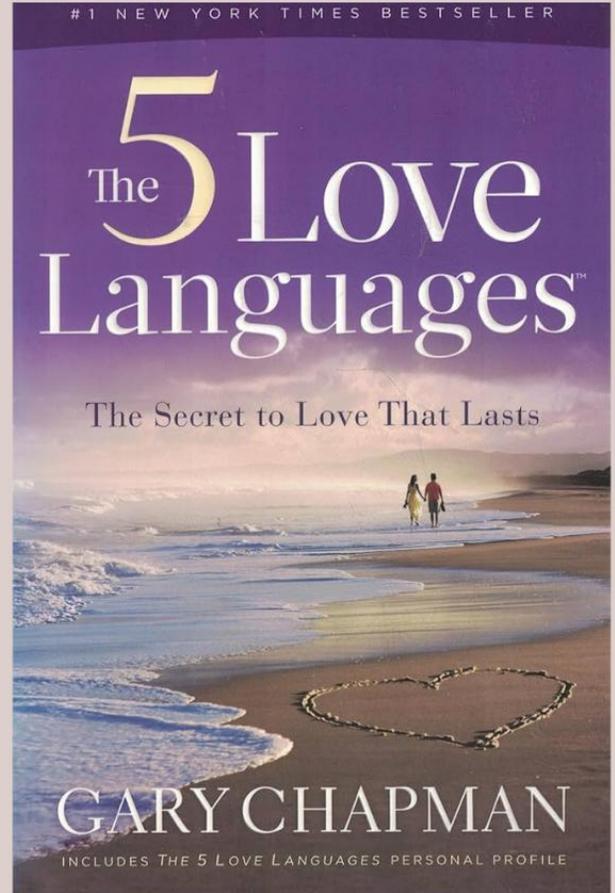
*Psalm 95:1*

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LOVE IN THE NAME OF CHRIST  
**NEW HOPE**  
LIFE SKILLS CLASSES

We are excited to invite you to our upcoming New Hope Life Skills class. Discover the most simple, effective, and immediate way to strengthen your relationship to experience greater joy and satisfaction with your loved ones.

Classes will be geared to strengthening all relationships, not just to couples.



**FEB 17 - MARCH 31, 2026**

MEALS @ 5:30PM WITH  
CLASSES FROM 6:00-7:30PM

**LOVE INC BUILDING**

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Childcare and transportation available upon request.

Register online by February 10 (preferred way), or you may email or call us.

 <https://loveincswc.org/new-hope-life-skills-classes/#signup>

 [loveincswc.org](mailto:loveincswc.org)

 715-424-LOVE(5863)

## **DATES/LOVE LANGUAGES**

Feb. 17: Intro to 5 Love Languages

Feb. 24: #1 - Quality Time

Mar. 3: #2 - Gift Giving

Mar. 10: #3 - Acts of Service

Mar. 17: Off, Spring Break

Mar. 24: #4 - Words of Affirmation

Mar. 31: #5 - Physical Touch and Love Languages for children



The Wenger Camp Luther Scholarship Fund was created in Pastor Tim Wenger’s name when he retired from fulltime ministry after 40 years of serving St. Luke’s. During the month of February, you many contribute toward this fund to honor Pastor Tim and keep the fund going for years to come. You may use a pew envelope and write Wenger Scholarship Fund on the memo line to contribute. This fund provides scholarships for youth in 3rd - 12th grade who have attended Camp Luther in the past and would like to go again.

**OPPORTUNITIES TO ATTEND CAMP LUTHER THROUGH A SCHOLARSHIP**

<https://campluther.com>

1. Camp Luther provides first time campers scholarships to attend their program. For more information on receiving an Every Kid to Camp certificate for your first-time camper, contact [office@campluther](mailto:office@campluther) or call [715-546-3647](tel:715-546-3647). If using this option, and your child wants to bring a friend, complete the form below choosing option 3.
2. For children who have already gone to Camp Luther and wish to go again: Your child(ren) may apply for a scholarship through the Wenger Camp Luther Scholarship Fund by filling out the form provided below (or on the bulletin board in office lobby) and turning it into the church office by **Sunday, March 1, 2026**.

**In Addition: St. Luke’s Compassionate Care Fund is offering a “Bring a Friend to Camp” scholarship in 2026.** This is new this year and one of your child’s friends may be eligible to receive a scholarship as well. Add the name of your child’s friend wishing to attend with your child to the bottom of the application.

Applications will be reviewed and if approved, an approval letter will be sent to each person awarded a scholarship. The letter will provide more information on the registration and scholarship process.

*Please return this form in to the church office.*



**Pastor Tim Wenger Camp Luther —Scholarship Form**

This scholarship is for a weeklong camp in the summer of 2026 at Camp Luther for grades 3rd through 12th grade to anyone who has attended before and wants to go again

Name of Camper \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone or email \_\_\_\_\_

- Option 1- Pastor Tim Wenger Camp Luther Scholarship
- Option 2- Compassionate Care “Bring a Friend” Scholarship
- Option 3- I am going to camp using the scholarship through Camp Luther and would like to bring a friend.

(If applying for the Bring a Friend Scholarship please write the person’s name you are wanting to attend camp with)

Name of Friend: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Friend’s Primary Guardian, Address & Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## *Family Ministry*

The Family Ministry at St. Luke's invites you to celebrate with them the National Lutheran Schools Week 2026! The week provides a special time for us to celebrate the joy and purpose found in Lutheran education. Lutheran education centers on the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Every subject taught, every relationship nurtured and every celebration held reflects the love and promises of our Savior. We thank God for the blessings of our own St. Luke's Preschool which provides a wonderful start to a child's formal Christian education; the terrific staff – Amy, Ann, Susan, Jodi & Bailey and Director Kathy for their devotion and love in sharing Jesus in the classrooms daily and our congregation for over 50 years of supporting and praying for this program. We also recognize and thank God for Immanuel Lutheran School and St. Paul Lutheran School in Wisconsin Rapids – both schools have been a blessing to many of our St. Luke's families for the education they provide students in grades K-8. As you are considering education for your child for the 2026/27 school year, please explore the Christian education opportunities in this area!

**Matthew 19:14** Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

Any Questions or Concerns – please contact me at [hayseed1@charter.net](mailto:hayseed1@charter.net) or by phone, 715-421-5427 / cell 715-323-9650



CELEBRATING  
National Lutheran  
SCHOOLS WEEK

## February Birthdays

Dexter Schoff	Feb 1	Kathleen Wenger	Feb 7	Julia Andres	Feb 20
Donald Sleeter	Feb 1	Randy Herman	Feb 8	Bo Ceplina	Feb 20
Julia Spaulding	Feb 2	Mike Schoenholz	Feb 8	Samuel Pixler	Feb 20
Randall Balko	Feb 3	Madeline La Chapelle	Feb 10	Harlow Enkro	Feb 21
Bill Seipel	Feb 3	Jacob Klingforth	Feb 11	Harvey Henke	Feb 21
Carol Jacob	Feb 3	Debra Ennis	Feb 14	Jeff Odem	Feb 21
Sean MacPherson	Feb 4	Elaine Bruley	Feb 15	Bea Jaye Herman	Feb 23
Ronald Herman	Feb 4	Kimberly Cain	Feb 16	Jordan Young	Feb 24
Linda Wall	Feb 4	Kami Kubisiak	Feb 16	Larry Brandt	Feb 24
Kimberly Koplien	Feb 5	Dorothy Oleson	Feb 16	Mila Romanski	Feb 25
Mark Schoff	Feb 5	Muriel Carl	Feb 17	Genevieve Rickman	Feb 25
Joshua Spaulding	Feb 5	Laura Pixler	Feb 18	Rebecca Knoll	Feb 27
Staria Bungert	Feb 5	Ambrose Damrau	Feb 18	Julie Spice	Feb 27
Peter Captain	Feb 6	Joshua Romanski	Feb 18	Dalen Dahl	Feb 28
Sharon Mahoney	Feb 6	Bob Hall	Feb 18		
Bill Brunsell	Feb 7	Diana Schoenholz	Feb 19		

## February Anniversaries

Jeff & Beverly Guldán	Feb 9	35 years
Corey & Katie Shaffer	Feb 10	18 years
Charles & Kathy Sedevie	Feb 15	51 years
Joshua & Shanna Kreutzer	Feb 27	26 years

## FEBRUARY HELPERS TO WORSHIP

**Elders:** 6:00 Dale Scheunemann  
 8:15 Ron Herman  
 10:30 Steve Duranceau

**Ushers :** 6:00 Bob Hall, Ron Bohn, Jerry Klingforth, Dave Sommerfeldt, Ron Hagen  
 8:15 Dean & Pauline Krommenacker **OPEN, OPEN**  
 10:30 Phil Abel, Paige & Scott Shaffer, **OPEN**

**Altar Guild:** Jan 31 & Feb 1 6:00 & 8:15 Lori  
 Feb 7 & 8 10:30 Bonnie  
 Feb 14 & 15 6:00 & 8:15 Kami  
 Feb 18 1:00 & 6:00 Jenny  
 Feb 21 & 22 10:30 Lori  
 Feb 28 & March 1 6:00 & 8:15 Bonnie

**Pew Maintenance:** Jim & Deb Tellekson

### **Saturday/Sunday, Jan 31 & Feb 1, 2026**

Communion Helpers:	6:00 Harvey Henke	8:15 Jerry Klingforth	10:30	
Readers:	6:00 Dave Urban	8:15 Jan Langhoff	10:30	Barbara Hunt-Caves
Greeters:	6:00 Virgel & Pam Berndt	8:15 Bonnie Rendmeister	10:30	Shirley Wagner

### **Saturday/Sunday, February 7 & 8, 2026**

Communion Helpers:	6:00	8:15	10:30	Herb Kronholm
Readers:	6:00 Jim Tellekson	8:15 Jody Cook	10:30	Dave Urban
Greeters:	6:00 Sandy Sanger	8:15 Sandy Christman	10:30	Carla Brizzee

### **Saturday/Sunday, February 14 & 15, 2026**

Communion Helpers:	6:00 Harvey Henke	8:15 Jerry Klingforth	10:30	Herb Kronholm
Readers:	6:00 LouAnne Pufall	8:15 Cheryl Hasenohrl	10:30	Bill Seipel
Greeters:	6:00 Virgel & Pam Berndt	8:15 Bonnie Rendmeister	10:30	Pam Hilke

### **Wednesday February 18, 2026**

Elder:	1:00 Richard Koch	6:00 Ron Herman
Communion Helpers:	1:00 Ray Jacob	6:00 Harvey Henke
Readers:	1:00 Barbara Hunt-Caves	6:00 Barbara Hunt-Caves

### **Saturday/Sunday, February 21 & 22 2026**

Communion Helpers:	6:00	8:15	10:30	Herb Kronholm
Readers:	6:00 Barbara Hunt-Caves	8:15 Nancy Koch	10:30	Bill Seipel
Greeters:	6:00 Sandy Sanger	8:15 Sandy Christman	10:30	Nancy Mancusi

### **Wednesday February 25, 2026**

Elder:	1:00 Richard Koch	6:00 Ron Herman
Readers:	1:00 Barbara Hunt-Caves	6:00 Barbara Hunt-Caves

### **Saturday February 28 March 1, 2026**

Communion Helpers:	6:00 Harvey Henke	8:15 Chuck Gibbons	10:30 Ron Stowell
Readers:	6:00 Connie Sherd	8:15 Jan Langhoff	10:30
Greeters:	6:00 Virgel & Pam Berndt	8:15 Bonnie Rendmeister	10:30 Arlene Van Duser

**March 1<sup>st</sup> Ushers** 6:00 Bob Hall, Ron Bohn, Jerry Klingforth, Dave Sommerfeldt, Ron Hagen  
 8:15 Dean & Pauline Krommenacker, **OPEN, OPEN**  
 10:30 Phil Abel, **OPEN, OPEN, OPEN**

**March 1<sup>st</sup> Elders** 8:15 Doug Krummel  
 10:30 Richard Clasen

**Ron Herman schedules the Elders,  
 Communion Helpers, & Ushers  
 Ron Stowell schedules the Greeters  
 Barb Hunt-Caves schedules the Readers  
 Jenny Damrau schedules Altar Guild**

# February 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	7
<b>8:15am</b> Worship/HC	<b>8:30am</b> Vets of the Cross	<b>11:00am</b> Ministry on Missions	<b>9:45am</b> Women in the Word	<b>10:00am</b> Griefshare		<b>6:00 pm</b> Worship	
<b>9:20am</b> Sunday School, Youth Bible Study, Parents Group, Adult Bible Study	<b>10:00am</b> Hope Support w/sound <b>11:30am</b> Senior Women @ American Table		<b>6:00pm</b> Choir, Ritnship Small Group, Youth Group, Confirmation	<b>6:00pm</b> Revelation w/Pastor Corey,		<i>Potato &amp; Sausage Pick-Up Sat. &amp; Sun.</i>	
<b>11:45am</b> 412 (YA) Group	<b>6:30pm</b> Walking w/Jesus	<b>6:00pm</b> Women's Ministry Exec. Board Meeting		<b>6:00pm</b> Bibles & Bows			
<b>5:00pm</b> Game Group	<i>Deadline to Order Potato &amp; Sausage</i>			<b>6:30pm</b> GriefShare			
<b>8:15am</b> Worship	<b>9:00am</b> Dorcas Circle	<b>9:00am</b> Dorcas Circle	<b>9:45am</b> Women in the Word	<b>10:00am</b> GriefShare		<b>6:00pm</b> Worship/HC	
<b>9:20am</b> Sunday School, Youth Bible Study, Parents Group, Adult Bible Study	<b>10:00am</b> Hope Support w/sound		<b>6:00pm</b> Choir, Ritnship Small Group, Youth Group, Confirmation	<b>10:00am</b> Anna Circle Meeting <b>1:00pm</b> 1 Peter w/Pastor Corey		<b>6:00pm</b> AA Meeting	
<b>10:30am</b> Worship/HC	<b>6:00pm</b> Lois Circle	<b>6:30pm</b> Church Council		<b>1:00pm</b> Eunice Circle Meeting		<i>Chili Pick-Up Sat. &amp; Sun.</i>	
<b>5:00pm</b> Game Group	<b>6:30pm</b> Walking w/Jesus			<b>6:00pm</b> Revelation w/Pastor Corey			
<b>6:00pm</b> Stephen Ministry	<i>Deadline to Order Chili</i>			<b>6:00pm</b> Bibles & Bows	<i>Leave for Youth Quak</i>		
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<b>8:15am</b> Worship/HC	<b>8:30am</b> Vets of the Cross		<b>9:45am</b> Women in the Word	<b>Office Closed for Prof. Development</b>		<b>6:00pm</b> Worship
<b>9:20am</b> Sunday School, Youth Bible Study, Parents Group, Adult Bible Study	<b>9:00am</b> Card Ministry	<b>5:30pm</b> Love INC meal & Class- 5 Love Languages (See Newsletter)	<b>12:00pm</b> Lenten meal-Lois Circle <b>1:00pm</b> Ash Wed. Service	<b>10:00am</b> Griefshare <b>1:00pm</b> 1 Peter w/Pastor Corey		
<b>10:30am</b> Worship/HC	<b>10:00am</b> Hope Support w/sound	<b>6:00pm</b> Family Ministry Meeting	<b>5:00pm</b> Lenten Meal <b>6:00pm</b> Ash Wed. Service	<b>2:00pm</b> Member Care <b>6:00pm</b> Revelation w/Pastor Corey		<b>Hunter's Soup Pick-Up Sat. &amp; Sun.</b>
<b>5:00pm</b> Game Group <b>Return from Youth Quake</b>	<b>6:30pm</b> Walking w/Jesus <b>Deadline for Hunter's Soup</b>		<b>6:00pm</b> Choir, Rltnship Small Group, Youth Group, Confirmation	<b>6:00pm</b> Bibles & Bows <b>6:30pm</b> GriefShare		
<b>8:15am</b> Worship	<b>9:00am</b> Dorcas Circle	<b>8:30am</b> Rebekah Circle	<b>9:45am</b> Women in the Word	<b>10:00am</b> Griefshare		<b>6:00pm</b> Worship/HC
<b>9:20am</b> Sunday School, Youth Bible Study, Parents Group, Adult Bible Study	<b>10:00am</b> Hope Support w/Sound		<b>12:00pm</b> Lenten Meal- Youth Group <b>1:00pm</b> Lent 2 Service	<b>1:00pm</b> 1 Peter w/Pastor Corey		<b>Split Pea Soup w/Ham Pick-Up Sat &amp; Sun.</b>
<b>10:30am</b> Worship/HC		<b>6:15pm</b> Ministry of Worship, Caring Leaders	<b>5:00pm</b> Lenten Meal <b>6:00pm</b> Choir, Rltnship Small Group, Youth Group, Confirmation	<b>6:00pm</b> Bibles & Bows <b>6:00pm</b> Revelation w/Pastor Corey		
<b>5:00pm</b> Game Group	<b>6:30pm</b> Walking w/Jesus		<b>6:00pm</b> Lent 2 Service	<b>6:30pm</b> GriefShare		
<b>6:00pm</b> Stephen Ministry	<b>Deadline for Split Pea w/Ham</b>					