

Luke Notes * St. Luke's Lutheran Church * June 20 & 21, 2026



*We at St. Luke's dedicate ourselves to grow in faith and to serve together,
and to reach out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.*

Service Info

Worship Services

Saturday's @ 6:00pm

**Sunday's @ 8:15 &
10:30am**

This weekend's service will be shown on television on the following Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Solarus- Channel 3; Spectrum- channel 985. The services are also available on our website.

Livestreaming of the 8:15 a.m. and the 10:30 a.m. Sunday services will be available depending on the availability of our volunteers.

You can access the service at www.stlukeslutheran.com or our YouTube channel St. Luke's Church Wisconsin Rapids.

For those with special needs who attend in person worship, large print bulletins are available from an usher. Assistive listening devices are available in the narthex and in the overflow area. Please do not hesitate to ask an usher for assistance if there is anything else you need.

The Family Room is available during worship services for families to take kids who cannot sit through an entire service. The Family Room is located across from the library.

We have free resources from Project Connect, located in the Narthex for the many steps of life.



Upcoming Events

New Grant for Students Attending a Concordia University

The North WI District LCMS is now providing undergraduate student grants to non-churchwork NWD LCMS members attending a Concordia University. The NWD LCMS stands with our Concordia University System and alongside our NWD undergraduates, encouraging the efforts of both. The grant amount will be based on the amount available to give and the number of qualified applicants. Eligibility details and the application steps can be found at nwdlcms.org under the Financial/Financial Resources tab. The application deadline is July 1. Contact the NWD LCMS office with questions at (715)845-8241.

Attention parents of Highschool Juniors and Seniors... If your child will be attending a Lutheran College this fall or will be going into full time ministry or church work, you may be eligible for financial assistance through the St. Luke's Student Fund. Applications are available in the church office. If you have questions, please contact the church office or one of the trustees of the Student Fund. Application deadline is July 1, 2025. Current trustees are Pam Berndt, Cindy Weigel and Holly Johnson.

The Dorcas Circle will meet in the Shelter house July 14th at 11:30am for a bag lunch!

The Eve Circle meeting date has changed for June. They will now meet on June 23rd.

Youth Trip to Mt. Olympus – Meet at St. Luke's Lutheran church. We will be leaving at 8:45am. Please RSVP by July 1st at 4:00pm so we can assure ticket amounts. For a permission slip, please contact Elaine Herman. We encourage you to bring your own spending money for any gifts or extra snacks that might be available.

This year we celebrate the 250th Anniversary of our Country! Members of St. Luke's, please call or email the church office with your branch or your family members branch of service to be read in our July 4th service prayers.

Bike Races - July 1st and every 3 weeks on Wednesday's for youth group aged kids. June 21st and every 3 weeks on Sunday's for Sunday School aged kids.

Prayer By Name

Prayers for physical, emotional, financial, and spiritual healing and relationship for the following people:

Jody Cook
Randy Balko
Tammy W
William
Marie Austin
Betty Anderson
Donna Zunker
Ron Herman
Chuck Brody
Deb Henry
Ron & Laura Hagen
Anna & Children
Cody Everson
Sarah Foxvog
Dale Scheunemann
Larry Brandt
Tricia Anderson
Sterling
Tami Schaumberg
Garry
Penny
Jean Marie
Majewski
Candy Rosplock
Mike
Bob Hall
Deb Krings
Sue Juenemann
Ray Jacob
Dan Cassiani
Steve Pickett
Scott Pickett
Deloras Ott
Dennis Utecht
Carol Wunrow-
Brody

Weekly Prayers

God of our salvation,
Your Son warned that
Your people would face
opposition from the
world. Give courage and
fortitude to Your pastors
and people, that they
would boldly sing Your
praises, gladly endure
suffering for the name of
Jesus, and continue by
Your grace to the end.

O Lord, You deliver our
feet from falling and our
souls from death. Receive
our thanks for the saints
who have gone before us.
Preserve us in Your grace,
that we may walk before
You in light of life
forever.

Recently Departed

Father, look favorably on
the family of Gregory
Johnson (the husband of
Deanna Johnson), and the
family of Arnie Bischoff (an
in-law of Sharon
Kobishop's daughter; we
ask that You would be their
refuge and strength, a very
present help in this time of
trouble, as You carry them
through the valley of the
shadow of death.



Lutherans For Life Quote Of The Week

June 21 - "Committed, present, and selfless fathers are the antidote to the culture that has embraced abortion. If we want to end abortion and restore a culture of life, then we need men to embrace fatherhood. We need to take on the great mission, the life-long quest of courage, servitude, and faith. So, let's cheer on fathers for the amazing work they do. They're shaping the future, one day at a time, with God's love as their guide." Jeff Gunnarson, Campaign Life Coalition
- A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life •
lutheransforlife.org

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Weekend Bible Readings



Jeremiah 20:7-13

Romans 6:12-23

Matthew 10:5a, 21-23

May 30 & 31, 2026

General Budget= \$11,117.00

June 6 & 7, 2026

General Budget= \$10,494.00
Dedicated= \$215.00

Weekly Update for Weekend of June 13 & 14, 2026

Weekend Worship Attendance= 168
General Budget= \$9,226.67
Dedicated= \$944.34
Weekly Budget Need= \$14,670.35

WEEK AT A GLANCE ~ JUNE

Monday 22 nd	Tuesday 23 rd	Wednesday 24 th	Thursday 25 th	Friday 26 th	Saturday 27 th	Sunday 28 th
10:00am Hope Support w/sound	9:00am Rebekah Circle	6:00pm Youth Group	10:00am GriefShare		6:00pm Worship	8:15am Worship
6:30pm Walking w/Jesus	6:15pm Caring Ministry	6:00pm Relationship Small Group	NO Bible Study			9:20am Adult Bible Study
			6:30pm GriefShare			9:20am Youth Bible Study
						10:30am Worship/HC
						6:00pm Stephen Ministry

Happy Birthday

HAPPY Anniversary

June 22 – Karen Stainbrook

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June 24 – Barbara Kasten

June 25 – Sheryl Joosten, Kaleigh Spaulding

June 26 – Mark Lubeck, Steven Reinolt

June 27 – Anna Greeno, Kayla Kreutzer,
Emma Ihrcke

June 28 – Laura Hagen, Robert Wehland

June 24 – Dennis & Penny Pelot, 21 yrs

June 28 – James & Debra Henry, 51 yrs

Tom & Diane Winkler, 46 yrs

Love INC

Many who reach out to our Connection Center are searching for a sense of community. Love in the Name of Christ's (Love INC) Client Care Coordinators have identified that a third to half of callers express feelings of isolation or loneliness.

We are excited to offer a New Hope Life Skills workshop designed to bring people together who are experiencing loneliness themselves or supporting someone who is. Our hope is to build an ongoing support group after this workshop. If you have a passion for people who need support, we would welcome your involvement.

Any questions regarding the above information, please contact the Connection Center at 715-424-LOVE(5683).

Date: Tuesday August 11, 2026, 10:30 am to 12 noon with a light lunch to follow.

Location: 710 20th Ave. South, Wisconsin Rapids

Register on-line on the loveincswc.org website (preferred way), email info@loveincswc.org or call (715)424-5863 by August 4, 2026.

Free Christian Movie

Join the Walking with Jesus Group on Monday June 22nd @ 6:30pm to watch a Christian movie! The movie will be playing in the Fellowship Hall. We will be watching 'I Can Only Imagine'. Everyone is invited to join. Doors will open at 6:15pm.

Central WI Lutheran High School *Updates*



THANK YOU to ALL who helped make 6/13 such a successful work day!

Enrollment is open for 9th and 10th grades...cwlhs.com/enrollment
School Choice is available for qualifying families.

Work day...June 27 at 5225 Heffron Court (8am-12:30pm-lunch provided)

Looking for volunteers to help clean, paint, set up the building and spruce up the outdoor space to welcome our CWLHS Knights. Please use the link to sign up to volunteer. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080449AEA82EA5FD0-64048163-cwlhs>

Would you consider...purchasing an item from the Amazon Wish List for CWLHS.
https://www.amazon.com/registries/gi/guest-view/IUOAO3FMCDC6?ref_cm_sw_r_apann_ggr-subnav-share_GM39HDG9AFRN9FX0H68S&language=en-US

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