

Luke Notes * St. Luke's Lutheran Church * August 8 & 9, 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

Image of God Conference – We are still in need of volunteers for various areas. Please check out our sign up sheet at each welcome desk in the Narthex and Lobby. If you can help, please sign up in the age group you would like to help in.

If you have a child, grandchild or other family member that would like to attend the conference, please scan the QR code below and fill out the registration form.

Before or on August 18th Early Bird Registration prices:

- 1 Registrants - \$30
- 2 Registrants - \$56
- 3 Registrants - \$78
- 4+ Registrants - \$96



Free Christian Movie – Join the Walking with Jesus Group on **Monday August 17th @ 6:30pm** to watch a Christian movie! The movie will be playing in the Fellowship Hall. Anyone is invited to join!



Schneider Memorial takes up collection in honor and memory of our 1st pastor, Rev. Leonard Schneider. This year Missions has chosen Central Wisconsin Lutheran Highschool to be the Schneider memorial Recipients. Donations will be received through pew envelopes throughout the month of August. Indicate clearly the gift is for the Schneider Memorial.

Looking for volunteers to help with child care during Sunday morning education time. There are two adults scheduled each Sunday. We have one to two children. Please call Jan at 715-572-1803 with any questions or to be added to the rotation.

There will be no Walking with Jesus Group on August 10th.

Risk Management – September 15th @ 6:00pm. This is for those who work with or interact with minors and do home visits.

Looking for more members for the Funeral Committee. Doing this service helps ease the sorrow for family and friends.

If your interested please contact Bea Jaye Herman
715-323-9084

or

Sandy Sanger
715-323-7627

Leave a message with your name and Phone number.
Thank you.



Bless the Preschool!
Throughout the month of August and September, there will be a Blessing Tree in the Narthex and Office Lobby with supplies needed for the Preschool. You may choose an "apple" and donate the supplies in the baskets provided.
Thank you for your generosity!

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
Ron & Laura Hagen
Anna & Children
Cody Everson
Sarah Foxvog
Dale Scheunemann
Larry Brandt
Tricia Anderson
Sterling
Tami Schaumberg
Garry
Jean Marie Majewski
Candy Rosplock
Mike
Deb Krings
Sue Juenemann
Ray Jacob
Dan Cassiani
Deloras Ott
Bob
Donna Scholze
Dale Scholze
David
Marilyn
Shirley Wunrow
Mark Olson
Bonnie & Dave Schudy
Steve Pickett
Bev
Wayne Kronstedt
Donna Prange

Weekly Prayers

O Lord, our God, we do not presume to know Your ways or inform Your judgement. Grant us Your Holy Spirit, that we may know Your Son by faith. Give us wisdom, that we may trust in Your Word amid the stormy seas of this mortal life and be safely delivered from all danger.



Gracious Lord, You stand over all creation. Speak peace to the nations, that war and violence may end. Raise up good and faithful leaders who will act justly and protect the weak, the vulnerable and the unborn from exploitation and oppression.

Recently Departed

Lord Jesus, be near to the brokenhearted and save those who are crushed in spirit, wrapping them in the peace that surpasses all understanding; with the death of their loved ones, be with the family/families of Dennis Utecht --- respectively, the relationship of Brother of Sandy Chrsitman and father of Heather Utecht.

Lutherans For Life Quote Of The Week

August 9 - "Just as powerful, we can relate to stories because, whether we know it or not, we are part of the greatest story ever told. The one that's still unfolding. The one that will last forever. We're part of God's story—the one He's writing—the story of salvation. And because we're in God's story, our story begins even before we were born."

Michelle Bauman, Director of Y4Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

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Weekend Bible Readings



Psalms 18:1-3, 6, 16

Romans 10:8b-17

Matthew 14:22-33

Weekly Update for Weekend of August 1 & 2, 2026

Weekend Worship Attendance= 167

General Budget= \$10785

Dedicated= \$241.00

Weekly Budget Need= \$14,670.35

WEEK AT A GLANCE ~ AUGUST

Monday 10 th	Tuesday 11 th	Wednesday 12 th	Thursday 13 th	Friday 14 th	Saturday 15 th	Sunday 16 th
10:00am Hope Support w/sound	6:30pm Church Council Meeting	6:00pm Youth Group & Bike Races	10:00am GriefShare		6:00pm Worship/ HC	10:30am Worship/HC
6:00pm Lois Circle		6:00pm Wed. Small Group Bible Study	10:00am Anna Circle			9:20am Adult Bible Study
			1:00pm Bible Study			9:20am Youth Bible Study
			6:30pm GriefShare			10:30am Worship

Happy Birthday

August 10 – Don Kich

August 11 – Lori Dressel, Alice Lecher,
Kimberly Hintz

August 12 – Geraldine Enkro, Sarah Foxvog,
Wayne Teske

August 13 – Jennifer Damrau

August 14 –

August 15 – Douglas Kasten, Amy Seipel

August 16 – Kathy Worzella, Stacy Genett,
David Lehman, Brynleigh Young

HAPPY Anniversary

August 11 – Rob & Sheila Walloch, 25 yrs

August 12 – Ronald & Jenny Stowell, 59 yrs
Ronnie & Kimberly Cain, 11yrs

Robert & Tammy Klingforth, 37 yrs

August 13 – Warren & Peggy Mertins, 60 yrs
Peter & Sally Captain, 49 yrs

August 14 – Dale & Laurie Scheunemann, 44 yrs

August 15 – Eric & Marissa Borre, 11 yrs

August 16 – Richard & Vicki Schwalbach, 57 yrs
Bradley & Rhonda Vilbaum, 23 yrs

Back to School Backpack Blessing

**Sunday, August 23rd
10:30am**



Youth Confirmation Overview

**WEDNESDAY, SEPT 16TH
@ 6:00PM**

Confirmation: Lord's Prayer

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 14, 21,
28 & NOV 4, 11, 18
@ 6:00PM**

Sunday School Rally Day

**SUNDAY, SEPT 13TH
@ 9:20AM**

Adult/HS Confirmation Overview

**WEDNESDAY, SEPT 23RD
@ 6:00PM**



Central WI Lutheran High School checks ALMOST all the boxes. . .

- ☒ Rooted in the Gospel
- ☒ Highly qualified, compassionate teachers
- ☒ Small class sizes
- ☒ WPCP Option
- ☒ Deep faith foundation
- ☒ Unique learning opportunities
- ☐ YOU!

That's right! Let's check that last box together and enroll you in a high school experience like no other! Enrollment is now open for incoming 9th and 10th grade students for the 2026/2027 school year! Go to cwlhs.com and click on enrollment and forms at the top of the page. For Wisconsin Parental Choice Participants, please fill out the WPCP application, as well as the school's enrollment form.