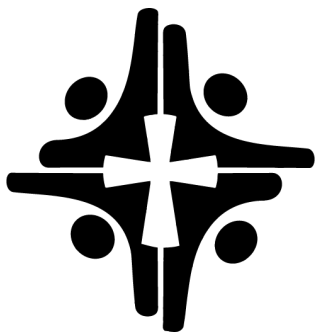




JUNE BUILDER CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Greetings Beloveds,

June starts the summer months where many travel. Be it for vacation, a weekend away, to summer camp, or some other reason. Knowing that many will be traveling, I offer this blessing and prayer for you and your journeys.

O God,
our beginning and our end,
you kept Abraham and Sarah in safety
throughout the days of their pilgrimage,
you led the children of Israel through the
midst of the sea,
and by a star you led the magi to the infant
Jesus.

Protect and guide us now as we enter
summer and many set out to travel.
Make our ways safe and our homecomings
joyful,
and bring us at last to our heavenly home,
where you dwell in glory with our Lord Je-
sus Christ
and the life-giving Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

Amen.

[Adapted from *Evangelical Lutheran Worship*, p. 331.]

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Blessings+

Pastor Cyprian

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Pastor Crystal delivered a taco bar meal to Cafe Q. The annual Pride Day picnic will be held at Lakeside Park June 22. All are welcome to attend and show community support. There will be a number of booths from different organizations present.

An annual audit will be done, and three members have stepped up to fill the positions: Jill Bjornstad, Bruce Nyberg, and Kevin Mahoney.

The Symphonic Band has requested to use the upstairs room on the southwest corner of parish hall. This room would be used for their music library and storage of some of their instruments. A lease will be drawn up regarding such details as establishing perimeters and access into the building, etc.

Our sound system tablet had to be replaced, due to software updates, because of recent problems that have occurred.

Christine Carew/Council President

FINANCIAL REPORT

As of April 30, 2025

General Fund Income:	\$ 21,079.90
General Fund Expenses:	<u>\$ 25,028.20</u>
Net Gain/Loss:	-\$ 3,948.30

The transfer of our accounting system to QuickBooks is underway. Detailed reports will be available when the transition is complete.

GIVING ENVELOPES

Third quarter envelopes, for July—September, will be delivered to the church for you to pick up at your convenience. The packet will be mailed if it has not been picked up by Tuesday, July 15th.

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

The Worship Assistant schedule will be made soon for July - September. There are opportunities to serve in all areas which include assisting ministers, lectors, acolytes, ushers, greeters, run video to stream and record worship, run PowerPoint on Sundays, prepare the PowerPoint slides, communion assistant, and special music. All ages are welcome to participate. Training will be provided if desired. Contact Janet to volunteer or if you have questions - music@oursaviourfdl.org.

TIME AND TALENTS SURVEY

It's not too late to return your survey! The Time and Talents survey is for members of all ages. Additional paper surveys are available at the usher station. Please fill out EITHER the online version using the link in eNews or the paper version of the survey and return it to the church office. Thank you for sharing generously of the gifts that God has given to you.

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WELCA NEWS

- ♦ The women of the WELCA Board will meet via Zoom on **Monday, June 2** at 1:45 p.m.
- ♦ The annual **Ladies Night Out** will be **Thursday, June 12**, at Sunset on the Water. Gather at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:00 p.m. A signup will be posted.
- ♦ Lydia Circle will meet on **Tuesday, June 24** at 1:30 p.m. in the parlor.

BABY CARE KIT DONATIONS

WELCA is collecting for Lutheran World Relief Baby Care Kits during the months of May and June. Each kit includes:

- ♦ Two lightweight cotton t-shirts
- ♦ Two long- or short-sleeved gowns or sleepers (without feet)
- ♦ Two receiving blankets, medium-weight cotton or flannel, or crocheted or knitted with lightweight yarn, up to 52" square
- ♦ Four cloth diapers, flat fold preferred
- ♦ One jacket, sweater or sweatshirt with a hood, or include a baby cap
- ♦ Two pairs of socks
- ♦ One hand towel, dark color recommended
- ♦ Two bath-size bars (4 to 5 oz.) of gentle soap, in original wrapping
- ♦ Two diaper pins or large safety pins

Your donations of items from the list are welcome, as well as money with which to purchase items. Donations may be brought to church on Sunday mornings or during weekly office hours.

SUMMER SUNDAY SOCIALS

Take time to enjoy a snack and fellowship during **Sunday Socials** outdoors under the canopy following worship in the summer months.
All are welcome!

PRAYER LIST

Please call the church office (920-922-0020) or Jill Bjornstad (920-539-9389) if in need of prayers. You can request names to be listed in these announcements, eNews, referred to the Prayer Chain, or both.

2025 GRADUATES

Congratulations to **Harlie Meske**, graduating from UW Milwaukee; **Shandra Schibbelhut**, graduating from UW Madison; and **Hayden Pahnke**, graduating from Moraine Park Technical College, on their accomplishments! Our spring graduates are remembered with a special blessing on Sunday, June 1st during worship.

DAY OF PENTECOST—JUNE 8

Fifty days after Easter, we celebrate the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost. Along with Christmas and Easter, Pentecost is one of the three most important and celebratory days of the church year. We receive the promised gift of the Holy Spirit. On this festival day, everyone is encouraged to wear something red to recall the red of the tongues of flames which descended on the disciples that first Pentecost.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

CAFÉ Q YOUTH OUTREACH

Donations of markers, paint, poster board, foam poster board, long paint sticks, fun stickers for adolescent age kids, glue, and mod podge will be greatly appreciated. Please leave items in the credenza. Thank you for your support!

SOLUTIONS CENTER DONATIONS

In **JUNE**, cleaning equipment (mops, pails, brooms, etc.) will be the requested item for donations. Please leave donations in the hallway credenza. Thank you for your contributions of computer paper in **MAY**.

CARING & SHARING WITH RIVERSIDE ELEMENTARY

Thank you to all who so generously donate clothing and financial gifts to the Riverside Closet. With your contributions, we are able to touch the lives of many children and their families with items they would otherwise go without. The smiles and hugs from the students are priceless. Your gifts let them know they are thought of and cared for.

The following items are needed this time of year in sizes 4T through 14/XL for girls and boys - light weight jackets and hoodies, any summer shirts, shorts, pants, swim suits. Girls dresses and skirts will also be put to good use. Children's shoes and sandals will be gratefully received.

Please put your gifts in the hallway credenza shelves marked for Riverside Closet by Tuesday noon, June 18. The closet will be open next on Thursday, June 19.

May you be blessed as you carry out God's command to "Love one another as I have loved you." Thank you for caring and sharing with students in the Fond du Lac Public School District. You are a blessing to many.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The office may have varied hours during the summer months for staff vacations. Please call ahead if you need to enter the building during the summer.

YOUTH CORNER

Current confirmation students will be going to camp June 15th through June 20th.

COMING IN JULY!

As part of our Performing Arts Series and Centennial celebration, the **Fond du Lac Children's Chorale** will present a concert at Church of Our Saviour on **July 6th at 2:00 p.m.** Amelia Arthurs from our congregation sings with the choir. All are welcome!

JUNE CENTENNIAL EVENTS

Pentecost

Sunday, June 8 - Items from the original cornerstone, from the 2000 time capsule, and those being added in 2025 will be on display in the Youth Room following worship.

Sunday, June 29 - There will be a congregational potluck picnic at Buttermilk Creek Park North Shelter at 11:30 a.m. The Worship Service will be held at church at 9:00 a.m. as usual. Bring a dish to share and lawn chair. Brats, hot dogs, buns, condiments, tableware, and water will be provided. Please sign up on the hall bulletin board so that we know how many brats to grill!

NOON ORGAN RECITALS - JUNE

All are welcome to enjoy a half hour of organ music on **Thursdays** at various churches at **12:15 p.m.** as listed below. Free will donations will be accepted to help fund scholarships for organ students.

- ♦ June 19 at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic Church, W1562 County Road B, Eden, WI by Fr. Tom Lijewski and Wendy Pelletier
- ♦ June 26 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 699 Milwaukee Ave, Lomira, WI by Mark Bollom

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