



**RUMMAGE SALE** - Due to the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration, donations will not be accepted until after July 1. The rummage sale will be on August 13, 14 and 15, 2026. Talk with Brenda Richards with any questions.

*Experience Reflection, Connection, and Divine Inspiration*

# BETTER TOGETHER

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH  
1200 4TH AVE.  
WORTHINGTON, MN

**WEDNESDAY EVENINGS JUNE 17-AUGUST 12**  
**WORSHIP: 6 PM | ICE CREAM: 6:30 PM**  
AT OUR COURTYARD SPACE

Outdoor Worship Experience  
Family-Friendly  
Ice Cream Social Post-Worship

Featuring VOCARE Worship

Values  
Openness  
Call  
Attentiveness  
Regrets  
Experiences

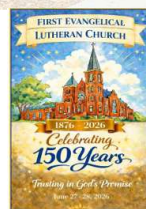
"All Are Welcome! Come for Worship, Stay for the Ice Cream!"

### Serving Scoops and Smiles!

Please join us after church on Wednesday nights beginning June 17 for ice cream! Every Wednesday through August 19, ice cream and toppings will be served in the church parking lot. It's easy and fun to be part of this ministry to our church and community. If you would like to help serve ice cream, give me a call at 507-370-4218. There is not much work, a short time commitment and lots of smiling faces! - Mary Ingenthron

**The office will be closed on Friday, June 19 for the Juneteenth Holiday.**

**REMINDER:** College scholarship applications are due on June 30.



**Join us at the  
First Evangelical Lutheran Church  
150<sup>th</sup> Celebration!!  
JUNE 27-28**

*Trusting in God's Promise*

- ★ **June 27- Saturday Events**  
2:00-6:00 p.m. - Games and Fellowship for the young and the old  
4:45-5:45 p.m. - Sandwich & Chips and Lemonade/water (RSVP)  
6:00-7:00 p.m. - Evening Service in Courtyard followed by Ice Cream in courtyard  
7:00-8:00 p.m. - Evening Gathering to visit and share Memories  
7:00-8:00 p.m. - Guests invited to join choir practice for Sunday

- ★ **June 28 - Sunday Events**  
9:30 - Morning Worship  
11:30 - Catered Meal - (RSVP on the form found on The webpage)  
Open Mic Sharing of memories  
12:30-3:00 - Musical Entertainment and fellowship

Further details will be posted on our website in June.

- ★ We want to know you are joining us!  
Please fill out the **RSVP online form found on the website**, <https://www.felcwgtn.org/>  
or leave a message with your name and number of guests by calling the church office 507-376-6148 or emailing felcwgtn@gmail.com

- ★ **\*\*As a memory of the 150<sup>th</sup> celebration, Mugs and Christmas ornaments will be available to purchase!**

**First Lutheran Church – ELCA**

**1200 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue - Worthington, MN 56187**

Ministers: All baptized members – Jeanette McCormick, Pastor

**Web Site:** felcwgtn.org & **Email:** [felcwgtn@gmail.com](mailto:felcwgtn@gmail.com)

**June 7, 2026 – Loved Poured Out on All (\* = please stand)**

GATHERING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*GATHERING SONG

ELW 641, "All Are Welcome"

\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (p. 94)

\*GREETING (p. 138)

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING: Acts 10:44-48 (Red Bible p. 895)

HYMN RESPONSE

ELW 267, "Joy to the World" (vs. 1)

PSALM 98 (Red Bible p. 480)

HYMN RESPONSE

ELW 267, "Joy to the World" (vs. 2)

SECOND READING: 1 John 4:7-10 (Red Bible p. 991)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 142)

"Alleluia"

\*GOSPEL: John 15:9-17 (Red Bible p. 878)

SERMON

Pastor Jeannette

HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 595, "Jesus Loves Me!"

\*APOSTLES CREED (p. 105)

\*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

\*PEACE (p. 143)

OFFERING/CGC MOMENT

\*OFFERING SONG

ELW 182, "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

OFFERING PRAYER

\*DIALOGUE (p. 144)

\*PREFACE/HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (p. 144)

\*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE (p. 145)

\*LORD'S PRAYER (p. 145)

\*INVITATION TO COMMUNION

\*COMMUNION/LAMB OF GOD (p. 146)

COMMUNION SONGS

ELW 708, "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"

ELW 499, "O Lord, We Praise You"

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (p. 146)

SENDING OF COMMUNION (p. 146)

\*BLESSING

\*SENDING SONG

ELW 537, "On Our Way Rejoicing"

\*DISMISSAL (p. 146)

## SUNDAY SERVANTS

**ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR** Morgan Vosburgh  
**ACOLYTE:** Lexi Kleve  
**SOUND:** Pat Demuth  
**POWERPOINT:** Glenda Lais  
**PIANIST:** Beth Westra  
**VAN DRIVERS:** 6-7 Matt Russell (360-5835)  
6-14 Larry Woodbury (360-2689)  
**GREETER:** Jane Benson  
**LIVESTREAM:** Debbie Koob  
**COFFEE:** Doug & Julie Christensen & Kathy Craun

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 65      Attendance a year ago: 75  
Attendance Last Wednesday: 0      Livestream: 320

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**Members:** Grace McGaughey, Laura Christensen, Bob Benson, Linda Towne, Mike Vosburgh, Logan Waldner, Shirley Frisch, Erin Schutte-Wadzinski, Wadzinski Family, Leroy Merkel, Alvin Kuehl, Jean Black, Dennis Zierke, Kathy Summers, Glenda Lais, Val Veen, Zach Kempema, Gayle Huehn, JoAnn Kruse, Charlene Wachter, Marilyn Frisch, Julie & Denny Christensen

**Members in Nursing Homes:** Joan Tofteland

**Members in Care Facilities:** Rosann Boots, Karen Lewis, Jean Bender

**Family Members & Friends:** Connie Ness (friend of Vickie Milbrath), David King (friend of Kevin & Pam Fleming), Verna Hill, (mother of Mary Ingenthron), Avrey Smith (brother of Austin Peters-Smith), Tiah Colacci (friend of Pastor Jeanette), Aaron & Amy Koob (nephew of Dale & Debbie Koob), Rita Knutson, Wendy Frodermann (family of Eric & Lisa Milbrath), Rachael Felske (granddaughter of Karen Buchman), Darlene Voxland (Aunt of Lisa Waldner), Suzy Wilson (cousin of Gayle Huehn), Ken Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing and Nancy Hellstrom), Vickie Bierman (sister of Lisa Waldner), Darlene Vaala (grandmother of Tiffany Neugebauer), Debbie Schannaw (daughter of Gayle Huehn), Rick Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing & Nancy Hellstrom), Kelly Reeves & family (Friend of Lisa Waldner), Maghan Fleming (Daughter-in-law of Kevin & Pam Fleming, Mark Richards, Joe Christensen (son of Nora Leinen & Gene Christensen), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son)

**Our service men and women and Love INC**

## FELC SCHEDULE FOR Juen 8-14, 2026

Monday – 8      **9:00AM**      **BULLETIN DEADLINE**  
5:00-8:00PM      Community Kids Camp (VBS) @ American Lutheran

Tuesday – 9      7:00AM      Early Risers Bible Study  
2:00PM      Meadows Bible Study  
5:00-8:00PM      Community Kids Camp (VBS) @ American Lutheran

Wednesday – 10      6:30PM      Card Ministry  
5:00-8:00PM      Community Kids Camp (VBS) @ American Lutheran

Thursday – 11      5:00-8:00PM      Community Kids Camp (VBS) @ American Lutheran

Friday – 12      Pastor's Sabbath Day

Saturday – 13

Sunday – 14      8:00AM      Grace Lutheran Worship  
9:30AM      Worship – Abiding Love, Bearing Fruit

**Radio Broadcast Sponsor:** In memory of George Koster, Kathy Craun's father.  
(Service time is 8:00 am on the radio 104.3 FM.)

**Why we sing** *Jesus Loves Me* alongside today's readings is because the heart of the Gospel is not complicated: "God is love," and that love has been poured out for the whole world. Jesus commands his disciples to abide in love as he has loved them. Written by Anna Bartlett Warner for a scene comforting a dying child, this simple hymn has endured because it expresses a truth profound enough for every stage of life. Its gentle words proclaim not a sentimental faith, but a steady assurance that we belong to Christ and are held by grace. Even theologian Karl Barth, when asked about his deepest theological insight, famously replied, "Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so." As we sing today, we are reminded that the church's calling is not to guard God's love for a select few, but to rejoice that it continues to overflow across every boundary, embracing all whom God calls beloved.

**NOISY OFFERING** – We will not be collecting Noisy Offering for the months of June and July due to the anniversary and summer trip. We will resume collecting on the last Sunday in August.