



# Martin Luther

Evangelical Lutheran Church & School



**WELS**  
Christ's Love, Our Calling.

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## Welcome to Martin Luther!

We want to extend a warm welcome to everyone here today, especially our guests. We would love to be of service to you and pray that the message you hear today be a blessing for you. Please sign the Friendship Register and be sure to include whatever information might help us serve you better and after noting the name of those worshiping with you, say “Hello”!

## If this is your first time with us...

- Please be advised that the congregation stands for the last verse of each hymn we sing.
- Large print hymnals are available in the narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.
- Hearing assistance is provided by telecoil. Switch your hearing aid to the T setting.
- If you need to quiet your child during the service, please make use of the parents’ room attached to the narthex, the extended narthex and school hall, or the church basement.
- If you have questions or need assistance with anything, please ask an usher.
- Understand that our offerings are part of how we at Martin Luther Church and School express our thankfulness to God and return part of the blessings he has given us.
- When we celebrate Lord’s Supper we do so as a unified body of believers having one confession and practice of Christian faith (1 Cor. 10:17). All visitors who wish to join us in receiving the Lord’s Supper are asked to talk to a pastor before the service begins.

## Assisting in worship today

	<b>Wednesday 6:30</b>	<b>Saturday 5:30</b>	<b>Sunday 9:00</b>
<b>Organist</b>	Cindy Becker	Austin Wenker	Lois Werner
<b>Greeters</b>		The Bergs	The Lienhards
<b>Ushers</b>	Gordy Korthals, Erich Busse, Will Busse, Sam Busse	Gordy Korthals, Erich Busse, Will Busse, Sam Busse	Jerry Keup, Nathan Smith, Aaron Wintheiser, Dan Smith

## This Week at Martin Luther

Sunday	9:00 Worship 10:00 Family Bible Hour: “Lost Books?”—Who set up those rules?
Monday	9:00 Clean Church 6:30 Finance Committee
Tuesday	10:00 Bible Study—Matt. 26, Jesus is arrested and tried; Peter denies his Lord. 6:00 Sisters in Scripture
Wednesday	6:30 Worship (Usher: 9)
Thursday	
Friday	
Saturday	5:30 Worship (Usher: 10; Greet: Busse)
Sunday	9:00 Worship under the Oak Tree (Usher: 8; Greet: Lund) 10:00 Family Bible Hour: “Lost Books”—A look at books left out of the Bible

**HOSPITAL REPORT** Released from Aurora: Mrs. Deb Paulsen.

**FAMILY BIBLE HOUR** This Sunday we begin a new study entitled “Lost Books” which explains why some books are in the Bible and not other religiously connected writings.

**TUESDAY AM BIBLE CLASS** We continue studying the Gospel of Matthew with Jesus entering Jerusalem for the last time. Come join us in discussion of the life and times of Jesus.

**SISTERS IN SCRIPTURE** This week we will be starting a summer study of the book of Titus. If you have a copy of the People’s Bible, please bring that along. Study guide questions will be provided. Hope to see you at 6:00 on Tuesday. We meet in the After School Program room.

**ADULT CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED** Mrs. Krahn is expecting their second child, so we need a replacement director for our Adult Choir. If you wish to volunteer or want to suggest a name of someone you feel has the gifts and abilities to be our choir director, please talk to Worship Chairman, Tim Price or talk to one of the Pastors. Mrs. Joanna Ericson of the Worship Committee will help us organize special music and choirs for the Centennial, Christmas & Easter.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** Our ECM director Mrs. Erika Martin and family have found a house to buy. They close on the house July 10. Mrs. Martin will be coming here by July 1 and needs housing to July 10 when she and husband Greg go back and move to Oshkosh. We need housing for Mrs. Martin and volunteers to drive a truck from Michigan to Oshkosh July 15-16. If you can help with housing or moving, please contact Dan Smith at [dan.smith@drexelteam.com](mailto:dan.smith@drexelteam.com).

**KOINE CDs FOR SALE** There will be Koine CDs available for sale in the extended narthex between Sunday services for the next several weeks. We have a limited number of each of their 7 full-length albums on hand, and can order more if we run out. Cash and carry for \$15 each. If we are out of one that you would like, please check back at a later date to see if we have received additional copies. Pick yours up today to enjoy the beautiful sounds of their music! Please call or email Amy Heinzelman at (920) 573-1620 or [saheinzelman@gmx.com](mailto:saheinzelman@gmx.com) if you do not attend Sunday services but would like some of their music.

**BAPTISM** In Sunday's service, Benjamin Dean Frey is brought for Holy Baptism by parents Aaron and Katy Frey and sponsors Bryan and Jeanna Lienhard. The Lord's richest blessings to Benjamin and family!

**PROPERTY** We are looking to build a list of volunteers to do maintenance around the church and school. There is no obligation for signing up; you would be notified as help is needed and if you are able to assist at that time you make that commitment. Sign up in the extended narthex. Contact Matt Brock [mattbob.brock@gmail.com](mailto:mattbob.brock@gmail.com) if you have questions. Can you help keep our church clean? We are looking for new volunteers willing to sign-up for a week to clean the church or help with group cleaning on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month at 9 a.m. Please sign-up in the extended narthex or contact Paula Nimmer [pnimmer@new.rr.com](mailto:pnimmer@new.rr.com) if you have questions.

**MARTIN LUTHER'S CHRISTIAN DAY SCHOOL** is now enrolling for the 2017-18 school year. We offer half day, school day, and full day K3 and K4 and full day K5 through Grade 8. If you are interested in more information please contact the Martin Luther office.

**WATER BOTTLES** Martin Luther has 2 new water bottle filling stations! Buy your bottles to fill at the office or by contacting Sara Smith at 920-216-2342. Bottles are \$10 each and proceeds go towards the purchase of the water bottle filling stations.

<b>Attendance at Worship</b>	<b>Attendance at Bible Study</b>	<b>2017 Offerings and Other Income</b>
Wednesday 20	Family Bible Hour 18	Last week Receipts/Average needed
Saturday 63	Tuesday 10:00 7	\$12,587/\$13,357
Sunday 130	Tuesday 6:00 5	Year to date Receipts/Expenses
Total 213		\$307,000/\$283,352

**ADULT LIBRARY** Fathers Day will soon be here and we will be honoring our fathers. Of course our greatest Father is God in Heaven from whom all blessing flow. Another father is Abraham, to whom three world religions look as their father. Books available for further reading are: *The Wonders of God; Abraham: A Journey to the Hearts of Three Religions* and *Abraham, Faithful Patriarch*. We find many men in scripture who are strong and are good examples because they follow the teachings of our Lord. A few are: *Paul: A Man of Grace and Grit; Joseph, Forgiving Brother; Solomon, Wise Man and King Author of Proverbs; and David, King and Author of Psalms*.

**VBS DAY CAMP** at Martin Luther will take place July 17-21. Camp Phillip staff will be joining us again this year. Registration information is at our website under the Events tab. Day Camp is for students who will be in 4-year-old Pre-K through Grade 6 next year. Older students through Grade 12 may serve as cabin leaders and junior cabin leaders. We will also need adult volunteers to help with lunch, snacks, crafts, Bible lessons, meals for the Camp Phillip staff, and other areas. Sign up on the sheet at the Information Center if you would like to help in one of these ways.

**FVL NEWS**—The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual **Golf Outing** will be held at the Royal St. Patrick Links in Wrightstown on 6/15. Sponsorship & registration forms can be found at [fvlhs.org](http://fvlhs.org) on the HUB. Due to the resignation of FVL's **facilities Manager**, applications are currently being accepted to fill this position—go to [fvlhs.org](http://fvlhs.org) and the job is posted on the front page.

**WLA NEWS**—The **Tee it Up for WLA** is Friday, June 30, featuring golf and great fellowship, all in support of WLA. Some of the additional options include hole sponsor, event sponsor, cover a pastor or teacher, or come for dinner only. Register at [wlavikings.org](http://wlavikings.org) at the WLA office.

**REFORMATION 500** The Northern Wisconsin District will be holding a district-wide worship service this fall to celebrate the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation. The service will be on Saturday October 28, at 2:00 p.m. at the Fox Cities Performing Arts Center in Appleton. The guest preacher will be Professor Paul Koelpin from Martin Luther College, and the choirs of Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Fox Valley Lutheran High School, Manitowoc Lutheran High School, and Winnebago Lutheran Academy will participate in the service. Plan now to attend!

**MARTIN LUTHER CHURCH 100** Our congregation's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration is planned for the weekend of November 4-5. Our guest preacher for the anniversary service will be Pastor Joel Zank, president of the WELS Northern Wisconsin District. Also as part of our anniversary year celebration we will be welcoming our former pastor, Rev. Steve Sauer, as our guest preacher the weekend of September 16-17 as we focus on the blessings of Christian education.

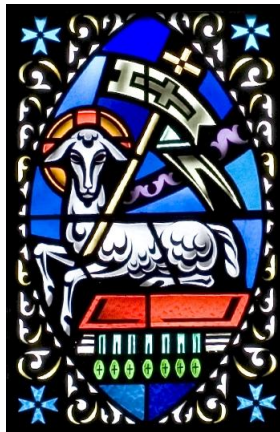
**WORSHIP NOTES AND CHILDREN'S BULLETINS** We wish to thank Pastor Dave Aderman for making a stand for displaying our weekly Worship Notes and Children's Bulletins. The Worship Notes offer focus and highlights for teens and adults. We hope you will find these to be a useful tool for capturing the teachings of our weekly worship.

**NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP THEME IS BAPTISM** We highlight the stained glass window on the east side transept of church, second one down on the left of the three middle windows. The window depicts a shell in a triangle (representing God) and water pouring down into a baptismal font. The favorite hymns for this service are 449, "Children of the Heavenly Father," 297, "Baptized in Water," and 332, "Go My Children with My Blessing."

## This Week's Stained Glass Windows



**God the Father**



**God the Son**



**God the Holy Spirit**

