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The Fisher



A newsletter for the members and friends of Bone Lake Lutheran Church, Luck Wisconsin June 2017

*For in six days the LORD made heaven
and earth, the sea, and all that is in
them, but rested the seventh day ~
Exodus 20:11*

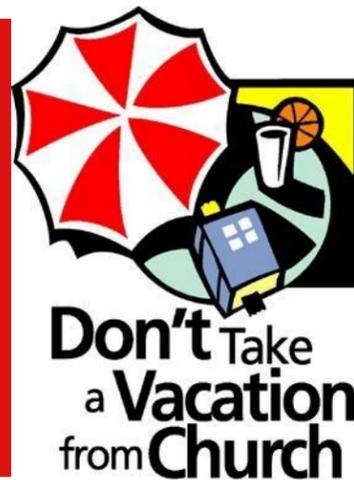
The May Fisher was sponsored by: Pastor Ann To the glory of God. There are a few months still available if you would like to sponsored the Fisher.

Join us Sunday for Worship & Fellowship



SUMMER WORSHIP TIMES

Bible Study: 8:30a
Worship: 9:30a
Fellowship: 10:30a



**KNOWING
JESUS ~
MAKING
JESUS
KNOWN**



We are a Golden Rule Church.

Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

Matthew 7:12



Acts 2 is one of my favorite portions of scripture. Written by the same writer who wrote the gospel of Luke, this passage tells us all about that amazing and unique day in the history of the Christian church: Pentecost. That Jesus was going to send the Holy Spirit was not a surprise to his followers. In fact, it was only a few Sundays ago in worship where we heard Jesus tell his disciples he was going to leave them, but that they would not be alone. He said, "I am going to send another Advocate to be with you forever." (John 14:16) Advocate means helper, comforter, counselor. This is who the Holy Spirit is—one sent by Jesus for us, to abide in and with us, and to help us as we journey in faith.

On that first Pentecost day—the day the Spirit came, the day the Christian church was born and set into motion for the sake of the world—it was unmistakable that the Spirit was at work. There came the sound like a rush of violent wind, tongues of fire appeared over every person's head, and people began to speak, not in mysterious tongues, but in the languages of the world!

We cannot control how the Spirit wants to work in us or in our church, but we **can** pray for our hearts and minds to be open and discerning as to how the Spirit is guiding us. Certainly, we can trust that wherever the Spirit leads us will be used for the glory of God's Kingdom here on earth. The journey the Spirit takes us on may be an uncomfortable one for us, painful even, but it is reasonable and wise to assume that whenever the Spirit doing work intended to transform and change us—all to the glory of God—there will be growing pains.

June 4th is the Sunday we celebrate Pentecost and hear this grand story again. We invite you to worship, to gather, all together in one place, and be assured again of Christ's presence in our lives through the Word, through the sharing of his peace, and in the breaking of the bread and the drinking of the wine—his body and blood, given and shed for you! May the Holy Spirit open your eyes and ears as you continue on your journey of faith!

Pastor Ann

Mark your Calendars for the week of July 23rd – Traveling Lego Luther Rose

Don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to participate in constructing the Lego Luther Rose. In celebration of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation, our synod has made available to us this traveling Lego kit so that we can work together in fun and fellowship as we

**Bone Lake Lutheran Church
"Knowing Jesus ~ Making Jesus
Known"**

**Council Meeting Thursday May 11th,
2017 6:00pm**

Call to order: Martha Solfest,

Those present: Tammy Brenizer, Karoline White, Pastor Ann, Jeff Pfaff, Martha Solfest, Brenda Buck and Tonya Eichelt

Devotions: Martha led devotions from Christ in Our Home- What if....

Secretary's report: Motion by Tonya to accept the Secretary's report as presented, Tammy seconded. Motion carried.

Pastor's report: In April Pastor attended the synod assembly, visited at homes, UPH and the hospital and enjoyed "Coffee with Pastor" at UPH. She presided over two baptisms and Holy Week and Easter services. She will have an Apple River Conference meeting in May and continue with visits. Confirmation camp will be June 11.

Worship report: Karoline reported that the Worship Team will be meeting soon. We discussed ways to encourage help with treats and clean up in the kitchen after fellowship. Sending post card reminders and adding treat and kitchen help to the duties letters sent by the office was another idea discussed.

Education report: Karoline reported as the school year is wrapping up plans are in place for next year. Dana will continue with Wednesday night Refuel. Nikki, Jeanne and Sara will be taking over Sunday morning. Karoline attended a Youth Networking Meeting and came back with information about the 2018 Youth Gathering in Houston.

Property update: Jeff reported that Andy has received electrical parts

from Steve Ayde to fix the lighting issues on the Marquee sign in front of the church. We have an anonymous donor to pay for the supplies. Still having some issues with the water. We rent the equipment from Culligan. The equipment has been around for a while. Might be time for some upgrades. Culligan has been contacted about the problems. Always seem to end up talking with an office person. Would be nice to talk with a technician about the water. Thinking we should have the water retested. I will call Culligan soon about our concerns.

Spring cleanup is Tuesday, May 16th starting at 5:30. Dana is going to take the lead in road side clean up this year.

Old Business:

Martha and Jeff took care of the line of credit renewal at Frandsen bank. The normal fee was waived since we're a church. The line of credit is renewed for five years. Update on Fund 1- Tammy talked with Thrivent and has paperwork that we'll need to complete. She will meet with them.

Sunday, May 14 Jeff and Karoline will give a quarterly update on property and worship/education. Tonya and Tammy will do financial update on May 21 and Brenda will share info on how easy Vanco is to use.

New Business:

No Potlucks~~ June - September restart 1st. Sunday in October. Terri has given Mike \$100 for gas and maintenance supplies for the lawn mower, she'll need to do that again later this summer. We discussed the Bold Generosity campaign, tossed around ideas for how Bone Lake can participate. As a council we will individually pray about how we can each participate ourselves.

(COUNCIL MINUTES CONT)

We talked about possible quarterly presentations to share what awesome things the campaign is doing. Pastor shared a reading about adaptive change-changing a belief is hard because it requires a lifestyle change. Pastor is meeting with the Bishop next week and expects to get more info and/or ideas.

Treasurer's report: Tammy and Tonya presented the treasurer's report. Brenda made a motion to accept the report, Karoline seconded. Motion carried.

Counters for June

- 4** Brenda & Karoline
- 11** Martha & Brenda
- 18** Tonya & Martha & Tammy
- 25** Jeff & Tammy

Next Meeting: June~~ Tuesday, 13th @ 6PM~~ July Meeting is tentatively set for July 19th. Karoline will lead devotions.

Closing Prayer-Pastor led closing prayer.

Adjourn: Tammy made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jeff seconded. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda Buck

BONE LAKE LUTHERAN CHURCH'S WOMEN'S MINISTRY



Kevin Meeds	06/01
Brady Lunsmann	06/01
LeRoy Brenizer	06/03
Jeff Pfaff	06/03
Lisa Roberts	06/03
Mari Kosin	06/05
Laura Ramich	06/05
Alicia Johnson	06/05
Wally Rich	06/06
Bob Dueholm	06/07
Wayne Johnson	06/07
Jacob Eichelt	06/07
Ann Boland	06/07
Ryan Jones	06/08
Brian Randall	06/09
Joan Sorenson	06/11
Lois Olson	06/14
John Fenning	06/14
Jim Svoboda	06/14
Kelsey Carey	06/14
Ray Dumire	06/15
Nathan White	06/16
Jessica Cramlet	06/17
Kendra Mosay- Buck	06/17
Bruin Mattson	06/17
Bonnie Fjorden	06/18
Morgan LeClair	06/21
Al Girard	06/23
Andrew Sund	06/23
Jordan Bazey	06/23
Ruth Sorenson	06/26
Brenda Buck	06/27
Bob Solfest	06/28
Christopher Steffen	06/28
Steve Tonnar	06/30
Sandy Fisher	06/30
Jeanne Fisher	06/30



Dorcas : June picnic @ noon
 Faith: not meeting until Sept
 Naomi: June 12th 7pm @ church
 Reflections of Grace: Not meeting until fall

Just a quick thanks to everybody who attended and ordered from our Pampered Chef Party. Also, thanks to everybody who ordered online. We earned \$240 in free merchandise and a chance to buy 5 products at 1/2 price. once again, THANK YOU !!
 Mary, Jessica, and Sharon

W/ELCA

The General Meeting for WELCA is Monday evening, June 19th at 7:00p, refreshments will be served. Please join us as we conduct the business of the women of Bone Lake Lutheran Church. Fair business will be discussed.

June 17 -- The United Pioneer Home is having a Bake and Craft Sale starting at 8am. Please consider donating some of your tasty baked goods to the sale to provide for the residents extra activities.

The Retired Teacher's Luncheon will be 8th noon at Bone Lake Lutheran Church

Don't Forget!

The Polk County Fair is July 27-30. There will be sign up sheets coming out soon. Everyone's help is needed to make the fair booth a success!

BONE LAKE LUTHERAN CHURCH

(cont for previous page) construct this large version of the Luther Rose. We have it only for one Sunday and one Wednesday, starting on July 23rd. Please make plans to come to worship and enjoy putting the rose together at fellowship after worship on Sunday. We may even have a short worship service on Wednesday, July 26th, to finish the project and then disassemble it together to send it off to the next church that gets it. You won't want to miss this!

New this summer ~ Luther Travel Packet!

The worship team has prepared a travel packet for you to use when you are away from home this summer and unable to attend church. Included in the pack are "Flat Martin" and "Flat Katie" (along with instructions of how to put them into use as you travel), a fun guide to use for family discussion or prayer using jellybeans, a copy of Luther's Small Catechism and a pamphlet to help your family discuss and learn more about this important document of our Lutheran tradition. We hope it will deepen your faith and understanding about what makes being a Lutheran so awesome!



A special Thank You to Pastor Ann Fenlason for the special Sunday dedication in memory of Dahle and the church friends. Many visits to Dahle in the hospital when he had a heart attack while in the hospital and ECU. Also prayers and cards when Mabel had double eye surgery and several health problems and had to stay down in the Twin cities for extra care. Thanks for everything. No one realizes what this is like until it happens in your own family.
 Thanks to the many special friends in Bone Lake Lutheran Church
 God's Blessings to everyone
 The Jenssen's

Thank you for all the prayers, cards and visits during my surgery and recovery. God Bless ~ Jim Albee

SUNDAY READINGS

JUNE 4
 Acts 2:1-21
 Psalm 104
 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13
 John 20:19-23

JUNE 11
 Genesis 1:1-2:4a
 Psalm 8
 2 Corinthians 13:11-13
 Matthew 28:16-20

JUNE 18
 Exodus 19:2-8a
 Psalm 100
 Romans 5:1-9
 Matthew 9:35-10:8

June 25
 Jeremiah 20:7-13
 Psalm 69
 Romans 6:1b-11
 Matthew 10:234-39



BONE LAKE LUTHERAN CHURCH WORSHIP MINISTRY

Bone Lake Church Family

One day at a time~ ~this is enough. Do not look back & grieve over the past for it is gone and do not be troubled about the future, for it has yet to come. Live in the present, tomorrow is never promised, so make it so beautiful it will be worth remembering. Happiness is a journey, just as life is.
Author unknown

Let's take time to enjoy what we have in each day, we get so caught up in the hurried lives we live, that we forget to enjoy what we have in the moment.

Take time to smell the
Roses

Peace and Joy,

Martha Solfest,

Council Pres.

UPHEADS UP~~

NO POTLUCKS the first Sunday of the month for June- September. They will start again the first Sunday in October,

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER

Ask, Thank, Tell by Charles R. Lane

This book has changed me in a positive way! It is a book on how to improve stewardship ministry in a congregation.

The chapters in this book have helped me to see that everything we have comes from God! Most importantly it has helped me see that I give of my time, talents and treasures as an act of discipleship, to God, not out of duty of membership to our church.

I'd like to take you on a wonderful journey for the next 3 months...now I have your attention!

I will be covering some great ideas from the book Ask, Thank, Tell by Charles R. Lane. I will pair the books ideas with biblical insights to take you to a greater place of stewardship and that is a freedom about giving....IT'S NOT JUST ABOUT PAYING THE BILLS!

When the Bible talks about stewardship, it talks very little about the need for an institution to get its bills paid. Rather, when the Bible talks about stewardship it almost always talks about the intimate connection between how a person handles financial matters and a person's relationship with God.

This new way of looking at stewardship is based on 3 verbs; Ask, Thank, and Tell. The number one reason for this new look at stewardship is to first and foremost make and grow disciples. This ministry will be about the business of helping God's people grow in their relationship with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Do you like to plan parties? Do you like the feeling when your heart is full of love? Do you like to make people feel appreciated? Do you want to be a blessing to others? Well then, my dear friends, you need to consider this exciting adventure of joining the Ask, Thank, Tell, stewardship ministry team. This team will celebrate our abundance from God. **Let's celebrate our church! It is such a blessing!** Please drop me an email if you are interested in helping me celebrate - schaffersh@yahoo.com

Stay tuned for next month's article when we will celebrate the fact that God has named us stewards. To be a steward is to be in a place of high esteem and responsibility. To be God's steward is a privilege like no other.

GRADUATES



PAIGE RUNNELS

I plan to attend UW-Stout in the fall to study dietetics.



TIFFANY BROWN

I am going in the Air Force. I will be leaving June 20th



MORGAN PFAFF

In the fall I will be attending UW-Eau Claire. majoring in bio-chemistry.



TAYLOR HANSON

I will be working at the "Crimson Heart" tattoo shop near Turtle Lake and at the St. Croix Casino working in the gift shop while I do my apprenticeship. If that doesn't work our I will continue my education probably at River Falls.



ANDREW HOEHNE

will be going to Stout

Not Pictured: Logan Grey

HEADS UP JULY TEAM:

Ruth Sorenson
Bill & Karoline White
Randy Kelly
Harvey & Melodi Fjorden
Sandy Banker
Tony & Nikke Carter
Carter & Leora Dueholm
Rose Reiter



PEOPLE WE ARE PRAYING FOR

Amy Aguado and family,
Tim Bradwell, John Freer,
Larry Glenn, Deb Johnson
(Kenny's wife), Pete Rupp,
Mary Schilling, JoAnn Tyler,
Steve Tonnar, Marie Bazey,
Karen Eliason, Dorothy
Roberts, Dianne Dueholm,
Ray Dumire, Mabel
Jenssen, Leonard Schan-
dorff, Arline Swanson,
Wayne Shirley, Sue Vlasnik
Pastor Jim & Carol Sack