

BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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✝ Ministers: All the People of Bethany ✝

Pastors: Casey Zesch, Kevin Haug, & Ray Tiemann

Children, Youth & Family Director: Kiesha Priem

6th Sunday after Pentecost ✝ July 17, 2022

INFORMATION FOR TODAY: (1) A **Cry Room** is available in the back of the sanctuary for Traditional Worship. (2) Children's bulletins & activity bags (take & return to rack), hearing aids, & home devotionals are available. (3) **Offerings are collected in Offering boxes at the entrances. We do not pass an offering plate.**

KEEP IN PRAYERS: Carol Eckhardt, Donald Eckhardt, Carolyn Grosenbacher, Audrey Gold, Jason Holland, James Jenschke, Kenna Joy Kramer, Raynette Kuenemann, Gerald Schmidt, Keith Whited, & Donna Wolf.

ALTAR FLOWERS today are given to the Glory of God by Wes & Georgia Reagan in celebration of their 37th Anniversary.

OUR SYMPATHY to Will & Barb Rathke at the death of great-niece, Danielle Mazzu.

NEW DEVOTION BOOKS are available in the entrance areas.

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK: Harper First Baptist Church

July Special Offering: Bethany Lutheran Foundation

The July Special Offering is the **Bethany Foundation**. Each year the Foundation offers grants to several local non-profits. The Foundation is now 15 years old and has granted over \$400,000. Our goal is to grow the Foundation and provide more grants in the future. Please make a check payable directly to Bethany Foundation (**Not the church**) then place it in your special monthly envelope or a Pew envelope. Thank you!

Congratulations to Zane Oestreich, who will be receiving his First Communion during today's Traditional service.

Gospel Music Service Today

Special thanks to Bill & Sandi Smallwood for leading today's Gospel Music service in the Fellowship Hall at 10:30am.

A "Search Team" has begun meeting to find a financial secretary for approximately 15 hours per week. Long time secretary Berta Allen will be retiring in the fall. Ads are posted in the Fredericksburg Standard, and on Bethany's Facebook page & website. A job description & application form are on our webpage: bethanyfbg.com
Or stop by the church office for a copy.

New Preschool Building Summer Update

As noted in the July BELLS, the Capital Campaign leaders group is at work recruiting with the hopes that, after two delays due to COVID, we might begin the campaign this fall. The congregation voted to build a new preschool in December 2019, and our campaign was to begin fall 2020, then it was delayed until fall 2021, then to fall 2022. However, before we begin a campaign, we've asked for a new cost estimate to bring to the congregation. We hope to receive that amount soon.

When that amount is known, the council will call a congregational meeting to decide if we are ready to hit the "start" button on the project at the new price.

DAY CAMP STARTS TOMORROW!

Day Camp Starts Tomorrow and runs through
Friday, July 22nd

Local youth will enjoy a week of singing, learning bible stories, games, & more.

(Day Camp 8am-12:15pm)

Thanks to all those who provided snacks & gift cards, and to those volunteering this week at Day Camp.

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost, July 17, 2022

8:15 Traditional Worship – includes livestream

9:15 Adult class

10:30 Praise & Worship – Includes livestream

10:30 Traditional Worship

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| Mon July 18 | 8:00a – 12:00p Day Camp at Bethany Morning Facebook Prayer |
| Tue July 19 | 8:00a – 12:00p Day Camp at Bethany 9:00 Staff Meeting |
| Wed July 20 | 8:00a – 12:00p Day Camp at Bethany 7:00 Family Swim Night – LBJ Pool |
| Thur July 21 | 8:00a – 12:00p Day Camp at Bethany 5:45 BOAT |
| Fri July 22 | 8:00a – 12:00p Day Camp at Bethany |
| Sat July 23 | |
| Sun July 17 | 8:15 Traditional Worship – includes livestream 9:15 Adult class 10:30 Praise & Worship – Includes livestream 10:30 Traditional Worship |

WORSHIP LEADERS

Worship Leaders: Pastor Kevin Haug & Pastor Ray Tiemann

Organists / Pianists: Marjorie Ottmers, Annabel Wilkinson

Praise & Worship Leader: Matt White

Chancel Choir Director: Chrissy Stuewe **Bell Choir Director:** Alicia Elrod

P&W Leader: Ken Smith **Kids Sermon:** Ken Smith