

Lectionary 17

Announcements

Call to Worship: *Open the Eyes of My Heart*

The Spirit Within

Invocation

Gathering Hymn: *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

Apostolic Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Kyrie: *Kyrie Eleison* Verses 2 & 4 Pages 184-185

Readings: Genesis 18:20-32; Psalm 138; Colossians 2:6-15

Gospel Acclamation: *Celtic Alleluia* ELW 174

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *Ask the Complicated Questions* ACS 1005

Confession

The Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Faithful

Peace and Offerings

Offertory: *The Earth and Everything*

The Spirit Within

Offertory Prayer

Communion

Communion Song: *My Soul Will Rest*

The Spirit Within

Post-Communion Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn: *Let All Things Now Living* ELW 881

Dismissal

Postlude: *God Are You Tired?*

The Spirit Within

Welcome: All are welcome to join us for Holy Communion. We hold that Christ gave of His body and blood so that our sin and death are passed over. We welcome you to experience this gracious gift that has been given for all. Please pick up an empty communion cup as you approach the altar. Should you prefer grape juice, there are cups filled with grape juice in the center of the tray. Bring the cup of grape juice with you to the altar and as the wine server approaches, the grape juice will be blessed. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please tell the bread server if that is your preference. TCoil (telecoil) is available in the Sanctuary—to enhance the effectiveness of your hearing device.

The Week Ahead

Sunday, July 27

9:30am: Worship

10:45am Chimes Practice

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Monday, July 28

7:30am: Daily Devotion

10am: Hello Yoga-Chair

5pm: Fellowship Activity

Tuesday, July 29

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8am: Koinonia-Women's Bible Study

11am: Staff Meeting

4pm: Men's Bible Study Social

Wednesday, July 30

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: Zoom Bible Study

9am: sSMART

5pm: Community Supper

6pm: Choir

Thursday, July 31

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8:30am: Many Hands Day

4:30pm: Spirit Within

6pm: Hello Yoga-Mat

7:30pm: AA

Friday, August 1

7:30am: Daily Devotions

Saturday, August 2

5pm: Worship

Sunday, August 3

9:30am: Worship w/Choir

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Worship Volunteers

Saturday: July 26: 5:00pm

Altar Guild:am: Pat Olson

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Assisting Ministers: Carol Gucinski

Projectionist: Linda Gordon

Greeter: Barb Jacobsen

Usher: Dan Grothe

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Sunday: July 27: 9:30am

Altar Guild: Patti Stone

Assisting Minister: Gwen Mickelson

Communion Assistant: Pam McClelland

Communion Assistant: Daidre Bartz

Broadcasting: Eric Neff

Projectionist: Harry Malcolm

Greeters & Ushers: Julie Jolivet and
granddaughters, Claire, Abby,
and Natalia

Coffee Hosts & Cleanup:

In the first quarter of 2025, First Lutheran Church began a stewardship awareness campaign with the theme “***Giving Changes Lives.***” In winter, we had opportunities to listen to inspiring stewardship “temple talks” from members Kris Neumann, Tom Jolivette, and Ed Anderson.

As individual members moving through another year, it is important that we continue to personally reflect on our “**Why**” and “**How**” of stewardship and what this means for each of us. Being mindful of our giving, either financially or in service, changes our lives and the lives of those we serve. Giving generously reminds us of who we are and whose we are, conveying our gratitude to God. Giving fosters a profound and positive impact on those we serve.

On a personal note, as you continue to reflect on your stewardship throughout the year, please consider how you use God's gifts, as you respond to God’s call to serve and love your neighbor.

Thanks for your diligent efforts in making a difference at First Lutheran, the greater Hayward area, and in the world!

1 Peter 4:10: *Use your gifts to serve others as stewards of God's grace*

“Be someone’s good news!”

First Lutheran Stewardship Committee

The Jaeckel & Sheehan ALS Walk is on Saturday, August 23. 8:30 am Event Begins, 9:30 Breakfast/Silent Auction. Everyone is welcome to breakfast.

Organist Amy VanLandschoot Maakestad reveals the beauty and power of First Lutheran's Van Daalen pipe organ in a captivating concert spanning three centuries of organ repertoire. In addition, the audience is invited to add their voices to some favorite hymns. Make plans to attend this hour-long concert on Thursday, August 7, at 7 pm.

Last Week’s Attendance

Saturday: 29 Sunday: 100 Online: 455

Pastor Joel Bacon – pastor@flchaywardwi.org

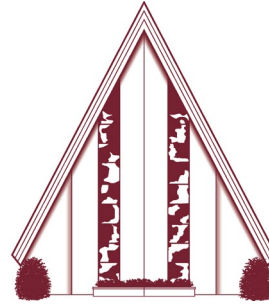
Tanya Ullom – office@flchaywardwi.org

Ray Austin – property@flchaywardwi.org

Julie Jolivette – Children, Youth and Family

Patty VanLandschoot – Music

Sarah Adair – Music



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“Let all that you do be done in love.” I Corinthians 16:14

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 26 AND 27, 2025

Please Pray For: John Schuenzel, Phil Pierce, Robin Moreland, Stan Olson, Joanne Lamphear, Dawn Saxum, Barb Klippel, Allea Diehl, Eric Bernard, Grete Schuenzel, Vivian Melby, Kari Costa, Paul Sievert, Becky Iverson, Daryl Christenson, Dennis Marquardt, Michael Nelson, Joshua LeCuyer, Nancy Hubbard, Dawn Brubaker, Emma Jungbluth, Owen Thorne, Carole VanHolbeck, Carol Williamson, Janyce Link, John Hawksford, Dick Gillis, Lyle Bacon, and Sandy Sheehan.

The Eternal Flame in July is sponsored by:

- ❖ Dave & Linda Napieralski,
 - in memory of our Parents;
- ❖ Lori Laberee,
 - in honor of our Veterans;
- ❖ Joanne Freiman,
 - in memory of Ronald Pete