



# The Carillon

**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church - NALC**

*connecting families to Jesus*

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**JULY 2021**



# CELEBRATE



Macy Edwards graduated in the top 10% of her class with a 4.09 GPA. She worked as a dance instructor and a receptionist during her senior year. In the fall she will attend Carthage College for pre-pharmacy.

Gabriel Celello graduated from Iron Mountain High School. He has been an active member at IMHS including being student council president, Key Club president, Youth Advisory Committee co-president, and varsity club co-president. He will be attending Northern Michigan University in the fall and will be majoring in pre-law.





# JULY ANNIVERSARIES

Every wedding anniversary is a special one and we wish that God's rich blessing and love will continue to sustain and fill each marriage.

- Adam & Sarah Buchkuski—20 years  
July 7th, 2001
- Thad & Renee Strom—20 Years  
July 7th, 2001
- Barbara & James Dunnick—40 years  
July 10th, 1981
- Michael & Susan Fox—35 years  
July 19, 1986
- Justin & Sarah Cowen—15 years  
July 22nd, 2006

### Thank You Received:

Breitung Township School Success Program  
First Lutheran Church Food Pantry

### Sympathy To:

\*\*To the family of Pam Dupuis, daughter of Frank Parsons.

\*\* To Sharon Fredrickson and family on the death of her husband John.

\*\*To Ted & Marge Sparapani on the death of his brother Gene.

### God's Love Gift Wrapped



This month for LWR we will collect nail clippers with file attached (*no toenail clippers*) and wide toothed combs (*no picks*). Please drop off in the church office.

**CHURCH OFFICE  
WILL BE CLOSED  
JULY 5TH!**



### Financial Report

May Receipts:       \$34,651.82  
May Expenditures: \$32,150.73  
Net Gain(Loss):     \$2,501.09

### Attendance


6/6    101  
6/13   106  
6/20   80  
6/27   106



# Birthdays

- |    |  |    |   |    |   |
|----|--|----|---|----|---|
| 1  | Paul Castor<br>Joseph Gregory<br>Gavin Londo                                   | 11 | Marge Simbob  | 22 | Paul Johnson<br>E.J. Mattson<br>Jessica Rudnick<br>Louise Swope<br>Janay Walters        |
| 2  | Laura Brock<br>Justine Metras<br>Violet Schettler                              | 12 | Cade Counter<br>John Reed<br>Elizabeth Juneau   | 23 | Bradley Blomquist<br>Ava Cowen<br>Mabel Irish<br>Lee Larson<br>Brylee Rockefeller       |
| 3  | Eileen Anderson<br>Seth Greenleaf<br>Kevin Edlebeck<br>Tori Kowalkowski        | 13 | Gayle Nault<br>Ruth Phillips<br>Cooper Tanguay<br>Garrett Veale   | 24 | Chuck Gibson<br>Cole Myllyla<br>Parker Pietrantonio<br>Brandon Savage<br>Olivia Daffron |
| 4  | Mike Englund<br>Edwin Mattson<br>Ben Shoquist                                  | 14 | Tracy Husing<br>Jayda Marchetti<br>EmmaKay Nasi   | 25 | Alexandra Kreh  |
| 5  | Gunnar Forstrom<br>John Nelson   | 15 | Sandy Bale<br>Carissa Hiltonen<br>Andrew Johnson  | 26 | Allison LaVarnway   |
| 6  | Quintin Pratt<br>Ronald Hawkins  | 16 | Bradley Cowling   | 27 | Betty Dahlgren<br>Steve Harris<br>Jane Zawada   |
| 7  | Sally Blom<br>Aletta Jump<br>Evan Reid<br>Julie Watkins<br>Presley Pietantonio | 18 | Jeanette Granquist<br>Larry Partanen<br>Kathy Walters   | 29 | Earl Gillis<br>Brad Ramme   |
| 8  | Kathy Edwards<br>Chloe Heyrman<br>Sandra Hosking<br>Jordyn Dumais              | 20 | Austin Hirthe<br>Michele Johnson<br>Kathy Kelm<br>Elliott Reid<br>Alexis Truscott<br>Benjamin Vercoe<br>Steven Wadke<br>Robert Williams | 30 | Patty Edlebeck<br>Travis Gedvick<br>Charlene Krafski<br>Emily Patterson<br>Emma Pontti  |
| 10 | Courtney LeMire  | 21 | Nicholas Brock  | 31 | Ken Truel   |





# OUR CHURCH'S HISTORY

In this month's  
Church History

section of The Carillon, we are continuing our series on the history and meaning of our church's stained-glass windows. The next two windows can be found on the west side of the church approximately halfway between the front and back of the nave (the part of the church where the pews are located.)

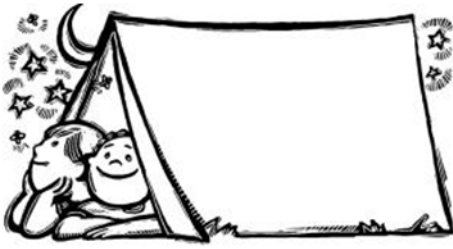


The Creation Window was given as a memorial in honor of Esther Turner. It depicts the Eye of Providence or all-seeing eye of God. This symbol is meant to remind us that His vision encompasses and watches over all of His creation in every direction. The eye is set within the six-pointed star, the Star of Creation or Star of David. While it is usually associated with

the Jewish faith, the use of this symbol dates back as an important symbol in the early Christian church as well. The six points represent the six days of creation. Finally, and similar to other windows in our church, the rays of light emitting from around the Star of Creation are symbolic of God's glory.

The next window, the Fall of Man Window, was given as a memorial in honor of Raymond Turner. It does not need much explaining. Depicted here is Genesis 3:1-7, the fall of man into sin. Satan is the personification of evil in the form of the snake. The hand represents Eve or Adam – or us – and is reaching for the forbidden fruit.





# Fortune Lake Camp

## End of Summer Worship Service

After the overwhelming gratitude you showed for the Epiphany worship service, we have decided to offer another one to our association congregations and friends!

The 30-40 minute service is intended for the weekend of August 14-15. It will be available to preview on our YouTube channel and Facebook page by Friday, August 13. It can also be sent via a direct link for those who wish to download it directly.

The worship service will include Bible readings from the lectionary texts, prayers, worship songs, and a sermon, all done camp-style, featuring summer campers and staff.

The service will be a great way to celebrate what God has done through the summer camp ministry of Fortune Lake, while providing an opportunity to worship together, and maybe even giving your tech team a week off!



This year's event entitled *Deeply Rooted: Body, Mind, & Spirit* will feature all the things you've come to expect: yoga, tai chi, cooking, demos, prayer & devotional experiences, massage, and so much more! Once again, we'll feature the wisdom and insight of Pam Roose, Registered Dietitian & Certified Yoga Instructor from Inspiring Roots.

### Highlights:

- Varieties of styles of yoga
- Tai Chi
- Optional massage (for an additional fee)
- Devotions and meditation
- Healthy food and opportunities to help with meal prep
- Belly dance
- Campfires
- Nature hikes

Invite your friends and come for the weekend. You'll be rejuvenated and grow more deeply rooted in all the best ways.

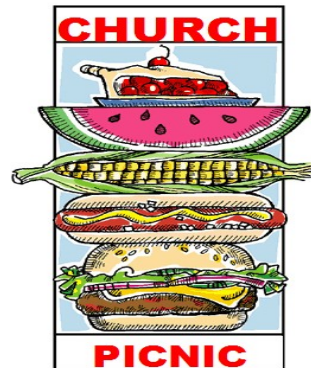


## Pastor's Link

With the approaching of the 4th of July, we of course celebrate the hard won freedom we have inherited as United States Citizens. We are a nation and a people that absolutely focus on the importance of living in freedom. However, what we fail to often remember is that we in fact are all born in a form of slavery; slavery to sin and death. Man is never “free” apart from living life in God’s Holy Spirit. We will always serve something – and apart from God and His grace, that will be a service to our sinful nature and Satan. By our corrupted and ruined nature we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We can do no other, period. But having by the gracious work of our Lord Jesus Christ upon the Cross and empty tomb, given to us through the faith God the Holy Spirit created in us through the Word, we have been freed from slavery to our sinful nature and the power of Satan. Now we can in Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit be forgiven when we fail to resist, and instead we can live in freedom from condemnation and guilt, and live the life we were created to live, in loving service to God and neighbor. This freedom in Christ is one that also carries responsibility. We are not to use our freedom to the harm of others. Though there is no condemnation for those in Christ Jesus, and we are free in Him from having to keep the Law perfectly for salvation (which can never be done of course), and we do not have to worry about

following certain rules or practices to secure our salvation, we are not free to live any way we want which usually involves caving to the selfish desires of the Old Adam. We are free to love and serve each other with a Godly, sacrificial attitude as we have first been served by our Lord. As Paul reminds us: “For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love to serve one another.” Not only can we rejoice in the heritage we have as a free people in this country, we can be reminded this Fourth of July of the Grace and forgiveness of God given to us through the cross and the Means of Grace, found in baptism and Holy Communion. We can also live in the true freedom we have in Christ, loving our neighbors as ourselves. In such love we will be conscious of the weakness of others, and be able to forgive them. Our Freedom in Christ gives us a sacrificial heart, to live lives that build each other up, rather than tear down or destroy. In Christ, we are truly free indeed. Happy Fourth of July!

Pastor Paul.



**Mark Your  
Calendars for  
Sunday,  
August 8th  
at City Park.**


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?? ? **Bible Quiz** ? ?

After Jesus healed 10 men at one time, how many returned to thank him? What had been their ailment?

- A. five; blindness
- B. all 10; deafness
- C. one; possession by demons
- D. one; leprosy



Answer: D (See Luke 17:11-19.)



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