



Sunday, May 26, 2019

Reading: Romans 5:1-11

Worship Leaders: Pastor Meredith Bedker Musaus,
Pastor Drew Yoos, Pastor Sara Yoos

Worship Asst. & Lector: Avis Dallman, Pete Deubler,
Joan Timmerman, John Ganoung

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Community Service Day

Three hundred and fifty hours. . . that is the approximate number of hours we served alongside our partners and local organizations on Saturday morning, May 18th. The amount of work we can accomplish when we gather together is amazing, but the real joys from Saturday come from the small moments, conversations, and the opportunities to walk alongside our partners. Moments like a parent telling their small child that the warm fuzzy blanket they are tying together isn't going home with them, but to someone that doesn't have a blanket for his bed to keep warm. Or the start of the Angelman's Walk where Deatrice, from Hephatha, leads Holy Cross and Hephatha members walking side by side as they support her and raise awareness for the Angelman's Syndrome she suffers from. These are just a few of the amazing ways God was at work on Saturday. Thank you to all the families and volunteers that made Community Service Day possible. A special thank you to our Glocal team, site coordinators, Kitchen Angels and staff that were essential in making Community Service Day a success!

Holy Cross Spring Clean-up

Spring Clean-Up was held on Saturday, May 18th as a part of Community Service Day. The rain held off and we were able to get everything on the list completed! The planting beds were cleaned out of leaves and other debris. Beds that needed weeding were weeded, especially around the Pre-school playground. Trees along Pilgrim Rd. and Rainbow Rd. were trimmed. Trash was picked up around the grounds. Fallen branches were picked up around the church and Pilgrim House (now we can mow the back yard). We had 15 volunteers, the most ever for a clean-up day in a number of years! The Property Team would like to thank the nine other volunteers for joining us to help beautify the church grounds!

Stretched Thin



3 Week Sermon Series about
stress, anxiety, and mental
health beginning June 15

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Save The Date

Holy Cross will be holding a blood drive with the Blood Center of Wisconsin on Monday, June 10 from 1:00-6:00 pm in the Trinity Center. There's no way to predict when or where an accident will happen – but thankfully, your blood donation can help ensure that trauma centers are prepared the moment an injured patient arrives. This is a quick and easy way to give back to the community. Sign-up at https://donor.bcw.edu/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/169738.

2019 ELCA Churchwide Assembly

The Greater Milwaukee Synod is delighted to be the host synod for the 2019 ELCA Churchwide Assembly which will take place at the Wisconsin Center from August 5-10. Volunteers are needed to fill many roles that will help to ensure a smoothly running assembly event. Volunteers can choose from many time frames and options including greeting visitors at the airport, guiding people to meals, monitoring hearings and doors, assisting with technology, ushering for worship, and more. The CWA19.org website has a full description of each position and a registration form.

VBS

There are only four weeks until this summer's Vacation Bible School called ROAR! Please pick up a registration form from the table near the Nativity collection or at holycrosslutheran.org. The cost of VBS includes a CD, t-shirt and take-home activities. Your friends are always welcome to come too! Adult, high school, and middle school volunteers are needed.

When: June 17-21 from 9:00 am-Noon

Who: Kids age 3 through completion of 6th grade

Cost: \$28 per child

Contact: Sue Christiaansen at suec@holycrosslutheran.org or 251-2740



Attention all Singers!

Holy Cross Chancel Choir will present an afternoon of music by composer Dan Forrest. Anyone who loves to sing is welcome to join us. The music and rehearsal cd's will be available starting mid-June and rehearsals will begin on Fridays starting mid-September.

When: "An Afternoon of Music" on October 20, 2019 at 4:00 pm

Who: Chancel Choir and anyone who loves to sing!

Contact: Michael Jacklin at mikej@holycrosslutheran.org or 251-2740 ext. 227

Adopt-A-Garden Ministry

Did you know that there are 25 gardens and planting beds at Holy Cross? **We currently have 9 planting beds open for adoption.** A number of these beds face Pilgrim Road so they are very visible to visitors, guests and members. If you have a green thumb, enjoy taking care of planting beds or just want to help make and keep Holy Cross' holy grounds beautiful, check out the Adopt-A-Garden chart in the Atrium next to the Gathering Place to see which beds are open for adoption. You can also contact Jack Kamoske at 262-251-2740. **Thank You** to the 8 people who have adopted the other 16 gardens and planting beds!

Lifetouch Pictures Here

We have received some of the free 8x10 portraits from Lifetouch. They are available for pickup at the Scrip table. (More will be arriving soon.) If you ordered any additional photos, they will all be mailed directly to your home.

May-Mental Health Month

During the month of May NAMI, the National Alliance on Mental Illness, will launch the WhyCare? awareness campaign for Mental Health Month. The campaign emphasizes how the "power of caring" can make a life-changing impact on the more than 40 million people in the U.S. who face the day-to-day reality of having a mental health condition. The campaign is focused on increasing education, resources, and access to care. Navigating life with mental illness can be difficult, and NAMI wants to make it easier to find resources and people who care. The WhyCare? campaign features resources that can be used as a way to reach out to someone or to show your community that you care about those with mental illness. For additional information about Mental Health Month and to access WhyCare? resources, visit name.org/WhyCare.



OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Join the Prayer Chain or submit a request by emailing prayerchain@holycrosslutheran.org

Memorial Chart

~Coffee Hour support is given by Carolyn & Glenn Schellhaas in honor of the birthdays of their grandchildren Aidan, Jack and Megan.

~Global Partner support is given by Jerry & Avis Dallman in honor of their 59th wedding anniversary.

Memorials/Honoriums

~Was given by Mike & Teri Walsh in memory of their parents and grandparents.

~Was given by Wilma Borgwardt in memory of Ken Borgwardt.

~Was given by Richard Meinburg in memory of Carol Meinburg.

~Was given by Dale & Judy Schmidt in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Noisy Offering

~Falls Area Food Pantry

Practice 7-Pray

~To pray is nothing more than to open the door, giving Jesus access to our needs and permitting Him to exercise His own power in dealing with them. Ole Hallesby.

~Serving Next Weekend-June 1 & 2

~Ushers & Greeters-Normal monthly schedule

~Worship Asst.-Scott Steinke

~Lector-Wendy Kalland, Scott Steinke, Brian Espinosa, Phil Smith

~Altar Guild-Jeff & Kathy Kroenke, Kristine Boehler, Connie Blahnik

~Welcome Center-Pam Oliverson, Linda Schmidt, Angie Nelson

TODAY Sunday 26

Worship, 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am

Monday 27

Church Office Closed

Tuesday 28

Staff Meeting 10:00 am

Wednesday 29

Thursday 30

To Do Crew 9:00 am

Pr. David Bible Study 11:00 am

Friday 31

Church Office Closes At Noon

Saturday 1

Worship 5:00 pm

Sunday 2

Scrip Sale

Worship, 7:45, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Celebration Band 9:00 am

PAVE IT FORWARD



As of May 22...we have received
115 pledges totaling \$113,455.

Holy Cross Lutheran Church, ELCA

W156 N8131 Pilgrim Road, Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

Phone: 262-251-2740 Email: holycross1@holycrosslutheran.org

Website: www.holycrosslutheran.org

Worship Schedule: Saturday-5:00 pm, Sunday-7:45, 9:00 &
10:30 am, Wednesday-6:00 pm (beginning June 5)



EVENT SIGN UP SHEET

Please use this form to sign up for activities/events at Holy Cross. Fill out the form, and include the fee or amount of deposit, if any. Return the form to the church office or drop it in the offering plate. Use a generic envelope if you are adding the fee in church. If the event or activity you are interested in is not listed, write it in the space at the bottom of this sheet and someone will contact you.

Ushers Needed

- I would be interested in being an usher at the 5:00 pm service on the 4th Saturday of every month. Please call me with more information.

Welcome Center

- I would like to help staff the Welcome Center desk. I understand my responsibilities would primarily be to welcome newcomers and provide information about Holy Cross as requested. I am interested in the following time slot:

_____ Saturday between 4:40-5:00 & 6:00-6:15

_____ Sunday between 8:30-9:00

_____ Sunday between 10:00-10:30

Time commitment would be 30 minutes every month or two. Please call me with more information.

Lector

- I would be interested in reading the lesson at the 10:30 am worship service. I understand my time commitment would be approximately one Sunday every couple of months. Please call me with more information.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

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Church name: _____	
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<p>CHECKING / SAVINGS <i>Complete this section if using your checking or savings account</i></p>	
<p>Please debit my (check one):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Checking account—<i>attach voided check</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Savings account—<i>attach voided deposit slip</i></p>	
Routing #: _____	Account #: _____
<p><i>Valid routing # must start with 0, 1, 2 or 3</i></p>	
<p>I authorize the above organization to process debit entries to the above account. I understand that this authority will remain in effect until I provide reasonable notification to terminate the authorization.</p>	
<p>Authorized signature: _____ Date: / /</p>	

To set up electronic donations, simply complete the authorization form above and return it to the church office. Donations can be debited automatically from either a checking or savings account.

Facility Usage

Jun 2019 (Central Time - Chicago)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
					GMS Synod Assembly @ Italian Community Center, 5pm - Worship @	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
7:45am - Worship @ 8:30am - Scrip Sale @ 9am - Celebration Band 9am - Worship @ 10:30am - Worship @	7pm - Glocal @ Room	9am - Elizabeth Circle @ 10am - Staff Meeting @ 12pm - Staff 6:30pm - Book Club @ 6:30pm - Property 7pm - Baptism Seminar	9am - Quilters @ 6pm - Worship Service	9am - Staff Retreat @ 9am - To Do Crew @ 5:15pm - T.O.P.S. @ 6pm - Preschool Board 6pm - Stewardship @ 6:30pm - Youth Team @	Church Office Closes At	5pm - Blood Pressure 5pm - Worship @
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
High School Graduation Pentecost 7:45am - Worship @ 8:30am - Blood 8:30am - Mt. Meru 8:30am - Scrip Sale @ 9am - Celebration Band 9am - Worship with 10:30am - Worship @	1pm - Blood Drive @ 1:30pm - Nativity 6pm - Stephen Ministry	10am - Staff Meeting @ 6pm - MEB @ Rm 109 6:30pm - 3rd-6th Grade 7:15pm - Finance @	11am - ERA Volunteer 1pm - Martha Circle @ 6pm - Worship Service	9am - To Do Crew @ 5pm - Community 5:15pm - T.O.P.S. @ 7pm - Council @	Church Office Closes At 8am - Food Pantry	12pm - Holy Cross 5pm - Worship/Kloepplin
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
7:45am - Worship @ 8:30am - Scrip Sale @ 9am - Celebration Band 9am - Worship @ 10:30am - Worship @ 11:30am - River Boat	9am - VBS @ Multiple				5pm - Worship @	
	6pm - Evangelism @	10am - Staff Meeting @ 1pm - Property/Admin/F 1pm - WELCA Planning 6:30pm - Teen Time @	9am - Quilters @ 6pm - Worship Service	9am - To Do Crew @ 5:15pm - T.O.P.S. @	Church Office Closes At	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7:45am - Worship @ 8:30am - Scrip Sale @ 9am - Celebration Band 9am - Worship @ 10:30am - Worship @ 3pm - Sunday Sundaes						

June 2019 Connection

Ushers

June 1 & 2

5:00 pm Marvin Jacobson team
7:45 am Arlene Mahnke team
9:00 am Ken Dux team
10:30 am Andy & Teri Frailing team

June 8 & 9

5:00 pm Pat Hansen team
7:45 am Ron Jaeger team
9:00 am Walter Blahnik team
10:30 am Mark Rothe team

June 15 & 16

5:00 pm Dave & Janet Blank team
7:45 am Randy Kressin team
9:00 am Bill Marohl team
10:30 am Jason Meier team

June 22 & 23

5:00 pm JoAnn Hegarty, Arlene Watson
7:45 am Bev Green team
9:00 am Glenn & Carolyn Schellhaas team
10:30 am Mark Hacker team

June 29 & 30

5:00 pm Pat Hansen team
7:45 am George & Nanette Hegerty team
9:00 am Don & Sandy Earnest team
10:30 am Jeff & Kim Young team

Greeters

June 1 & 2

5:00 pm Lowell & Mary Carl, Wendy Kalland
7:45 am Glen & Gail Borchardt, Bruce & Sandy Schwoch, Bob & Deb Stresing
9:00 am Donna Wechlo, Quentin Redding, Caden Peifer
10:30 am Mark & Cheryl Schmitz, Dave & Diane Jewell

June 8 & 9

5:00 pm Rolf & Barb Berg & Mary Ann Holt
7:45 am Patsy Baer, Glenn & Carolyn Schellhaas
9:00 am Avis Dallman, Donna Hoffman
10:30 am Susan Gartzke

June 15 & 16

5:00 pm Paul & Anne Lindemann, Kaeley Gensler, Stephanie Truckenmiller
7:45 am Don & Sandy Earnest, Marilyn Heyde, Sandy & Bob Schlag
9:00 am Bob & Coleen Reshel, Betty Redding
10:30 am George & Donita Bruder, Darlene Kullmann

June 22 & 23

5:00 pm Mary Ann Holt, Arlene Watson
7:45 am Stan & Carole Grove, George Klaus
9:00 am Donna Kennedy, Jill Konicek, Janelle & Gary Rudolph
10:30 am Eleonore & Jack Kamoske, Stan & Mary Kay Winarski, Fochs family

June 29 & 30

5:00 pm Lee & Judy Paul, Pat Stelzer
7:45 am Eileen Corbeille
9:00 am Kelly & Steve Stapelman, Howard Westfahl
10:30 am Bob & Lisa Burmeister, Kim & Scott Rasmussen, Betty Redding

Worship Assistants

June 2

Scott Steinke

June 9

Stan Winarski

June 16

Avis Dallman

June 23

Deni Naumann

June 30

Mark Christiaansen

Lectors

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10:30 am

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Jeff & Kathy Kroenke, Kristine Boehler, Connie Blahnik

Welcome Center

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4:40 pm Pam Oliverson
8:30 am Linda Schmidt
10:00 am Angie Nelson

June 8 & 9

4:40 pm Evangelism
8:30 am Evangelism
10:00 am Evangelism

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10:00 am JoAnn Hegarty

June 22 & 23

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8:30 am Jill Konicek
10:00 am Scott Rasmussen

June 29 & 30

4:40 pm Pam Oliverson
8:30 am Kitchen Angels
10:00 am Mary Kay Winarski