

## Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School

### News & Notes for July 5, 6 & 9

*ALTAR FLOWERS – Rev. James & Grace Hartman, in celebration of their 43<sup>rd</sup> anniversary.*  
*COFFEE HOUR – Hosted by “The A Team”*

**REQUESTED PRAYERS** – Brendan Cullen, Charlotte Jump, Sandra Eckert, Dottie Conard, Chuck Kiehl, Tiffany Prescher, Tammy Barthels, Michelle Markevitch, Alan Schmidkofer, Jeff Lampe, Brian Pool, Ken Gundlach, Lee Steffen, Barbara Prigge, Susan Schultz, Ashley Holt, Eric Johnson, Janice Richardson, Linda Herber, and Dean Usadel.

**A MESSAGE FROM MR. VANIC** – Dear Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School ~ I would like to take this time to thank you for the wonderful send-off that you gave me at 3 Sheeps. It was a great night of fun and memories. Thank you also for the gifts and well wishes over the past few weeks. The gift from congregation members and school families meant a lot. It was my honor and privilege to work with and among you for almost two decades. God's blessings to all of you as He has wonderful things in store for the congregation and school.  
~ Patrick Vanic ~

**PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES ARE HERE** -- If you had your picture taken for the directory, please stop by the church office to pick yours up if you haven't already. Didn't get your picture taken? Directories are available for purchase for just \$10 in the church office.

**SHEBOYGAN A'S GAME** – Bethlehem's Board of Assimilation invites you out to the ballpark on Friday, July 18. There will be a time to tailgate, beginning at 6:00pm, with the 7:30pm game to follow. The cost is \$5/adult or child – this will include tailgate food and your ticket to the game against the MKE Tropics. Please sign up in the Century Room.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – Bethlehem will host VBS from July 28-31 from 8:30-11:30am. Would you like to volunteer? Would you like to register a child for VBS? Use the QR code on the wall flyer or use the link found on your bulletin insert. Watch upcoming bulletins for a list of items needed for VBS. Your donations will be appreciated.

**SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE** -- Bethlehem will have an informational table at the **Sheboygan Neighborhood National Night Out** at King Park on August 5. We are teaming up with St. Peter Claver for a School Supply Drive and will have a bin out in the Century Room the entire month of July to collect new supplies. The supplies from both churches will be handed out to kids at the National Night Out. Let's share the love of Jesus through the generosity of Bethlehem. Contact Ellen Vanic (920-453-8728 or [ellen.vanic@ourbethlehem.com](mailto:ellen.vanic@ourbethlehem.com)) with questions. Thank you to the Board of Evangelism and the Board of Social Ministry.

**NEW BIBLE STUDIES ARE ABOUT TO BEGIN** – Guided by the recent Bible study survey, our pastors will be offering two fascinating studies. Read on for more detail.....

**“ANGELS & DEMONS” STARTS THIS WEEKEND** – On Saturday, July 5 at 4:15pm and on Sunday, July 6 at 9:15am, Pastor Niles' topic will be “Wait...are they real?”. Most of us don't have a problem with the concept of angels, but what about demons? Is there such a thing as demonic possession today? Maybe you'll find out in this lesson.

**GEMS FROM THE BOOK OF EPHESIANS** – Pastor Hanson will begin a 4-lesson series on selected passages from Ephesians. On Sunday, July 6 at 9:15am in the library, the gems will center around these topics: “Every spiritual blessing in Christ”, “Eyes opened to hope and glory”, “By grace you have been saved”, and “One in Christ”. You won't want to miss this inspirational series.

**LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT WEEKEND** – Pastor Niles will discuss the Nature & Purpose of Angels. Pastor Hanson will explore what Ephesians has to say about “The mystery revealed”, “Unity and maturity in the body”, and “Put off the old, put on the new”. Be sure to take in one of these interesting studies, prepared just for you!

**CHURCH PICNIC SURVEY** – If you would still like the opportunity to complete the survey, relating to the church picnic, they are located on the table in the back of church. Don't forget to add the church picnic to your calendar – Sunday, August 17, 10:00am at Kiwanis Park.

**GALA MEETING** – Reminder, the next Gala planning meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 8 at 6:00pm.

**CONFIRMATION PICTURES** – Pictures are available for pick-up in the church office during regular business hours.

**NEAT REPEATS SALES** – Visit the store and check out these upcoming sales!

- 7/8: everything in the store, 30% off
- 7/9—7/12: vases, 50% off
- 7/15—7/19: all clothing, \$1.00



# Upcoming Worship and Activities at Bethlehem

✂ The 4th Sunday after Pentecost ✂

July 5, 6 & 9, 2025

## Sunday, July 6

8:00am – Worship w/ Holy Communion  
9:15am – Bible classes  
10:30am – Worship w/ Holy Communion

## Monday, July 7

## Tuesday, July 8

9:00am – Quilters  
6:00pm – Gala planning meeting

## Wednesday, July 9

6:00pm – Worship w/ Holy Communion

## Thursday, July 10

## Friday, July 11

## Saturday, July 12

4:15pm – Bible class  
5:30pm – Worship w/Holy Communion

## Sunday, July 13

8:00am – Worship w/ Holy Communion  
8:00am – Youth Gathering send-off prayer during worship  
9:15am – Bible classes  
10:30am – Worship w/ Holy Communion



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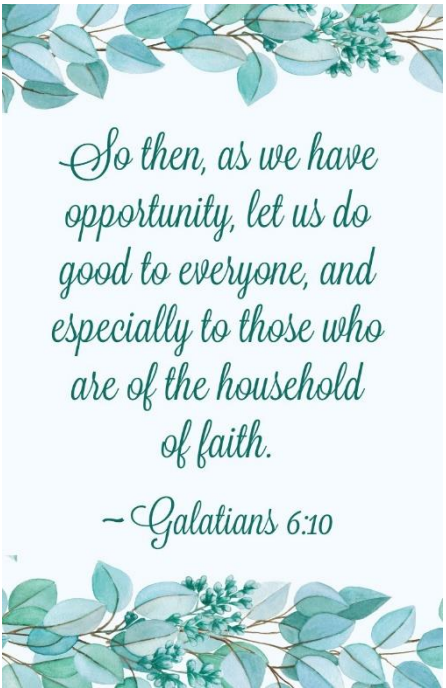
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**Rev. Patrick Niles, Administrative Pastor**  
**Rev. Jeremy Hanson, Associate Pastor**  
**Mr. Joshua Klug, Principal**

Parish Music/Organist – Sandra Kasten  
School Music/P.E. – Rachel Bult  
3 yr. Kindergarten – Joely Buss  
4 yr. Kindergarten – Sonia TenPas  
5 yr. Kindergarten – Holly Leibham  
Grade 1 – Katrina Niles  
Grade 2 – Jessica Usadel  
Grade 3 – Ellen Vanic  
Grade 4 – Heidi Wallner  
Middle Grades – Aidan Diener  
Middle Grades – Pam Carlson-Gugel  
Middle Grades – Jon Krueger  
Middle Grades – Ryan Sines  
Resource – Sarah Klug  
Band Instructor – Geoff Schuh  
Aide – Joy Tschudy  
Aide – Mary Irish  
Aide – Sarah Hanson  
Church Office Manager – Amy Weir  
School Secretary – Dawn Hemschemeyer  
Custodian – Trisha Fischer  
Custodian / Lunch Room – Crystal Payne  
Lunch Coordinator – Monica Cyr  
Extended Care Director – Rose Albertin  
Extended Care – MaKenna Lindsay



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