



## From Your Pastor

My lead article this month covers two topics: EGL's contracting with an outside organization to resolve some internal conflict, and the upcoming Synod Convention in Milwaukee next summer.

### Conflict Resolution at EGL

When we read 1 Corinthians we discover that that congregation, that body of Christians redeemed in the blood of Christ precious in the sight of the Lord, was a hot mess of trouble. It was planted by the great apostle St Paul himself, and yet even within a few years of his ministry among them there were significant conflicts among them regarding marriage, the eating of meat, what constitutes orderly worship, and issues surrounding the Lord's Supper. Conflict was rife in this young congregation. EGL is in her 82<sup>nd</sup> year of life. Not that old in the grand scheme of things, but we have our share of conflict also. What follows is an attempt to resolve at least some of it.

At its August meeting the EGL Church Council agreed to accept the recommendation of the Board of Elders to reach out to Ambassadors of Reconciliation [AOR] for their Group Reconciliation Assistance [GRA]. AOR is a Recognized Service Organization of The LCMS. This step was taken in order to help with some internal conflict that the EGL leadership has been unable to resolve up to this point. It's not rocket science to see that unresolved conflict and broken relationships within a congregation can either tear it apart or provide opportunity to glorify God while loving our neighbors. Your EGL leadership has opted wisely for the second choice.

Both EGL and AOR believe that as Christians we are guided in our response to conflict by what God teaches us in Holy Scripture. The basic commandments and promises that provide a Biblical response to conflicts between children, between spouses, and between Christian business people are the same commandments and promises that apply in responding to conflict within the church.

When asked to assist a church in reconciliation, AOR seeks to determine the root causes of the conflict and guide and encourage the congregation's professional and lay leaders to respond with Biblical faithfulness. All aspects of assisting the congregation are conducted in accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Christian Conciliation of the Institute for Christian Conciliation. A copy of these rules is included in Guidelines for Christian Conciliation available at [www.aorhope.org/rules](http://www.aorhope.org/rules).

We all agree that a reconciliation team is not an arbitration panel. The reconciliation team will neither ask for nor seek authority to make any binding judgments regarding individual actions or particular issues. AOR does not have authority to terminate elected, called, or employed persons. Instead, the reconciliation team will teach, gather background information through personal interviews with key parties, facilitate meetings between parties who are ready to work toward reconciliation, and offer insights, analysis, and counsel to assist and guide the congregation

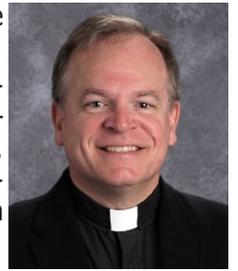
toward a Biblical resolution of these matters.

We all recognize also that the reconciliation team cannot assume total responsibility for the resolution of the conflict. While AOR will work with the congregation to identify individuals involved with the conflict who would be key candidates for private mediation, it is the congregation's responsibility to exercise discipline if necessary. In other words, because Christ gave the Office of the Keys to the church, the congregation should not expect AOR to replace in any way the responsibility that can be exercised only by the congregation and leaders.

EGL and AOR have agreed to the following provisions for this GRA. First, AOR will enlist a team approach. They have found that this is the most productive and beneficial approach to complex church conflicts. A team of three members has been assigned to EGL, including the AOR President, an ordained Pastor, and a commissioned Deaconess. All three have experience working in conflicted churches. Second, AOR will employ a 4-part process. During the first part, AOR will devote 150-200 hours of time by team members in studying congregational documents and history; presenting a seminar "Go and Be Reconciled; What Does This Mean?" which will take place **Monday – Wednesday, Oct 3-5, 6:30-8:30 in the EGL nave**; and meeting with key staff, leadership, and individuals.

During the second part, another 150-200 hours will be devoted by the reconciliation team in studying the information collected in the first part, coaching and mediation with individuals selected by the reconciliation team, and the development of an oral report for EGL. The third part includes about 50 hours for the reconciliation team to prepare a written report for EGL. This report will be delivered about a month after the completion of the second part. The fourth part includes 10 hours of follow-up consultation by one member of the reconciliation team. Requested documentation, statistics, and minutes of congregational meetings have already been sent to AOR. The down payment check from EGL has also already been sent. EGL leaders will soon receive and begin studying the AOR book, *Go and Be Reconciled: What Does This Mean?* Members of the congregation will be encouraged to begin having daily devotions using a booklet entitled *A Reason for Hope*. In addition to praying for EGL, it is crucial that as many as possible participate and consider this important. Otherwise, it will not deliver the fruit that many of us long for.

I am the first in line to confess how I wish that our conflict had not gotten to this point. There is no small measure of frustration and regret that we have to turn to others for this help. But for the sake of the well-being of the Church I am willing and eager to do this. I am also confident that God still loves us and intends to use us in the proclamation of the Gospel. We confess all the time that we are sinners in need of what only Christ can deliver, so it shouldn't surprise us that sin has created a mess among us, a mess that we can't solve on our own.



*Pastor Skougaard*

## 2023 Synod Convention

The LCMS convention is coming back to Milwaukee. It was here just six short years ago, and now it returns July 29-Aug 3, 2023. This will be the 68<sup>th</sup> regular convention of The LCMS. This convention was originally scheduled for the summer of 2022, but because of Covid-19, the preceding District Conventions were delayed, thus pushing out the Synod convention by a year. There are many steps to be taken to prepare the church for this important meeting, including finding the necessary volunteers, submitting resolutions and nominations, and electing our circuit representatives.

If you would like to volunteer to help with the running of the convention, speak to me soon. EGL will decide at its September 12 Council which pastor to send as the voting delegate to the Circuit 5 Forum on Sunday, Oct 2, at Brookfield Lutheran Church. All the circuit pastors are eligible for election to circuit voting delegate. At that Sept 12 Council the lay voting delegate and alternate will also be determined. At the Oct 2 Forum then, the voting delegates of the Circuit 5 congregations will come together and elect voting pastoral and lay delegates, as well as alternate pastoral and lay delegates, to serve as circuit representatives to the convention. Of the two pastoral and two lay delegates, they must all come from different congregations.

The Church is also in need of men and women who agree to serve in elected positions. Just as the local congregation needs gifted individuals to step forward to serve, so the national Church body needs dedicated men and women to serve in various offices. If you have questions or recommendations, speak to one of your pastors soon. This website [[www.lcms.org/convention](http://www.lcms.org/convention)] contains a lot of information, from the time line to the open offices to

the current 2019-2022 triennium mission and ministry emphasis.

Speaking of the current triennium mission and ministry emphasis, you may not have realized that it is "Making Disciples for Life." This emphasis informed the pastoral letter that you received back in the late spring insisting that you speak with one of your pastors. We want you to grow in Christ for your whole life, thus the need to meet with, and perhaps get reacquainted with your pastors. Flowing out of this emphasis is also the upcoming Sunday morning Bible study, "Every One His Witness." God desires that there be more disciples and deeper discipleship!

You may not have realized either that under the emphasis of "Making Disciples for Life," The LCMS also adopted at the 2019 convention in Tampa, Florida, the following seven mission priorities: 1. Plant, sustain, and revitalize Lutheran churches; 2. Support and expand theological education; 3. Perform human care in close proximity to Word and Sacrament ministries; 4. Collaborate with Synod's members and partners to enhance mission effectiveness; 5. Promote and nurture the spiritual, emotional, financial, and physical well-being of pastors and professional church workers; 6. Enhance early childhood education, elementary and secondary education, and youth ministry; and, 7. Strengthen and support the Lutheran family in living out God's design.

When I consider what's going at EGL, from her school to the work of DOXOLOGY to her support of seminarians and future teachers to donations to missionaries and the Sudanese Lutheran Church, even to our engagement with Ambassadors of Reconciliation, I think these mission priorities are alive and well here at Elm Grove Lutheran Church!



Thank you very much to Dave and Yvonne Bangle for cleaning our Church! Dave and Yvonne have been cleaning the Church for the past 3 years and we truly appreciate you!

### Funeral Planning

To prepare for the day our Lord calls us home, consider funeral pre-planning. The church office has forms available to document preferred scripture readings, hymns, and the other details that personalize a service.

A few months ago, the Church Council decided that any loose change or loose bills would be directed to **LCMS relief efforts in Ukraine**. As of the end of July EGL had collected and sent off \$1,271.25 in aid money.

The Office of International Mission of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod is working with several Lutheran church bodies and missionaries in Europe to help our brothers and sisters in Christ in the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Ukraine, Lutheran refugees and others affected by the violence.



Thank you very much to Pam Ganswindt! Pam spent a majority of her summer off scrubbing and waxing the floors throughout the school and church. We truly appreciate your hard work!

EGLS will miss Pam as a teacher, as she has decided to continue her career at another school this fall. Pam served as a called teacher at our school for 33 years. We give thanks to God for her talents and dedication!

### MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

#### ADMISSION INTO MEMBERSHIP:

##### By Transfer:

Bill and Paula Keefer from Immanuel Lutheran in Grove, OK

Kierstan Leaf from Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Sun Prairie, WI 262-719-6086

##### Address and Phone Changes:

Carmen Nieting  
262-293-9120  
W136N6719 Claas Road  
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051



"We are daily aware of more grief, O Lord, than we can rightly consider, of more suffering and scandal than we can respond to, of more hostility, hatred, horror, and injustice than we can engage with compassion. .... remind us that we are but small and finite creatures, never designed to carry the vast abstractions of great burdens, for our arms are too short and our strength is too small. Justice and mercy, healing and redemption, are your great labors. .... Give us discernment, to know when to pray, when to speak out, when to act, and when to simply shut off our screens and our devices, and to sit quietly in your presence, casting the burdens of this world upon the strong shoulders of the one who alone is able to bear them up. Amen."

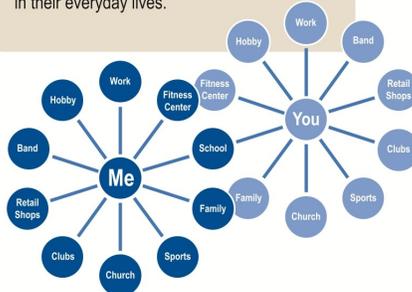
From the book, *Every Moment Holy*, by Douglas Kaine McKelvey. "A Liturgy For Those Flooded by Too Much Information."

This fall a Pastor-led study on how to witness will be offered. The Evangelism Board and our pastors intend to start it on **September 18**, between Sunday services. Please plan to attend this Synod-sanctioned study.

## WITNESSING TO THE NONCHURCHED PEOPLE IN YOUR LIFE

Witness is the purpose of your everyday life.

The *Every One His Witness*® Lutheran evangelism program considers the real world context in which Lutherans find themselves as witnesses of Jesus Christ. It puts sound doctrine into practical action for sharing the faith with the people whom God has placed alongside His witnesses in their everyday lives.



**EVERY ONE HIS WITNESS**  
LUTHERAN EVANGELISM®

"But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light."

1 Peter 2:9



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## Stewardship Message

One of my favorite hymns is "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling" LSB #827. It is in the hymnal section entitled "Mission and Witness". While there is a separate hymnal section entitled "Stewardship", I think this hymn also speaks to the stewardship principles of using our time and talents.

The first verse reads:

Hark, the voice of Jesus calling, "Who will go and work today?"

Fields are white and harvests waiting—Who will bear the sheaves away?"

Loud and long the Master calleth; Rich reward He offers thee.

Who will answer, gladly saying, "Here am I, send me, sent me"?

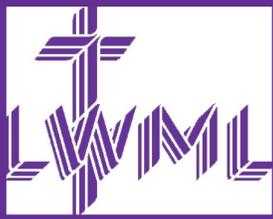
This hymn is based in part on Luke 10:2 He (Jesus) told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few.

Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field." Most of us will never be a pastor, called teacher or missionary. Many of us can, however, serve here at Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church in one of a number of Board positions.

As of this writing, there are still three openings on the Board of Elders and one each on the Board of Christian Education and the Board of Stewardship. I especially encourage our younger members to join a Board. You just have to be age 21 or over. We already have young adults in their 20s serving on Elders, Finance, Trustees and the EGL Foundation.

Please prayerfully consider answering the call to join a Board. Elm Grove Lutheran needs your time and talents. To answer the call, please contact Mark Ewert of James Drabiszczak.

Sue Wilcox  
Board of Stewardship



The LWML morning group will meet on Wednesday, September 7, 2022 in the BAAC at 10:00 a.m. The Bible study, **"Hope Abounds,"** is found on pages 16-17 in the summer issue of *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly*. Through-

out our lives, our God of hope is with us. Even when trials and uncertainties abound in our lives, we know that our God of hope is with us.

The LWML evening group will meet on Monday, September 12, 2022 in the Friendship Library at 7:00 p.m. The mission project is packing the shoeboxes for **Operation Christmas Child**. Thank you to all congregation members who donated items for this worthwhile project. If you still would like to donate, please put the items in the big LWML Mite Box near the LWML bulletin board in the lower entry of the church by September 11, 2022.

A reminder! The LWML District Fall Retreat is scheduled for September 23-24, 2022 at the Radisson Hotel and Conference Center at 625 West Rolling Meadows Drive in Fond du Lac, WI 54937. The theme is **"Empowered by God's Grace."** Check the LWML bulletin board for details.

Good news! The first two Mission Grants of the 2022-2024 Biennium have been funded. Mission Grant #1 for **Orphan Grain Train-Wisconsin Branch** for \$15,000 will go for shipping costs of semi-trucks, which can be



This is a photo of an Orphan Grain Truck ready to leave with a shipment to deliver of donated items.

between \$2,000 to \$20,000 depending on where it is shipped. Mission Grant #2 for **In School Counseling for Mental Health of Students: LCEF** for \$10,000 will be able to help students in our Lutheran Schools who are experiencing mental and behavioral issues.

Coming up on Saturday, October 22 is the Zone 3 LWML Rally at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Waukesha, WI at 9:00 a.m. The Ingathering will be **Soles for Jesus**. Thanks to all of you that donated. It is appreciated.



Above, Patty Silah, LWML Treasurer, presents the \$10,000 check to Carol Flanary, CEO of LCEF for Mission Grant #2.

"I can do all things through Him who strengthens me." (Philippians 4:13)

*Barbara Kurth*

## From the E&L Archives



Recognize this space? Yes, it's the Bartelt Center when Pastor Victor Bartelt, his wife Zae, and their children called the parsonage home. Pastor Bartelt was installed on January 5, 1947, at the original church, before our current building was dedicated on May 8, 1955.

While there is no date associated with this photo, one could presume it was taken in the mid 50's. The handwritten caption on the back of it says, "Attached to the church by the office area on north end of structure. Ready for first 'open house' given annually by Pastor and Zae."

The decorating is representative of the popular mid century modern style. It is likely the work of Gunner Nelson, a member along with his family in the early years. He was an interior decorator, artist, and father of current member, Steve Nelson.

Elm Grove Lutheran Church  
**Bulletin Board**

**Important Notice: VOTERS ASSEMBLY**  
**Monday, September 26 - 7 p.m. in the CLC**  
 If you would like to serve on a board, please contact Mark Ewert or James Drabiszczak. We still have open positions.

**Support EGLS on Tuesday, September 20!**  
 Buy your meal(s) at Chipotle in Brookfield between 4-8 p.m.  
 See details below to order online for pickup, or show this flyer in the restaurant. Thank you!

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For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

**Our Sunday School Needs You!**



The Lord is in need of Sunday school teachers to teach His precious lambs.  
 We want you to be part of his team!  
 Call Linda: 262-768-1203

**Flu Vaccine Clinic**  
**Sunday, October 9**  
**Fellowship Hall – between morning services**



The flu season is almost upon us. On Sunday, October 9, between church services, Walgreens flu clinic will be at EGL to administer the flu vaccine. For additional information and registration, contact JoAnn Randall, Parish Nurse, at 262-782-6085.

**APPLE HARVEST FESTIVAL**  
**Retzer Nature Center, Waukesha**  
**Saturday, September 17, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.**  
 Admission: \$10/car, cash only  
 Apple Market  
 Delafield Brewhouse Beer Garden  
 Arts & Crafts Vendors  
 Children's Activities & much more



[waukeshacounty.gov/appleharvestfestival](http://waukeshacounty.gov/appleharvestfestival)

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** Our women's Bible study group led by Deb Weller and Nancy Wolck will begin Wednesday, September 7, at 5:30 p.m. in the Bartelt Center. We will be studying Colossians using a study guide written by Heidi Goehmann, The Mighty & the Mysterious. You can get it from CPH or Amazon. Ladies please join and bring a friend.  
 If you are interested, please contact Deb Weller, 262-290-8665 or [dweller625@gmail.com](mailto:dweller625@gmail.com)

**Stammtisch has returned!**  
**Guys! Fall's just around the corner...please don't forget to include EGL Stammtisch in your monthly schedule!** Take a break and kick back with us on **Thursday, Sept 15, from 7:30-9:00 p.m.** for great libation and lively conversation that runs the gamut, but always in a fun, informal atmosphere of Christian fellowship, **Perhaps a few new things to enjoy this fall?...Come and find out!**  
**Meet us at Biloba Brewing Company, 2970 N Brookfield Rd.** Bring some snacks to share and a friend! Any questions? Contact Bruce Bessert by phone/text at 414-526-8430, or by email at [bruce.bessert@gmail.com](mailto:bruce.bessert@gmail.com).





# Life Together

“God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.”  
(1 Cor. 1:9)

## Elm Grove Lutheran - First Annual Campout



About 15 families gathered at Plymouth Rock campground for our first annual EGL Campout. We enjoyed campfires, a pancake breakfast and dinner cookout, swimming, outdoor worship and more!

- Pancake Breakfast
- Worship Service
- Swimming

## The She Shed group enjoyed a summer evening together

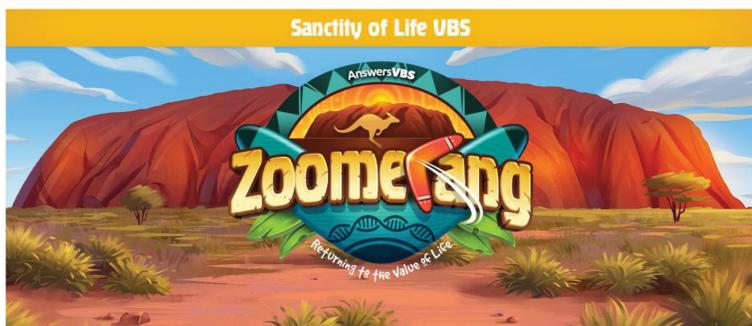


On a beautiful August evening, a group of EGL women met up at The Landing at Hoyt park for trivia, beverages, snacks, and good conversation!



# God provided a G'Day, Mate!

EGL's Vacation Bible School gave children a week of good days for learning, creating, service, and fun!



G'day mates! We had a bonzer time at Zoomerang Vacation Bible School!

VBS was held July 25-29 with 32 students from 4k-6th grade attending. We were blessed with 7 student volunteers who did a great job helping the younger students with all of the activities. Students created projects in Arts and Science with Mrs. Zientek, played games with Mr. Benson, made a fun snack with Mrs. Gronitz and heard a bible lesson from Pastor Reseburg.



Each day we visited a new location in Australia and learned about a special creature that God created. We met a kangaroo in Uluru, learned about coral in the Great Barrier Reef, saw a platypus on the Australian coast, cuddled with a koala in the Eucalyptus forest and howled with a dingo in Coober Pedy.



Just like how the boomerang came back to us, we returned to the value of life, from the lives of preborn babies to eternal life in the kingdom of God. On Day 1, we were reminded that God created us! We didn't evolve from an apelike creature! On Day 2, we sang about how we are fearfully and wonderfully made and that God gave us bodies that have amazing features! On Day 3, we celebrated the fact that everyone has value and everyone is a treasure to God. On Day 4, we were reminded that God loves us so much that he sent his only



Son to die for us, and that one day we will have eternal life in heaven! On Day 5, we wrapped up the week by sharing the news that we were created on purpose for a purpose! God wants us to go and share the news of our Creator and Savior!



Through the Zoomerang program, we had the opportunity to participate in giving to ministries that share the gospel. The Children's Hunger Fund provides food and the hope of the gospel to hungry children in the US and across the globe. Just 25 cents is enough to provide one meal to a hungry child. Throughout the week, students brought in their filled coin paks and were so excited to see how many meals we could provide! We raised \$195.44 for the Children's Hunger Fund, which will provide 781 meals and share God's word with so many!



Thank you to all who helped make our week of VBS a success! A special thank you to Amy Zientek, Joe Benson, Mindy Aldinger, Luanne Schaefer, Stephanie Bahr and Pastor Reseburg!



After the morning VBS session ended, we had 17 students (from grades K-8) who stayed for the afternoon camp session! They had the opportunity to play games outside, build with legos, throw water balloons, make crafts, have a snack, play in the gym and just enjoy being together! Thank you Sandy Brown for leading the arts and crafts time each afternoon!



## September Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries ("A")

If your birth date or wedding anniversary is not included, please be sure to contact the church office.  
Thanks!



### Sept. 1

A-Casey & Alanna Carney  
A-Steve & Karen Handrich  
Brian Behr  
Eleanor Senkbeil  
Dustin Stiloski

### Sept. 2

A-Jeff & Linda Timm  
Linda Hoffmann  
Tom Knuteson  
Michael Marble  
Joanne Seeger

### Sept. 3

Caleb Hedtke  
Damien Langner  
Brian Zavadil

### Sept. 4

A-Jeffrey & Shari Schulz

### Sept. 5

Deborah Beber  
Emily Ewert  
Jamie Krueger  
Joe VanderMeer

### Sept. 6

A-Joe & Maggie Boudro  
A-Judy & Jerry Pritchard  
Avis Browne  
Kitty Tice

### Sept. 7

A-Duane & Ann Wunsch  
Brayden Nobile

### Sept. 8

Michele Bellante  
Jacob Boudro  
Allison Cebulla  
Karen Clark  
Fred Witzke

### Sept. 9

A-Clark & Jennifer Gaulke

### Sept. 10

A-Sabrina & Cedric Dennis  
A-Louis & Susan Fohr  
Harry Knight  
Brad Patterson  
Kieran Wagner

### Sept. 11

A-Daniel & Lisa Burant  
Gayle Berry  
Amelia Woelky

### Sept. 12

A-Linda & Jim Beckley  
Sabrina Dennis  
Deb Margrett  
Pat Schober

### Sept. 13

Dick Cruz  
Benjamin Seeger

### Sept. 14

A-David & Yvonne Bangle  
Bob Brockman  
Dan Pautz

### Sept. 15

A-Jill & Craig Cookle  
Tyler Schmid

### Sept. 16

Ryan Gronitz  
Ronald Higgins  
Rev. Dennis Hipenbecker  
Morgan Matthews

### Sept. 17

A-Al & Darlene Baumgart  
Jim Clark  
Gabrielle Harner  
Mya Schultz  
Terry Tuttrup

### Sept. 18

Alice Chen  
Zoe Schneider

### Sept. 19

A-Julie & Ryan Luetzow  
A-Bob & Laurie Radewahn  
Leona Dober  
Wilson Nicely  
Bob Radewahn  
Forrest Schumacher

### Sept. 20

Lyn Peterson  
Rick Wegner

### Sept. 21

A-Jeff & Peggy Paulsen  
Ryan Browne  
Jill Cookle  
Hanna Radewahn  
Jacob Rentmaster

### Sept. 22

Gary Will

### Sept. 23

Matthew Boudro  
Ed Herzberg  
Kevin Kysely  
Emily Rohde

### Sept. 24

A-Dan & Gayle Berry  
A-Stu & Sharon Boudro  
A-Dick & Jean Kruse  
JoAnne Peterson  
Kelsey Wegner

### Sept. 25

A-Mal & Jane Chapman  
A-Sam & Rose Lee  
Chase Hipke  
Miriam Soderland  
Barb Steffel

### Sept. 26

Joanne Carstens  
Sara Keck  
Amy Stiloski

### Sept. 27

A-John & Carol Schaefer  
Rebecca Butler  
George Fleischmann  
Michael Rohde

### Sept. 28

Kenzie Peters  
John Schaefer  
Eric Seeger

### Sept. 29

Inge Klammer  
Nathan Van Schaick

### Sept. 30

A-Mark & Carol Ewert  
Benjamin Ewert

BACK TO SCHOOL



# September

## Elm Grove Ev. Lutheran Church Calendar—2022

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The deadline for articles and photos to be submitted for the next *Seasons* is:

**Thursday, September 15**

Submissions can be sent to  
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### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

On Sunday, September 4, the service will be at 9 a.m. with Communion. Beginning Sunday, September 11, we'll return to the two Sunday services schedule.

**Sunday 8:00 a.m.**

The Lord's Supper celebrated  
**1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday** (this month: 9/11, 9/18)

( Bible Study )  
9:30-10:30

**Sunday 10:45 a.m.**

The Lord's Supper celebrated  
**2nd, 4th, 5th Sunday** (this month: 9/25)

**Thursday 6:30 p.m.**

The Lord's Supper celebrated  
**1st, 3rd, 5th Thursday**

### **The Beauty of Elderly Hands**

By Kelly Roper

Although the hands of the elderly may not be  
Smooth, supple, and unblemished,  
They have a beauty all their own.  
Each line, each spot, each scar  
Has its own tale to tell.  
Some are tales of tragedy, others are tales of triumph,  
But they all combine to tell the unique story  
Of that treasured person's life.  
So the next time you're with an elder,  
Gently take that person's hands within your own,  
And look with wonder at a life truly lived.



**The glory of the young is their strength; the gray  
hair of experience is the splendor of the old.**

(Proverbs 20:29)

### **Church in the Glen and BBQ**

Sunday, September 11  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service,  
with a BBQ lunch to follow!

**Please bring a dish/dessert to pass.**

