

ELM GROVE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
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The Holy Trinity
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Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church
Calendar

- S 9:00 a.m. Worship (DS4)
10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study
7:00 p.m. AA Mtg (CLC)
- M 7:00 p.m. Barbershop Group (FH)
- T 10:00 a.m. LWML (BAAC)
6:30 p.m. Foundation Meeting (228)
- W 1:00 p.m. Sheepshead Players (BAAC)
5:45 p.m. T-Ball
- T 6:30 p.m. Worship (Vespers)

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
Offices are open Mon. – Thurs.
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Closed on Friday

Key:
CLC – Christian Life Center
FH – Fellowship Hall
BAAC – Bartelt Adult Activity Center
MC – Music Center
FL – Friendship Library
YR – Youth Room

IN THE LORD'S HOUSE: 192 attended services last week in person. **69** households streamed the services for a total of **261**. "And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers."

LITERATI BOOK FAIR UPDATE: Thanks to all who supported this year's book fair through volunteering and purchasing items at the fair. We earned about \$600 worth of books for our school library and classrooms. What a blessing!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – SYNOD CONVENTION: The LCMS Convention will be held July 29-August 3 at the Wisconsin Convention Center in downtown Milwaukee. Many volunteers are needed to serve in the days leading up to and throughout the convention in various areas – Hospitality, Information, Registration and more. Visit swd.lcms.org/serve or scan the QR code below to review the available slots and sign up by Tuesday, June 27. If you can speak Russian, Korean or Spanish, the International Guests Hospitality Committee could use your assistance in

greeting guests at the airport and assisting at the convention. Thank you for serving at the Convention!

CALLING ALL GRADE SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL, and COLLEGE GRADUATES (or parents, thereof): This is the time of year when many graduations are taking place. If you are a grade school, high school, or college graduate please submit a photo of yourself along with info on any future school plans or employment plans to Amy Stroh (astroh@egl.org). We would like to feature your accomplishments. God's richest blessings to each and every one of you as you follow the plans God has in store for you!

EGL VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is July 17-21 from 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. Please see the June Seasons for information to register or to sign up to volunteer. If you have any questions please contact Brooke Gronitz at bgronitz@gmail.com.

CAMPING AT LUWISOMO: Open now to mid-September, the campground is a great option for families and congregations to visit LuWiSoMo to

relax, recharge, spend time together, and enjoy God's creation. It's a quiet, family friendly campground with both non-electric campsites and those with water and electric for campers, as well as a few cabins. Reservations are required. Learn more at www.luwisomo.org/campground and contact us to schedule your family time at LuWiSoMo today!

LWML: The LWML morning group will meet in the BAAC on Wednesday, June 7, at 10:00 a.m. The Bible Study, "**Chosen for a Purpose,**" is found on page 20 of the spring issue of *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly*. Part of this study will be looking up Bible verses in which we will be "visiting" our Biblical sisters of the Bible. It looks like a very interesting Bible Study. Plan to attend. Note that in the months of July and August the morning group will not be meeting.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: On Thursday, June 15, at 9:30 a.m., the Book Discussion Group will meet in the BAAC. Instead of discussing a book, we will vote on suggestions for new books to be read and discussed in the 2023-2024 year. In addition to the voting, there will be a brunch and fellowship, with several members bringing food. If you have questions, please call Barb Kurth at 262-345-5083.

APOR LIFEWALK: A Place of Refuge Ministries invites you to participate in LifeWalk 2023 on Saturday, June 10, from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church (7821 W. Lincoln Avenue, West Allis). Please see the June Seasons for additional information. Please call Sue Schmalzer, 414-313-3888, to sponsor a walker or arrange for carpooling with your fellow EGL members.

EGLS PRAYER CHAIN: The prayer chain at EGL is a group of "prayer warriors" who receive prayer requests. The prayer requests received are from EGL members, friends, relatives, or others who are asking for this team to pray for them. We offer prayers of: thanksgiving, comfort, praise, strength, peace, blessings, wisdom, and healing. If you wish to receive prayers from our

prayer warriors please contact Mindy Aldinger at prayerchain@egl.org.

WONDERFULLY MADE: A book study in three parts. What is marriage? What is a woman? What is the relationship between sex and gender? Dr. John Kleinig's "Wonderfully Made: A Protestant Theology of the Body" (Lexham Press, 2021) is a concise summary of scriptural teaching on embodied human life. Kleinig, a renowned Lutheran Bible scholar and pastor from Australia, sheds light on what the Bible teaches about the human body in seven short chapters written in clear, straightforward language. His clear uncomplicated prose sheds important light on the controversial diversity, equity, and identity policies getting increasing attention in schools, government, and the corporate world. You're invited to a discussion of this important book this summer. The book study will be held at EGL in three sessions: June 14, 28, and July 12 (6:30 – 8:00 p.m.). Discussion leader will be Harold L. Senkbeil. Register by contacting Amy Stroh at the church office by June 5. (AStroh@egl.org) or 262-797-2970. Order the book online in advance or pick up your copy from the church office for the discounted price of \$21.00 each.

NATIONAL SECURITY AND SPACE: Concordia University Wisconsin in Mequon has recently established the Center for National Security and Space (CNSS) on campus at 12800 N Lake Shore Dr, Mequon, WI 53097. The CCNSS promotes American national security, spacepower, space economics, science, and exploration, unifying the ideals of virtue, free enterprise, human potential, and American security. In addition, the activities of the Center serve to recognize each individual's God-given talent and seek to develop students in mind, body, and spirit for a life of service to the Church and humanity. If you wish to support this new endeavor, contact Jeff Klocko at Jeff.klocko@cuw.edu.

LCMS YOUNG PROFESSIONALS: Lutheran adults 22-32 are warmly invited to attend an event at **Der Sheboygan Biergarten** (511 Kiwanis Park Road, Sheboygan) on July 20 from 6:00-10:00 p.m. Beer, pizza, and pretzels will be offered for free while socializing.

PLEASE PRAY FOR and remember these members of EGL who are confined to bed or to their homes. Addresses and telephone #'s are in the church directory.

Bernice McCloskey	Charlotte Mohr
Elaine Olson	Elaine Peppel

Remember those serving in the Armed Forces:

Rebecca (Burhop) Butler
Dr. James Burhop
Katherine Leaf
Will Myatt
Alex Ohde
Joshua Tesch