



Living Hope Lutheran *Get Connected!*

Weekly Calendar

Sunday (May 4)	8:00am	Worship Service
	10:30am	Confirmation Sunday Communion Service
Monday (May 5)	2:30pm	PB&J at GS Fellowship Hall
	6:30pm	Worship Service
	6:30pm	Jesus Cares
	6:30pm	School Committee Meeting
	7:00pm	Finance Meeting
Tuesday (May 6)	12:30pm	Serving Hope Meeting
Wednesday (May 7)	10:00am	Adult Bible Study
	6:30pm	Adult Bible Study
Thursday (May 8)	11:00am	Senior Bible Study
Friday (May 9)	10:00am	Terry Sweek Funeral Visitation
	11:30am	Terry Sweek Funeral Service
Saturday (May 10)	9:00am	Stretching Class
	10:15am	Mary Mornings Bible Study
	5:00pm	Communion Service
	7:00pm	Teen Bonfire
Sunday (May 11)		<i>Mother's Day</i>
	8:00am	Communion Service
	9:15am	Adult Bible Study
	9:15am	Kid's Club
	9:15am	Teen Bible Study
	10:30am	Communion Service
	11:45am	Building Plan Open Forum
Monday (May 12)	2:30pm	PB&J at GS Church
	6:30pm	Communion Service
Tuesday (May 13)	1:00pm	LWMS Meeting
	6:30pm	Church Council Meeting
	6:30pm	Elders' Meeting
	7:00pm	Sheepshead Fellowship

LHL Church

Bible Classes

- ***Sunday Morning Bible Study*** meets at 9:15am in the sanctuary. (Sunday, May 4, we will NOT have Bible Class as we prepare for the Confirmation Service.)
- ***Midweek Bible Class*** meets on Wednesdays at 10:00am and 6:30pm down the hall from the sanctuary. We will study the book of 2 Thessalonians.
- ***Senior Bible Study*** meets on Thursdays at 11:00am in the basement of the old GS sanctuary.
- ***Teen Bible Study*** meets on Sundays at 9:15am in a meeting room down the hall from the sanctuary.
- ***Faith 2 Action*** Men's Bible Study meets on select Saturdays.
- ***Mary Mornings Bible Study*** meets NEXT on May 10 at 10:15am at the school campus. Studies are from the WELS Women's Ministry.

Attendance Recorders—Team members, on a rotating schedule, record attendance each week. If you would like to join the group, please contact Rev. Tom Kneser at tkneser@livinghopelutheran.org or (414) 339-8616.

Bonfire & Outdoor Games Night—May 10, 7:00-9:00pm— for teens in grades 7-12. Meet at the school campus. There is no cost to attend. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/LHLYouthGroupBonfire> or scan the QR code by May 7th. Contact is youthgroup@livinghopelutheran.org.



Building Plans Open Forum and Voters Meeting—We will have an open forum presentation about a recommended builder on Sunday, May 11 at 11:45am. We will then have a Voters' Meeting on Sunday May 18 to formally decide which builder to use for our project.

LHL School

NEXT Week is Teacher Appreciation Week!—If anyone would like to monetarily contribute to celebrating our teachers during Teacher Appreciation week, you can bring donations to the school office now through Friday, May 9. Or send money via Venmo to Ashley-Roeder-9. Thank you!

Other WELS Ministries

WLHS International Host Family Informational Meeting—Wisconsin Lutheran High School is hosting an informational session, Monday, May 5, 6:30pm in Room 220, regarding the host family program. The international program at WLHS is in need of caring, supportive, mission-minded families to take in our international students over some of the school breaks throughout the year. Register for the meeting by emailing Director of the International Program Mr. Eric Duwe at eric.duwe@wlhs.org. More information about the International Host Family Program can be found at wlhs.org/homestay.

WLHS Jr. Vikings Night—Monday, May 12, 4:30pm—Grade school families from our conference schools and churches are invited to a fun night at the ballpark! Wear your school gear and show your support at Wisconsin Lutheran College Outdoor Athletic Complex.

WLHS Prism Concerts—Wisconsin Lutheran High School presents its annual Prism concerts on Friday and Saturday, May 16 and 17, at 7:00pm and Sunday, May 18, at 2:00 and 7:00pm. These popular concerts are a celebration of the fine arts and generally sell out quickly. Tickets are available for purchase online at <https://wlhs.ludus.com/index.php> or scan the QR code. Advanced tickets cost \$12 for adults and \$10 for children through grade 8. If available, tickets will also be sold at the door.



2025 Wisco Friends—Wisconsin Lutheran High School's English Excellence Summer Camp is accepting applications from youth ages 13-17. The camp runs from July 12/13–31. International students travel to WLHS to study English and experience our unique culture. Wisco Friends play a vital role in their time here. Visit wlhs.org/wiscofriends to apply by Thursday, May 1.

35th Annual Friends of Wisco Golf Outing—Monday, June 16—Ironwood Golf Course, in Sussex. Come on out to support Christian education at WLHS! Register by Friday, June 6 at <https://tinyurl.com/WLHS2025GolfOuting> or scan the QR code.



I Run Kids Marathon—Wisconsin Lutheran College Cross Country Coaches and Athletes are excited to be hosting a youth Running and Reading program again this summer! The “In Person” program is filling fast! The “Virtual” program is unlimited registrations. Register by scanning the QR code or visiting <https://tinyurl.com/WLCSummerRunningReading>. Flyers are in the back of the sanctuary.



Christ Through Us Dinner—The WELS Historical Institute cordially invites you to celebrate the 175th anniversary of the founding of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod at a dinner at Salem Lutheran Church and School. Tickets for the dinner are \$50 per person and are available at <https://gf.wels.net/whi-175th-anniversary-dinner/> or scan the QR code. Attendance is limited to 200 people. Please register by May 12, 2025.



WELS Night at the Brewers—Friday, July 11, 7:20pm—Back for another year, plan to join thousands of WELS members for an exciting WELS Night of fellowship, fun and baseball at American Family Field! Ticket prices are up to 50% off. Purchase tickets online at <https://brewers.com/wels> or scan the QR code.



Living Hope Lutheran Ministries

Adult Choir—Breaking for Summer—Open to high school age and older. Contact Anika Ratzburg at (916) 837-1996 or a.ratzburg17@gmail.com.

Handbell Choir—Breaking for Summer—Contact Tina Graham at tinalgram@aol.com or (414) 732-6894.

Instrumentalists—Breaking for Summer—Open to all adults and high school kids. Contact Mary Mengel at mmengel@livinghopelutheran.org,

Serving Hope is a subgroup of the Women's Ministry and supports the congregation by serving for funerals, reaching out to the homebound, and other activities as needs arise. Contact Denyce Baker at (262) 789-8085 or baker021074@gmail.com.

Prayer Lap Blanket Ministry—You can provide lap blankets for those who are shut-ins, or needing care. Contact Karen Cooley at kayloucee@gmail.com or (414) 530-6353.

Sheepshead Fellowship gets together twice a month September-May 7:00-9:00pm. Email revmarkw@gmail.com for updates and information.

Jesus Cares is a program tailored for individuals with disabilities. For information call before 5:00pm: Rodger and Susan White (414) 384-8445.

PIE (Partners In Education) builds relationships between parents, teachers, and church members through various activities throughout the school year. Contact Amanda Davis at pie@livinghopelutheran.org.

Girl and Boy Pioneers—The programs are for all children in 1st grade and up. Contacts:

GIRL: Jackie Schachtschneider (414) 324-7587, jsschachtschneider@gmail.com; Mary Jo Abbott (414) 491-3587, maryjoabbott@ameritech.net; BOY: Mike Larsen (414) 640-5069, michaelseanlarsen99@gmail.com; TREASURER: Jill Parbs (414) 218-3201, jillparbs@gmail.com



God's Blessings to our Living Hope brothers and sisters
who are celebrating birthdays!

Jayden Anderson
Kevin Bush
Alyssa Cole
Allen Gruszka
Chris Hein
Poppy Jones
Lauren Mantz
Ross Whiting

Karen Anderson
Robert Carnako
Robert Gemoll
Tom Harders
Debra Jenkins
Joshua Klug
Scott Warras
Bailey Wieting

Year-to-Date Summary Financials


	FY 2024 YTD	FY 2023 YTD
Total Income	\$ 1,635,696	\$ 1,835,109
Total Expense	\$ 1,734,723	\$ 1,604,979
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Net Operating Income	\$ (99,027)	\$ 230,130

Regular Worship Attendance Last Week: 430
Bible Study for All Ages: 17

Devotional Resources


For a DVD of today's service please contact the church office.

Live-streamed services on FACEBOOK under the "videos" tab:

[Facebook.com/LivingHopeLutheranChurchWestAllis](https://www.facebook.com/LivingHopeLutheranChurchWestAllis) 


YouTube—[youtube.com/@Living.Hope.Lutheran.Church/videos](https://www.youtube.com/@Living.Hope.Lutheran.Church/videos)

Time of Grace Broadcast can be seen Sundays: 7:00am on Me-TV channels 41 and 58, also 10:00am on NBC channel 4. *On Demand* anytime: [timeofgrace.org](https://www.timeofgrace.org), Apple TV, Fire TV, Roku.


Daily Devotions—Sign up to receive devotions by email at wels.net/servingyou/devotions. 


Issues of Meditations and Forward in Christ are in the back of church. Take a copy for yourself or to share with others!


Devotion Resources from WELS—Our Synod provides a number of devotional resources for you to use. Below is a list to find and use these insightful and useful devotions.

— **Main devotion page** with a Family Devotion, Military Devotion, and Daily Devotion: <https://wels.net/serving-you/devotions/> 

— **Transformed - Teen Devotions** - <https://wels.net/serving-you/devotions/teen-devotions/> 

— **Marriage Moments** - a short video devotion for couples to view together with a simple discussion question - <https://welscongregationalservices.net/ministry-resources/wels-marriages/marriagemoments/> 

— **Grace Moments**—A free downloadable devotional provided by Kingdom Workers and *Time of Grace*. Devotional will immediately download as a .pdf by entering the web address: <https://tinyurl.com/Grace-Moments>. 

NPH EXTRA (WELS)—Our church or school could receive 1 percent of your purchases through Northwestern Publishing House! Visit <https://online.nph.net/extra-rewards-loyalty-program> to learn more. 

Serving Through Next Week

Cleaning Team #6

Tim and Jessica Hochmuth and Pastor and Rossi Zaring

Saturday Ushers

Jay, Jacob, Casey, and Cody Schwall

8:00am Ushers

Terry Meincke, Brian Grady, Steve Unger

10:30am Ushers

Jacob Horvat, Jordan Donart, and Andrew Mielke

Monday Ushers

Joe Zabrowski and Ryan Hoffman

8:00am Communion Assistants

Dan Ody and Jamin Wendorf

10:30am Communion Assistants

Mark Kuether and Jim Behling

*Note that the **CLEANING TEAM** listed above should clean the church before the next Saturday — in this case, by May 10th*



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School: (414) 321-8780