



## ORFORDVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

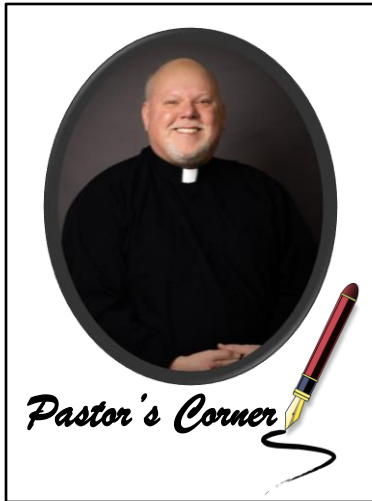
*Do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with God.*

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### JUNE 2022 NEWSLETTER

Dear Orfordville Lutheran Church,

Are you ready for summer? I know I am looking forward to the extra hours of sunlight and being outside more often. As much as I complain about winter, it sure does help me appreciate summer. Confirmation, Sunday School and Adult Bible study are all on pause for the summer, but that doesn't mean all activity comes to a stand-still. We are busy planning our summer worship schedule which will include outdoor worship in the church front yard the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of June, July, August and September (weather permitting). We are also working on plans for a weekday worship opportunity starting in the fall. I realize families have crazy schedules between work, school and after school activities, so we will try some new things. Keep an eye out for more information.

We are also working on getting our nursery set up again. Gerry Johnson put a fresh coat of paint on the room and Parkview High School kids have painted decorations on the walls. Our plan is to get a diaper changing station, new carpet, clean up some of the old toys and supplement them with new toys, and ensure worship can be least heard in the nursery. Our hope is that parents can find this a safe space to hang out during worship when things are not going according to plan for them or their child. We will look for other ways to be inviting to young families to meet their needs.

Thank you to all the volunteers who work behind the scenes to make things happen. I have talked with many of you and you have all told me that there is no need to thank you. But, that is the way I was raised, to say "thank you". It takes many hands to make the work easy. God bless you on your summer and THANK YOU!

Peace,

Pastor Tom



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## Updated Financial Report

YTD Income (Through May 27, 2022) .....\$80,390.28

YTD Expenses (Through May 27, 2022).....\$68,343.28

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## *Upcoming Events & Announcements*

### ***Senior Luncheon – Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at Purdy Park (weather permitting)***

The Senior Luncheon will be a *Picnic in the Park* on June 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:30 a.m. Please join us at Purdy Park (Orfordville) for Hamburgers/Brats, Salads, Fruit and delicious Dessert. There will be no program. Take time to enjoy the outdoors and visit with one another. *(In the case of inclement weather; the Senior Luncheon will be moved back to OLC – signs will be posted)* **Please RSVP to the Orfordville Library at 608-879-9229.**

### ***Wear Red to Worship on Pentecost - Sunday, June 5th***

We will be celebrating the gift of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost. For fun, everyone is invited to wear red to worship on June 5th.

### ***Quilting Class - Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 a.m.***

We'll be holding Quilt Class on Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> (9:00 am – 3:00 pm) This will give you an opportunity to finish up your projects.

### ***Church Council Meeting – Monday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.***

The next Church Council meeting will be held on Monday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Please contact a church council member if you have an item or concern that you would like brought before the council.



### ***Outdoor Worship Service – Sunday, June 19th at 10:00 am***

It's Summer Time! You are invited to bring your lawn chair and join us for our Outdoor Worship Service on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month during June, July, August & September (weather permitting).

### ***OLC Foundation Scholarship - Apply before July 1st***

The OLC Foundation is currently taking scholarship applications for students from our congregation.

- **First time applicants:** Please email Deb Speich, at [dspeich@wekz.net](mailto:dspeich@wekz.net), to request an application be sent to you.
- **Continuing students:** Send a letter to the OLC Foundation Board to request consideration for a scholarship. The letter, along with a copy of your college transcript/report card, should be sent to Deb Speich at [dspeich@wekz.net](mailto:dspeich@wekz.net).

Scholarships will be awarded upon the completion of the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the school year. **All applications and letters of request are due by July 1<sup>st</sup>.**

### ***July Newsletter Deadline – Monday, June 20th***

You are welcome to submit an article, announcement and/or pictures for the July newsletter. Please send your items, via email to: [office@orfordvillelutheran.org](mailto:office@orfordvillelutheran.org). You may also contact Sue Draves, in the church office, to let her know that you would like to submit for the newsletter.

### ***Thank yous and Thanksgivings:***

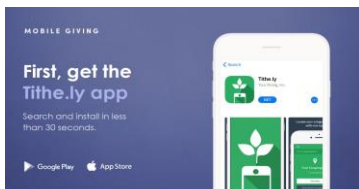
- Thank you to Gerry Johnson for painting the nursery.
- Thank you to Darci Ketter & Laurie Hallmark-Gianitsos for the special music on May 22nd.
- Thank you to Pat Burtness for the donation of tables & chairs. These will come in quite handy for various events.
- We are so thankful for the students that painted the murals in the nursery. They did a fantastic job!
- Thanks be to God for the many blessings of this past month!

### ***June Birthdays***

1	Stephanie Johnson	21	Olivia Rice
2	Eddie Burtness	23	Bonnie Hoff
2	Nancy Dickison	24	Julie Cronk
4	Tylar Frame	24	Chris Johnson
6	Cassidy Olson	25	Karl Stuvengen
9	Katie Klassy	27	Betty Dickison
13	Joshua Speich	27	Mike Schindler
15	Katrina Johnson	29	Debbie Speich
18	Jackie O’Neal	30	Krista Bartelt

### ***Note:***

*Please help us keep our birthday lists up-to-date. If you see an error or if we missed someone, send us an email at [office@orfordvillelutheran.org](mailto:office@orfordvillelutheran.org)*



### ***Online and Mobile Giving Available***

OLC is continuing to offer online & mobile giving through Tithe.ly. Visit [www.orfordvillelutheran.org](http://www.orfordvillelutheran.org) and click on the “Give” tab. You may also download the Tithe.ly app on your smartphone and search for “Orfordville Lutheran.”

### ***Pastoral Care and Prayer***

If you are facing a surgery or crisis (or if you just need someone to talk to); please reach out to Pastor Tom at 608-577-4851. If you would like to be supported in prayer, by our prayer chain, please contact Nancy Dickison at 608-879-2638 or Pastor Tom at the number above. You may also contact Pastor Tom via email at [pastorkreis@gmail.com](mailto:pastorkreis@gmail.com).



### Graduate Recognition

During our May 22<sup>nd</sup> Worship Service, Pastor Tom recognized Lexie Gianitsos for her accomplishments.



Lexie graduated, from Marquette Law School with a JD (Juris Doctorate). She will be a public defender (Lawyer) for Racine County beginning in July. Congratulations Lexie!



### Day of Giving

Parkview High School students took part in a "Day of Giving" Community Service. OLC was fortunate to have some very talented art students painting murals in our nursery room. They also finished the mural that was started (years ago) by Linda Sorgatz (top right side).

# JUNE 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <b>11:30 am</b> Senior Luncheon (Purdy Park)	2 <b>9:00-11:00 am</b> C.U.P. <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	3 <b>7:00 pm</b> AA Meeting Parsonage	4
5 <b>10:00 am</b> Worship Pentecost Sunday <i>Wear Red</i> <b><u>Fellowship</u></b> <b><u>following</u></b> <b><u>service</u></b>	6 <b>9:00 am</b> Quilt Class	7 <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	8	9 <b>9:00-11:00 am</b> C.U.P. <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	10 <b>7:00 pm</b> AA Meeting Parsonage	11
12 <b>10:00 am</b> Worship	13 <b>6:30 pm</b> Church Council Mtg  <b>6:30 pm</b> Plymouth 4-H	14 <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	15	16 <b>9:00-11:00 am</b> C.U.P. <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	17 <b>7:00 pm</b> AA Meeting Parsonage	18
19 <b>10:00 am</b> Outdoor Worship Service 	20 <i>July Newsletter Deadline</i>	21 <b>1:00 pm</b> Mission Quilting  <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	22	23 <b>9:00-11:00 am</b> C.U.P.  <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	24 <b>7:00 pm.</b> AA Meeting Parsonage	25
26 <b>10:00 am</b> Worship Baptism 	27 <b>2:00 pm</b> Rock Valley Quilt Guild	28 <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class	29	30 <b>9:00-11:00 am</b> C.U.P.  <b>4:00 pm</b> Healthy Ladies Fitness Class		

**SUNDAY SCHOOL KIDS  
2021-2022**



**HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!**

Sunday School  
Resumes  
September 2022