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# Parish Notes

## Welcome to Worship

July 6, 2025

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*Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus*

### SUNDAY

8:30 am - Adult Bible Study  
9:30 am - Worship  
Off for the summer (~~Children's Sunday School during worship~~)  
10:30 am - Fellowship

### MONDAY

~~9:00 am - Friendly Ties Quilters (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays)~~  
off for the summer

### TUESDAY

11:00am - Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY

1:00 pm - Book Club

### THURSDAY

1:00 pm - Shepherding Bible Study Group – (3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday)  
- Game Day – (1<sup>st</sup> Thursday)  
1:00 pm - Movie Day – (4<sup>th</sup> Thursday)  
6:30 pm - Church Council meeting – (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday)

### FRIDAY

8:00 pm - AA and Al Anon

### SATURDAY

10:00am - WELCA Ladies (4<sup>th</sup> Saturday)

## July Birthdays

Dana Gray	1
Patti Hall	5
Holly McCaffrey	8
Cindy Day	9
Kallie Filanda	12
Gordon Young	13
Kay Prescaro	14
Carolyn Day	15
Carol Benson	24
Madison Rhees	24
Callie Jo Simpson	26



Flowers on the altar given by Alan & Cindy Day in celebration of Cindy's 70<sup>th</sup> birthday and for their daughter Carolyn's birthday.

## Upcoming Events

**July 10** – Council Meeting @ 6:30

**July 16** – Building Committee @ 6:30

Thanks to Todd and Renee Hart for providing treats for coffee hour this morning.



There are many dates available to sign up for coffee hour treats or flowers for the altar. See the charts in the fellowship hall to see what Sundays are available

## In Need of Worship Assistants

- We need of worship assistants to help conduct the worship service each Sunday. The positions open are Ushers; Counters; Worship Assistants; and Greeters. Training will be provided, and scheduling would be about every two months. If you are interested, see Pat Refsdal or Pastor Debra. We all need to consider how we can contribute our talents to our worship service, administration and operations at Ascension Lutheran Church!! Thank you!

## Ascension Building Committee

The Ascension Building Committee will next meet on Wednesday, July 16th at 6:30 PM to continue discussions on building projects. The committee will look at:

1. Hometown Ogden assist with landscaping needs
2. The administrative progress in obtaining bids
3. Next steps needed to identify and prioritize Ascension's building projects
4. Other agenda items

## **Ascension's Landscaping Project this Week**

The Hometown Ogden group will again be at Ascension this week to remove 4 inches of sod from the perimeter of the church building so we can later in the month, install a 5-foot decorative rock barrier around the church to protect the stucco. They will also remove some of the greenery around the building so new greenery can be planted later this summer/fall. This coming Tuesday and Wednesday, July 8 and 9, at 9:00 AM, we will need our Ascension family here in force to help load sod and greenery into trailers. We will also need folks to help with water, refreshments, hospitality conversation and encouragement for those working in the heat. If you have a trailer suitable to haul sod, we could use that as well. Come and see all the action!!!!

Here's a look at the work that was done Monday taking down the trees out front. We are blessed to receive help from the amazing people at Hometown Ogden.









## ELCA On-Line Bible Study Events


Join us for a series of online Bible studies as we prepare for the 2025 ELCA Churchwide Assembly!

Each session will focus on our assembly theme, "For the Life of the World," through one of three lenses — climate justice, gender justice, or war/conflict and reconciliation — and allow attendees to engage with the presenters.


Sessions will be held Wednesday evenings (July 9, 16 and 23) from 6 to 6:45 p.m. Central time. Register today: <https://www.elca.org/.../churchwide.../2025-cwa-pre-events>

Registration is easy, click the link, it will take you to the registration page for the three different studies. You can register for any of them. You will receive an email with a "Join Event" Button for the time of the study.

This is a great opportunity to hear about the topics that the "church" is focusing on during the upcoming churchwide assembly.



*BIBLE STUDY SESSIONS*  
ELCA Churchwide Assembly Pre-Event  
6 p.m. Central time on Microsoft Teams

		
Willie Korboi	Deacon Clare Josef-Maier	Bishop Atahualpa Hernández Miranda
July 9	July 16	July 23

## Please Lift Up in Prayer

- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Cory, Nancy Gale's son
- Jessica Stewart, Dick Graves's daughter
- Jefferson Barrett
- Maylan Chugg, Don & Dee's granddaughter
- Chris, friend of Alyson W.
- Henry, Nancy G's grandson
- Cheryl, friend of Alyson
- Mark Hughes and family
- Dick Graves
- Suzy and her family
- Bill, Linda's brother
- Alice, Anastasia, and all the people affected by the war in Ukraine
- Brian Washburn, Kamberlynn's dad
- Terry, Dee Brown's brother
- Ruth Dupee, friend of Maria
- Lynn & Carol Benson
- Don Hughes
- Don and Dee Brown
- Sue, Sharen's sister
- Dean and Val, Mike's brother and sister-in-law
- Steve Morlan
- Diana Warkentin
- David Stuart
- Sharen's Mahjong Group
- Jed M, a cadet at Kelly's school
- Babs B.
- Anne E.
- Sara, friend of Sharen
- Baylee Rose and family, Danette's granddaughter
- Judy Neilsen, Carolyn's Aunt in law
- Jack, Pastor Debra's nephew
- Diane Engelby
- Carolyn, Cindy's daughter
- Michelle, friend of Pastor Debra
- Paula Del Carlo
- Casey, friend of Dick Graves
- Diana Schalk
- Pam Burbank
- Steve, Pastor & James' son-in-law
- Judy P.
- Patti, Shari's daughter








### †Praying for Loved Ones in the Military or deployed:

- Steve Johnson
- Kaleb Tarr, Ethan Lee, Michael Connelly (deployed 13 July 17, 2021)
- Dariyan Edsinger
- Mason Bushey and his wife Ida, and family
- Brody Wilcock
- Renee Kiel
- Justin Kiel
- Kris Kiel
- Matt Malde
- Jason Chugg
- Alex Treadway

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, or would like to be added to our Prayer Warrior email group, please send Kelly an email [jeffnkelly2@msn.com](mailto:jeffnkelly2@msn.com)



**July**  
**Ascension Ministries**

 <b>SUN</b>	 <b>WORSHIP ASST</b>	 <b>ALTAR GUILD</b>	 <b>USHERS</b>	 <b>GREETERS</b>	 <b>ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>	 <b>COUNTERS</b>
July 6	Pat Refsdal	Kim Engelby	Todd & Renee Hart	John & Diana Warkentin	Council Member	Renee Hart
July 13	Nancy Otto	Kim Engelby	Patti Hall & Stefani Rhees	CJ Jordan	Council Member	CJ Jordan
July 20	Arliss Zimmerman	Kim Engelby	Sharen Kamp	Stefani Rhees	Council Member	Paula Del Carlo
July 27	Edith Cryts	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	Joanna Wolf	Council Member	

If you have articles or information for the parish notes, please send them to Kelly by Friday afternoon.