



The Shepherd's Staff

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We will be using our Good Shepherd Lutheran Church website www.goodshepherdpolson.com emails, and phone calls to interact and keep the Congregation up to date and informed on activities and events.

If you have information that you would like to share,
please contact Kelley at the Church Office. 406-883-5864



CHERRY FESTIVAL

is Sat., July 26 & Sun., 27th.

LOOK for the Sign-up Sheet
on the Cloud Board!

or contact Bob Jamison to help out!



Vacation Bible Day Camp
Thank you to everyone who
helped make VBDC another
fun camp year for the kids!
29 attended

Next year camp will be at FLBC
with GSLC & FPC being co-hosts.
Help will be needed, so please
consider signing up now to be part
of the organizing team!



MUSIC NOTES

Choir is on Summer break!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JULY

Bill Burkitt	01
Matt Holmes	09
Vickee Siemers	11
Marilyn Trosper	11
Jaquy Christensen	14
Alex Mausshardt	14
Char Craigle	16
Susie Thorsrud	19
Haley Fyant	20
Jeanne Newgard	23
Nico River	24
Jeanne Guthrie	26
Diana Redmond	28



Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp

Register now for the 2025 CAMPS.

Camp scholarships are available.

3 Easy ways to Register

- ⇒ Call the *CAMP* office
at 406-752-6602
- ⇒ Emailing office@flbc.net
- ⇒ Online on the website: flbc.net



In Our Prayers

Loss & Grief:

In the Service of our Country: Kyle Klusacek (*Rod & Sharon Hanson's Grandson*), Joe Turnage, Brian Coffeen, J.D. Undem (*Rick & Sharon Procopio's grandson*), Tyler Dyk, Donald Vandenbussche, Curtis Berg, Steven Sorensen, Justin Borders, Gabriel Barnes, Jayson Sorensen, Mark Newkirk, Kory Newgard, *all who currently serve & who have served*



Ongoing Health: Steve Woidtke (*Jim & Marion's nephew*), Todd Erickson, Steven Holte (*Bill Burkitt's stepson & Joyce Erickson's nephew*), Dave Abell, Marvin Kaschke, Vivian Mohl (*Candy Gohl's aunt*), Ester Livingston, Lora Pearson, Ralph Brownell, Patty Tangedal, James Guthrie, Lyle BullShows (*Kristin & Dale Nelson's son*), Jan Boyle, Amber Steffes (*Arlinda & David Steffes's daughter*), Scott Trosper, Dallas Peterson, Patricia Smout (*Tony Peterson's mom*), Bill Peterson (*Tony Peterson's dad*), Charlie Grubb, Craig Erickson, Dave & Ferol Bjur, Anna Raymond (*Tony Peterson's friend*), Joyce Erickson, Jerome Hanson, Bill Burnett (*Marsha Humbach's friend*), Kathie Pierce (*Barb Dolphin's sister*), Brenda Wasylko (*Jan Boyle's sister-in-law*), Ina Christiansen (*Marret's mother*), Carol Johnson, Len Gunderson, Chris Bailey, Paul Breider (*Ferol & Dave Bjur's son*), Lilly Christiansen (*Marret's daughter*).

Thank you for your prayers and thoughts during this difficult time.

2025 Council Highlights

Next Council Meeting: **July 20th at 10:15 AM**

The Church Council last met on June 22nd, 2025.

Prayer Shawls are available to give to anyone in need of comfort. We have some that are ready to give, along with a prayer card. Also, we would appreciate any assistance in making them.

Yarn & instructions available. **Thank you to the knitters,** who have created beautiful shawls.

We now have some ready. Thank you!

The Sunshine Ministry

Barb Dolphin will be sending a card for birthdays, get well and to anyone you feel needs a special note. Please contact Barb with their information.

Our Ministers: All Who Have Been Baptized Into Christ

Our Pastor:

Our Support Staff:

Office Administrator	Kelley Druyvestein
Minister of Music	Angela Claver
Financial Secretary	Lynette Rundell

Our Congregation Council Members:

Executive Board

President	Jack Cummings
Vice President	Bob Jamison
Secretary	Vince River
Treasurer	Brad Trosper

Liaisons to Committees

Worship, Service & Music	Candy Baszler-Gohl
Youth & Family Ministry	Jaquy Christensen
Congregational Care	Arlinda Steffes
Stewardship	Sherry Nelson
Property & Management	Kevin Torgenrud

Our Special Groups:

Trust Fund, GSCW & Quilters

Together in Worship

Together in Worship Average Year-to Date: 59

Financial Information

Fiscal Year-to-Date Jan 1 through May 31st, 2025

YTD Actual Contrib. & Gifts, Undesignated*	\$ 50,452.29
YTD Budgeted Income Target	\$ 65,416.70
Other Sources of Income**	\$ 1,342.96
Total Year-to-Date Operating Income	\$ 51,795.25
Total Year-to-Date Operating Expenses	\$ 45,487.79
Total YTD Net Difference	\$ 6,307.46

*Undesignated contributions & gifts includes offerings designated as "non-synod"

**Includes Thrivent Choice & "synod only" designated offerings



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9:00 AM SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES MAY—SEPTEMBER

	1st Reading	Psalm	2nd Reading	Gospel
July 06	Acts 16:16-34	Psalm 97	Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21	John 17:20-26
July 13	Acts 2:1-21	Psalm 104:24-34, 35b	Romans 8:14-17	John 14:8-17 [25-27]
July 20	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31	Psalm 8	Romans 5:1-5	John 6:12-15
July 27	Isaiah 65:1-9	Psalm 22:19-28	Galatians 3:23-29	Luke 8:26-39