

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

~ Philippians 4:6-7

Please place in offering basket.

Email prayer chain requests must be sent to prayer.chain@charitylutheran.org.

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Charity Family Prays for

ARE YOU IN NEED OF PRAYER? Please use the detachable prayer request form on the left side of this page to request prayer and place it in the offering basket. You may also have your prayer request put on the email prayer chain.

May Congregational Prayer

Thanksgiving for Charity's children and youth.

Anniversaries


May 16 - Clark and Lisa Johnson

Healing

Sharon Schock, Roland Wiedrich, Alan Smith, Sharon Zimmerman, June Benedict, Jason Weaver, John Rahn, Sue Balcom, Kacie Schlecht, Marlin Fried, Dennis Torgerson, and Ray Schock.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR NAME LISTED HERE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 258-1228.

Our Military

Brett Miller, Jason Hoge, Garret & Lorna  Illerbrunn, Rob Duncan, Al Dohrmann, Wyatt Gross, Austin Wald, John Forde, Stephanie Hawronsky, Leroy Taylor, Michael Berman, Missy Dassinger, Donovan Clark, Zachary Watkins and Joshua Kuhn.

Congregational Condolences

Congregational Condolences and Sympathies to Lisa Aamodt and family for the loss of her mother, Joyce Frank at Bethel Nursing Home in Williston ND on May 4.



Acts 1:12-26
Psalm 1
1 John 5:9-15
John 17:11b-19

Pastor Ron Dahle

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2024
9:30 a.m.

On this Seventh Sunday of Easter the scripture lessons focus on the task at hand for the newly formed church. The eleven disciples need to find a replacement for the one who betrayed Jesus. This will be the beginning of their apostolic ministry to the world. We are reminded of Jesus' prayer for his followers before his death; a prayer that asks for the protection of his closest friends as they go out into the world without him at their side. They will not be alone, however. They will soon have the Holy Spirit.

 **charity** Welcome to Charity Lutheran Church

Sunday, May 12 - Saturday, May 18

SUNDAY: **Mother's Day**

9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. The Parables of Jesus | Sanctuary |
10:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study | Fireside Room |

TUESDAY:
9:30 a.m. Tuesday Women's Bible Study | Fellowship Hall |
"Starting Point: A Conversation about Faith-Andy Stanley | Carol Bjork |
6:30 p.m. Corporate Prayer | Sanctuary |

WEDNESDAY:
7:45 p.m. Men's Bible Study | Fireside Room |
Daniel | John Seedorf or Ray Eckroth |

FRIDAY:
6:00 p.m. Pinochle Game | Fellowship Hall |

SATURDAY:
8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study | Fireside Room | Mike Smith |

Our Mission: Charity is a shelter in Jesus Christ welcoming all into faith and fellowship, and preparing disciples for meaningful service in the world through the transforming work of the Holy Spirit in their lives.

Our Vision: Charity is a place for healing where changed lives are gifted and empowered by the Holy Spirit and released to serve in the community for the glory of Christ.

Offering: Thank you for your tithes and offerings. You can give during the service or anytime by clicking the GIVE link on the middle navigation pane of our homepage or by text to give; 701-401-8250.

Livestream: Charity live-streams the 9:30 a.m. Sunday service on Facebook, our YouTube Channel or on our website by clicking on watch now.

Got a Green Thumb?



Have you enjoyed the planters and flower beds at Charity? It might be time to dig in and stretch or develop your creative gardening muscles. It's not hard, and you will get guidance. We are looking for a volunteer or two to take over or assist with this ministry. If you are interested, please contact Doug Leef or Liz Landis at the church (701) 258-1228 or Laura Kourajian at (701) 471-0075.



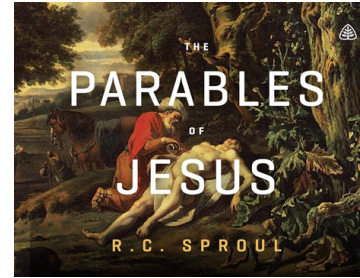
Welcome

Thank you for joining our Charity family for worship today. We hope that this time is a blessing for you and your family.

We have children's bulletins available in the sanctuary.

Sunday Educational Offering

The Sunday Educational Offering, **The Parables of Jesus** resumes today at 10:45 a.m.



THANK YOU

Thank you to all of our amazing volunteers who helped with Sunday School to teach our young people and to help them grow in their faith. We couldn't do it without you giving of your time. Have a great summer!

Baptism



Baptized today is **Liam Lee Mindt**, son to Gavin and Sara Mindt. Godparents are Ryan Grant and Karlee Mindt. The Children's Bible and gifts are from Charity Kid's Ministry and Charity Quilting Group.

The Altar Flowers today are from Jerry and Renee Walz in memory of their parents, Hugo & Selma Walz, and Parnell & Anetta Setnes and in honor of Mother's Day.



Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

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I am:
 a visitor
 a member
 received communion
 interested in Charity
 requesting a visit
 other

Graduation Sunday



Next Sunday is graduation Sunday at Charity. We will be recognizing the graduating class of 2024. If your student is graduating, please plan to attend our service.



If Mother's Day is a sad and lonely occasion for you, please know that a Stephen Minister is here to walk through the pain and sorrow with you. Please call the Charity Office for more information. 258-1228

Mother's Day



Dear Lord,

Thank you for the gift of precious moms everywhere. Please watch over and support all mothers on earth and in heaven. Bless them and continue to love them, so that love may continue to overflow into others. Help them to know how much they are loved and appreciated on Mother's Day and every day. Amen.

Her children rise up and call her blessed. Proverbs 31:28

Corporate Prayer

Every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Please join us. 2nd Week is for bulletin congregational prayer.



Announcing Vacation Bible School 2024

June 3-6

6:00-8:00 p.m.



Kids will be immersed in the Word and discover what living water is really all about and experience the never-ending love of God.

It takes a lot of wonderful volunteers to make VBS a success. If you are interested in helping coordinate or volunteer in any capacity, please email Jennifer Braun at jennifer.braun@charitylutheran.org.

SCUBA is for preschool and elementary age children. (Children must be 3 years old before the start of VBS and be fully potty-trained in order to attend).



Scan the QR code to register or visit the homepage of our website and click on the scrolling slide. In order to get a shirt in your child's size we ask that you please register as soon as possible.

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SUMMER BONFIRE NIGHTS



We are looking forward to the return of our summer bonfire nights. If you are interested in hosting a bonfire, please email the office at contact@charitylutheran.org.



Thank to everyone who helped with our Wednesday WOW programming. From the WOW meal team to the WINGS leaders, the Confirmation leaders, Youth Group Leaders, and those who helped lead The Bethel Bible Series. Charity is blessed to have so many wonderful people who step up and help out in various ways at the church! Have a great summer!



Visitation Ministry

We are excited to announce that Charity Lutheran's Visitation Ministry is up and running. Carol Simenson will be the Visitation Ministry Coordinator. If you would like to request a visit, please contact Liz Landis at 701-258-1228 or email her at liz.landis@charitylutheran.org. Our visitors have received training and are ready to visit you at your home, or in the hospital or nursing home.