

**SERVING SUNDAY, MAY 4**

**8:30 AM**

**Reader:** Nicole Dulaney  
**Ushers:** Carolyn Drew, \_\_\_\_\_  
**Acolytes:** Tristan Smith, \_\_\_\_\_  
**Altar:** Diane Wirkus  
**Accompanist:** Amber Pollmann  
**Power Point:** Josh Anhalt  
**Coffee & Treats:** Baccalaureate Reception

**10:45 AM**

**Reader:** Korben Hohn  
**Ushers:** Tom & Linda Bunkers  
**Acolytes:** Camden Jones, Elijah Pavlis  
**Altar:** Bev Rieck  
**Accompanist:** Amber Pollmann  
**Power Point:** Scott Saxon

**SERVING SUNDAY, MAY 11**

**9:30 AM**

**Reader:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Ushers:** Tom & Linda Bunkers  
**Acolytes:** Madelynn Van Wyhe, \_\_\_\_\_  
**Altar:** Team 4  
**Accompanist:** Kris Langer  
**Power Point:** Val Larson  
**Coffee & Treats:** Bill & Gayla Evans

**SERVING SUNDAY, MAY 18**

**9:30 AM**

**Reader:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Ushers:** Tom & Linda Bunkers  
**Altar:** Team 4  
**Accompanist:** Praise Band  
**Power Point:** Isaac Tudor  
**Coffee & Treats:** Tom & Bob Zorr

**Communion Server Instructions:**

For volunteers assisting at communion, if you are serving, please say:

**Bread:** "The body of Christ, for you."

**Wine:** "The blood of Christ, for you."

**Blessing Children:** "Know that Jesus loves you."

**Thank you to everyone who has volunteered.**



**God's Healing For...**

Marlys Graves  
Solveig Hendrickson  
Deb Peterson, sister in law of Jon & Kathy Peterson  
Uliyanna, daughter of Justin & Jess Evans  
Jeff DenHerder, brother of Jody Morrow  
Charley Furrh, Great Niece of Char McManus  
Bridget Schmidt, sister of Susi Bunkers

**Remember to pray for...**

The Storehouse Food Pantry, St. Dymas Prison  
Congregation, Church on the Street, The Banquet,  
Two Strike Community, Pine Ridge, The Lutheran  
Church of Faith & Hope in Nicaragua, and ELCA.

Please contact the church office if you are hospitalized or wish to be included in our prayers.

**Giving Made Easy!**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Lutheran Church of Dell Rapids  
Sunday, May 4, 2025**

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**This Week May 4 - May 10**

**SUN 4** 8:30 am Worship Service  
9:30 am Baccalaureate Reception  
10:45 am Worship Service with  
Baccalaureates  
**TUE 6** 6:30 pm Grief Share  
**WED 7** 1:30 pm Quilting  
3:30 pm High 5!  
5:30 pm Holy Smokes BBQ Fundraiser  
-Boundary Waters Canoe Trip  
6:15 pm Route 67/Confirmation Service  
Project  
7:30 pm 9th Grade Confirmation-Parent/  
Student Meeting

**Next Week May 11 - May 17**

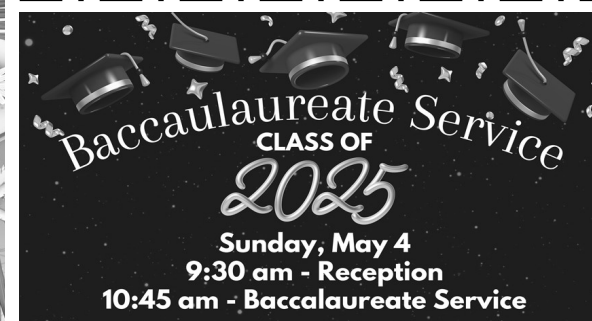
**SUN 11 | One Worship Schedule Begins**  
9:30 am Worship Service  
10:30 am Coffee & Treats  
**TUE 13** 4:00 pm Elder Connections  
6:30 pm Grief Share  
**WED 14** 3:30 pm High 5!  
5:30 pm Simple Supper  
6:15 pm Route 67/No Confirmation  
**THU 15** 12:00 pm Young at Heart  
2:00 pm Prayer Shawl



**What:** BBQ Fundraiser for Boundary Waters Canoe Trip  
**When:** Wednesday, May 7(Simple Supper 5:30pm)  
**Where:** Lcdr Fellowship Hall  
\*Free Will Donations will support our youth attending the Boundary Waters Canoe Trip.



**Beginning May 11,  
we will begin our  
summer worship  
schedule of 1 service  
at 9:30 am.**



**Baccalaureate Service**  
CLASS OF  
**2025**  
Sunday, May 4  
9:30 am - Reception  
10:45 am - Baccalaureate Service

OFFICE  
**SUMMER**  
Hours

BEGINNING  
MAY 27  
TUE - FRI  
8:30 - 4:30



## HOPE FOR HEARTS Turning Heartache into Hope

Hope for Hearts is a nonprofit founded by Allie and Nick LaFave in honor of their late daughter Hannah.

Hope for Hearts is dedicated to raising awareness, providing support, and assisting in funding research for children and families affected by congenital heart defects and transplants. Through compassion and advocacy, we strive to ensure that every heart has a chance to thrive, and no one faces cardiac challenges alone. We honor the resilience of those with heart conditions and their families. Our mission includes educating families about early diagnosis, supporting the entire family unit, and fostering lasting hope for healthier hearts.

Join us for our online silent auction from May 1-8. Learn more at: [www.hopeforheartssd.org](http://www.hopeforheartssd.org)



### General Fund Financial Snapshot - Mar. 2025

Monthly Total Income Goal:	\$36,965.53
March Total Regular Income:	\$44,668.50
March Expenses:	\$32,013.17

### YTD through March:

General Fund Income	\$114,493.08
General Fund Expenses	\$106,602.92
	<b>\$7,890.16</b>

7.5% of Offering is given to Synod monthly  
**Total Attendance Last Sunday: 298**

# Go Digital

We're excited to share that our newsletters are beginning the process of going completely digital! This change helps us reduce paper waste, it reduces cost, and allows us to communicate more efficiently with you. Here's what this means:

- You'll receive the newsletter **straight to your email inbox** every month. If you already receive our church emails, there is nothing more you need to do.
- Printed copies will still be available **only for those who sign up to receive them.**
- Sign up is located in the church entry, on our website at [lcdr-sd.org/newsletter](http://lcdr-sd.org/newsletter), or by contacting the office. Deadline is July 25.

## SUMMER NIGHTS

### MUSIC - FOOD - FELLOWSHIP

- HOT DOGS
- ROOT BEER FLOATS
- CONVERSATION
- GAMES
- PRAYER

## 5:30 PM

### WEDNESDAYS

JUNE 4 JUNE 18 JULY 9  
JULY 30 AUGUST 6

\*\*Bring your own lawn chair.

## Youth Ministry

**May 4**

9:30 am Baccalaureate Reception  
10:45 am Baccalaureate Service

**May 7**

3:30 pm High 5  
5:30 pm Holy Smoke BBQ Fundraiser  
6:15 pm Route 67/Confirmation Service Project  
7:30 pm 9th Grade Confirmation Parent/Student Meeting in Sanctuary

**May 14 | Last Day of Youth Activities**

3:30 pm High 5  
5:30 pm Simple Supper  
6:15 pm Route 67/No Confirmation



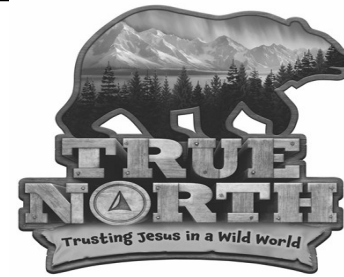
**Simple Supper**  
Wednesday, May 7  
5:30 pm - 6:15 pm

Simple Supper on May 7 will be a BBQ Fundraiser. A free will offering meal available for everyone with all proceeds go to Boundary Waters Canoe Trip.



**Summer coffee ~ treats**

We are looking forward to coffee, treats and fellowship for the summer ONE worship schedule. Please sign up to bring treats and/or make coffee just one Sunday during the summer. This begins the first Sunday in June. **Sign up in church entry.**



## Vacation Bible School

Sunday, July 20 - Wednesday, July 23

**Vacation Bible School is coming!** At True North VBS, kids will be guided on the ultimate Alaskan adventure. As kids trek the tundra, they'll explore how easy it is to lose sight of what's true in our wild world today. Pointing them toward Jesus, True North VBS shows them that he is a faithful friend we can always trust. He's our True North!

VBS week is **Sunday, July 20 - Wednesday, July 23**. We will serve a meal nightly from 5:30 to 6:00 with VBS programming going from 6:00-8:30. We look forward to seeing you and your children for another exciting VBS experience!

Children **age 5** (or going into kindergarten) and through **Grade 4** (going into 5th) may participate in Dells Community Vacation Bible School. Students entering Grades 7 or above **may volunteer as crew leaders or assistants** for the week or they may choose to help at one of the VBS Daily Stations.

Many **adult volunteers** are also needed, particularly as crew leaders.

If you have any questions regarding VBS, please email me at [lcdrdarcie@siouxvalley.net](mailto:lcdrdarcie@siouxvalley.net).

Scan the QR code to register or visit [lcdr-sd.org/vbs](http://lcdr-sd.org/vbs)

