

## CURRENT CONTRIBUTIONS AND WORSHIP FOR MAY 28, 2017

\*Contributions include  
online offerings

General Fund	\$	3,107.00	Thursday 7:00 pm	14
Building Fund	\$	95.00	Nursery	0
Endowment Fund	\$	439.45	Sunday 8:30 am	54
Memorial Fund	\$	0.00	Sunday 10:45 am	35
All Other Funds	\$	1.90		

## THIS WEEK'S SERVANTS June 4, 2017

	8:30 am	10:45 pm	Wed 6/7
<b>Greeters - Sanctuary</b>	Bruce & Anita Feller	Andy & Lynn Schuster	
<b>- Parking</b>	John & Penny Blomquist	Dean & Dawn Bickett	
<b>Communion</b>	A. Gartland/J. LaMott	George Wise	
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Bruce Davis	Andy Schuster	Les Lehrke
<b>Ushers - Captain</b>	Kevin O'Donnell	TBD	
<b>- Assistant</b>	Chuck Brummer		
<b>Projectionist / AV</b>	Lynn Henry	Joshua Thompson	
<b>Weekend Custodian</b>	Chuck Niesen		

## NEXT WEEK'S SERVANTS June 11, 2017

	8:30 am	10:45 pm	Thur 6/15
<b>Greeters - Sanctuary</b>	Trushenski's	Alexis Gartland	
<b>- Parking</b>	LaDean Titus	Doris Neuenfeldt	
<b>Communion</b>			
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Dale Zook	Steve Opdahl	John Hafner
<b>Ushers - Captain</b>	Kevin O'Donnell	TBD	
<b>- Assistant</b>	Chuck Brummer		
<b>Projectionist / AV</b>	Paul Hickey	Kevin Zook	
<b>Weekend Custodian</b>	C. Thiele & C. Avenson		

Members, be sure to pick up your June **Eager Berean** newsletter that is now in your family mail slot in the narthex.

Visitors, check out our website, [www.berealutheran.org](http://www.berealutheran.org) for more information about Berea. Find previous services (video), previous sermons (audio), learn of the missions that the congregation is involved with, meet our staff, and more!



## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### Sunday, June 4 – Pentecost / Graduate Recognition / Matt Connolly Installation

*Lord's Supper*  
8:30 am Worship  
9:45 am Education Hour.  
10:45 am Worship  
1-3:00 pm Light Rest

### Monday, June 5

10:00 am LWML Cards

### Tuesday, June 6

6:00 pm A.A.

### Wednesday, June 7

8:00 am MWPB—Off Site  
9:00 am To All Generations  
@ MN So. District Office  
2:15 pm Seven Hills Academy  
Graduation Rehearsal  
6:00 pm A.C.A.  
7:00 pm Prayer Service  
7:00 pm Contemporary Rehearsal

✠ - On the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 10:45am, we offer a contemporary worship service.

### Thursday, June 8

6:30 pm Seven Hills Academy  
Graduation Service

### Friday, June 9

6-7:00 pm Light Rest Bible Study  
Conference Room  
7:00 pm 500 Club – Fireside Rm

### Sunday, June 11 – Holy Trinity Sunday / Food Distribution Talk

8:30 am Worship  
9:45 am Education Hour.  
10:45 am Worship ✠  
1-3:00 pm Light Rest

If you would like to place an announcement in the Beacon, please give it to the office in writing (note or to office email below), by noon Tuesday for the upcoming Sunday.



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## YOUR STAFF

Rev. Kevin Tiaden, *Pastor*  
Paul Cordes, *Music Director*  
Penny Voxland, *Music Assistant*  
Allen Petersen, *Parish Administrator*  
Vicki Gordon, *Parish Assistant*  
Matt Connolly, *B4&Aft School Director*  
Colin Harrison, *Custodian*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## HATS OFF TO OUR 2017 GRADUATES!

**Holly Belgum, M.D.**, granddaughter of Chuck Sedgwick and daughter of Colleen Belgum, graduated from the University of Minnesota Medical School on May 5<sup>th</sup>. She will start her residency in pediatrics at the U. in June.

**Madison Murphy**, daughter of Mike and Kerry Murphy, graduated from Shakopee High School and will be attending the University of Northern Iowa in the fall.

**Ashley Neuenfeldt**, granddaughter of Doris Neuenfeldt, will graduate from Bloomington Jefferson High School and also has graduated from the Normandale Community College PSEO program with an Associate of Arts Degree (PSEO student grades 11 & 12). Ashley is a 2017 National Merit Finalist and is a member of the National Honor Society. She has been on the varsity softball team since 10th grade and will continue to play in college. Ashley will attend Gustavus Adolphus College and will major in mathematics.



**BEING GOOD STEWARDS:** Just a reminder, if you are in the building and are done in a room or area, please turn off the lights. *Thank you!*

## Thank You

Thank you for sharing your space with us! We had a wonderful morning of prayer and encouragement on May 6<sup>th</sup>.  
*Janet L. (Area Coordinator, Moms in Prayer)*

The Memorial Blood Drive held at Berea on May 8<sup>th</sup>, helped to save and sustain lives in our community. A total of 5 units were collected, and are already helping 15 patients in need. Thank you for making a life-saving difference!

A sincere thank you to Pastor Tiaden and Berea's members for your prayers, cards and concern during the passing of my sister, Mable Cozart. We are again asking for your prayers as we prepare to travel to Detroit to bury my brother, Roosevelt Wise, who died May 29<sup>th</sup>, twenty-four days after our sister Mable's death. Join us in praying, that the God of peace and mercy would grant us peace during this difficult time.  
*George and Mary Wise Jr.*

**FOOD DISTRIBUTION:** During worship next Sunday we will hear about the upcoming food distribution dates and take an offering at the door for this program.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

### Before and After School Care

We are forming a support team that will provide assistance to the Director of the Before and After School Care program. It will consist of one to three members of the church council and two to five other members of the congregation. If you might be interested in serving on this team, please see council president Linda Boyd or Pastor Tiaden.

### VBS

Vacation Bible School will be held the week of June 26-30<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00am-noon. There are a number of areas that you could be of assistance. Anyone high school age or older is invited to help. Contact Hallie Nielsen at 612-978-8847.

### Richfield 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and Penn Fest (September)

Berea would like to be involved in these two community events. We need someone who would take the lead on looking into and coordinating our involvement. If you might be interested in heading up one, or both, please contact Pastor Tiaden.

## LWML NEWS

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S  
MISSIONARY LEAGUE

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## *LWML Card Corner*

Cards Now Available:

*Graduation*

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*Father's Day*

June 18th

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*Thanks to all donors, crafters,  
purchasers for your support!*

All card income goes to support  
LWML mission projects in U.S. & abroad.

## Count Your Blessings ...a Stewardship Minute

*"When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place." Acts 2:1*

Pentecost is the Old Testament harvest festival – it happens around the time when the wheat and oats are ready to be brought in. Of course, this was a picture and foreshadowing of the great harvest of humankind that God means to bring in through the preaching of His Word. God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest. From first to last, in things temporal and things eternal, we stand only by His grace.