

Messiah News June 2026

Servers:

June 7: *No Fellowship Meal during Summer months*
Ed & Diana Schmidt, Mary Jo Freborg
June 14: Robert & Nicole Finken
June 21: Pat Farrow, Patty Hanson
June 28: Gordy & Annette Koring, Emily Cameron

Bakers will be called as needed:

Ginger Ahlers
Beau Garman
Ruth Rosenberg
Irene Hoffman

**If you are not able to serve on the day scheduled, please find a replacement or switch with someone else. A copy of the server/baker contact list is available on the table in the narthex.

Altar Guild: Betty Schnellert, Sandy Bryce

Ushers: Gene Danzeisen, Gary Vieth, Dick Hanson

Counters: Doug Tanner, Ruth Rosenberg

Elders:

June 7: Zach Woltmann
June 14: Ricky Terpstra
June 21: Gary Schnellert
June 28: Bob Garman

WORSHIP SCHEDULE & CALENDAR

Sundays, June 7, 14, 21, & 28

Worship Time: 9 a.m.
(Bible Study to follow)

Tuesday, June 2

12:45 p.m. LWML w/Bible Study

Sunday, June 7

Congregational Meeting after Worship

Thursday, June 11

9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. Featherweight Quilters

For additional June calendar items, including scouts' dates and times at Messiah, visit www.messiahartell.com.

Online Giving: We have added another option for online giving which will hopefully be easier to use for many people. It is through Tithe.ly and can be found on our website messiahartell.com. Thrivent Choice and Vanco Giving are also available options. Please share any feedback or ask questions if you need assistance.

New Directory

I will be putting together a new directory soon. Please let me know if you have an address, phone or email address update as soon as possible. The forms should be in your mailboxes. Please return them to my mailbox or give to me in the church office. You can also email me the changes at messiahlc@outlook.com. I'd also like them returned to verify the information we have is correct. Thank you! - Tara

Brief

Congregational Meeting

about Parking Lot Seal Coating

Sunday, June 7 *after Worship*



Prepare: June Series 'A' Church Year Readings

The following Scripture readings will help you prepare for worship.

June 7: Hosea 5:15-6:6; Psalm 119:65- 72; Romans 4:13-25; Matthew 9:9-13

June 14: Exodus; 19:2-8; Psalm 100; Romans 5:6-15; Matthew 9:35- 10:8 (9-20)

June 21: Jeremiah 20:7-13; Psalm 91:1-10 (11-16); Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

June 28: Jeremiah 28:5-9; Psalm 119:153-160; Romans 7:1-13; Matthew 10:34- 42

July 5: Zechariah 9:9-12; Psalm 145:1- 14; Romans 7:14-25a; Matthew 11:25- 30

Altar Flowers

Thank you to those who provided flowers for the month of **May**.

Gene & Carol Danzeisen (5/3)
Del & Penny Noetzelman (5/3)
Ginger Ahlers (5/10)
Gordy & Annette Koring (5/17)
Gordy & LaDonna Wentz (5/17)
Dick & Elaine Hanson (5/31)



Flowers for **June** will be provided by:

Gene & Carol Danzeisen (6/7)
(in memory of Milton Ayer, Carol's Dad)

June Birthdays & **Anniversaries

1 Dick & Elaine Hanson**
1 Doug Tanner
7 Kathy Heine *Birthday & Anniversary*
9 Derek Peters *Blessings!*
14 Aaron & Tina Kahre**
14 Karen Cameron
16 Merle & Sandy Bryce**
17 Ivan Finken
17 Oakley Finken
17 Ken & Rita Olson**
18 Wendy Franzwa
20 Terry & Marilyn Kreiling**
27 Del Noetzelman *Happy 80th Birthday, Del!*
29 Marilyn Kreiling
30 Cory Franzwa

Psalm 100: His Steadfast Love Endures Forever

A Psalm for giving thanks.

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| 1 Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! | 4 Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name! |
| 2 Serve the Lord with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing! | |
| 3 Know that the Lord, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. | 5 For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations. |

HAPPY 
Father's
Day

MESSIAH'S LWML group will meet on Tuesday, **June 2, 2026** at 12:45 p.m. under the theme of "Serving One Another". We'll meet in the Fellowship Hall with LaDonna as hostess. **Pastor Hesterman** will lead the Bible study, "Called to Serve". **LaDonna** will share a mission highlight and **Cora** will close with the devotion, "An Opportunity to Share". Discussion items will be Messiah's graduates, the District Convention's three offerings, Ingathering reminders.



LWML DISTRICT CONVENTION will be June 22-24, 2026 at the Park Event Center in Waite Park MN. The theme of the Convention, “**Let HIS Joy be Your Joy!**” comes from John 15:11: “*These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.*” Messiah’s delegates will be **LaDonna Wentz** and **Mary Jo Freeborg** with other Messiah members attending as guests and workers.

The Opening Worship Service will be at 7:00 PM at Redeemer Lutheran Church, St. Cloud, MN. *Everyone* is invited! Convention business includes Bible study, Mites-in-Action speakers, a Mite Walk, singing, entertainment, food and fellowship. Officer elections and adoption of a new mission goal also are important parts of the business meeting. Rev. Kris Whitby is our keynote speaker. He serves as Assistant to the President – Mission and Ministry for the Northern Illinois District. He was a parish pastor for 24 years, hosted a radio talk show “Faith Talks,” and has written many resources for the LWML including Mustard Seed Devotions, Prayer Services and the “At Table with Jesus” Bible study.

Please keep those preparing for all aspects of this event in your prayers! The congregation is encouraged to help with the INGATHERING for this convention which will benefit Terebinth Refuge and Place of Hope Ministries. See the lists below. Gather and fill the tubs in the Narthex! THANKS!



Convention Ingatherings



Terebinth Refuge
terebinthrefuge.org

Terebinth Refuge is a Christ centered resource offering hope, healing, freedom and a safe place for sexually exploited and trafficked women. Providing education and awareness to the St. Cloud area in efforts to prevent human trafficking. Many of the women we serve have been exploited since childhood, experienced trauma, homelessness, and poverty. Without this place of hope and healing, these women have a higher chance of experiencing mental health problems and substance abuse issues.

Items Needed

- Paper towels
- Toilet paper
- Paper plates
- Napkins

- Canned goods
- Cleaning supplies
- Dehumidifiers
- Clock radios



Place of Hope Ministries
placeofhopeministries.com

Place of Hope Ministries is based in St. Cloud, MN, offering support and services because of homelessness, poverty, addiction, alcoholism and other crisis. They provide HOPE in the form of a Hospitality Center with free food, free medical care, free clothing, and free personal care items. They also offer shelter at the Living Hope Center. This is a shelter program for those coming off the street, looking for help with drugs and alcohol, or wanting a place to ‘recover’ their stability and peace of mind. This is a very structured program. Supportive housing for those who have experienced long-term homelessness is also available with an on-site coordinator.

***Items Most Needed**

- *Towels – bath and hand
- *Wash cloths
- *Twin sheet sets
- *New pillows
- Personal care items
- Cleaning supplies:
 - Bleach
 - Disinfectants
 - Window cleaner
 - Murphey’s oil soap

- Paper towels
- Toilet paper
- Coffee pots
- Sets of silverware
- Dish sets and glassware