



ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH & EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

June 8 & 11 2023 - Second Sunday After Pentecost

As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, "Follow me." And he rose and followed him.

- Matthew 9:9

Welcome to St. Matthew!

We are pleased that you have come to worship the LORD with us today. Please introduce yourself to those around you, fill out a "We Care" card and turn it in after the service. We are eager to share with you the hope we have in JESUS CHRIST. If you have no church home, we invite you to consider St. Matthew that home.

The Sacrament of the Altar is celebrated at each service in the confidence that our Lord gives us His very body and blood to eat and drink "in," "with" and "under" the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our union with Him and one another. As baptized Lutherans of the Missouri Synod, we trust His words, repent of all sin and by this act proclaim His death until He returns. Since this act is a confession of our faith, anyone who is not yet instructed, in doubt, or comes from a different Christian tradition or confession and yet desires to receive the Sacrament, is asked first to speak with the Pastor or Deacon. Reminders for Those Coming to The Lord's Table The distribution will be continuous, in single file up the center aisle to the front and returning via the side aisle. 2. Those not yet receiving the Sacrament (both Children and Adults) are encouraged to approach and cross their arms to receive a blessing. 3. The cups in the center of the individual tray (containing the amber color liquid) are alcohol free. 4. Only the Individual Cup will be offered in this service. 5. Gluten-free wafers (wafers) are available upon request.

June 8 & 11 - Classic Service - Divine Setting Three

Thursday Prelude	<i>Prelude on "OLIVET"</i>	Charles Callaban
	<i>"Down to the River to Pray"</i>	Mary McDonald
	<i>"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"</i>	Kenon Renfrow
Sunday Prelude	<i>"Gavotte"</i>	Samuel Sebastian Wesley
	<i>"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"</i>	Hal Hopson
	<i>"Trumpet Tune"</i>	Richard Frey
Hymn of Invocation	<i>"Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good"</i>	LSB 819 1,3&5
First Reading	<i>Hosea 5:15-6:6</i>	
Epistle Reading	<i>Romans 4:13-25</i>	
Gospel Reading	<i>Matthew 9-9:13</i>	
Sermon Hymn	<i>"You Love"</i>	Gary Scharrer
Sermon.....	<i>"Even Matthew- Even Us- Jesus Loves Us" - Matthew 9:9</i>	
Voluntary (Thur.)	<i>"Improvisation"</i>	M. Gagne
Voluntary (Sun.)	<i>"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord" - The Chancel Choir</i>	Raymond Haas
Voluntary	<i>"Offertory"</i>	LSB 192
Choir Anthem (Sun.)	<i>"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" - The Chancel Choir</i>	arr Hal Hopson
Distribution	<i>"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"</i>	LSB 702
	<i>"Seek Where You May to Find a Way"</i>	LSB 557
Hymn to Depart	<i>"Shout for Joey, Loud and Long"</i>	
Postlude	<i>"Choral Song"</i>	Samuel Sebastian Wesley

June 11 - Contemporary Service

Song	<i>"Jesus Loves Me"</i>	Sberyl Rodrigues
Song	<i>"Amazing Love"</i>	Hillsong
Reading	<i>Matthew 9:9-13</i>	
Song of the Day	<i>"You Love"</i>	Gary Scharrer
Sermon.....	<i>"Even Matthew- Even Us- Jesus Loves Us" - Matthew 9:9</i>	
Offerings	<i>"Love Song"</i>	Third Day
Communion	<i>"Jesus Loves Me, This I Know"</i>	Gaithers
Departing Song	<i>"Jesus Loves Me"</i>	Metigoshe Ministies

Music Notes – " Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" Johann Jakob Schütz wrote this hymn of praise in German with nine stanzas. In 1675 he published it in his Christliches Gedenkbüchlein. The most common English translation in use is by Frances E. Cox from 1864, which was published in Orby Shipley's Lyra Eucharistica and her own Hymns from the German. Catherine Winkworth has also made a translation. The most common tune used with this text is MIT FREUDEN ZART, which is an anonymous German tune named after an Easter hymn by Georg Vetter. It first appeared in a Bohemian Brethren hymnal in 1566, hence the alternate title BOHEMIAN BRETHREN. Let us sing this tune boldly!

Contemporary Worship Songs for the 6/18/23 Service

- "Days of Elijah"** - Robin Mark
LINK: <https://youtu.be/ca9LnzJnpjQ>
- "Your Great Name"** - Natalie Grant
LINK: <https://youtu.be/IuuLBPOYcI8>
- "Holy Holy Holy"** - Steven C Chapman
LINK: <https://youtu.be/IR62awN7rhQ>
- "Savior Like A Shepherd"** - Leigh Nash
LINK: <https://youtu.be/SooFL-X7vnk>
- "King of Heaven"** - Paul Baloche
LINK: <https://youtu.be/VO76W9Zw0cs>

PLEASE inform the church office when a pastoral call or visit is desired – the hospitals and rehabilitation centers do not make contact with us. If you or a loved one is receiving medical treatment, please make contact with the Church office (847) 438-7709.

Donation QR Code

If you would like to give a donation, please scan this QR Code and you will be taken to the St. Matthew OnLine Giving Site. Thank You.



Don't forget to buy your Pig Roast Tickets in advance..
\$5.00 Savings



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Boundless Need - Boundless Love - Boundless Hope

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The Rev. Edward A. Blonski, Pastor

Summer Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:00am-3:00pm, Friday - 8:00am - Noon

Calendar For The Week

**C.O.O.L. Food Item for June: Canned Fruit
Bread for Life Weekend—6/25/2023**

Saturday, June 10

Sunday, June 11

Classic Service w/communion	8:00am
Choir Practice	9:15am
SAVED Band Practice	9:30am
Contemporary Service w/communion	10:45am
Voters Meeting	Noon

Monday, June 12

Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30am
Staff Meeting - SCR	9:30am
Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30pm
Bells Practice - Choir Loft	7:00pm

Tuesday, June 13

Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30am
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Bob Wilson Private Practice - Choir Loft	6:00pm
Stitched Together - LH	6:30pm
American Needle Point Meeting - KH	7:00pm
Board of Trustee Meeting - SCR	7:00pm
Board of Deacon Meeting - LIB	7:00pm

Wednesday, June 14

Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30am
Crafting - KH	9:00am
Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30pm
Board of Christian Education Meeting - LIB/Virtual	7:00pm

Thursday, June 15

Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30am
Cedar Lake Service	1:00pm
Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30pm
Thursday Casual Classic Service	7:00pm

Friday, June 16

Limitless Basketball - Gym	5:30am
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Saturday, June 17

Sunday, June 18 - Father's Day

Classic Service w/communion	8:00am
Choir Practice	9:15am
SAVED Band Practice	9:30am
Contemporary Service w/communion	10:45am
Cub Scout Meeting - KH	3:30pm

The Ordination & Installation of Ryan Ferguson

Date: Saturday, July 1, 2023

Time: 2:00pm

St. Matthew will be hosting the Ordination & Installation of Ryan Ferguson on July 1st at 2:00pm. A reception dinner will follow the service. If you would like to attend the dinner, please sign up in the church office.

Vacation Bible School - God's Living Water

July 24-28

Sign Up Today—Volunteers Needed

Scan QR Code for details....



Come visit St. Matthew ECC
at the Lake Zurich Farmers Market
Friday, June 16 - 3:00pm-7:00pm
Paulus Park, Lake Zurich

**July 2nd & 4th Parade
volunteers and participants
needed!**

**Mundelein Parade: July 2nd @ 2PM
Hawthorn Woods: July 4th @ 10AM**

Sign Up in the Church Office

Please remember in prayer:

- Carol Andrews, Elinor Francisco, Pam Best, Linda Weir, Marilyn Ellinghusen, Lorraine Selsor, Marilyn Schauer, Judy Knuth, Suzanne Lambrecht, Michael Krause, Thomas Haste, John Schockmel, Regina Musso, Theresa Lichter
- Our military personnel currently serving our country: Justin Brown, Adam Imaoka, Scott Karas, Elise Neilson, Steve & Ice Sandy, Bob Hamilton, Chandler McClain
- Our missionaries, Gary & Sue Kessler in Belize

ALTAR FLOWERS - Given to the Glory of God.

- Remembering and thankful for 52 years of marriage. From Helen Burnidge

OFFICIAL ACTS

- The funeral and burial of Leon Hapke took place on Friday, June 9, 2023 at St. Matthew Lutheran Church.

Church Attendance

Thursday = 27

Sunday @ 8:00am = 130 @ 10:45am = 60

On-Line Attendance Recorded For Above Services: 53

Total Service Attendance: 270

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

We are still enrolling for the 2023- 2024 school year. If you are interested in learning more about our faith and play based program, please contact Becky Connolly.

The 7th Annual "FORE" the Kids Golf Outing is right around the corner, July 23, 2023. We still have spots open for golfers... Sign Up Today! Please consider being a hole sponsor or donate a raffle prize. We are also in need of gift cards, sports memorabilia, movie tickets, etc. to help with our raffle. Please contact Becky Connolly at Connolly@stmattsonline.com.

Kindergarten Summer Camp - The ECC will be offering a Kindergarten Summer Camp, starting in June. For details, go to: www.stmatts.net or contact Pam Zimmermann at Zimmermann@stmattsonline.com



Father's Day is Sunday, June 18th. Sharing the Joy Ministry would like to get pictures of the wonderful men who raised you. These pictures will be displayed in the Narthex on Father's Day. Please email pictures to: selimos@stmattsonline.com By Thursday, June 15th Thank you..

Upcoming Summer Events

June

- 11 - Voter's Meeting
- 19-22 - Kindergarten Camp
- 22-25 - LWML Convention
- 26-30 - Kindergarten Camp
- 28 - FMSC Youth Event (RSVP Required)

July

- 1 - Ordination & Installation of Ryan Ferguson
- 2 - Mundelein Days Parade (Volunteers Needed)
- 3 - Church Office Closes at Noon
- 3 - Hawthorn Woods Fire Works
- 4 - Church Office Closed
- 4 - Hawthorn Woods Parade (Volunteers Needed)
- 15 - Youth Night Out (RSVP Required)
- 23 - Golf "Fore" the Kids Golf Outing
- 24-28 - VBS
- 26 - STJ, College Cooking Class (RSVP Required)
- 30 - Youth Car Wash

August

- 2 - STJ, College Financial Class (RSVP Required)
- 13 - STJ, Pool Party (RSVP Required)
- 20 - Pig & Corn Roast

Additional information on events can be found on the church office counter. If you have questions, please contact the Church Office.

LWML Events

2023 Convention - June 22-25 in Milwaukee. Register at: <https://www.lwml.org/2023-convention> If you have any questions, please contact Maria Collard @ 847/358-3389.