



Pastoral Staff

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McFarland Lutheran Church



News You Can Use

August 26/27, 2023

Welcome, Guests!

We love having guests at MLC, and we welcome you to participate fully in worship with us today! Please allow us to thank you for worshiping with us by completing a “Welcome to Worship” card in front of you in the pew-chair racks. You can put the card in the offering plate, or hand it to an usher. Thank you, and we invite you to join us again. May God bless and keep you!

Latest News

Altar Flowers are given **in celebration of Rick & Sandy Hall's anniversary** given by Sandy Hall.

Communion wine is given **in celebration of Rick & Sandy Hall's anniversary** given by Sandy Hall.

Last week's attendance:

Saturday 5:	34
Sunday 8:	60
Sunday 10:	77
Total:	171

Sunday School Registration

Sunday School Registration for the 2023-2024 school year is now open! Please register at www.mcfarlandlutheran.org/registration/ by Sunday, September 10. **Sunday School will begin on Sunday, September 17th, 2023 with a Rally Day introduction on Sunday, September 10th, 2023.**

Office Closed for Labor Day

All offices will be **closed Monday, September 4** for Labor Day.

Men’s bible study

First Saturday/month, 7:30 a.m

Come and join the MLC men’s bible study group as we delve into God’s Word and enjoy fellowship time together. We are meeting on **Saturday, September 2 in Rm 125.**

Interested? Have questions? Please contact Jeff Gehrke at jeffgehrke59@gmail.com or Scott Potts at scottalan23@hotmail.com

Women’s bible study

First Saturday/month, 7:30 a.m

Come and join the MLC women’s bible study group as we delve into God’s Word and enjoy fellowship time together. We are meeting on **Saturday, September 2 in Rm 210.**

Interested? Have questions? Please contact Sheri Gehrke at sherilgehrke@gmail.com.

Ministries

Book Club Schedule

The book club **meets on the third Tuesday of the month, 10:00 am** at the Skaalen Village Clubhouse. If you have any questions, please call Cheryl Ackley at 608-838-3329. Hope to see you there.

September 19: *Maybe You Should Talk to Someone* by Lori Gottlieb
October 17: *March* by Geraldine Brooks



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“Piece Corp” Quilters Silent Auction

The “Piece Corp” makes quilts for Lutheran World Relief (LWR). The quilts reach out to people world wide in their time of greatest need following a disaster. LWR quilts have been distributed in Poland to refugees of the Ukrainian war, the earthquake on the Syrian/Turkey border as just a couple of examples.

Our group has completed approximately 175 quilts this year. We are now asking for your support for this ongoing ministry. Your support will help us purchase batting and other supplies for making these quilts which are the size of a single bed blanket.

Please consider participating in our Silent Auction beginning September 10 through September 24. We have two quilts of different sizes in the auction. Or another option, consider a free-will donation to the “Piece Corp”.

Thank you for your consideration of assisting us with this ministry.

Community

Walk 4 Water Basket Items Needed

Greetings from the Walk 4 Water Team. Once again this year, we will be having a Silent Auction at the W4W location.

Donations are invited to fill baskets for this event. You may choose a theme, Mexican or other ethnic foods, Family Fun Pack, baking items, Wisconsin Badgers items, Packer items, wine and snack items, kitchen supply items, or just use your imagination. You may add a coordinating gift card to the basket as well. No items needing refrigeration, please.

You may include the basket or container itself (Goodwill or St. Vincent’s are good places to find them) or we will furnish the basket/container. For more information, please contact Deb Hettrick, djhettri@msn.com or Gudrun Sindermann, gudrun1213@gmail.com.

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