

**Upcoming Events: May 17 - 23**

<b>Today</b>	9:30 am	Worship Service with Holy Communion
<b>Wednesday</b>	5:30 pm	Youth Group
<b>Thursday</b>	8 pm	AA in Library
<b>Next Sunday</b>	9:30 am	Worship Service

**STEWARDSHIP NOTES**

\$3,900.00 is needed per week to meet our budget needs

**Sunday May 10, 2026 Attendance - 90**

**General:** \$1,839.00 **Coffee:** \$21.00 **Noisy Can:** \$30.40

VBS \$525.00

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**Prayer of the Day:** Almighty God, your only Son was taken into the heavens and in your presence intercedes for us. Receive us and our prayers for all the world, and in the end bring everything into your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Sovereign and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**Prayer Requests:** Holly Rozeboom, Nathan Huyser, Bev Jackson, Matt, Kendra Michael, Austin, Erin Van Der Brink and Hazel Mae, McKenna Bouwman, Holly Horstman, Arnie Van Voorst, Arlyn Schreurs, Don Eiesland, Wayne Kollis, Michelle Johnson, Tashina, Jim, Anna, Mark, Lori and all our Nursing Home residents (Joy, Marion, Bev B, Jean M. Connie, June)

**Daily Lectionary**

Monday: Acts 1:1-11

Tuesday: Psalm 47

Wednesday: Ephesians 1:15-23

Thursday: Like 24:44-53

Friday: Revelation 12:13-17

Saturday: Psalm 125

**May 17, 2026 Ascension of Our Lord Pastor Sue Sinclair**

**WORSHIP HELPERS TODAY**

Reader: Dustin Hoogendoorn

Ushers: Dan Moen Team

Greeters: Tracy & Kim Gayer

Acolyte: Hallie Brueggeman

Altar Guild: Betty Kock & Pam Hanson

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Congratulations West Lyon Graduates!
- The position for Sunday school superintendent is open. Please visit with someone from the board of Education if you are interested.
- We continue to have the resources to share, for those who are grieving. Contact Marilyn Caswell for any questions.
- Scheduled coffee hour has come to an end for the summer.
- There is a sign-up sheet by the kitchen door if you wish to sign up to provide coffee for fellowship time during these next few summer months.
- Final Youth Group gathering is May 20<sup>th</sup>. Pizza & Pickleball @ 5:30 here at church.
- Playdays is coming to an end for this season and they are in need of a new director to keep future seasons going. Please contact Chrystal Kock if you have interest or questions.
- VBS starts May 31 through June 3. Thank you for all your donations that help make this a fun week for all the youth.

\*\* Important Dates – 20<sup>th</sup> Youth Group, 31<sup>st</sup> – June 3 VBS,

**Let's Celebrate**

**Birthdays:** 19<sup>th</sup> Noah Kerkvliet, Connie Rentschler, 20<sup>th</sup> Michael Standley 21<sup>st</sup> Randy Kock, 22<sup>nd</sup> Dianne Eiesland, Ashlee Van Hill, 23<sup>rd</sup> Wil Van Hill

**Anniversaries: none this week**

**Baptismal Anniversaries:** 17<sup>th</sup> Susan Bahnson, Hazel Niemeyer, 19<sup>th</sup> Janae Douglass, 20<sup>th</sup> Conrad Kerkvliet

**BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH**

*To welcome all people to seek and serve God as members of the Body of Christ*

Announcements  
Confession & Forgiveness  
Gathering Hymn **Red 857**  
Greeting  
Kyrie  
Canticle of Praise **W&P 53**  
Prayer of the Day  
Psalm  
First Reading  
Second Reading  
Gospel  
Children's Message  
Sermon  
Hymn of the Day **ACS 1043**  
Nicene Creed  
Prayers  
Offerings  
Offertory  
Offering Prayer  
**Great Thanksgiving**  
Dialogue  
Preface  
Holy, Holy, Holy **ACS 1089**  
Thanksgiving at the Table  
The Lord's Prayer  
Communion  
Prayer  
Blessing  
Sending Hymn **RED 848**  
Dismissal