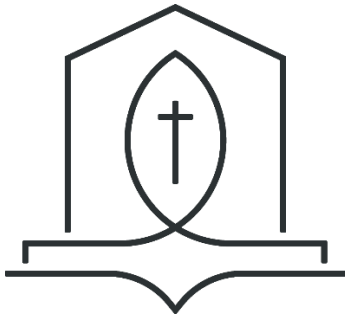


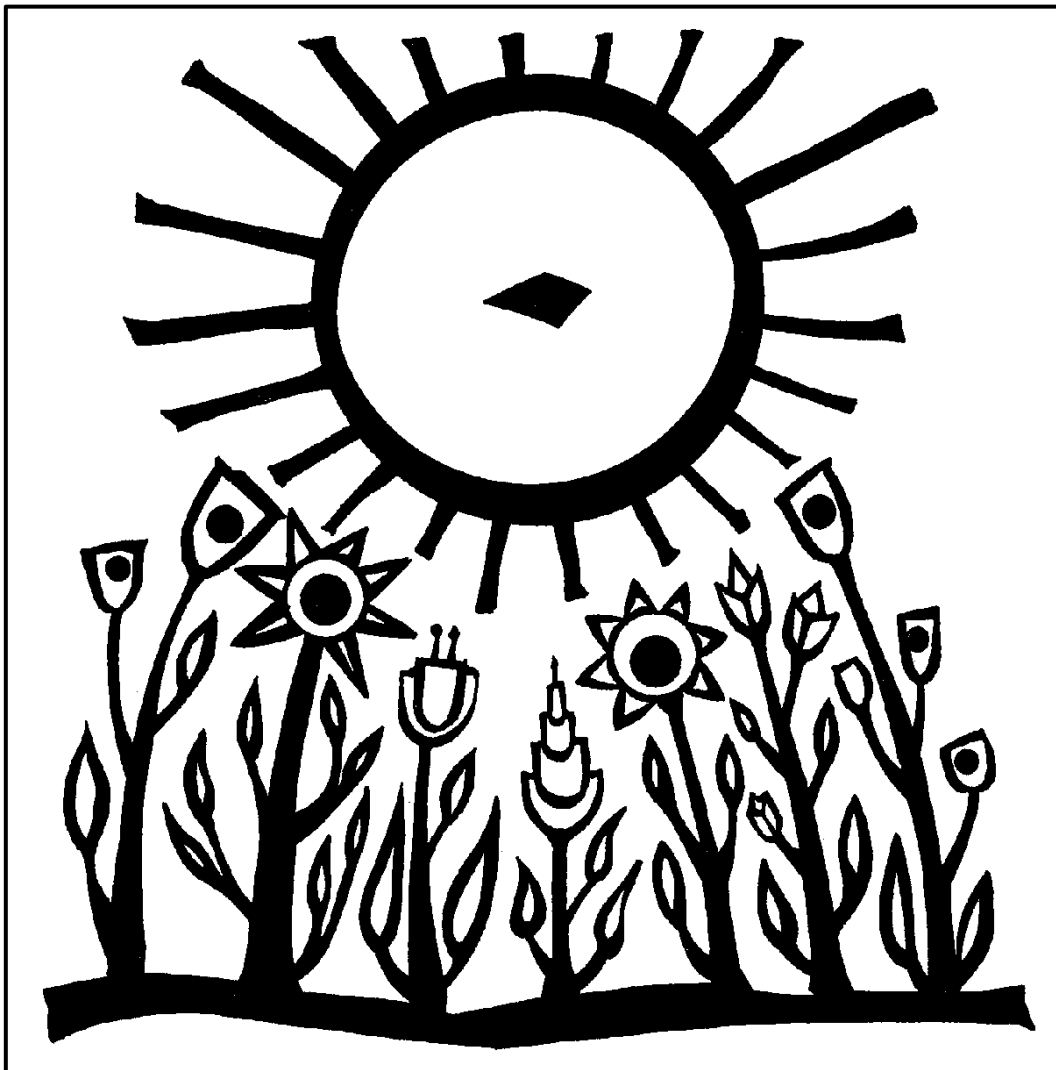


FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH BROOKINGS

7/26/2026

Summer, 2026

9:00am



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Welcome to worship at First Lutheran! We're glad you're here!
As we encounter God's Word and respond with prayer and praise,
may this time be for you a holy time of grace, inspiration, and renewal.
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GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

GATHERING SONG

Come to the Water of Life

ACS 955

The musical score is written on three staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It features a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes, with triplets indicated by a '3' over a bracket. The lyrics are arranged in four lines, with the first line having four parts and the subsequent lines having two parts each. The lyrics are: 1 All who are thirst-y for mer - cy, all who are thirst-y for; 2 All who are thirst-y for heal - ing, all who are thirst-y for; 3 All who are thirst-y for beau - ty, all who are thirst-y for; 4 All who are thirst-y for jus - tice, all who are thirst-y for; love; touch; truth; peace; all who are thirst - y for love, for mer - cy, touch, for heal - ing, truth, for beau - ty, peace, for jus - tice,; come: come to the Wa - ter of life. come: come to the Wa - ter of life. come: come to the Wa - ter of life. come: come to the Wa - ter of life.

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Text: Ray Makeever, b. 1943

Music: WATER OF LIFE, Ray Makeever

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GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray...

Amen.

READING: ROMANS 8:26-39

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Celtic Alleluia

ELW 174



GOSPEL: MATTHEW 13:31-33,44-52

The holy gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

(The gospel is read)

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

SONG OF THE DAY

BAPTISM

PRESENTATION

People of God, do you promise to support Coen
and pray for him in his new life in Christ? **We do.**

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God, the powers of
this world that rebel against God, and the ways of sin that draw you from
God?

I renounce them.

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

THANKSGIVING AT THE FONT

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We give you thanks...Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

BAPTISM

I baptize you, Coen Keith Roach, in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Let us pray. We give you thanks, O God...both now and forever.

Amen.

Coen Keith Roach, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit
and marked with the cross of Christ forever.

WELCOME

Congregation Representative Let your light so shine before others that
they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Pastor Let us welcome the newly baptized.

We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share; join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

...God of grace,

hear our prayer.

...through Jesus our Savior.

Amen.

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

...Amen.

SENDING SONG

Go, My Children, with My Blessing

ELW 543



- 1 "Go, my chil - dren, with my bless - ing, nev - er a - lone.
- 2 "Go, my chil - dren, sins for - giv - en, at peace and pure.
- 3 "Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour - ished, clos - er to me.



Wak - ing, sleep - ing, I am with you, you are my own.
Here you learned how much I love you, what I can cure.
Grow in love and love by serv - ing, joy - ful and free.



In my love's bap - tis - mal riv - er I have made you mine for - ev - er.
Here you heard my dear Son's sto - ry, here you touched him, saw his glo - ry.
Here my Spir - it's pow - er filled you, here my ten - der com - fort stilled you.



Go, my chil - dren, with my bless - ing, you are my own."
Go, my chil - dren, sins for - giv - en, at peace and pure."
Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour - ished, joy - ful and free."

Text: Jaroslav J. Vajda, b. 1919, alt.

Music: AR HYD Y NOS, Welsh traditional

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DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Remember your baptism.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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