

# Pella Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod  
315 S. Madison St. Waupun, Wisconsin  
**Sunday, May 28, 2023**

Welcome to Pella Lutheran Church! Thank you for silencing cell phones. **Please fill out the yellow registration card and place it in the card holder nearest the center aisle.**

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## ***In Our Thoughts and Prayers Today:***

**Health Concerns:** Larry Holz

**Birthdays:** Julie Verheyen, Gene Woock, Veda Pulda, Crystal Slosser, Cory Peterson, Jeff Swan, Mason Dykstra, Adam VandeZande, Cal Landaal, Vicar John Schober

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**Sermon:** “Rivers of Living Water” John 7:37-39

**Lord’s Supper Announcement:** All communicant members in good standing of Pella Lutheran or another Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS) congregation are welcome to the Lord’s table. If you are not a member of an LCMS congregation, we ask that you please not partake of the sacrament at this time. Our congregation follows the historic practice in the Christian Church of closed Communion, partaking of the Lord’s Supper only with those who are in fellowship with us. This does not deny that members of other Christian denominations are believers. Rather, it bows the knee to our Lord’s deep concern for doctrinal truth (Romans 16:17) and the Scripture’s witness of doctrinal unity for the common reception of this sacred meal (1 Cor. 10:16-18). Our pastor would be happy to answer any questions you may have about this.

**Enlarged Print Service Folders** (including enlarged bulletin insert and hymns) are available in the narthex and near the elevator.

**Children’s Bulletins** are available in the narthex. These children’s bulletins feature activities focused on the gospel reading of the day.

**The Lutheran Witness:** The May edition of The Lutheran Witness is available in the narthex and near the elevator. Pick up a copy today.

**Greeting Cards**—We have a selection of greeting cards with a Christian message for many occasions located in the office hallway. Each card is 50 cents.

## **Bible Study Opportunities**

**Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class:** Today at 10:15, Pastor Knuth begins a five-part Bible study which was written in preparation for the LCMS National Convention coming this summer.

**Thursday Morning Bible Class:** Join us Thursday at 10 a.m. for study of the book of Acts with Vicar Schober.

**Men’s Bible Study:** Saturdays at 7:00 a.m. we are studying St. Luke’s Gospel.

**Tuesday Evening Bible Study:** Join us at 6:30 p.m. for this evening bible study with Pastor Knuth.

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**Sunday Service Time Change: Sunday morning at 9 a.m.** Holy Communion will be offered every Sunday. Adult Bible Class follows at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday services continue at 7 p.m.

**Church Directories are Here!** If your photo was taken or submitted, please pick up your free copy in the church office.

**Audio Help Needed:** We need someone who is willing to learn how to run our audio system (it’s not difficult). Recording our services for the radio is an important part of our ministry as it reaches our community and beyond. Please leave a message with the church office if you will consider helping in this way.

**Vacation Bible School:** June 11, 12 & 13, 6-8 pm. Sign up online with the registration link on the Pella website under “Quick Links” (<https://vbsmate.com/PellaLutheranWaupunWI/27172>).



**Thank you** to all those who attended or served our “Super Senior” Dinner last Sunday. Twenty-seven super seniors (over 80) enjoyed a nice meal and entertainment.

**Volunteering Opportunities at The Christian Home:** If you would like to give some time to bless the residents of the Christian Home, please see the list of simple needs posted on the door near the church office.

**Future Vicar Fund:** There is now an option to donate online to the Vicar fund. Go to the Pella website and click “Online Giving” and log in to (or create) your account for an easy method to contribute.

**Lost Something?** Please check the Lost & Found basket in the church office hallway.

## **Divine Service 9:00 a.m.**

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*Come, Holy Spirit,  
fill the hearts of  
the faithful, and  
kindle in them the  
fire of your love.*

*Alleluia!*

# This Week at Pella

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### SUNDAY May 28—NEW SUMMER SCHEDULE!

9:00 a.m. Divine Service w/Holy Communion  
10:15 a.m. Bible Study  
11:00 a.m. Radio Broadcast

### MONDAY May 29

Memorial Day (Church Office Closed)

### TUESDAY May 30

6:30 p.m. Bible Study (???)

### WEDNESDAY May 31

9:00 a.m. Quilting  
7:00 p.m. Divine Service

### THURSDAY June 1

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

### FRIDAY June 2

Church Office Closed

### SATURDAY June 3

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

### SUNDAY June 4

9:00 a.m. Divine Service w/Holy Communion  
10:15 a.m. Bible Study  
11:00 a.m. Radio Broadcast



**About the Cover:** Though the seventy elders of Israel did not continue to prophesy, two men in the camp did when the Spirit rested upon them. On Pentecost, the Lord again caused His Spirit to rest on His people as divided tongues of fire. However, the apostles did not cease prophesying in His name. Though not in the same ways as that first Pentecost, the same Spirit has continued to rest upon the Lord's Church as He sends her out into the world with the same proclamation of the saving word of Christ's forgiveness.

## SERVING THIS WEEK

### Sunday, May 28

Elder: Warren Schmitz  
Organist: Sarah Schober  
Video: Steve Schmitz  
Audio: G. Baumann / W. Schmitz  
Finance: Ben & Debbie Kuenzi

### Wednesday, May 31

Elder: Darwin Wetzel  
Organist: Candis Breitkruetz

## SERVING NEXT WEEK

### Sunday, June 4

Elder: Kevin Hahn  
Organist: Sarah Schober  
Video: Val Loehrke  
Audio: G. Baumann / W. Schmitz  
Finance: Marj Peachey

### **Attendance:**

Wednesday, May 17, 7 PM: 14  
Sunday, May 21, 8 AM: 67; 10:30 AM: 70  
Visitors: 1

### **Contributions:**

May 21: \$3,986.00

During services, offerings will be collected at the door — a plate will not be passed. You may mail your offering to the church or place it in the depository slot near the inside gym doors. Convenient online giving is also available on our website [pellalutheran.org](http://pellalutheran.org).

### **Future Vicar Fund: \$2,210.07**

(Goal: \$25,000 by October)

## PELLA STAFF

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## PELLA OFFICERS

### *President:*

Sam Mattheis

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### *Secretary:*

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### *Financial Secretary:*

Deb Kuenzi

### *Head Trustee:*

Craig Verheyen

### *Website:*

[pellalutheran.org](http://pellalutheran.org)

### *Radio Broadcast:*

Sundays @ 11 AM  
WFDL/103.3 FM or  
1170 AM

### *Lutheran Hour:*

Sundays @ 7 AM  
WFDL/103.3 FM or  
1170 AM