The Farm at St. Francis is looking for people to help water the plants on the weekends. Please contact Rick Abrahamson @ 218-643-0371. They will take people who can only water once, on a Saturday morning or water one weekend a month (Saturday & Sunday). Volunteers are needed when the weather gets warm.

It is the month of **May**! At the **prayer station** at the back of the sanctuary, there is a prayer for you to use if you wish, to thank God for your many blessings! You may also take one of the small cards with flowerpots on them to remind you to continue to pray for all of our many blessings!

Just an FYI – if you will be having a meeting in the church & you would like the doors open other than regular hours, please contact the church office the week before your meeting.

Lifeline Screening @ Bethel on June 11th. Please call 1-800-640-6307 to schedule an appointment.

2024 Seniors

Emilee Bellmore	Tyler Berg
Trevor Bernstein	Xander Bernstein
Beau Beyer	Skyler Bladow
Brady DeVries	Leah DeVries
Jacob Fenske	Addison Gerdon
Mackenzie Gilbertson	Sidney Gilbertson
Shae Jelinek	Jace Johansen
Ashleyn Kahler	Ryan Kasowski
Cooper Klosterman	Samuel Korinek
Avery Malme	Cade Malme
Ian Plummer	Jocelyn Reibe
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This week at Bethel: May 20 through May 26

Tuesday-9:00 Circle 1, 10:30 Bible Study, 1:15 Staff Meeting Wednesday-1:00 Walkers & Talkers
Thursday-9:00 Helping Hands
Sunday-10:00 Worship Service with baptism

Healing:

Eric Meyer	Larry Hjelmstad	Steve Listopad
Jan Townsend	Larry Johnson	JoAnn Klein
Esther Krause	Connie Sletten	Arlo & Janice Kilber
Marcia Pederson	Ardith Voss	David Trangsrud

Please keep Lisa & Mike Bassingthwaite & family in your prayers as they grieve the loss of Lisa's sister-in-law Shauna.

Monday – May 27th – Memorial Day – office & building will be closed in observation of the holiday.

Vacation Bible School decorating! Come to church on Sunday June 2nd @ 5pm. Supper will be provided. Help turn our church into an underwater adventure.

Don't let scammers into your life! Officer Lisa Page will be here on Wednesday June 12th @ 1pm, offering a scammer education event. Tell your friends! Anyone can attend! Please call the Bethel office to reserve your spot so we know how many will be here.

Vacation Bible School will be held June 3, 4 & 5 here at Bethel! VBS will be from 5:00pm to 8:30pm (supper will be served). Registration is now available on Bethel's website.

Altar Flower Ministry! Going forward we will be using the Altar flowers to spread God's love. The flowers on the Altar will go to someone in St. Catherine's to brighten their room. These beautiful flowers have brightened the worship space & been part of the blessings on Sunday morning. Now they will bring joy to one of the many saints in our community. Anyone who has purchased the flowers can take the flowers home but if they are left on the Altar, they will be used for this ministry.

Vacation Bible School Help: we are looking for group guide leaders, kitchen servers, & someone to do the games station each night. Let Lisa know if you can help.

Adopt-a-duck! Did you miss the youth lead worship service & lunch but still want to support the youth & adults going on the trip? You still can! Everyone that is going on the trip will be responsible for 2 ducks. Pick up an adoption certificate from Lisa, pay the \$25 adoption fee & we'll get you matched with a duck.

Baptism Today @ 11am service:

Baptism of: Calvin Arnold Mauch

Parents: Beth & Tyler Mauch

Sponsors: Nathan & Becky Aamodt

Prayer Parent: Suzette Fitterer

Reminder – ONE SERVICE @ 10am – starts on May 26th for our Summer Worship on Sundays.

Bethel Roof Repair/Replacement Fund – Thanks to everyone who has been donating to this fund. We have been able to put aside \$8759 so far to go toward working on our roof. Anyone can donate anytime! Simply write "roof/repair/replacement fund" in the memo or on the outside of the envelope as a special offering. Let's keep this account growing.

Walkers & Talkers at St. Catherine's – will meet on May 22nd @ 1pm @ door 3. Please let Joyce know if you are available to be there so the staff can pick residents who would like to be part of this ministry. It is easy to be part of this ministry because you just have to like to talk & sit outside! Contact Joyce @ 701-642-4472 if you have any questions or would like to be part of this ministry.

May Noisy Offering will be going towards Bethel's *National Youth Gathering Trip*.

FOUND with Noisy Offering – a little key (looks like one that would be used to wind a clock), if you are missing one, we have it in the office.

Please bring a lawn chair, umbrella, sunscreen, hat & sunglasses as necessary for an outdoor church service on Sunday, June 2nd. (Beach attire is optional). We will gather at 10am in the North parking lot to be led in worship by Pastor Rich & the Praise Band. Donuts, coffee & juice will be provided to sustain us. We hope to see you there!