

# Prayer Request

## **The Gathering of God's People**

Welcome  
Community Announcements  
Temple Talk – ERLC Youth  
Sharing the Peace  
Gathering Song  
Confessions and Forgiveness  
Greeting  
Song of Praise

**"I Will Call Upon the Lord"**

**"Everlasting Love"**

## **The Word of God Proclaimed**

Prayer of the Day  
Reading  
Gospel Reading  
Children's Message  
Sermon  
Song of the Day

Psalm 8:1-9  
Matthew 20:1-16

**Jody Johnson, Development Director, Luther Crest Bible Camp**  
**"Humble Thyself (Awesome God)"**

## **Sharing & Receiving the Gifts of God**

Bidding Prayers  
Offering  
Offertory  
Offertory Prayer  
Words of Institution  
The Lord's Prayer  
Communion Song  
Communion Blessing & Prayer

**"My Lighthouse"**

**"Amazing Love (You are My King)"**

## **The Sending of God's People**

Blessing of Congregation  
Sending Song

**"The Church Song (We Are the Church)"**

### **Praise the Lord (joys and answered prayers):**

- *Lutheran Camping and the truly unique opportunities in wonderful natural settings it provides for sharing faith and learning what it means to be the Church.*

### **In Sorrow:**

### **For Support:**

- *Newly elected leaders, judges and officials across our nation*
- *All Military Personnel and their families*
- *Jim Pennington's daughter Rebecca in loss of a friend*
- *Barbara Sherida, Mother of Melissa Macari-Coons, Demintia*
- *Tilly Tilford (Pastor Nathan's sister-in-law) Army National Guard, deployed in Kuwait*

### **Health concerns:**

- *Carol Sindelir*
- *Steve Lindberg, continued recovery*
- *LeRoy Wegscheid*
- *Gary Ristau, battling cancer*
- *Gene Conley, battling cancer*
- *Hazel Norris*
- *Ruth Lemke, cardiac tests*
- *Marcia Walhaug (Pastor Nathan's Aunt) in treatments for breast cancer*
- *Josh Como*
- *Colette Horne, Bruce Bourdeaux's mom*
- *Ryan Vevle, upcoming sugery*
- *John Ernst, for John's recovery*
- *Gab Posteuca, co-worker of Matt Rotz (Speedy recovery from surgery)*
- *Duane Childs, stage 4 melanoma*
- *Janet Stam, recent cancer diagnosis*
- *Cheryl Hegvik, healing for back*

**Prayer Concerns:** can be shared by writing it on your registration slip, contacting the church office at (763) 595-1216 or by visiting the church website at [www.elkriverlutheran.org/prayer-concerns](http://www.elkriverlutheran.org/prayer-concerns)

*Generally, names will run for 3 weeks.*

*If more time is needed, please call the church office*

## **Serving Us Today**

**Greeters: Brian McFarlane and Matt Rotz**

**Ushers: Maddie Johnson and Madison Mitzuk, Mark and Abigail Schwarze**

**Lector: Jim Pennington**

**Musicians: Chuck Anderson, Kari Osmeck, Emily Rotz**

**Audio Visual:**

**Communion Steward: Joe Livingston**

**Communion Servers: Jeremy Hallquist, Sue Sass, David Katzner**

**Basket Holders: Matthew and Nevaeh Katzner**

**Communion Clean-Up: Nancy Bock**

**Mid-Week Communion Fill: Pat Clear**

**Hospitality Coordinator: Peg Davies**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **SUNDAY 1/13: CAMP SUNDAY** 8:15am Traditional Service; 9:20am LiFT! Family Sunday School and Worship Band Rehearsal; 10:30am Contemporary Service
- **TUESDAY 1/15:** 9:30am Bible Study and Quilting; 6:30pm CYF Meeting and Church Council
- **WEDNESDAY 1/16:** 9:30am Adult Faith Formation Meeting; 6:30pm Choir Rehearsal and Confirmation; 7:30pm †<sup>5</sup> Youth Group
- **THURSDAY 1/17:** 10am Genealogy Group; **5:45pm Financial Peace University Begins**; 6:30pm Worship Band Rehearsal; 7pm The Way Out (AA)
- **SATURDAY 1/19:** 8am Men's Bible Study
- **SUNDAY 1/20:** 8:15am Traditional Service; 9:20 am LiFT! Family Sunday School and Worship Band Rehearsal; 10:30am Contemporary Worship; **11:45am: ERLC Informational Meeting**
- **ERLC-CAER Volunteers:** Jan 21, 23 and 25 are volunteer days at CAER for ERLC 9:30am – 12:15pm. If you can help, please let Arlene Wells know at (763) 441-3381 or [gawells1972@q.com](mailto:gawells1972@q.com)
- **SUNDAY 1/27: 11:45am ERLC Annual Meeting**
- **Flamingo Flocking Fundraiser** runs through January 30<sup>th</sup>. Support our Youth on their Summer Mission Trip and bring a smile to someone's face with a yard full of flamingos!
- February is **Meals on Wheels Month** for ERLC. Contact Garnet Novotny if interested in serving. Call 763-370-7710
- **Life Groups:** A new round of Life (Living in Faith Everyday) groups are beginning the week of January 27th & goes through the month of February. Sign-ups will begin this week. We are looking for more Facilitators & Hosts if interested please let Lorie or Tom Werk, Conni Natwick, Pastor Nathan or Jeremy.

### Staff

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### Congregational Council

**President:** Kari Christianson

**Vice President:** John Natwick

**Secretary:** Matt Rotz

**Treasurer:** Jennifer Wornson

Ron Westrum, Erin Pelletier,  
Mark Schwarze, Jodie Dahlheimer,  
and Brian McFarlane

### Weekly Update

Average Weekly Giving Needed: \$ 8,183

Sunday, January 6: \$7,348

January Total: \$7,348

### Sunday Worship Attendance

January 6: 8:15am: 102

January 6: 10:30am: 137

Sermons and Bulletins posted online at

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# January 13, 2019 • 10:30am

## First Sunday after Epiphany

Welcome to Elk River Lutheran Church!

We are a forward-thinking congregation, striving to create community that brings joy and hope. Worshipping together since December 2009, we believe that all people are welcome in the Lord's house, to hear the Word, share the Sacraments, and become strengthened for the life of faith.

We are a child friendly congregation and welcome kids with their wiggles and noises in worship. We are also aware that as a parent, time away from wiggles and noises can be a blessing too. You will find our staffed nursery (For children 5 and under) in the far corner of the fellowship hall.

We encourage everyone to take a moment to sign the worship registration slip and place it in the offering plate.

We hope and pray you have a wonderful worship experience here today and invite you to join us again.

Elk River Lutheran Church

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### Office Hours

Church Office Hours: M-Th 9am–4pm, F Closed



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Trusting in God's grace, an accepting,  
joyful community, serving God & neighbor.

