

**May 10, 2026**  
***Missing the Moment***  
**8:30 and 10:30 Worship Services**



# PAY ATTENTION

Turning from digital distractions and a loud world toward faith, connection, and real life.

## ***WELCOME*** ***to Elk River Lutheran Church***

Welcome to Elk River Lutheran Church! Whether you are joining us in-person or online, we're glad you're here. Elk River Lutheran Church is a forward-thinking congregation made up of people of all ages. We are a pretty new church (formed in 2009), located in a remodeled bank building on the Mississippi River in downtown Elk River. Our mission is: *Trusting in God's grace, an accepting, joyful community, serving God and neighbor.*

We are a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and celebrate the work we're able to do together as a denomination (to learn more about the ELCA visit [www.elca.org](http://www.elca.org)). We welcome all people and as a Reconciling in Christ (RIC) congregation that welcome extends to the LGBTQ+ community.

Please fill out the enclosed Connection Form slip and drop it in an offering plate to receive more information about Elk River Lutheran or share prayer concerns.

## ***Things to know*** ***for the service:***

- **Bathrooms**, complete with changing tables for little ones, are located in the Fellowship Hall in the corner opposite of the main entrance.
- We 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) by the entrance in the far corner of the fellowship hall.
- **Assisted Listening Devices** are available. Please contact the Media Booth

We hope and pray you have a wonderful worship experience here today. To learn more about the many opportunities to participate and volunteer with the ministries of ERLC, visit our website:

<https://www.elkriverlutheran.org>



## 8:30AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

Welcome

Gathering Hymn

***ELW #679 "For the Fruit of All Creation" v1-3***

*Confession and Forgiveness*

Song of Praise p 149

***"This is the Feast"***

### ***The Word of God Proclaimed***

Prayer of the Day

Kids Connect

Scripture Readings

Mark 10:13–16

Sermon

*Pastor Nathan Mugaas*

Hymn of the Day

***ELW #644 "Although I Speak with Angel's Tongue" v1-4***

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

Apostles Creed

Bidding Prayers

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offertory Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Holy, Holy, Holy p 153

***"Holy, Holy, Holy Lord"***

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

***"The Lord's Prayer"***

Lamb of God p 154

***"Lamb of God"***

Communion Hymns

***ELW #595 "Jesus Loves Me" v1-3***

***ELW #781 "Children of the Heavenly Father" v1-4***

Communion Blessing & Prayer

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

Community Announcements

Sending Blessing

Sending Hymn

***ELW #583 "Take My Life, That I May Be" v1, 2, & 4***

Sending Dialog

## 10:30AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

Welcome

Sharing of the Peace

Gathering Song

***"God of Wonders"***

### ***The Word of God Proclaimed***

Prayer of the Day

Kids Connect

Scripture Readings

Mark 10:13–16

Sermon

*Pastor Nathan Mugaas*

Song of the Day

***"The House That Love is Building"***

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

Offering

Offertory Prayer

Confession and Forgiveness

Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer

***"The Lord's Prayer"***

Communion Song

***"Goodness of God"***

Communion Blessing

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

Community Announcements

Sending Blessing

Sending Song

***"How Great Thou Art"***

Sending Dialog

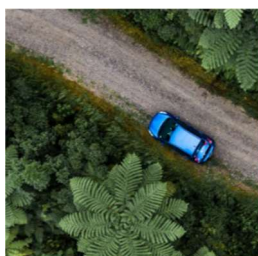
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# Worship Volunteers

	May 10	May 10	May 17 <b>Outdoor</b>
Roles	8:30am	10:30am	9:30am <b>Service</b>
Greeter	Jackson, Marianne Jackson, Jerry	Palmer, Gail Livingston, Joe	
Usher	Thurmer, Renee Gottschalk, Annika	Hels, Tom Hels, Joyce	Nelson, Dan Erickson, Kristina Domeier, Jane Campbell, John
Scripture Reader	Ziner, Dale	Livingston, Kerry	Guimont, Laura
Communion Servers	Olson, Marlys Olson, Cedric	Pouliot, Greg Pouliot, Debby	
Communion Steward	Cox, Amy	Bossany, Lisa	
Mid-Week Communion Filler	Hansen, Chris		
Powerpoint Operator		Parks, Julie	Ziner, Dale
Soundboard Operator		Rotz, Emily	Jenkins, Kevin
Switcher Operator	Clements, Tom	Clements, Tom	Clements, Tom
Worship Volunteer Coordinator	Simpson, Vicki Pruchnik, Jenny	Hansen, Chris	Hansen, Chris

*If you would like to serve, Great! Please get in touch with the Worship Volunteer Coordinating Team so we can get you filled in. If you cannot volunteer for the upcoming Sunday, also contact the Team at [erlcvolunteers@gmail.com](mailto:erlcvolunteers@gmail.com)*

## News & Opportunities



### *Understanding Estate Planning, Elder Law, and Legacy Giving Luncheon*

**Thursday May 14<sup>th</sup> 11:30am – 1pm** - Guest Speaker: Riley A. Sullivan (Estate Planning Attorney from Bolt Law Firm in Anoka) - In this presentation, Riley will cover the basics of wills, trusts, health care directives, powers of attorney, probate, and elder law. With elder law,

Riley helps people understand what elder law is and when you should call an elder law attorney. This can be a very valuable presentation for those later in life, making sure they have the right plan in place when leaving a legacy to their loved ones, charities or organizations. It can also be a great opportunity for people with aging parents to learn what they need to know.



### ***ERLC Block Party - Sunday May 17***

**Joint Outdoor Worship Service at 9:30am followed by**

**Block Party from 11am-1pm**

Once again we will kick off the season by worshipping outdoors and throwing a party for our community. Food, Games, Live Music, Bounce House, Fire Show and Entertainment for All. Volunteer using the QR Code to access the Sign Up.





## Luther Crest Summer Camp - Grades 3-8

Registration is now open for Luther Crest Bible Camp!

Students finishing grades 3-5 (Leapers) and 6-8 (Witnesses) can attend either June 28-July 1 or July 19-24. Thanks to our Endowment Team, **half the cost of camp is covered for ERLC youth.**

Registration: <https://luthercrest.org/summer-camps>



## Summer Festival Camp - High School Youth

July 12-15 • Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter

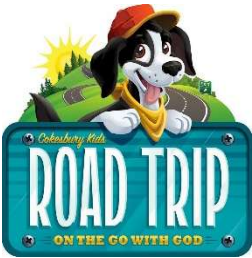
High school youth are invited to experience Summer Festival Camp—a powerful few days of worship, music, speakers, and faith-building community with youth from across the region.



## Vacation Bible School - Save the Date!

August 3-6 • 9:00am-12:00pm

Embark on an exciting journey with Road Trip VBS, inspired by Joshua 1:9: "The LORD your God is with you wherever you go." Kids will explore new places, build friendships, and discover God's presence through engaging Bible stories, games, and hands-on activities. Led by the Navigator and Scout the pup, this fun-filled adventure helps children grow in faith while making lasting memories. Join us for excitement, connection, and discovering God's goodness together!



## ERLC's Social Justice Action Team (SJAT) meets monthly

to discuss happenings in our greater Elk River community to find ways for ERLC to love God and love all our neighbors by advocating for the least of these. We focus on educating ourselves as well as the ERLC community, and helping to provide opportunities for involvement and support of local organizations. For more information or if you want to be a part of SJAT, contact Kevin Jenkins [FRMagnum@gmail.com](mailto:FRMagnum@gmail.com).



Hey KIDS! If you are 3 years old through 5th grade, we have a new fun BINGO game with prizes just for you! Grab a bingo card off the cool poster in the Fellowship Hall. Follow the directions on the back to win a bingo! You'll win a sucker every time you play, and you'll be entered to win an even bigger prize in a few weeks! This new program is thanks to the Age to Age initiative that we are part of! See Pastor Anne with questions!

# Prayer Requests

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

- For our skills and creativity allowing us to make quilts for those in need
- Cailean Potter

## ***In Sympathy***

## ***For Support***

## ***Health Concerns***

- Carol Sindelir, Val Nelson's Sister
- Lori Hines has a knee replacement. Friends of Tom and Joyce Hels.
- Phylis W. friend in Iowa has heart condition and been in hospital for 1 week
- Carol Anderson hospitalized, Mark Johnson's sister
- Joe Clemenson heart problems, Bev Weidner's cousin
- Alex Hensen cancer treatment
- Brian Harding

- Carol Sindelir, Val Nelson's sister
- Cheryl advanced cancer, sister-in-law of Ron & Sue Sass
- Fonda Whalen dementia
- Hartley Dahl
- Kay Foss esophageal and stomach cancer, Karen Froelich's cousin
- Ken Bucher
- Kris West, daughter of Bob and Sue Hagen
- Les Johnson, friend of Don & Val Nelson
- Linda Nielsen, recovering from total ankle replacement
- Loretta Mae Roden in hospice care, Mike Roden's mom
- Pat Miller, sister of Mary Hansen
- Marianne Jackson home recovering from her stroke which happened April 10th
- Sue Anderson fighting metastatic breast cancer, friend of Debby Pouliot

## ***Share Your Prayer Concerns:***

- Email [chuck@elkriverlutheran.org](mailto:chuck@elkriverlutheran.org)
- Fill out on your connection form
- Contact the church office at (763) 595-1216
- Fill out form on church website at [elkriverlutheran.org](http://elkriverlutheran.org)

*Generally, prayer requests will run for 3 weeks. If more time is needed, please call the church office*

# Mark 10: 13-16

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