July 5, 2026

Air 2: Out of the Whirlwind

8:30 and 10:30 Worship Services

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). 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

Elk River LUTHERAN ELCA
Trusting in God's grace, an accepting, joyful community, serving God & neighbor.

8:30AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Gathering of God's People

Welcome

Gathering Hymn — ***ELW #634 " All Hail The Power of Jesus Name" v1, 3, & 5***

Confession and Forgiveness

Song of Praise — ***"Above the Hills"***

The Word of God Proclaimed

Prayer of the Day

Suckers and Stories — *A Storm*

Scripture Readings — *Job 38:1–7, 16–18, 24*

Sermon — *Pastor Nathan Mugaas*

Hymn of the Day — ***ELW #856 "How Great Thou Art" v1, 2 & 4***

Sharing & Receiving the Gifts of God

Apostles Creed

Bidding Prayers

Sharing of the Peace

Offering — ***ELW #888 "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"***

Offertory Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

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

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God — ***"O Lamb of God"***

Communion Hymns — ***ACS #943 "As the Wind Song"***

ELW #742 "What a Friend We Have In Jesus"

Communion Blessing & Prayer

The Sending of God's People

Community Announcements

Sending Blessing

Sending Hymn — ***ELW #841 "Lift Every Voice and Sing" v1 & 3***

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
Suckers and Stories — *A Storm*
Scripture Readings — *Job 38:1–7, 16–18, 24*
Sermon — *Pastor Nathan Mugaas*
Song of the Day — ***"How Great Thou Art"***

Sharing & Receiving the Gifts of God

Offering — ***ELW #888 "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"***
Offertory Prayer
Holy Communion
The Lord's Prayer
Communion Song — ***"So Will I (100 Billion X)"***
Communion Blessing

The Sending of God's People

Community Announcements
Sending Blessing
Sending Song — ***"Firm Foundation"***
Sending Dialog

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Worship Volunteers

	8:30AM Service		10:30AM Service	
	July 5	**July 12**	**July 5**	**July 12**
Greeters	John & Karen Froelich	Ken Wells Jenny Pruchnik	Megg Donnelly Lisa Bossany	Paula & Megg Donnelly
Ushers	Kristina Erickson Vicki Simpson Wayne Traaseth		Anthony Schaefer Carolyn Mitzuk	Tom & Joyce Hels
Scripture Reader	Christy Boese	Kari Christianson	Paula Donnelly	Linda Campbell
Communion Servers	Dale Ziner Amy Cox	Cedric & Marlys Olson Jenny Pruchnik	Milo & Kari Christianson	John & Conni Natwick Laura Guimont
Communion Steward	John Barthel	Dale Ziner	Greg Pouliot	Lisa Bossany
Mid-Week Communion Fill	Joyce Hels	Julie Marie Haugen	Joyce Hels	Julie Marie Haugen
Powerpoint Operator	Mary Barthel		Matt Rotz	Adam Horner
Soundboard Operator	Bennett Johnson	Mike Pruchnik	Emily Rotz	Brad Evert
Switcher Operator	`Tom Clements	`Tom Clements	Tom Clements	Tom Clements
Volunteer Coordinator	Vicki Simpson	Vicki Simpson Jenny Pruchnik	Chris Nansen	Sue Sass

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

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Wright-Sherburne PRIDE 2026

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 2026
11:00 AM – 3:00 PM
ELLISON PARK • MONTICELLO, MN

Stop by and say hello!
Visit the Elk River Lutheran booth and celebrate a day of community, belonging, and welcome.

Elk River LUTHERAN | *All are welcome.*

We'll see you at Pride!

Wright-Sherburne PRIDE 2026

Be a Welcoming Presence at Pride!

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 2026
11:00 AM – 3:00 PM
ELLISON PARK • MONTICELLO, MN

Help Elk River Lutheran share God's love with our LGBTQIA+ neighbors and everyone who visits our Pride booth.

Volunteer for a 2-hour shift to:
- Welcome festival guests
- Hand out giveaways
- Share our message of inclusion and affirmation
- Help with setup or cleanup

Choose the time that fits your schedule and join us!

ELK RIVER LUTHERAN CHURCH

LUTHERAN *Night with the Twins*

TICKETS $35

TUESDAY 11 AUGUST

DEADLINE: SUNDAY, JULY 19

TWINS VS ORIOLES

Seats together on 3rd Baseline (Section 126)
Food & Beverages @ Your Own Expense
TARGET FIELD
FIRST PITCH 6:40PM

PLUS: opportunity to sing the National Anthem (Optional)
Sign Up when Purchasing Tickets

Sign up at elkriverlutheran.org
Questions, reach out to Pastor Nathan

Prayer Requests

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

- Vicki Granros would like to thank everyone for their prayers for the healing of her gall bladder surgery and her kidneys are working just fine so no dialysis!

In Sympathy

- Family and Friends of Lila Mathias, Mother of David Lorenz
- Family and friends of Jeff Davey, friend of Tyler Carlson
- Family and Friends of Jerilyn Munsterman, Sister-In-Law of Vivian and Jim Ayres and Aunt of Krista and Jeff Schrock

For Support

- Answers and healing for other medical issues Vicki Granros is still dealing with.
- Support & guidance to Xander (age 4) and his family . He was newly diagnosed with type 1 diabetes. Parents, Julie & Tom, brother Brexton. Grandparents Mike and Carol Roden
- Love, prayers, and support for Miranda, her father, and her family as father was just diagnosed with terminal brain cancer, Miranda is sister-in-law of Kelli Sweeny

Health Concerns

- Glen Geving, after 2 weeks in hospital for brain surgeries, is now in Guardian Angels Care Center.
- Robin Lease, serious heart problems, sister of Pat Guimont
- Crystal, safe & healthy delivery of baby girl, Nellie & Carley Sorensen's sister
- Lynn Hondo, recovering from cancer treatments, friend of Deb Johnson
- Debbie Campbell, broken right humerus just
- Pray for Phyllis Scroggins as doctors seek answers during brain studies at U of M Hospital.
- Gwen
- Pray for healing and recovery for Mike Guimont, following a motorcycle accident, Pat Guimont's brother
- Chuck Stanely upcoming heart surgery, pray for healing, father of Jennifer Pruchnik
- Fran Johnson recently diagnosed with Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma
- Melanie Clemons battling ovarian cancer
- Carol Sindelir, Val Nelson's sister
- Alex Hensen cancer treatment
- Bryana Mayer prayers for healing autoimmune diseases, daughter of Sharyn Mayer
- Brian Harding
- 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
- Loretta Mae Roden in hospice care, Mike Roden's mom
- Marianne Jackson home recovering from her stroke which happened April 10th.
- Pat Miller, sister of Mary Hansen
- Sue Anderson fighting metastatic breast cancer, friend of Debby Pouliot

Share Your Prayer Concerns:

- Email linda@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

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

Air 2: Out of the Whirlwind

Whirlwind	Job	God	Lord	Creation
Earth	Foundation	Cornerstone	Stars	Light
Wind	Storm	Wonder	Awe	Mystery
Wisdom	Trust	Humility	Questions	Knowledge
Sea	Deep	Joy	Love	

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