

Adoration Lutheran Church

Announcements for the Week of August 16, 2026

Sunday, August 16th

10 a.m. Indoor Worship **Note the different time.*
After Worship - Annual Church Picnic (*See details on right...)

Tuesday, August 18th

6 p.m. Church Council Meeting

Wednesday, August 19th

6:15 p.m. Worship

Sunday, August 23rd

9 a.m. Worship

Wednesday, August 26th

6:15 p.m. Worship

Sunday, August 30th

9 a.m. Worship

Wednesday, September 2nd

6:15 p.m. Worship

Thursday, September 3rd

7 p.m.-8 p.m. Book Club (*See details below...)

Friday, September 4th

11:30 a.m. AAA to Meet for Lunch at Oak Creek Diner with Meeting to Follow at Church (*See details below...)

Sunday, September 6th

9 a.m. Worship

Monday, September 7th Labor Day

Sunday, September 13th Rally Day!

9 a.m. Worship

10 a.m. Choir Rehearsals Begin



TODAY IS OUR ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC!

Date: Sunday, August 16th

Time: After 10 a.m. Indoor Worship

Please join us after worship in Fellowship Hall as we eat, drink and be merry! Grab lawn chairs if you want to sit outside (pray for good weather)!

Jeanette and Olivia have been working hard at planning this fun event for months, but they need some volunteers to help clean-up after. So, please plan on staying if you can. As they say, "*Many hands make for light work.*"

We will have outdoor activities for the kids, games, Bingo and raffle prizes. Literally, something for everyone! Plus, you will be surrounded by some of the very best people to share a meal with!

So, please bring yourself, your family, friends and especially people who might be interested in joining the Adoration family! The more, the merrier!

See you after worship!

Bake Sale Announcement

Thank you to Judy Goodwin and everyone who baked or contributed in some way to the Bake Sale that was held on Tuesday, August 11th. We very much appreciate those who set-up, priced items, volunteered to sell and clean-up.

We sold out of baked goods around 1 p.m.!!!

It was a very busy morning, and we are grateful that a lot of voters came hungry!

The total profit will be shared next week. All proceeds will benefit Adoration Lutheran Church, so thank you!



AAA News

Join us for lunch on **Friday, September 4th at 11:30 a.m.** at Oak Creek Diner – 6874 South 13th Street.

Our regular meeting will follow at Adoration Lutheran Church.

-Judy Goodwin

Worship Attendance & Offering

Attendance

8/5/2026: 8

8/9/2026: 35

Offering

\$3901.00

+Plus, we received a generous donation of \$1715.00 towards repairing the outdoor sign.

*Please be aware of our weekly offerings and give generously in-kind and offer up prayers as Adoration is struggling financially. -Kathy Wakefield

Lutheran World Relief School Kit Items

Since school supplies are becoming expensive, we are already collecting them to beat the price increases.

- Spiral notebooks – 8"x10 1/2" / 70-80 pages / Ruled
- Ruler – inches and centimeters
- Pencil sharpeners
- #2 Unsharpened pencils with attached erasers
- Black or blue ball point pens – No gel
- 16 or 24-count crayons
- 2-1/2" erasers
- Blunt tip scissors

The collection bin can be found in the cloakroom.

Thank you, Judy Goodwin

We really need help mowing the lawn this season and would like to get a weekly schedule in place!

Please call Craig Beyler to get on the schedule at: 414-421-5116

Thank you!

We can always use help with landscaping, pulling weeds, picking up sticks and debris, giving some attention to the labyrinth, tending to the plant and flower beds, etc. Please see Barb Regent if you are interested in keeping the grounds looking beautiful.

Mt. Meru Coffee Available for Purchase

Adoration has been supporting the Mt. Meru Coffee project for over 20 years. This provides fair market pricing to the coffee farmers in Tanzania. We do not make a profit on this and sell it at cost. The coffee is amazing! We have a good supply in stock, so start thinking about what you need at home, to bring to gatherings, to gift, etc. Place the money in an envelope and put it in the offering plate.

- The drip and flavored coffee are \$12.00 per bag
- Peaberry is \$18.00 per bag
- K-Cups are \$9.00 per box



Our Yearly **RIDE RUN WALK** Fundraising Event will be held on the morning of **Saturday, September 26, 2026!**

<https://www.ofhrrw.org/event-information/#event-summary>

Your continued donations to the food cart in the back of church have been greatly appreciated by the food pantry and those they continue to serve.

Food insecurity has really impacted a lot of people in the past few months, and sadly it will remain an ongoing issue. So, keep the donations coming as outreach is a very important ministry here at Adoration Lutheran Church.

Continue to bring in old prescription eyeglasses, prescription sunglasses, cases and hearing aids. There is a collection box in the coat room. George and Gloria Becker pick up the donations and bring them to the South Milwaukee Lions Club who then donates them to those in need.

Thank you to everyone who has donated in the past! Your generosity helps those who need a little extra love and support!



Updated Contact Information for Fall Directory

If any contact information has changed for you or someone in your household, please fill out a new "Adoration Lutheran Church Directory Information" form which can be found on the table closest to the coat room. Otherwise, send an email to:

adorationlutheran@gmail.com.

The last directory was released in Spring 2025, so we will not be taking new photos for everyone. However, there are a few people that we plan to take new photos for. If you want a new individual or household photo taken, please send an email to:

adorationlutheran@gmail.com.

The plan is to have an updated directory available for publication in October.

Happy July Birthday
to the following...

Sandy Ringwall 8/1

Travis Weymier 8/7

Margaret Duris 8/17

Connor Schmidt 8/18

Deanna Posig 8/19

Sue Szemborski 8/22

Denise Kowalczyk 8/23

Shari Katzenmaier 8/24



We are all blessed with special events throughout the years – the birth of a child, baptism, birthdays, First Communion, Confirmation, graduations, anniversaries and many other blessings. Celebrating these joyous events with a milestone gift to Adoration Lutheran Church is a thoughtful and generous way to commemorate a big day.

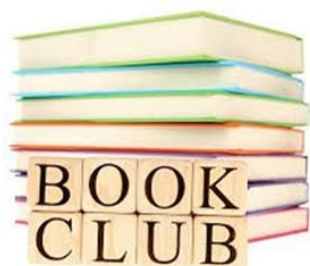
That is why we are re-introducing "Adoration Milestones." The milestone will be printed in the Sunday bulletin and announcements for all to share in your joy. If you prefer to be anonymous, that is fine too – We can simply print whatever information you are comfortable sharing or nothing at all.

Please place your gift in an envelope or your offering envelope with a note mentioning how you would like us to mention the event.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Kathy Wakefield or Crystal.

Here's to sharing in our best moments together!

Milestone Offering: \$190 from Tim and Katie Schmidt in Honor of Connor's 19th Birthday



Adoration Lutheran's Book Club News

***Next meeting will be on September 3rd**

- Join us every first Thursday of the month from 7 p.m.-8 p.m.
- Read what you want and report on it. Find out what books others enjoyed!
- Check out the bulletin board for this month's good reads!

If you have any questions, please call Judy Goodwin at: 414-281-9368 or Cheryl Hagfors at: 414-254-5968

**This literature came from the members of the book club and are not endorsed by Adoration Lutheran Church. Adoration Lutheran Church recommends you vet the recommendations prior to reading them.*

Adoration Lutheran Church is a designated polling location for local Greenfield residents. Set-up will take place the day before and clean-up will take place the following day. Therefore, please be careful when coming to Adoration these days due to extra traffic coming in and out of the parking lot and plan for extra people in the building. The following dates will be accommodated in accordance with the elections taking place:

11/3/2026

2/16/2027

4/6/2027



We pray for those in need:

Chales Eigner;
Rodney Mendini;
Tom Nowakowski;
Joani Bettin;
Jan Rinderle;
John and Kathy Imp;
Jax, Crystal's son, as he continues dealing with complications from a car accident;
Jeff Timmerman, husband of Dori and father of Alek, who has esophageal cancer;
Karen Cigan, cousin of Rich Regent;
Cherry Shauger, aunt of Deanna Posig;
Sarah and Justin Crooks, niece and husband, of Richard and Barb Regent;
Amy and family, friends of Kathy Wakefield, as they battle ALS

We continue to pray for strength for:

Patricia Koch
Sue Szemborski;
Bernice Young;
Ruth Bauer;
Steve Heiges

We keep in our prayers:

Our sister parish in Mulala;
Jeremy (Tom Nowakowski's nephew)

In case of inclement weather that may impact worship services, we will do our best to publish cancellations, with as much advance notice as possible, on the 4 major local TV stations: 4, 6, 12 and 58. We will also send an email blast to those who are current subscribers. In addition, we encourage you to visit our website and Facebook page for updates. We will also try to post a note on the entrance doors when possible.

Please call those who may not receive such notices in a timely manner, watch TV or have access to the Internet.

We want everyone to stay safe and help each other out!

