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NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1327 North Salem Road

La Crosse, WI 54603

NORTH STAR NEWS is a non-profit publication containing information and concerns of members and friends of North Presbyterian Church of La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Sunday Worship:

8:00 AM (Indoors)

10:00 AM (Back Lawn Weather Permitting)

Virtually - Sunday at 8am on our Facebook Page or Website

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North Presbyterian Church of La Crosse, WI.

"Sharing God's love since 1870"

THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH THE BIG HEART!!

Pastor Scott's Scripts...

There is a saying that in Wisconsin, there are two seasons: winter and construction. In my recent travels across the state, I have seen my fair share of orange construction barrels visibly highlighting that we are in construction season.

As a church, we too find ourselves in construction season. We have begun the process of constructing the backyard worship chapel. We have removed a tree and a part of the patio. We look forward to proceeding with this project and creating a more permanent space for our outdoor services that have been so well received since their inception during the Covid pandemic (just a note we will continue to have outdoor services while the chapel area is under construction.).

As we enter the summer/construction season, it is clear that all of our lives are a work in progress. We are all "under construction". We all have areas we can improve, life projects to complete, challenges to address. With Jesus as our carpenter, let us open our hearts to his gifted spirit and let him construct in us a bigger more inclusive heart, more compassion for our neighbor, more kindness to a stranger, more love for our enemies, more understanding for those who are different.

Our lives are constantly under construction. The good news is that Jesus is our carpenter, and our project is always in very capable hands.

See ya in church,
Pastor Scott





Father's Day Silent Auction Pie Sale!!

Sunday, June 16th
Enter a Silent Auction bid
or for \$40 the pie is yours to take home!

Pie donations are welcomed and appreciated from
all pie bakers (or buyers) in the congregation!!!

North Presbyterian Free Little Food Pantry

We no longer are on our "winter" food list which limits items we can place in our little pantry. Some items always needed include:

- Canned fruit/Fruit cups
- Small boxes/bags of cereal/Oatmeal packets
- Peanut Butter
- Granola Bars/Fruit Snacks/Poptarts
- Crackers/Nuts/Microwave popcorn
- Instant Potatoes/Rice
- Ready to serve meals such as Spaghettios & Hormel complete meals
- Baked Beans



Thank you for your continued support of this ministry!

Congratulations!



Seth Tiedeman
Son of:
Jennifer & Scott
Tiedeman

Graduate of:
Embry-Riddle
Aeronautical College,
Daytona Beach, FL
With a bachelor degree
In Aeronautical Science

Fun Bunch Lunch



Please join us on
Tuesday, June 18th
at the church for a
Fun Bunch Lunch!

Pastor Scott will be "The Grillmaster"
serving hamburgers and chicken sandwiches.

Lunch will be served at Noon.
Please bring a dish to share and let's enjoy some summer fun!



10:00 WORSHIP SCHEDULE SUMMER 2024

Sunday, June 2nd— Inside

Sunday, June 9th— Outside

Sunday, June 16th— Outside

Sunday, June 23rd— Outside

Sunday, June 30th— Outside

Sunday, July 7th— Inside

Sunday, July 14th— Outside

Sunday, July 21st— Outside

Sunday, July 28th— Outside

Sunday, August 4th— Inside

Sunday, August 11th— Outside

Sunday, August 18th— Outside

Sunday, August 25th, Outside

Sunday, Sept. 1st— Inside

Sunday, Sept. 8th— Outside/Rally Sunday



Bring your lawn chair/blanket and join us this summer for worship on our beautiful back lawn (Chairs are available if needed). In case of inclement weather, we will move inside.



- 1 Tamara Johnson
- Macquire Werner
- 3 Karen Keim
- 4 Kallie Bean
- Steve Kish
- 8 Elizabeth Boecker
- Jeanne Steuck
- 10 Sandra Aukes

- 10 Grace Wells
- 11 Henry Wruck
- 13 Carissa Lee
- Ron Hanson
- 14 Tara Zielke
- Kinsley Koxlien
- 16 Elwood Harebo
- 17 Clara Dill
- 18 Megan Wells
- Max Wruck
- 19 Susan Hughes



The Annual Church Rummage Sale
has been moved to August

This year, we will host our sale on
Thursday, August 15th from 4-7:00 p.m.
&

Friday, August 16th from 8-11:00 a.m.


Volunteers will be needed to assist
setting up prior and on the days of the sale.

Items can be dropped off at the church during regular
office hours Monday through Thursday
9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.



2024 JUNE



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3	4	5 Knit/Crochet Group 10:00-Noon NPC 	6	7	8
9 Outdoor Worship 10:00 a.m.	10	11	12 Session Meeting	13	14	15
16 Outdoor Worship 10:00 a.m. 	17	18 We're Having a COCKOUT!  Fun Bunch– Noon	19	20	21	22
23 Outdoor Worship 10:00 a.m.	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Outdoor Worship 10:00 a.m.						