



# Announcements 08/27/2023



This week's calendar 08/27/2023 thru 09/03/2023

Sunday 9:30 AM Outdoor Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime Decker  
2-6 PM GA will host a Landscaping/Yardwork service event at the church, Followed by a Meal.

Wednesday 5:30 PM Back To School Worship followed by Meal at 6:30PM- Open To ALL To Attend!  
5:30 PM Altar Guild Meeting

Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilters

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Worship Assistants	August 27 <sup>th</sup>	September 3 <sup>rd</sup>	September 10 <sup>th</sup>
Acolytes:	Jaila Nerison Matt Stubbart	Cyprian Johnson Skylar Peterson	Moxxyn Hamann Jaylene Herman
Reader:	Kirstin Kempel	Val Bjork	Joan Peterson
Communion:	Kent Johnson	Paul White	Michelle Goettle
Sound System:	New Sound System, Kris is running it at this time. <b><u>If anyone wants to learn let her know!</u></b> Thank You		

Ushers:	August Ushers	September Ushers
	<b>Captain: Duane &amp; Trudi Peterson</b> Shirley Fuss Adam & Nancy Wrage Michelle Goettle Rosi Odegard	<b>Captain: Rodney &amp; Ginger Utech</b> Gage & Ashley Hansen Jackie Meyer Jeannette Beckstrom Ashlee Lien

Weekly Giving	August 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2023
Total Envelopes:	\$
Attendance:	25
<b><u>Weekly Amount Needed To Meet Annual Budget: \$3,755.96</u></b>	

**Mowing Schedule:** August 27-September 02: Shawn Beck, Sept 03-09: Martin Potts, Sept 10-16: Mike Larson

**This week we lift in prayer to God:**

- + Those in our congregation who are celebrating their **birthday** this week: Steve Jacobson, Crystal Taylor, Steve Morlock, Lee Schwagel Jr., Ava Mairs, Troy Olson.
- + Those in our congregation who are celebrating their **anniversary** this week: Dawn & Sean Anderson, Paula & Rodney Hansen, Courtney & Isaac Swanson, Nancy & Adam Wrage, Judy & Jeff Tyler.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one: The Family & Friends of Bryan Sukut and Brynlee Netterville.

If you have announcements for G.A., please call them to 678-2552 or send them to [galutheranchurch@outlook.com](mailto:galutheranchurch@outlook.com) or leave a note on the secretary's door. Just a reminder that all announcements and newsletters are posted to the website [www.galutheranchurch.org](http://www.galutheranchurch.org) check it out!  
Weekly bulletin announcement **Deadline:** Fridays by Noon. **September newsletter Deadline: Monday, Aug 21<sup>st</sup>**

If you need to reach Pastor Jaime feel free to call her cellphone **701-680-2637** or email her at [jaimedecker4@gmail.com](mailto:jaimedecker4@gmail.com)

- **Office Hours:** Pastor Jaime has updated her office hours, Hours are: Monday- 9:30-11:30am, Tuesday-9:30-11:30am, Wednesday-1:00-3:00pm. Friday will remain her day off.
- **Do You Know:** of any members that do not get our monthly newsletter, but would like to? If so, please contact Carrili at 701-678-2552 or [galutheranchurch@outlook.com](mailto:galutheranchurch@outlook.com) and let her know. Thank You.

- **Venmo:** GA Church has Venmo! If you would like to use Venmo to place your Weekly, Monthly, and Annual Offerings or any other donations please do so!! Our account is @GustafAdolf-LutheranChurch or scan the QR Code. Thank you!



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- **Food Pantry:** The Gwinner location of the Sargent County Food Pantry **Top Needs: Canned fruits/veggies, Beans, Soups, Cereal, Paper Products, Hygiene Items, Juice, Condiments, Flour, Sugar, Oil, Pasta.** Monetary donations are also appreciated. Send them to PO Box 101, Forman ND 58032. Monetary donations are used for: vouchers for the grocery store for perishable items. (milk, eggs, butter, bread, cheese, potatoes, fresh vegetables and fruits). Drop off places in Gwinner for non-perishables are GA Lutheran Church, or Teals Market. You can also drop off items at the Food Pantry, located in the Gwinner. Community Center-104 Main St., every Tuesday, 1:00-4:00pm. Thank you for your continued support and generosity! If you or anyone you know are in need, feel free to stop by the Gwinner location on Tuesdays from 1-4pm and pick up some supplies.
- **USHERS: PLEASE** remember to get a head count **EVERY SUNDAY** and record it on the sheet in the shelf by the balcony stairs. It is important that we have this number so we can estimate Bulletins and Communion supplies needed. Thank You for all you do to help with Sunday Services and making them run smoothly.
- **Summer Outdoor Services:** We will be holding all Sunday worship services outside (weather permitting). Services will be held at 9:30am as normal, bring a chair and join us. 😊 We will return to Indoor services September 10<sup>th</sup>.
- **Dog Beds:** The Bits N' Stitches Quilters have dog beds for sale, \$5.00 Each. Please contact Julie Johnson, Becky Salberg or Carrili Larson. The proceeds from the sale of the beds will go towards purchasing more supplies for Quilting. Thank you!
- **Online Giving:** GA Church has online giving available you can download the Givelify App or you can go to [www.galutheranchurch.org](http://www.galutheranchurch.org) and click on the Donate Now tab. As always your donations to GA are greatly appreciated! Thank you. Any questions please feel free to contact Carrili.
- **Bulletin Donation Sheet:** The bulletin donation sheet for the 2024 church season is on the table in the Narthex. If you would like to donate/sponsor a bulletin for a Sunday please mark it down and give your payments to Carrili. Bulletin donations are \$15.00 per Sunday. Thank you for your support.
- **Blood Drive:** Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, GA Church will be hosting a blood drive from 1:45-6:00 PM. If you are interested in donating contact Carrili at 701-680-1190, or register online at **Vitalant.org-DonateNow**. Also, if you are willing to help out at the event with registration or kitchen please let Carrili know. Thank you .
- **Yard Work Day:** TODAY from 2-6PM with a Meal at 6pm, GA will be hosting a Landscaping/Yard work service event at the church. Bring your work gloves, shovels and pruners and We invite you to come **Learn And Serve**, and be fed at our L.A.S.T. Supper. Open to the community. Please see flier in Narthex for more information.
- **Back-To-School Worship:** Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>, we will host an Outdoor Back to School Service with a Blessing of Backpacks/Briefcases. All school employees, school board members, students, parents, and the community are invited! From 5:30-6:30 pm free will supper and then 6:30 pm Back to School Service. Spread the word all are invited to attend this event.
- **2023-2024 Worship Assistants:** The Lists are Available on the Table in the Narthex. They have also been emailed out and are available on the church website. Please look them over and mark down the dates you are scheduled to help with services at GA. Reminder you are responsible for finding your own replacement if you are unable to fulfill your dates. Thank you in advance for all you do for GA to keep services rolling smoothly.
- **Sound System:** A Motion was made and passed by Church Council to pay the sound/video tech \$67.00 per service. This motion was made in hopes it will encourage others to step up and learn the system. Spread the word and Thank You in Advance for helping out!

