

July 20, 2025

# JOURNEY LUTHERAN

*Whoever you are, However you come, You are welcome here.*



## THE WEEK AHEAD

**Sunday, July 20**

9:30am Worship

10:30am Fellowship Time

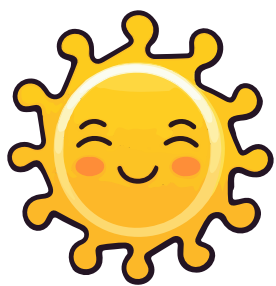
10:30am G&G Meeting

**Sunday, July 27th**

9:30am Worship

10:30am Fellowship Time

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OR COMMUNION SERVER](#)**



## Google Calendar Link

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Tues/Wed/Thurs 9:00-3:30*

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journeypastorluci@gmail.com*

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**Dear Journey Family,**

We want to share some very difficult news with you. A few weeks ago a small mass was removed from Barry's side. The pathology revealed that it was cancerous. He had a CT scan last week to investigate this. We were concerned, but he had just had PET scans and x-rays a few months ago, before prostate surgery, and all was clear.

The results of his CT were shocking. Barry has multiorgan metastatic cancer of spine, muscle, lungs, liver, kidney, adrenal glands, and ribs. Chemotherapy is available, but will not cure, and would require biopsies that could have serious, life-threatening, side effects.

Barry has decided to seek only palliative care. I fully agree with him.

Thank you for your prayers and support

- Barry and Janna miller (July 11th)

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## **Food Pantry Donations Needed**

Food pantries see an increase in need during the summer due to kids being home from school. This summer is seeing an even bigger increase in need with the drop in federal funding to food pantries. The Outreach Team will be highlighting 3 different items each week that are needed at the Onalaska Regional Food Basket. The Food Basket serves people in the following communities: Onalaska, Holmen, West Salem, Galesville, Ettrick, French Island, Trempealeau, Melrose and Mindoro.

### **This week's needed items are:**

- **Cereal**
- **Pancake mix**
- **Oatmeal**



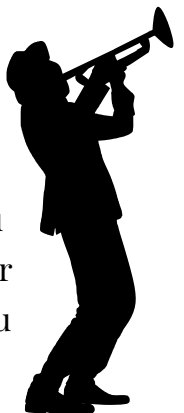
If you are able, please try to add one or more of these items to your cart as you are doing your weekly grocery shopping. Donations can be placed in the grocery cart at the office entrance. Let's try to fill the grocery cart at Journey!

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## **Calling All Musicians!**

Journey Lutheran welcomes your musical talents!

**If at any time this summer you would like to share your musical talents, we would love to have you as part of our worship service.** Do you play an instrument? Do you love to sing? Please contact the church office and we can schedule you for one of our worship services. Our accompanists, Paula and Deb, are willing to play piano for you if you need a piano accompaniment.



## Coffee Sponsor

Thank you to this week's Coffee Sponsor:  
**Tom & Lois Tucker, celebrating their 49<sup>th</sup>**  
**wedding anniversary (August 9th)!**



## *Happy* **BIRTHDAY**

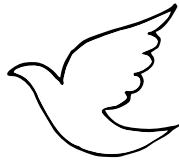
*July 25th - Aaron Torud*

*July 26th - Carla Amundson, Jayne Oliver*

## *Happy* **Anniversary**

*July 15th - Brooke & Dave Lueck*

*July 18th - Kay & Steve Adams*



## *Prayer Requests*

### **Members:**

Barry Miller

John Clements

## **Mortgage Update**

**Monthly Mortgage Payments: \$4,000**

On track to pay off by Aug. 2026

We currently have \$3,000 raised for our September mortgage payment.

### **Mortgage reductions gifts can be given by:**

A personal check with "mortgage reduction" in memo, dropped in the offering plate at the Welcome Table on Sundays or sent to Journey at 2703 Sand lake Road Onalaska WI 54650.

or **Online Here**

**Authorization Form Here**

## **June Care Bear Update**

During the month of June Journey raised \$677.49 for  
The Center!

Thank you for your generosity!





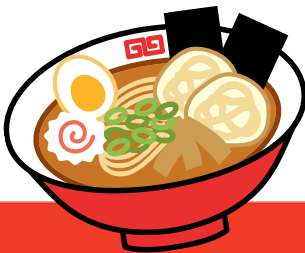
## Benches - Free Will Donation



Journey is getting rid of several outdoor benches to clear up space in our garage. They are currently in the parking lot by the dumpster, we are offering them for a free will donation. Snag one before they're gone!

## Dessert Pizzas Available!

Missing the delicious dessert pizzas from our Superbowl Pizza Fundraiser? We still have extras available! Pick yours up today for \$7.



## Sign Up Here!!

### Japanese Heritage Meal August 15, 5:30-7:00

Join us in fellowship and food - beginning the evening with a guided demonstration in making Onigiri. This Japanese sticky rice ball is filled with a variety of savory ingredients for you to choose.



*Special Guest*



**Dr. Reverend Joseph Hara**

## Build-your-own Ramen



**Tonkotsu Ramen**

pork broth with a thick texture



**Shoyu Ramen**

soy sauce broth with spices



**Miso Ramen**

miso paste broth lends a savory flavor