

The Calvary Call

Bringing Faith, Hope, and Strength to All of Christ's People

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2025

2025 Confirmands

What is a Confirmand? A confirmand is someone who testifies and confesses what they believe in their heart namely that Jesus lives there! A confirmand confirms that he or she believes that the Holy Spirit came to live in them when they were baptized. They confirm that they believe in Jesus as their Savior. They confirm that they believe God the Father created the world including them.



Confirmation is not a one time event, but a reoccurring confession that we do every time we stand up and say either the Apostles or Nicene Creed. Confirmation happens every time we declare we believe in Jesus in front of friends, family, or even a stranger. The Confirmation Rite is simply a formal acknowledgement of Jesus before the congregation that these students officially believe in the Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit and that they believe all the teachings of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod and want to continue even if it means death. Praise God with the following students who stand up for Jesus on May 4 at 10:30 AM:

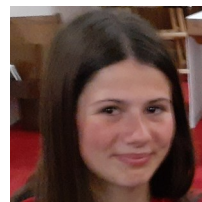
Brylee Binneboese-Parents: Carl Binneboese & Brandy Sitts-Binneboese; Sponsors: Yesenia & Tera Sitts; Verse: Romans 8:28.

“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.”

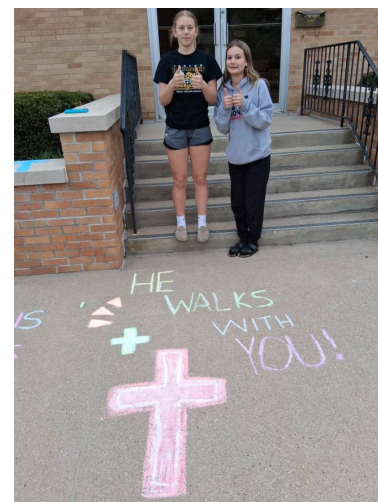


Grayson Johnson-Parents: Tim Johnson & Christy Johnson; Mother: Emily Sandvold, Verse: Romans 1:16. *“For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.”*

Sophee Miller-Parents: Cole Hoff & Janine Gacke; Sponsors: Ashley Feste, Courney Miller, Trisha Johnson & Mandy Arens; Verse: Genesis 28:15 *“I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go, and I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.”*



Below are pieces of art from this years 2024-25 WNAC:



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Calvary's 2025 High School Graduates



Joshua Mogensen Graduating from Sioux City North High School. Going to USD to major in exercise science. Parents: Sam Mogensen and Emily McCloud. Born May 15, 2007. Baptized, July 1, 2007. Sponsors: Chris McCloud & Maggie Whitmore. Verse: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16



Talan Valladolid Graduating from Sioux City North High School. Parents: Anthony and Maggie Valladolid. Born January 29, 2007. Baptized, January 29, 2017. Sponsors: Cierra and Ryan Prather. Verse: But Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible." Matthew 19:26



Carley Reinert Graduating from Elk Point Jefferson. Going to school for Forensic Science. Parents: Jonathan Reinert and Kimberly Will. Born September 26, 2006. Baptized, October 29, 2006. Sponsors: Joseph Rubalcava & Jalisa Reinert. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you," Isaiah 43:2



Kenzie Winters Graduating from Hinton High School. Parents: Devin and Sherry (Junck) Winters, born October 9, 2006. Baptized: November 12, 2006. Sponsors: Michele Betsworth, Leisa Burke, The late Diana Logan and Dan Winters. Verse: "Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you." Deuteronomy 31:6



Addison Weitzel Graduating from Hinton High School. Parents: Rodney and Linda Weitzel. Born: October 28, 2006, Baptized: November 26, 2006. Sponsors: Lisa and Brandon Robinson. Verse: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, the whoever believed in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16

Pastor Travis' Messages

Building Better Relationships

One of the best things you can do to build a better relationship is to have fellowship with them. Fellowship refers to talking and eating with a person or God. Philippians 2:1-2 says, "If you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, then make my joy complete by being like-minded..." Just as a young man and young woman go on a date at a restaurant to get to know one another, so also a husband and wife should go on weekly dates to have fellowship! Weekly seems excessive, but they do not need to be at a restaurant, it could be at home or on a picnic if you want to change things up! The point is spending time together!

Jesus himself built relationships with people by eating and talking (fellowship):

- Luke 5:29: Jesus eats at a meal hosted by Levi, a tax collector, who later becomes his disciple.
- Luke 7:36-37: Jesus is anointed at the home of Simon the Pharisee during a meal.
- Luke 9:12-17: Jesus miraculously feeds over five thousand people with a few loaves of bread and fish.
- Luke 10:38-42: Jesus eats a meal in the home of Mary and Martha.
- The Last Supper (Luke 22): Jesus shares a meal with his apostles, instituting the Lord's Supper.
- Luke 24:36-43: Jesus eats with his disciples after the resurrection. They recognize him in the breaking of bread.

Do you want to know your spouse better? Then deliberately schedule time to talk and eat with them. Do you want to know your children better? Then eat with them! Do you want to know Jesus better? Then eat with Jesus! Jesus still gives the Lord's Supper and He still talks with us as we hear His Word!

My challenge to you is to try to eat with your spouse and others you care about once each week. If not in person, at least over the phone or through face-time. Likewise, even in the summer take time to eat with Jesus and hear his Word. We have 6000 congregations in the United States, look them up at:

<https://locator.lcms.org/>

We also are still on-line at facebook.com/calvaryleeds/ or <https://www.youtube.com/@calvaryleeds>

under the Live Tab if you can't make it to a service.

Summer Goals for Calvary:

Pastor Alex and I went to Des Moines with Brian and Karen Hickman. We spent time learning about how important it is to keep the Values of our church in the forefront. Do you know our values?

We hold the **BIBLE** to be the true and inspired word of God. We are a welcoming **FAMILY** of believers. We strive for **GROWTH** through Bible study, worship and prayer. We live in **SERVICE** to others within the church and surrounding community. We aspire to **LOVE** God and our neighbors.

Do you know our mission statement? "**Bringing Faith Hope and Strength to All of Christ's People**" Are we doing these values? This should be something all of us want to do better at! Am I reading my Bible? Am I welcoming my fellow Christians? Am I serving the community around me regularly not just 10 years ago? Am I loving God and our neighbors by bringing them to hear about Jesus?

The other thing we want to do as a church is to start two new huddles in addition to the one already happening on Sunday nights with the young men of the church. These huddles help us grow leaders in the church. Lastly, we want to continue to help parents pass on the faith to their children by giving them tools to help them teach the faith even at home. God designed parents to pass on the faith for eternity: Deuteronomy 6:6-9, "*These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. ⁷ Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. ⁸ Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. ⁹ Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates.*" Certainly teachers taught even in Bible days, but notice that the parents did the impressing of the commandments on their children with conversation, wall hangings, and even as ornaments to be worn!

May God help us to carry out these goals through the summer!

In Christ,

Pastor Travis

The Case for CHRIST in the OLD TESTAMENT by Julie Mann

You are most likely reading this some time during Lent, Holy Week or the Easter season of the church year. I have always been intrigued by this season and personally feel a bit “off” if I do not attend services on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and Easter. I know it is not a prerequisite, but it helps me connect the whole picture. For me, it is not only a time of solemn reflection and digging deeper into the Gospels, but also of looking at the connections from the Old Testament prophecies to Jesus being the true Savior of the world.

As a career-long educator, I enjoy researching and reading what others have uncovered by looking at Scripture. Our LCMS three-year lectionary, which many of our congregations use, is focusing this year on the gospels of Luke and John for many of our Sunday readings, which connect directly to the Old Testament. In the Gospel reading for April 6 (Luke 20:9-20), Jesus is talking with the church leaders of the day and quotes Psalm 118:22, speaking to their rejection of Him as the Messiah.

In one of the Gospel choices for Palm Sunday (Luke 22–23), Satan enters Judas, who agrees to receive payment (30 pieces of silver, Matt. 26:15) from the chief priests to betray Jesus, which is directly connected to Zech. 11:12-13. In looking at other writings, including the excerpt below, we learn that the truth of Jesus being the Messiah shows up in many places you can study and share with others.

The Bible is full of Messianic prophecies: promises of what a messiah would do. Mathematician Peter Stoner counted the probability of one person fulfilling even a small number of them. And he concluded, the chance of a single man fulfilling “just” 48 of the proph-

ecies found in the Tanakh (Old Testament) would be one in (10 followed by 157 zeros)! In fact, He fulfilled more than 324 individual prophecies that related to the Messiah! Wow! What a mathematical feat.

Many people will say that we only have the Bible for references about Jesus’ life, but that is not true. There are other historical scholarly writings that speak of His existence. Of course, as Christians, we stand on the inerrant Word of Scripture as our first source.

Within a few decades of his lifetime, Jesus was mentioned by Jewish and Roman historians in passages that corroborate portions of the New Testament that describe the life and death of Jesus.

As you move through this season of the church year, be a bit of a literary archeologist during your time of reflection and worship. See the connections of those prophecies coming true. Be in awe of the magnitude of a firm foundation your faith can mathematically stand on, alongside the words we trust. The best part of all of it is the assurance of heaven with our Savior for all who believe as we proudly proclaim on Easter and throughout the year, “He Is Risen! He is risen indeed, Alleluia

Julie Mann IOWAY Director
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Lutherans for Life

“As Christians, we know that God’s commitment to upholding life started long ago—before photos—before the beginning of time even. From His ordered creation of the world to His ordered creation of you in your mother’s womb, God’s work has always been life-affirming. Grafted into His family through Baptism, we have become children of God and inheritors of eternal life.” Michelle Bauman, Y4Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

Altar Flowers

Commemorate a special occasion or remember a loved one by providing altar flowers for the worship services. Sign your name to the poster in the Friendship Room or call the church office at 712-239-1575 for 2024 and we will order a bouquet from Bittersweet Florals Flower Shop for a cost of \$63.50. Thank you for adding to our services with flowers.

The Calvary Call

Pastor Alex' Message-Seasons of Change

As we enter May, the times and seasons of the world and of life begin to change. We will hopefully start to get a little warmer weather outside, so we can get outside and enjoy the creation that God has gifted us with. As we go through this month, we probably all know someone about to graduate from high school or college. Though that is a joyous time, it thrusts you into another season of your life.

As these young adults begin to think about what God has in store for them, it can bring a time of great joy, but also great fear. If you know what you want to do with your life, you will have less anxiety and uncertainty. However, if you do not see what you are doing with your life, there can be a time of great waiting and wondering. What will God do with me next? What is he calling me to do? As we go through life, we all go through these seasons; some have different seasons than others. Some seasons come at different times than others. For instance, I am in the season of life where I see my friends getting married and having kids. Many things are happening that might lead us to think we are behind or that our season of life is off track from where it should be.

We all face these struggles; you may have been one who has gone through a season of life and found it challenging to transition into the next. When you're young, you spend significant time on an activity such as a sport or an art (music, theater, etc.) that becomes an integral part of who you are. Then, that season of life begins to fade; when that happens, you wonder what is next. What will I do now that part of my "identity" has been removed? For those of you who are parents, it might have been more like when your kids were grown up and moved out of the house. You have spent so much time raising the kids that you might have forgotten what it was like when it was just you and your spouse. Life comes with struggles, and the devil loves to use those struggles to cause us to doubt whether we are truly doing the good things of God. Yes, there are times when we mess up, but there are also times when we do precisely what God wants.

Although the seasons of our lives may change, God, however, remains unchanged. As the Bible says, Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. When things in our lives cause us to shift, we see the

grace of God in our lives. He does not change but goes through the changes in our lives. As we walk through life, some things will change, causing us to pause and take the time to see what's next. When the world presents this changing landscape, you don't need to fear what it will bring. We know the one who has overcome the world.

There is a time for everything under the sun. The one who knows the time for everything under the sun is the one who holds all things in his hand; he has called you by name, and you are his. Take heart, though the seasons may change, and you do not know what comes next, there is one who never changes. He is the one who calls you his beloved child and wants you to call on him as your loving father. He wants a relationship with you, and he calls you to trust in him through all seasons of life. As your seasons change, trust that God is with you as His loving child, just as your parents were there for you or you are there for your kids when their lives change.

In Christ,

Pastor Alex

Iowa District West JR and SR Youth Gatherings

Junior Youth Gathering

Date: October 18-19, 2025

Topic: Baptism

Theme: Not Just Water

Bible Verse: Titus 3:5

Location: Sheraton, West Des Moines

Dean: Pastor Nick Tackery

Senior Youth Gathering at Camp Okoboji

Date: November 21-23, 2025

Theme: God's Calling For Your Life

Bible Verse: Ephesians 2:10

Location: Holiday Inn at the Airport, Des Moines

Dean: Pastor Alex Slotter



President Turner's Page

Dear Friends in Christ,

In less than a month, the congregations, pastors and professional church workers of Iowa District West will meet for our 42nd District Convention. Along with hearing reports and passing resolutions, we will be electing a new district president. I would like to remind you of what the Office of District President is. It is an auxiliary office of human (not divine) institution. The duties are defined by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Synod. The position of district president itself does not arise out of any biblical mandate, as does the Pastoral Office in the congregation. It rises out of the desire of the congregations to maintain and preserve the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace (Eph. 4:3).

Therefore, the election to this office is not an election to a higher office in the Church. The election simply places a pastor in a different and specific assignment. His call is to a “helping” office in which he is to be a blessing to the Church. The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod is structured as a visiting and encouraging partnership between its members. The relation of the district president to the congregations, pastors and professional church workers is stated in article seven of the Synod’s Constitution, “In its relation to its members the Synod is not an ecclesiastical government exercising legislative or coercive powers, and with respect to the individual congregation’s right of self government it is but an advisory body.”

This relationship between the district president and congregations is sometimes surprising to congregational leaders and members. There is an expectation that the district president is somehow the overseer of all aspects of the congregation. However, each congregation is a self-governing institution that has its own constitution and bylaws, sets their own budgets, and owns their own property. The District President exercises supervision over the members of the Synod, insofar as they continue to live by doctrine they confess together with other members of the Synod. The district president’s involvement in the affairs of a congregation, ordinarily come at the invitation of the elected leaders or pastor of the congregation.

The district president is the Chief Executive Of-

ficer of the district. He functions as the ecclesiastical supervisor of all members of the Synod in his district, that is, the congregations, pastors and commissioned ministers of religion (i.e., teachers, directors of Christian education, etc.). The district president administers the call process within his district. The district president serves as:

A Theologian

→ Administers the Word of God in its truth and purity as contained in the Bible and as professed in the Confessions of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.

→ Studies the Word and the world so that he may be more sensitive and responsive to changes affecting the Church’s mission and ministry.

→ Supervises the doctrine and practice within the district and encourages theological study of issues that confront the Church.

A Counselor

→ Consults and works with the vice-presidents and circuit visitors.

→ Maintains a pastoral relationship with the called and appointed workers of the district.

→ Represents the district at inter-Lutheran and inter-denominational meetings where these involve the work and concern of the district.

→ Consults with congregations on matters pertaining to the mission of the church.

An Administrator

→ Represents The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and the district.

→ Directs the district’s mission and ministry work.

→ Trains and supervises the circuit visitors.

→ Guides congregations, schools and professional church workers through the call process.

→ Maintains a roster of professional workers in the district.

→ Serves as a member of the Synod’s Council of Presidents.

→ Represents and advises the Synod President when asked.

→ Participates in civic affairs as deemed appropriate in his capacity both as a citizen and as the spiritual leader of the district.

We are called by God to serve Him in our vocation. I am confident that God will *(continued on pg 7)*

May Birthdays

**President Turner's Page (Cont.)**

(Continued from pg 6) raise up a new leader to take my place as district president. I am often asked what it's like to be a district president? It is not without its difficulties, but really it is very much like being a parish pastor. Maybe that is why my preferred title has always been and continues to be "pastor." I don't think I have changed that much since my early years as pastor of rural Marcus and Quimby. God choose me to be a district president; not because I was wise or powerful

or healthy or strong. No, as St. Paul reminds us, "He chose the foolish" folks like you and me to live our lives in the grace of God. But he says to us, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness. Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me" (2 Cor. 12:9).

Always in Grace,
Pastor Steve Turner

Elders

Sun., May 4, 8:00 am: Dave Clausen; 10:30 am: Brian Hickman
Wed. May 7, 7:00 pm: Volunteer
Sun., May 11, 8:00 am: Denny Barto; 10:30 am: Joe Osterholt
Wed., May 14, 7:00 pm: Volunteer
Sun., May 18, 8:00 am: Jim Torgerson; 10:30 am: Dave Powell
Wed., May 21, 7:00 pm: Volunteer
Sun., May 25, 8:00 am: Brad Cale; 10:30 am: Jim Williams

Chancel Guild

Sun., May 4, Teri Mevius & Julie Kilstrom
Wed., May 7, Teri Guy & Angela Lias
Sun. May 14, Sharilyn Steck & Rhonda Hageman
Wed., May 18, Diana Lahrs, Julie Clayton
Sun., May 21, Jenny Burnette & Tammy Rawson

Acolytes

Sun., May 4 – 8 AM, 10:30 am: Hayden Feste & Chandler Miller
Wed. May 7 Acolytes: Evan Lias
Sun., May 11 9, 8:00 am: Isabella & Olivia Strong 10:30 am: Justice Smith; Kalynn Lewis
Wed., May 14, 7:00 pm: Khloee Gross, Savannah Utech
Sun., March 18 8:00 am: 10:30 am Noah Musselman & Kayden Fetterman
Wed., May 21, 7:00 pm: Grant and Grayson Sitzmann
Sunday, May 25, 8 am: ; 10:30 AM –Jakobi Vallodolid & Dalton Utech
Wed. May 28, 7:00 PM: Poppy & Talula Nobert

USPS Food Drive-Stamp Out Hunger-May 10th

Stamp Out Hunger lets your help your neighbors and serve your community from the convenience of you own home! Just place your non-perishable food items in a bag for your mail carrier to pick up and bring back to the Food Bank of Siouxland on May 10.

What can you donate?:

Cereal
Canned vegetables

Canned meat
Peanut Butter
Jelly
Mac & Cheese
And more!

Want to get more involved? We're looking for volunteers to help sort through these donations once they're at the Food Bank! With lunch provided, help us sort and box our community's generosity.



Her Health 
WOMEN'S CENTER

DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT

Leading and managing fundraising, marketing, public relations, and community engagement efforts.

NURSE SUPERVISOR

Supervise and oversee nursing staff and ensure delivery of high-quality, consistent patient care at both Sioux City & Le Mars locations.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS MANAGER

Lead the Her Health Let's Talk program, promoting Christ-centered relationships and online safety education through schools, churches & digital platforms.

STAFF NURSE

Provide medical information and services.

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsofHHWC/>
or call for employment opportunities.
(712) 276-0237



Finance Secretary's Report

Income Received for March 2025	\$
Envelopes.....	\$25,702.00
Plate.....	223.00
Special Service Donations.....	2,480.00
Checking Account Interest.....	9.96
YTD Envelope & Plate Total:....	\$28,414.96
Designated Funds	
Dedicated Accounts.....	4,990.00
Memorial Bricks.....	20.00
Birthday Scholarship.....	0.00
Building Fund.....	0.00
Donut Stop (Donuts).....	0.00
Flowers.....	0.00
Pastor's Special Account.....	0.00
Sunday School Missions.....	0.00
WNAC Pizza/Projects.....	0.00
Youth Activities.....	0.00
Undesignated Memorial.....	1,100.00
Office Supplies.....	369.00
Subtotal Designated Funds.....	6,479.00
Total Monthly Contributions....	34,893.96
Deposits:	
Week 1.....	\$4,910.00
Week 2.....	5,634.00
Week 3.....	15,900.00
Week 4.....	8,055.00
Week 5.....	0.00
Thrivent Choice.....	385.00
Checking Interest.....	9.96
Total.....	\$34,893.96
2025 Year-to-Date Total:.....	\$34,893.96

Treasurer's Statement of Income & Expense

March 2025	
Checking Account Balance, 3/01/25	\$227,210.67
Plus Income	\$ 41,520.15
Less Expense	(29,941.18)
Plus Interest	9.96
Plus transf. from LCEF	0.00
Journal Adjustments	130.00
Total	11,718.93
Checking Account Balance	\$238,929.60
LCEF Steward Account Balance 3/01/25	\$ 10,408.29
Plus Transfers In	0.00
Less Transfers Out	0.00
Plus Interest	22.24
LCEF Steward Account Balance 3/31/25	\$ 10,430.53
Dedicated Funds	38,917.97
Designated Memorials	3,918.00
Undesignated Memorials	2,154.20
Outside Purposes	376.81
National Youth Gathering	0.00
World Missions	0.00
Capital Improvement	0.00
Total All Obligated Funds	45,366.98
Un-obligated Funds	<u>\$ 203,993.15</u>
Total Checking & Savings Funds	\$249,360.13

Membership Class

Do you want to learn more about the Lutheran Church— Missouri Synod? Do you want to become a member of Calvary Lutheran Church? Do you want to refresh your Confirmation lessons from long ago? Classes are Thursday at 11:30 am. Each class is about 1 hour long and meets for 10 sessions. If interested please contact Pastor Travis at 712-202-8516 or the church office at 712-239-1575.



Bulletin & Newsletter Deadlines: All information for the weekly bulletins must be turned into the Church Office no later than 12 noon on Thursdays. All information for the monthly newsletter must be turned into the Church Office no later than 10 am on the 3rd Monday of each month. Thank you! The *Calvary Call* is published monthly by Calvary Lutheran Church, 4400 Central Street, Sioux City, Iowa, 51108.

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 Facebook- <http://www.facebook.com/CalvaryLeeds>

Our Church Family

Baptized—Welcome into God’s Family by the Waters of Holy Baptism

Emersyn Lee Faith: DOB-3/12/2025, Baptized-4/19-2025. Parents: Matthew James Faith & Morgyn Renee Faith; Sponsors: Justin Alan Faith & Madisyn Jai Gagnon.

Transferred In-Carol Ragan-3/25/25 from Redeemer.



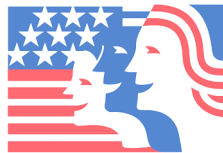
Trustees Corner

Our sidewalks have been repaired and replaced! Likewise the backyard shrubs have been removed and two new evergreens look beautiful.

Our Members in the Military

Please pray for these members:

- Taylor Jones
- Riley McFarland
- Cole Barbee
- Collen Larson



(If your family has someone in the Military, call us and we will add their names to the list - 712-239-1575.)

Calvary Members at Home

Holy Spirit

Marlene Doran

Westwood:

Jan Paulson (A Calvary Guest)

Pioneer Village:

Bonnie Oldaker

Storm Lake:

Roger & Judy Rentel

Whispering Creek:

Bel Awe

Immanuel (Omaha)

Eva Kemp

Acura Health:

Barbara Kamradt

Northern Hills

Barb Schindler

At Home:

Bary Betsworth

Book Club

Book club will meet May 8th, 11:30 am at Minerva’s. Mays book title is *All Good People Here* by Ashley Flowers.

Everyone from Wakarusa, Indiana, remembers the infamous case of January Jacobs, who was discovered in a ditch hours after her family awoke to find her gone. Margot Davies was six at the time, the same age as January—and they were next-door neighbors. In the twenty years since, Margot has grown up, moved away, and become a big-city journalist. But she’s always been haunted by the feeling that it could’ve been her. And the worst part is, January’s killer has never been brought to justice.

When Margot returns home to help care for her uncle after he is diagnosed with early-onset dementia, she feels like she’s walked into a time capsule. Wakarusa is exactly how she remembers—genial, stifled, secretive. Then news breaks about five-year-old Natalie Clark from the next town over, who’s gone missing under circumstances eerily similar to January’s. With all the old feelings rushing back, Margot vows to find Natalie and to solve January’s murder once and for all.

But the police, Natalie’s family, the townspeople—they all seem to be hiding something. And the deeper Margot digs into Natalie’s disappearance, the more resistance she encounters, and the colder January’s case feels. Could January’s killer still be out there? Is it the same person who took Natalie? And what will it cost to finally discover what truly happened that night twenty years ago?

Twisty, chilling, and intense, *All Good People Here* is a searing tale that asks: What are your neighbors capable of when they think no one is watching?

Joe Bruce (Member of a sister church in NE)

Ellen Karrer

Lois Marquis

Maryrose McDaniel

Clair & Linda Thorsen

Richard Will

Bev Williams

Bill Taylor



May 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 10:00 am Bible Study-Revelation 6:30 pm Stewardship Board	2 7:00 pm Gospel Mission Pastor Alex Family Day	3
4 8:00 am Worship w/HC 9:15 am Bible Study, Sunday School 9:15 am Confirmants & Family Reception 10:30 am Worship w/HC- Confirmation	5 Pastor Travis Family Day	6 7:00 pm Deborah Circle	7 9:30 am Lamp-lighters @ Calvary 1:00 pm Worship Service w/ HC 7:00 pm Worship w/HC	8 10:00 am Bible Study-Revelation 11:30 am Book Club	9 Pastor Alex Family Day	10
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July 14th to 18th

5:30 pm to 8 pm

Bible Stories, Music, Crafts,

