

**NEWS AND NOTES**

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Website Address: [www.stlukewheaton.com](http://www.stlukewheaton.com)

Pastor: The Rev. Terry L. DeGiovanni (785 396 4411)

Organists: Pam Steinmeyer and Gloria Falk

Chairman: Bruce Abitz Vice Chairman: Alan Fischer

Elders: Martin Henneberg and James Revell

June Altar Duty: Janet Kufahl

*Sunday, May 31, 2026*

*Attendance, Sunday, May 24: 50*

*Sunday School Attendance, May 24: 6 Offering: \$13.00*

**We continue to Pray for those unable to Worship with us who are residing in a**

**Care Facility:**

**Onaga Health and Rehab: Cynthia Althouse, Eugene Abitz**

**Eastridge (Centralia): Gary Kolterman**

**RedBud Assisted Living: Joan Kolterman, Lavona Biesenthal**

**Wellsprings at Westmoreland Assisted Living: Dorothy Guth**

**Remembering in our Prayers:**

**Eldon Falk, Pastor Gruoner, Dale Figge, Charlene Patton (friend of Cindy Falk)**

**Sunday School Co Superintendents: Linda Falk and Ireta Schwant**

**Sunday School and Staff May Birthdays: Westin Donnelly, Kelly Graf, Kenny Graf**

**Cradle Roll: May: Braxton Wood Henneberg**

**Sunday School Teaching Staff: Pre K thru Grade 2: Jenny Donnelly and Bailey Starns**

**Grade 3 thru Grade 6: Joy Zabel and Brenda Schlegel Sub: Dixie Revell**

**Attendance awards:**

**April: 5 Sundays: Jesse Schlegel 20 Sundays: Remington Donnelly**

**May: 35 Sundays: Hazel and Olive Ubel**

**20 Sundays: Zoey and Rory Starns, Elsie and Michael Henneberg**

**Westin Donnelly 10: Luke Wren**

**Mark your calendar for Sunday, June 7: We will observe end of Sunday School sessions**

**until Fall with "Church in the Wheaton City Park" at the 10:00 a.m., worship time.**

**Sunday School will begin at 9:00 a.m., at the church basement that morning. Potluck**

**meal at Park immediately following worship. Bring your lawn chair!!! Hot Dogs and**

**Brats, buns, drink and table service furnished Bring a potluck dish to share!**

**Pastor's office hours on Thursdays are at McFarland. If needed call his cell**

**# 412 334 4280**

**May 31 – The Holy Trinity: First Sunday after Pentecost** – “O Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth!” (Psalm 8:1). The Triune God who made heaven and earth and all things, and who breathed into Adam the breath of life (Genesis 1), is the same God into whose name we are baptized—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit (Matthew 28:19-20). This Jesus, who was crucified by men, but whom God raised from the dead (Acts 2:23-24), brings hope and courage to those who have lost their way in life. Through the forgiveness of sins in Christ, the past can no longer haunt us, and we are free to live in the light of God’s Word. Whether the woman facing an unexpected pregnancy, or the person who has received a terminal medical diagnosis, or the one who feels as though their life no longer has purpose or value, Jesus—the Lord of Life—will not forsake us. The promise of Christ stands: “I am with you always, to the end of the age” (Matthew 27:20)

Remember today (the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of May) is **MITE** box offering at Sunday Worship!!!!

The next Wheaton Center breakfast is Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup>!

Saturday Worship Services will be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday during June-August at 5:00 pm. June 20 with Holy communion, July 18 and August 15 with Holy communion.

For the months of **May and June OUR CHURCH** will be collecting non perishable food items for the Onaga United Church of Christ under leadership of Tim and Cindy Kite Please bring whatever you care to donate and it will be delivered to their food kitchen for distribution on Thursday afternoons

**The Lutheran Hour Radio Broadcast**

KNDY	1570	AM	Sunday	12:30 PM
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May 31, 2026

**"A Friendly Recommendation"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: [Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler](#)

What happens when you find out that acquiring everything you've ever wanted... still isn't enough?  
Genesis 1:26

June 7, 2026

**"Peter's Restoration—and Ours"**

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Chad Lakies

Jesus forgives and restores us and He sends us out to offer this restoration to others, in His name.  
John 21:1-19

June 14, 2026

**"Journey Through Anxiety"**

Lutheran Hour Speaker: [Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler](#)

Anxiety is like a "Check Engine" light for the soul that leads us to take all our concerns to the Lord in prayer.  
Matthew 6:25