



Bethany Beacon

February 2025



“Sharing with Sharron”

Please note that fellowship on the 2nd Sunday of each month will be held at 8:00 a.m. *before the service* (beginning in February) so the congregation will have the opportunity to visit with Sharron & Jim.

2024 Bethany Lutheran Church Financial Update

2024 Budget	2024 Received	2024 Expenses	Revenue over Expenditures
\$140,608	\$132,288	\$99,245	\$33,044



Deer River Area Events

February 7th - Blueberry Hills Cardboard Classic

Join us at the city sliding hill to race your cardboard sleds and support Itasca Area Schools Collaborative (IASC) EARLY Edge Program.

Registration Begins at 3:30pm
Race Starts at 4:15pm
Hot Cocoa

Frozen Fairways Golf Classic hosted by United 365 Small Business Circle. February 25th, 2025 at Blandin Beach. An annual ice golf tournament with 4-person teams in costume to play 18-holes on Forest Lake. The tournament is played with tennis balls, and players use an object of their choosing in place of clubs. Learn more at frozenfairways.com

Designer Purse Bingo hosted by Forward Health Foundation. March 28th, 5:00 pm at Cohasset Community Center. Tickets go on sale March 1. <https://forwardhealthfoundation.org/upcoming-events/>

Caregiver Support Group

NEW DATE & TIME

1st Thursday of each month, 1pm – 2pm at:
The Pillars of Grand Rapids, 2060 SW 8th St.

Memory Support Group

2nd Thursday of each month, 1pm – 2pm at:
Majestic Pines Senior Living,
1614 Golf Course Rd., Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Sunday Service Schedule



Date	Greeters/ Ushers	Reader	Fellowship	Communion
2/2/25	Rich Anderson	Diane Loudon	Ron Drake, Carol Bean	Ron Olesen
2/9/25	Andy & Paula Shaw	Marty Christensen	Chuck & Liz Elton, Marty & Janet Christensen	
2/16/25	Ron & Shirley Olesen	Rich Anderson	Jeannine Jensen	Diane Loudon
2/23/25	Ron Drake & Myron Hahn	Kyle Lyytinen	Tim & Sheila Maki, Jenna & Kyle Lyytinen	
3/2/25	Don & Robbie Osse	Andy Shaw	Andy & Paula Shaw, Jeff & Amy Carter	Greg Shaw
3/9/24	Chad & Margie Schumacher	Chuck Elton	Don & Robbie Osse, Nikki Osse	



Volunteers appreciated! If you would like to take a turn greeting, ushering, reading or assisting with communion, please let Diane Nelson know so you can be added to the list



February Birthday Wishes!

2 - Joanne Korpi
 5 - Jeff Grife
 10 - Shirley Nixon
 11 - Nancy Peterson
 12 - Chris Vogl
 Darin Shevich

15 - Amaiyah Herme
 19 - Wayne Krueger
 23 - Renee Amy
 24 - Aaron Anderson

Happy Anniversary!

10 - Bud & Barb Serfling

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