### **VOLUNTEERS**

## TODAY, JAN 19 Annual Meeting—Bethany

LOST ISLAND	<u>BETHANY</u>
MUSICIAN: Tim Nielsen	Tim Nielsen
<b>ALTAR GUILD:</b> Pat Henningse	en,Lori Forry
& Alaire Nielse	en
READER: Kyle Norris	Ed Meyer
ACOLYTE:	Jayce Ayers
USHERS:	Terry Rouse, Dave Sidles
GREETERS	Dave & Judy Cole
COMM ASSIST: Craig Thu	Laure Miller, Dianne Hough
	Kristin Rienhardt, Kathy Mehan

## NEXT WEEK, JAN 26 Camp Sunday—Bethany Annual Meeting—Lost Island

LOST ISLAND	<u>BETHANY</u>				
MUSICIAN Tim Nielsen	Holly Sidles				
ALTAR GUILD: Pat Henningsen,	Lori Forry				
Alaire Nielsen					
READER: Alaire Nielsen	Jameson Boevers				
ACOLYTES:	Macoy Sidles				
USHERS:	Mark Evans, Chuck Noble				
GREETERS:	Bethany's Youth				
COMM ASSIST:					

#### WELCOME TO WORSHIP! ELW SETTING 4 W/COMMUNION 1.19.25

We invite everyone to please sign the attendance book either in your pew or in the back of the church. If you are a member, take a minute to notice people you don't know and welcome them to worship. If you are a visitor, we would like to get to know you better, please include your address and phone number.

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*INVOCATION
*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESSELW PG. 94
*GATHERING HYMN#217 TFF "Bind Us Together, Lord"
*GREETING AND KYRIEELW PG.147
CANTICLE OF PRAISEELW PG.149 "This Is the Feast"
*SALUTATION
*PRAYER OF THE DAYSEE INSERT
FIRST READINGIsaiah 62:1-5
PSALMPsalm 36:5-10
SECOND READINGlst Corinthians 12:1-11
*GOSPEL ACCLAMATIONELW PG.151
*GOSPELJohn 2:1-11
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
SERMONPastor Peter Morlock
*HYMN OF THE DAY:.#488 ELW "Soul, Adorn Yourself with
Gladness*
NICENE CREED
*PRAYERSRespond with "Hear Our Prayer"
*SHARING OF THE PEACE
*OFFERING/OFFERTORY:ELW Pg. 146 <b>"Lamb of God"</b>
*OFFERTORY PRAYER:
Merciful Father, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us-ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who Offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lost Island: #487 ELW "What Feast of Love"

Bethany: "Waymaker"

\*POST-COMMUNION.....#207 ELW..... "Thankful Hearts..."

\*PRAYER & BENEDICTION.....ELW PG. 155

\*SENDING HYMN.....#132 TFF "Thy Word Is A Lamp"

\*DISMISSAL.....Go in peace to love & serve the Lord.

C: THANKS BE TO GOD.

**POSTLUDE** 

## HOLY COMMUNION

We invite all who are baptized to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion with us. We ask that you believe that Christ is present in the bread and wine and that you desire the benefits He offers. If you would like to come forward for a blessing and not receive Holy Communion, please indicate by crossing your arms. If you are not able to come forward, please indicate to the usher and we will serve you at the pew.

The yellow colored cup is grape juice. Gluten free wafers are also available.



#### **PRAYERS**

for Korbin Johnson (Grandchild of Tom & Lavonne Mason) Alan Oppedal, Wilma Nielsen, Nolyn Johnson, Pam Rouse, Kylee Hill, Mike Hermansen, Omundson Family, Shirley Knutson, Eric and Lana Kropf, Lon Twait, Jess McCune, Jim & Carol Krause, David Stephens, Rick Rienhardt, Bridget Johnson, Robert Mortenson Jr., and those we name in our hearts.

\*Our companion synods: The Southern Diocese of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Tanzania-Yakobi Parish companion with Lost Island and the Evangelical Lutheran Church Laz-Paz Parish in Chile, companion with Bethany.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Today—January 19 Communion 8:45 am Church at Lost Island 9:30 am Sunday School Bethany 10:30 am Church at Bethany Bethany's Annual Meeting after Church

Monday—January 20 9 am Quilters 6 pm Quilters

**Tuesday—January 21** 6:30 pm Council—Bethany

Wednesday, - January 22
12 Noon Men's Bible Group
3:30—5 pm SACK
6 -7:30 pm Connect
7:30—9 pm LIFE

Thursday—January 23
Feb. News Articles Due

Sunday—January 26
8:45 am Lost Island Worship
10 am Annual Meeting after
Church at Lost Island
9:30 am SS Bethany
10:15 am SS Lost Island
10:30 am Church at Bethany
5—8 pm Outreach at Okoboji

# \*LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES FOR ALL SAINTS\* A SERVICE OF REMEMBERANCE

**PASTOR:** And all God's people said with great joy!

ALL: AMEN!! (WITH A SHOUT!!)

**P:** Inspire us, God of the ages, by the lives of men and women of faith from ages past, especially Your servants of our congregation who have joined the company of saints eternal.

C: Amen

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P: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation. He comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

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P: Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. If we have been united with Him in His death, we will certainly also be united with Him in His resurrection.

P: Let us pray: O God of grace and mercy, we give thanks for Your loving-kindness to all Your servants who, having finished their course in faith, now rest from their labors. Grant that we also may be faithful to death and receive the crown of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

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ALL: Listen, I tell you of a mystery.

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