



Edison Lutheran Church
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May 17, 2026
ANNOUNCEMENTS and
EVENTS

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Sunday School: The last day of Sunday School is today, which is also Youth Sunday! Please join us as our students take the lead in worship and **for a tasty hotdog BBQ lunch for fellowship.**

Newsletter: Do you want a newsletter with lots of good information? So do we! Please send newsletter information to the office by next Sunday. We are looking for ministry and committee up dates, interesting things our members are doing, article ideas, etc. **The newsletter is only as good as the information we receive.**

Flowers: Want to help with Worship? Sign up to bring flowers for the altar. The 2026 Flower Chart is on the bulletin board near the kitchen in the Fellowship Hall.

Church Secretary Office Hours:

Tuesday-Thursday 9:30 am -12:30 pm

Please call, leave a message, or email **office@elcbow.org**.

SU	5/17	7th Sunday of Easter	
		8:30 am	Confirmation
		9:00 am	Sunday School
		10:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion / Youth Sunday
		12:30 pm	OPOP @ Parish House
MO	5/18	5:30 pm	Bible Study @ Fellowship Hall
TU	5/19	6:00 pm	Young Adult Group @ Fellowship Hall
WE	5/20	10:00 am	Women's Bible Study @ Fellowship Hall
		6:30 pm	Choir Practice
TH	5/21	10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry @ Fellowship Hall
SU	5/24	Pentecost	<i>Don't forget to wear red</i>
		10:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion <i>Newsletter Deadline</i>

Birthdays: 5/17 Rondi Peth 5/18 Judy Sheahan 5/19 LeAnna Ruhland
5/21 Jerome Fisher 5/22 Judi Butterfield 5/22 Ryan Dahl

Annual Tea at the Manor: Family Promise is holding their special fundraiser of Tea at the Manor on **May 17th from 1:00—3:00 pm at Willowbrook Manor.** For tickets, go to www.familypromiseskagit.org. Can't attend? Don't worry. As we get closer to the event there will be opportunities to have your donation matched. Check the Family Promise website or Facebook page for more information or contact our church office.

We don't want you to get botulism! Please put a note on all food in the fellowship hall refrigerator with the following: the **date it was opened; what it can be used for; and what it is** if it's not easily identified. This will help protect our congregation from food poisoning and keep our kitchen clean. Thank you!

Remember in your Prayers: We pray for the **family of Daniel Records-Galbraith** (brother-in-law of Bryan Galbraith), the **family of Mike Damon** (uncle of Steven and Ryan Dahl). We also pray for **Ron Schutte, Rondi Peth, Cheryl Conner, Scott Fadden, Nancy Bussard** (Pastor John's grandmother), **Robert Wattson** (brother of AnnaLaurie), **Sheila Merrigan** (friend of AnnaLaurie), **Peggy Upton** (friend of Fredricksons), **Meredith Loury** (sister of AnnaLaurie), **Evan Swanson, Joline Lomsdalen, Carolyn Thorene, David Rebar** (son-in-law of Wymans), **Darcy Fredrickson, Arnold Woll, Randy Merritt, Marion Hoag, Marilyn Gustafson** (sister of Gailyn Ploeg), **Maia Simmons** (granddaughter of Karyn Kerley), **Carla Hunter** (aunt of Gregory Ormsby), **John Probstfield, Lyn Scherer** (sister-in-law of Cathy Smith), **Kerri Fredrickson** (daughter-in-law of Barb & Al Fredrickson), **Debbie Chavarria** (friend of Cathy Smith), **Jerry Butterfield, Shirley Lee, Jeanne Youngquist, Jim Forbes** (Debbie Conijn's step-father), **Edith Nichols, Barry Christensen, Chris Isaacson, Taylor Velasquez, Juan** (our One Parish One Prisoner friend), the ministry of **El Camino de Emaús Congregation**, and the **Tumaini Lutheran Seminary Secondary School in Tanzania.**

The Homebound: **Betty Boe, Pat Dahlstedt, and Ron Schutte.**

Please keep the church office current on your loved ones who are (or need to be) named on our prayer list. Office: 360-766-6920 Email: office@elcbow.org

Sunday Church Statistics - May 10, 2026:

Worship Attendance: 162 Giving: \$ 8,056. General Fund
\$ 100. Building Fund