August	2025	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
rom the rising of the sun o the place where it sets, he name of the Lord is to be praised. Psalm 113:3				The land yields its harvest; God, our God, blesses us. Psalm 67:6	1	2
3:30 am – Worship	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 8:30 am – Worship	Women's Fellowship Mtg. 10:00 am St. Charles Nursing Home	12	God Squad Event St. Matthew's Lutheran Church 6:00-8:00 pm	OSMC Ice Cream Social 5:00-7:00 pm	15	16
17 3:30 am – Worship Communion	Joint Board Mtg. 7:00 p.m. CLB Mtg. at Berea 8:00 pm	19	20	21 Moravian Mission Founded 1732	22	23
24 8:30 am – Worship 31 8:30 am – Worship	25	26	27	28	29	30

Berea Moravian Church

The **Purpose** of this Church shall be to **glorify** God in adoration, **Love** and **service** as God's **missionary** to our **community**, our **nation**, and our **world**, bearing witness to **God's** redeeming **grace** in **Jesus Christ**.

2025 Congregational Watchword:

"As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds His people from this time on and forevermore." Psalm 125:2

Board of EldersBoard of TrusteesCemetery BoardPastor Jodi Heim- ChairMarlow MielkeMarlow MielkeLesa IhrkeWendy FynbohMelvin BenedettBill ReisdorfSteve WendtPam KrenikMatthew PutzierMinnie Ward

Top Board Topics

In our efforts to share with the congregation some of the current topics of our church leadership, the joint board shares with you these items currently being addressed.

- **1. MYC Night:** MYC Night will continue on Wednesday evenings, alternating between Our Saviors and Berea, beginning at OSMC in September.
- **2. Archives:** The Archive committee is working on sorting and organizing archived items.
- **3. Picture Directory:** Working to complete this project in the near future. If you have not had your photo taken, please contact Deb Mielke to coordinate.

Thank You

Thank you to those who provided food for David Harrison's funeral. His presence among us will be sorely missed.

Thank you to all who assisted with Meals on Wheels in July. This is a meaningful and satisfying community ministry. We're scheduled next for the week of August 18th.

Thank you to everyone who helped to cover the Fair gates this year. We appreciate all who took the time to be involved in this community outreach program.

Winona County Fair Gates

A group from Berea worked at the Winona County Fair on Friday, July 11th, covering several gates.

Thanks to all who worked and spent time sharing

Berea with the community!





Melissa Fenske and her granddaughter, Brielle Mollert, covering the main entrance.

Community Event



Women's Retreat at Mt. Morris

Women of Strength, Women of Faith September 12-14, 2025 Speaker: Reverand Jane Gehler

You are invited to join Reverand Gehler for a weekend of fellowship, laughter, and reflection in a tranquil, beautiful setting at Mt. Morris

Registration deadline is August 22nd

Below you will find a registration form and information sheet. If interested, please fill it out and mail to:

> Cindy Miller N6703 Woodfield Lane Lake Mills, WI 53551

You will be fully registered once your registration form **and** payment are received (either in full or deposit of \$100).

You can either mail your registration and check per instructions above OR email your registration to cbmiller.ltd@gmail.com and Venmo your payment to @Cindy-Miller-416

Retreat Information 2025

- Registration and room assignment is at Arrowhead on Friday night 5:15-5:45 p.m. Dinner is at 6:00 p.m. Program will begin after dinner.
- Departure Time: Sunday after worship service
- Please return the registration form with a \$100.00 deposit or the full amount as soon as possible. Keep this page for your reference.
- Deadline for registration and payment is August 22. Black Oak room requests are based on double occupancy. Sorry, no private rooms. We will try to honor roommate requests if registrations are mailed together or at least received within a few days of each other. Black Oak is first come first served. Cabin occupancy is usually 5-7
- · We encourage you to bring your own water bottle
- Please remember if you are staying in a cabin you need to bring linens or a sleeping bag and pillow. If you don't have them, Mt. Morris will provide bedding and towels for \$15. Please include the amount in your payment and indicate on the registration form that they're needed.

Make check payable to Lake Mills Moravian Women and mail to:

Cindy Miller N6703 Woodfield Lane Lake Mills, WI 53551

OR email your registration to cbmiller.ltd@gmail.com and Venmo your payment to @Cindy-Miller-416

Questions? Call or Text:

Cindy Miller 920-988-7303

Diane McFarlane 920-988-1993

Registration Form

Moravian Women's Retreat

September 12-14, 2025

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1.	Black Oak Lodge	2. <u>Cabin</u>
	(Bathroom in each room)	(Community Bathroom)
	\$185.00 for the weekend	\$150.00 for the weekend
	Linens provided	Bring your own linens \$15 charge for use of Mt. Morris
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Please don't wait to register!!!! Black Oak fills up quickly!

Women's Fellowship

Women's Bible Study will meet Monday, August 11th at 10:00 am at the St. Charles Nursing Home

Please join us for fellowship and sharing in God's word

2025 Backpack Program

We are collecting supplies for students in the St Charles School District.
School Supplies or monetary donations are accepted.

Donations can be left at the church or monetary donations can be sent to
Pastor Jodi at 20187 Cty. Rd. 39, St. Charles,
or by Venmo to @Jodi-Heim-2 by Sunday, August 10th.

Supply List

Pens (red, blue or black) Scissors (small or large)

Pencils and Erasers Bottles of Glue
Dry Erase Markers Plastic Folders

Boxes of Markers Notebooks (College and Wide)

Boxes of Crayons Plug-in Head Phones

Boxes of Color Pencils Kleenex Boxes
Pencil Boxes Cleaning Wipes

Pencil Pouches New Backpacks with Tags



Opportunities to Give

Moravian Ministries to Support

There are so many areas of need currently, especially some of our Moravian Ministries. If you are able to contribute to the work of the greater Moravian Church, please visit our Giving Page on the church website to donate

Mt. Morris Camp & Retreat
Tricklebee Café
Moravian Music Foundation
Moravian Care Ministries
Moravian Center Adult Day

Thank you for your offering

Offering plates will be passed around during service or you can donate online at bereamoravian.org for a one time or recurring giving thru Moravian Ministries Foundation







PASTOR JODI'S CORNER

Greetings,

Summer both slows down and speeds up at the same time. Fewer meetings, yet it still feels fleeting. I pray you are enjoying the beauty summer brings to our world and taking the time to see the "son." I recognize that I am seeing God in the green that surrounds us.

I continue to hold the Berea congregation and the Harrison family in prayer as we mourn the loss of David Harrison. David was a faithful man who knew his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We also hold Grace Stark and her family in prayer with the loss of her daughter, Nancy.

Worship and the summer season have given us a chance to do things a little differently. I appreciate your openness to exploring the Bible with me this month.

As my mind floods with planning ideas for the upcoming fall, I am grateful for those who have answered the call to share in the youth ministry. Wishing you God's grace as we head into August.

May His grace and favor be with you,

Pastor Jodi