



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS MAY 31, 2026

Altar Flowers: Provided today by Wayne & Ellen Moses.

Eternal Candle: Sponsored this month by Wayne & Ellen Moses.

General Info

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Service Times




8:30am - Traditional

A traditional Lutheran Worship Service with hymns from the "Lutheran Worship" hymnal

11:00am - Morning Song

A contemporary Worship Service led by the Bethlehem Worship Team.

Social Media

-  Bethlehem Lutheran - Aloha, OR
-  Bethlehem Lutheran Church - Aloha, OR
-  [blcfamilyaloha](https://www.instagram.com/blcfamilyaloha)

Sunday School

PRE 3—PRE 4 will meet in the Preschool Classroom! That's the room right next to the youth room in the community center. You will be looking at the life of Christ this year!

K-3rd meet in the Kindergarten Room. You will be looking at the life of Christ this year!

4th-6th will meet in the larger double classroom on the far northwest side of the building. You are looking to be bold in the faith and will have a question of the day you wrestle with. You will see how Bible stories apply to these questions, have some fun answering them, and be challenged to do some missions to apply them at home.

7th-8th will be taking confirmation classes will look at the small catechism in the Meeting Room.

9th-12th will meet in the Youth Room to learn about different Bible study methods as you study the books of 1st-3rd John.

Adult

See inside for more information.

Youth & Children

Youth Night!

Current 6th-12th graders meet Sunday nights from 5:30-7:30pm each week for games, snack, praise music, Bible study and prayer!

Sunday School

Sunday mornings at 9:45am. See the front page for more info.

Activities & Outreach

Joint Service on June 7th

June 7th is Confirmation Sunday! We will be having a joint service at 10am that will be followed by a short cake reception in the Community Center.

Strawberry Shortcake Sunday

Please join us for Strawberry Shortcake Sunday on May 31st in the Fellowship Hall during Coffee Hour. Hosted by the Women's Ministry Team. (A free will offering basket will be available to help support Women's Ministry here at Bethlehem.)

Women's Ministry—Volunteers Needed

Women's Ministry is hosting a Strawberry Shortcake Sunday on May 31st and we need volunteers to help prepare the strawberries and shortcakes on Saturday, May 30th at 10 am, and also volunteers to help serve shortcake on Sunday, May 31st (9:15am). Please sign up on the What's Happening Board if you are available to help us. Thank you "berry" much!!

Vacation Bible School

June 22-26 | 9am-12pm

Bethlehem's Vacation Bible School takes kids entering pre-4 through 6th grade this fall on the ultimate Rainfall adventure here in Aloha OR! Beneath a canopy of chattering birds and howling monkeys, kids plunge into a life-long adventure, discovering the nature of God, and exploring what it means to be rooted in relationship with their creator, a safe place in life's storms. We will be looking into the psalms and praising God for his forgiveness and love he gives us through Jesus!

Vist www.blcfamily.org/vbs for more info.

Admin Council Nominations

Nominations are now open for the following positions: President (2 yr term), Vice President (1 yr term), and Secretary (2 yr term). Terms begin on July 1 and will be voted on at a June Voters Meeting. Contact Laura Baker, Dave Cook, or the Church Office for job responsibility descriptions. Candidate names can be given to Laura or Dave.

Bible Studies

Young Adult Bible Study

Bethlehem's Young Adult Ministry is intended for those between the ages of 18 and 29. Our goal is to keep young adults connected to Christ and connected to one another.

2nd & 4th Mondays at 6:30pm in the Youth Room. Contact the office for more information.

Men's Bible Study:

Men's Bible Study is on the 1st & 3rd Mondays of each month starting at 6:30pm in the Inn. Please join us as we study God's word and make our Bethlehem Community even stronger! Email office@blcfamily.org for more information.

Wednesday Adult Bible Study

Come join our Wednesday Bible Study, every Wednesday at 10:30am. It is led by Kevin Harding and will look at the upcoming Sunday's readings.

School News

Bethlehem Lutheran Preschool

www.blpaloha.com

971-394-4387

blc.preschool@frontier.com



Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School

www.fhlcs.org

503-359-4853

info@fhlcs.org



Bethlehem Preschool

Preschool graduation was Wednesday! Thank you to all students, parents, and staff for a wonderful year!

Other News

Helen K. Slovick Scholarship

Applications are now being accepted for the Helen K. Slovick Scholarship. Scholarships are available to members of Bethlehem Lutheran Church who have graduated high school, (or adults) wishing to pursue a career in church work and/or education, such as teaching, becoming a DCE or pastor. Application forms are available at the "What's Happening" table. Please return your application and requested information to the church office by June 1, 2026.

Scholarships will be awarded by Jun 21, 2026. If you have questions, please contact either Dena Bindewald at 503-320-8122, or Nan Dubberke at 503-649-5529.

BLC Cleaning Angels

Become one of the BLC Cleaning Angels. Our regular volunteer who cleans the sanctuary weekly is out of commission for a while starting May 10th due to surgery recovery. Please see the sign-up sheet on the Narthex bulletin board. This volunteer opportunity includes Benefits (sign up to find out).

Have an Announcement?

Does your church ministry group need to make an announcement? There is a new way to let us know! Please fill out the "Announcement Submission Form" at www.BLCFamily.org/announcementform to get it in the announcement bulletin.

Church Calendar

You can find the church calendar at www.blcfamily.org/calendar

See A Maintenance Issue?

If you see a lightbulb that needs to be replaced, something that needs repair, or any other building issue, please let the Trustees know by emailing office@blcfamily.org or by dropping a note off in the office. Thanks for your help in keeping our building functioning and beautiful.

If you have questions about any of these announcements, or if you want to get involved at Bethlehem, please call us at **503-649-3380** or email us at **office@blcfamily.org**.

Sign up to receive emails from church!

You can sign up to receive emails from the church by visiting www.blcfamily.org/news