

# OUR STAFF

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# COMMUNION

In the Lord's Supper we believe that we receive the very body and blood of Christ-in, with, and under the bread and the wine. This is a profound and unexplainable mystery.

This Sacrament is open to baptized individuals who repent of their sins, believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior, and acknowledge His real presence in the bread and the wine. Children and adults who have not yet been confirmed are invited to come forward and cross their arms over their chest for a blessing.

# THIS WEEK AT PROMISE

**Sunday, June 14th**  
**9:30a** Worship-ONE Service  
**Church Picnic immediately following service**

**Monday, June 15th**  
**6:15p** Promise Softball A Team  
**8:15p** Promise Softball C Team

**Tuesday, June 16th**  
 Board of Directors Meet

**Saturday, June 20th**  
**3:00p** Praise Band at Hoagland Days

**Sunday, June 21st**  
**9:30a** Worship-ONE Service  
**Youth Mission Trip Leaves**

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS	
Sunday, June 7, 2026	
Attendance 9:30	401
General Fund	
Offerings Last Week	\$10,671.97
Needed Weekly	\$14,043.00
YTD Income	\$336,196.96
YTD Special Contributions	\$4,719.07
YTD Expenses	\$360,692.44



**We're glad you are here.** If there's anything we can help you with this morning, feel free to approach Pastor Scott, Pastor Sean, a staff member at the Welcome desk, a greeter, an usher, or an elder.

Promise is a welcoming community living and growing in Christ while following His example in active service to others.

**Children's ministry** will take a break during the summer and will not be offered from June 7th-August 9th. It will begin again on Rally Day, August 16th! During the summer, the nursery will be open and parent supervised during worship.

**Offering:** If you would like to make an offering electronically visit us at [www.promisefw.org](http://www.promisefw.org) or scan the QR code. Text 'GIVE' to: 260-308-1059. Or you can place your offering in a 'joy box' (located on the wall near each door).



# TODAY IN WORSHIP

June 14, 2026

**Message**  
 "Helpless Sheep"  
 Pastor Scott Hedtke

**Scripture Reading**  
 Matthew 9:35-38

## Songs

Today Is The Day  
 Here I Am Lord  
 Revelation Song  
 Goodness Of God  
 God Of Wonders  
 VBS Song



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# THE PROMISE PRESS

Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities

## Join us for our Church Picnic TODAY!



Lunch, games, face painting, petting zoo, & more!

We will also be celebrating VBS during church today. During the picnic, our youth will be selling snow cones as a fundraiser for their mission trip.

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## Wednesday Night Bible Study Postponed

There will be no Wednesday night Bible study for the month of June. We will begin again on Wednesday July 1 at 6:30pm.

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## Enrollment is Open for the 2026–2027 School Year at Promise Lutheran Preschool!

Promise Lutheran Preschool offers a part-time preschool program for children ages 3–5 in a caring, Christ-centered environment.

For more information, visit the **Preschool** tab on our website at [www.promisefw.com](http://www.promisefw.com), or contact our office or Preschool Director, Mrs. Ashton, at [preschooldirector@promisefw.com](mailto:preschooldirector@promisefw.com).

We would also appreciate you sharing this information with family, friends, neighbors, or anyone you know who has a preschool-age child and may be interested in our program.



# SERMON NOTES

“Helpless Sheep”

Matthew 9:35–38

## PRAYER

**For Healing Needs:** Dan Bremer, Jerry Hapke, Tammy Liggett, Jeff Reece, Sandi Wolff, Addison, Adeline, Andrea, Asher M., Cody, Daphne, Gabe, Jeff G., Jim, Kelly, Kristi, Kylie, Lily, Mike, Sara, Toby

**In Thanksgiving:** For the Baptism last week of Miles, Ezra and Lennon and For a great week at VBS for students and volunteers

**For Those Who Mourn:** Shannon Beard and family as they mourn the loss of his father