



Sunday, June 29, 2025

*Of the sons of Issachar, men who understood the times, with knowledge
of what Israel should do..."*

1 Chronicles 12:32

Wood County Jail Collection Month

July is our annual collection for the men and women incarcerated in the county jail. Our Pastor Lonnie is the jail chaplain. There is a display on the technology booth. Items needed are reading glasses, Kwik Trip "fuel only" \$10 cards, Bibles, playing cards, word/number books, games, and composition notebooks. Please read the display and help out if you can.

Family Business for June 29, 2025

- 1) Ice Cream with Pastor Milt is today
- 2) Wood County Jail collection month
- 3) Coffee with Pastors is Thursday morning at 9:30 am
- 4) Pastor Milt's doctoral project begins today

Year of Shalom (Part two) with Pastor Milt

- Special handout at the start of the message
- Notes

This Week at BSW

On Sunday (6-29) – Micro-churches meet in the Wood County Jail.
Pastor Lonnie leads.

On Monday (6-30) – Women’s study group with Joelle Lemke from
5:30 to 6:30 pm in the church lobby.

On Monday (6-30) – Men’s study group meets from 7 to 8 pm at the
Robinson Park Pavillion.

On Tuesday (7-1) – The Shepherd’s Loft clothing ministry is open to
people in need of clothing, bedding, and towels with appointments at
9:30, 10, 10:30, and 11 am available. Donations will be accepted from 9
am until noon.

On Tuesday (7-1) – Bible study in the Loft processing area at 11:15 am.
Pastor Milt leads a study of Ecclesiastes.

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On Wednesday (7-2) – Micro-church at Waterford nursing home at 10:30 am. Pastor Milt leads ... Micro-church at Arborwood Lodge at 1:30 pm with Pastor Jim.

On Wednesday (7-2) – No Next Level with Youth for Christ this week because of the holiday. Next Level returns next week.

On Thursday (7-3) – Coffee with Pastors at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall for our seniors (50+) ... food, fellowship, study, prayer, and exaltation.

On Thursday (7-3) – Embracing Hope: Processing our Grief class in Wood County Jail at 2 pm. Week six of six. Pastor Milt teaches.

On Friday (7-4) – The Shepherd's Loft clothing ministry is closed for the Independence Day holiday.

By The Numbers

Celebrating new life in Christ:

For the 2025-26 Church year (June 1, 2025 until May 31, 2026):

Those confessing Christ as Savior and Lord: 0

Those recommitting their life to Christ: 0

Those being baptized: 0

Call-to-Ministry: 0

Attendance Report

Date	Sanctuary	Micro-Churches	Online Raw #	X 1.7 Reporting Number	Total Foot Print
Y-T-D Averages To 5/31	104	36	26	44	184
June 1	98	40	33	56	194
June 8	85	54	15	26	165
June 15	100	36	33	56	192
June 22	104	38	34	58	200
June 29					
Totals					

Supporting BSW: There are four ways that you can support BSW with your tithes and offerings.

- 1) Securely online at bakerstwesleyan.org using the “support BSW” tab on the right-hand side of the homepage.
- 2) In the jar provided in the sanctuary on the tech booth.
- 3) By mail to Baker Street Wesleyan Church, 640 Baker St. Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, 54494. Attn: Treasurer.
- 4) Donation of stock and securities to our Edward Jones account.

Tithes and Offerings Report

Date	General Fund	Zambia Partnership	Warehouse Partnership	Wish List	Pastoral Scholarship
Y-T-Date As of 5/31	147,253	6,055	15,060	3,570	2,000
June 1	4,877	2	500		
June 8	2,753	2			
June 15	1,744	6,130	550		
June 22	1,719	2			
June 29					
Totals					

Leadership Team 2025-26:

Local Board of Administration as elected at the Local Church Conference on Sunday, June 22, 2025 serving until the next local church conference.

Chairperson: Rev. Milt Van Natta, Senior Pastor

Treasurer: Jamie Mlsna

Secretary: Kimberly Bier

Members-at-Large: Kat Esser, Mike Hamilton, Diane Jackson, Bonnie Lemke, Brandon Pautz, and Kevin Lien. Vice-chair pending election.

Your BSW Staff Team

Lead Pastor/Teaching Pastor/Shepherd's Loft: Rev. Milt Van Natta

Next Generations Director/Music Leader: Pastor Seth Dykstra

Assistant Pastor of Discipleship/Zambia: Rev. Carri Johnson

Assistant Pastor of Spiritual Care/Prayer Chain: Rev. Jim Leston

Jail Ministry Missionary: Rev. Lonnie Selje

Annual Conference held on Sunday, June 22, 2025:

LBA re-elected ... Auditors elected were Lisa Hamilton, Troy Bier, and Brandon Pautz ... District Conference delegates elected were Molly Dykstra, Bonnie Lemke, and Brandon Pautz. Diane Jackson is the alternate.

Hearts on Fire: Four Spiritual Journeys in 2025

Journey One- *First Time Through:* Reading/Listening to Good News Bible

Monday, 6-30: 2 Corinthians chapter 11

Tuesday, 7-1: 2 Corinthians chapter 12

Wednesday, 7-2: 2 Corinthians chapter 13

Thursday, 7-3: Galatians chapter 1

Friday, 7-4: Galatians chapter 2

Saturday, 7-5: Galatians chapter 3

Sunday, 7-6: Galatians chapter 4

Journey Two- Daily Holiness Devotional Reading: *When Morning Gilds the Skies* by Dr. John Oswalt. Read the devotional for each day.

Journey Three- Praying for the World from World Almanac and Book of Facts: Be a cot-bearer and pray for the world by name. Also pray as the Lord leads you.

- 1) Read the intercession prayer from page 18 of the Field Guide for Daily Prayer
- 2) Pray for President Trump and Vice-President Vance. Also, Speaker of the House Mike Johnson and Senate leader John Thune.

- 3) The congressional delegations of Kentucky, Louisiana, and Maine (Senators on page 10 and Congressional Representatives on page 13-14).
- 4) These five countries and their leaders; Monaco, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, and Mozambique (Pages 814-815).
- 5) Pray for Israel and their leaders including Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.
- 6) Pray for the Chief Commanding Officers of the US Military (upper middle of page 147).

Journey Four- Morning and Evening Surrender. Read John Baillie's *Diary of Private Prayer*. One prayer for morning and one prayer for evening. Please read out loud over your own life and heart.

Next men's breakfast will be held on Saturday, September 20 at 8 am.
