

## **LUTHER PARK — ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS SUMMER 2008**

Faith is formed through personal and trusted relationships. Young children learn best through the actions of others. Camp counselors who show God's love and acceptance will help children build positive attitudes towards God and the church. At camp we use a variety of methods to channel the children's energy and enhance their growing through discussion, active learning, drama, art and games. There are one day, two day, three day and week long programs for campers from 1st through 6th grade.

### **TRAILBLAZERS**

#### **Mini- camps that BLAZE TRAILS into full week programs**

##### **TRAILBLAZERS Day Camp**

Come and find out what camp is all about. Experience all the great parts of camp in just one day. The day starts at 9:00 am and ends at 5:00 p.m. A dynamic day that will make you want to come back for more! Follow your counselors as you hike through the woods, jump in the pool, hear Bible stories, make new friends, play fun games. You have five Wednesdays to choose from.

**Cost: \$45**

**Completing Grades K-2**

**June 18, June 25, July 9, July 23, July 30**

##### **TRAILBLAZERS Overnight**

Short and sweet! All the fun of a full week of camp packed into 24 hours. Come and spend the night with your friends — and, of course your counselor — in a wall tent. This program is a special blend of the finest ingredients of a Luther Park experience designed with the younger camper in mind. Five Th/Fchoices.

**Cost: \$100**

**Completing Grades 2-4**

**June 19-20, June 26-27, July 10-11, July 24-25, July 31-August 1**

##### **TRAILBLAZERS Bridge**

This partial week program is designed to "bridge" the gap between day and overnight programs to the full week programs at Luther Woods. For those not quite ready for a full week of adventure, this half week program - three days and two nights - just might be for you. It will take place in the tents at Luther Park -- Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

**Cost: \$160**

**Completing Grades 3-5**

**June 15-17, June 22-24, July 6-8, July 20-22, July 27-29**

### **ADVENTURERS**

#### **A full week of rustic adventure at LUTHER WOODS**

Adventure is what you'll get if you register for a week at Luther Woods. Not only that, but you'll construct your adventure with the new friends you will meet there ... bunk in one of our six wall tents ... hike from your tent site to your cook site ... help build the fire to cook your meals ... enjoy evenings lit only by the stars, the fire and lantern light ... learn about God through Bible studies and super worship experiences!

Luther Woods is a 320 acre wilderness wonderland located about **35 miles north of Chetek, near Birchwood**. Transportation to and from the "Woods" is provided by Luther Park.

**Cost: \$325 Grades 4-6**

**Completing Grades 4-6**

**July 6-11, July 20-25**

## **TRADING SPACES**

### **One half week @ Luther Woods AND one half week @ Luther Park**

At Luther Woods campers swim in the lake, hike on the trails, play in a big open field, and help cook their own meals over the fire. At Luther Park campers can swim in a pool, water-ski on the lake, play basketball and eat in the dining hall. In TRADING SPACES campers will experience both sites.

At Luther Woods your bunk will be in a tent — at Luther Park your bunk is in a cabin. At Luther Woods you can play volleyball in the grass — at Luther Park you will play sand volleyball. Campfires under the stars are a highlight of BOTH locations.

TRADING SPACES is the best of both worlds. There will be a group of older campers that will camp at both

Luther Woods and Luther Park opposite you — on Wednesday you will TRADE SPACES.

Luther Park is the main site in Chetek. Luther Woods is 35 miles north near Birchwood.

Transportation to and from the “WOODS” is included.

**Cost is \$325**

**Grades 3-5 OR 6-8**

**July 13-18**

## LUTHER PARK — MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS SUMMER 2008

Going to camp during the middle school years is the classic Luther Park adventure — for good reason. It is at this age that young people begin to grasp the fact that there is POWER in FAITH and that the COMMUNITY OF BELIEVERS is a great place for them to have heart-to-heart discussions about the things that really matter in life. There is a middle school program offered every week all summer long.

### **P.O.W. (Power of Faith) - A CONFIRMATION camp experience / individuals or groups**

In this week-long program you'll learn and grow together as you discuss your faith with your counselors. Whether you come together with your pastor and/or youth worker and your entire Confirmation Class - or you come alone seeking to meet new friends. POWER OF FAITH is for YOU!

Blend the active fun of camp — canoeing, waterskiing, swimming, volleyball and more — with the quieter things — prayer, Bible study and awesome worship experiences, to make this a week you'll never forget! Outrageous games, overnight campouts, and sand volleyball, cool crafts, basketball, awesome campfires, wild wetness in the pool or the lake, a chance to get closer to what matters: yourself, your friends, and God.

**Cost is \$325**

**Completing Grades 6-8**

**Weeks beginning: June 8, June 15, June 22, July 6, July 20, July 27 @ Luther Park**

### **L.Y.L.E. (Lutherpark Youth Leadership Event)**

#### **A half week program for MIDDLE SCHOOL leaders**

L.Y.L.E. is a fun-filled, spirit-inspired, and action-packed time of learning for young leaders. LYLE is offered specifically with the middle school young person in mind. It is an adventure program at Luther Woods. You'll help construct your adventure with the new friends you'll meet there ... bunk in one of the six wall tents ... hike from your tent site to your cook site ... help build the fire to cook your meals ... learn about God and your mission as a young person through conversation and discovery with your counselors AND through Bible study and worship. Participants will learn skills and share ideas that they will be able to take home and use in their local congregations immediately.

**Cost is \$170**

**Completing Grades 6-8**

**June 29-July 2 @ Luther Woods**

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**July 13-18**

## LUTHER PARK — SENIOR HIGH SUMMER 2008

Check out these new and improved senior high programs  
a variety of experience for a variety of tastes.

All programs are best when a group from the congregation attends together.

Whether your group is looking for service opportunities, adventure, music, or leadership training there is something in the Luther Park Summer program for you.

### **F.L.O.O.D. (Friends Living Out Our Discipleship) – A MILWAUKEE Servant Event –**

This program is in partnership with Lutherdale Bible Camp in Elkhorn, WI. It will include two days (S-M) at Lutherdale. The group will build trusting relationships with each other at the Eagle's Nest Adventure Center there. For the rest of the week you'll be housed at the Tommy Thompson Center on the State Fairgrounds. Inner city work projects will be arranged in cooperation with the ministries of the Greater Milwaukee Synod, ELCA and may include painting, sorting goods in a shelter, meeting with children in day care, clearing an empty lot, or other projects like these. ***The target group for F.L.O.O.D. is ninth graders – older campers and adult sponsors will also be welcome.***

**Cost is \$370 + transportation**

**Completed Grades 9-12**

**July 20-25**

### **DRUMMIN' & STRUMMIN' - FUN at camp with DRUMS & GUITAR added —**

Luther Woods or the Luther Park Farm Center? Take your pick! Both locations offer campers many of the great experiences you've come to expect at camp — swimming, hiking, campfires, time for faith talk with new friends and old. Add to that the fun of playing and making drums (as well as other things that create rhythm). Although rhythm instruments will be the main focus ... bring your guitar or other instruments as well. Guitar lessons will be an option during this DRUMMIN' & STRUMMIN' week at camp.

**Cost is \$325.**

**Completed Grades 9-12**

**June 22-27 @ Luther Park Farm Center OR**

**July 27-August 1 @ Luther Woods**

### **J.O.L.T. (Jump Onto the LEADERSHIP Train) - A program to EQUIP YOUNG LEADERS -**

Young people are called to serve the body of Christ at baptism. This program is designed to enhance the skills and gifts that God has given. The desired outcome is to provide for these young leader: a support network; ideas that can be implement in their own congregations immediately; as well as a vision for youth active in the mission and ministry of God's kingdom. Skills will include (but will not be limited to) Games, Active learning, Gospel drama, Mentorship, Spiritual Gifts & personality types, Leadership styles, as well as Beliefs and Values that match Behaviors. This program is intended for individuals from congregations who have shown natural talents as leaders.

***It is recommended that congregations scholarship young leaders for this program.***

**Cost is \$325**

**Completed Grades 9-12**

**July 13-18 @ Luther Park**

### **R.A.F.T. (Radically Affirming Faith Together) - a HOUSEBOAT trip in Northern MN**

This adventure takes place on the beautiful lakes of Voyageur National Park. Two 50 foot houseboats cruise the wilderness areas of the lakes and tie up to to explore the shoreline areas. There are trails for hiking, beautiful starry nights and great fishing holes! The roof of the houseboat serves as a sundeck, meeting area or an eagle watching spot. Luther Park counselors will lead discussions about faith and life. Pull together a group from your congregation. Help us to grow a

group begin making plans for this adventure today!

**Cost \$420 + transportation**

**Completed Grades 9-12**

**July 6-11**

**EXPLORERS – a CANOE TRIP on the St. Croix/Namekagon Rivers –**

These rivers flow through hilly, wild and scenic country. Your week will include scenery, rapids, fun, great food, nature, Bible study, worship and outdoor living. You'll grow together as a group and grow in your faith in our Creator God with the new friends you'll meet along the way. Led by two Luther Park counselors serving as your "outfitters".

You'll start and finish the week at Luther Park and set out on the river from Monday – Thursday. This week is for those who want to just get away and do something new, something you'll remember forever. Transportation to and from the river, tents, canoes, food, equipment and program are all provided.

**Cost is \$325**

**Completed Grades 9-12**

**June 15-20**

**P.A.L.S. >>> Partners Actively Learning and Serving.**

Two weeks at camp with NO CHARGE!

P.A.L.S. is a chance for senior high youth to volunteer.

You'll spend part of your day as kitchen grounds and house-keeping aides. The rest of your time will be spent doing all the things you've come to enjoy at Luther Park. Please write and ask for an application to be a PAL.

Applications will be available on this website after January 1, 2008.

**Dates:**

**June 8-20 / June 22-July 11**

**July 13-25 / July 27-August 8**

## **LUTHER PARK — FAMILY PROGRAMS SUMMER 2008**

Luther Park invites families of all descriptions to enjoy the relaxed but active rhythm of playing, working, worshipping and learning at Family Camp. Family Camp at Luther Park comes in three sizes — a day—three nights and four days — or, the full week (S-F) program. The mornings are spent with age group specific Bible studies. Afternoons are filled with lots of fun activities — swimming, arts & crafts, hikes in the woods, canoes or pontoon rides. The evenings bring the family together for games and worship and campfires.

### **GRANDkids Camp — June 29-July 2** **@LUTHER PARK**

A cross-generational program where the GRANDkids bring the GRAND-parents to Luther Park for a few days of play. Comfortable cabins complete with flush toilets and showers allow you to rough it (just a little bit) together as a family. When was the last time that Grandma and Grandpa were able to take the kids for a couple of days without having to worry about keeping them busy? Come to camp and wander life's road together ... take walks, do crafts, enjoy creation.

Both GRANDkid and traditional families (parents & kids) are welcome at either family camp.

**From 3:00 pm on Sunday until 10:30 am on Wednesday**  
**\$150 (adult) \$110 (13-18 years old) \$60 (3-12 years old) \$20 (0-2)**  
**\$490 FAMILY MAXIMUM**

### **CROSS generational DAY CAMPS** **July 14, July 15, July 16 OR July 17** **@Luther Park Farm Center**

Come as a family, come alone, come as a group from your congregation. These day long programs are built on living abundantly as a member of the family of God. Whether you're a grandparent or a pre-school child you're welcome to come to Luther Park for this day that crosses the generations. Bible study groups will be age specific, but all of the recreational time throughout the day will be "cross-generational." This is a one day event from 9:00 M until after the camp worship at 9:00 pm. You can choose any of the days — Monday thru Thursday. Choose a date early and reserve it for your congregation to attend together.

**\$45 per person \$150 family maximum \$995 congregation maximum**

### **FAMILY CAMP** **August 3-8** **@Luther Park**

Imagine three meals a day with your family every day for a whole week! Take your family on a vacation at Luther Park this summer. It's a time to relax and enjoy — a time of freedom with opportunity. An array of activity for all who are a part of God's family whether young, old, single or married. Relax and enjoy days filled with hiking, singing crafts, swimming, Bible Study and more. Evenings are packed with fun and surprises — like worship, a musical, a Christ Walk, campfires and more that you won't want to miss! Bible studies will be grouped by grade level. The adult's will meet together as a group.

Families will stay in the cabins and/or Shalom Center at Luther Park. Family-style group dining and a variety of organized camp activities provide ample opportunities to make lots of new friends.

**\$295 (adult) \$210 (13-18 yearsold) \$105 (3-12 years old) \$40 (0-2 years old)**  
**\$945 FAMILY MAXIMUM**