# **2025 USHER SCHEDULE**

## 8:30 SERVICES

## **10:30 SERVICES**

JANUARY, APRIL, JULY, OCTOBER		JANUARY, APRIL, JULY, OCTOBER	
Rod LaBahn, Capt.	539-8772	Gary Borcher, Capt.	539-1477
Joel Johnson	540-1631	Harold Lee	263-7809
Henry Herrig	540-7256	Jeff Jelken	203-0226
Mark Kehrberg	540-1675	Levi Te Brink	541-5902
_		Aaron Lee	267-2180
FEBRUARY, JUNE, SEPT., DECEMBER		FEBRUARY, JUNE, SEPT., DECEMBER	
Tracy Wingert, Capt.	541-8930	Bryce Tingwald, Capt.	202-3923
Greg McInnis	548-6446	Nathan Pauling	898-2306
Doug Schultz	540-6442	Joey Posivio	251-6216
Rob Sudtelgte	541-5846	Jeremy Ferguson	260-0705
MARCH, MAY, AUGUST, NOVEMBER		MARCH, MAY, AUGUST, NOVEMBER	
Ken Freyermuth, Capt.	540-8875	Adam Schmidt, Capt.	540-2588
Keith Westhoff	541-5993	Simon Kern	540-9217
Brady Westhoff	540-7057	Dan Albert	540-1269
Mike Haverhals	546-5973	Doug Carlsen	540-6149
Glenn Kellen	539-0091	Karen Carlsen	540-2891
		Graham Forbes	870-1668

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# Tips for Ushering:

#### **Bulletins:**

 Ushers will hand out bulletins to all who want one. They are found on the back pew in the Narthex. We usually have one copy of power point slides for each service included, in case you need to see the order of the service.

### Bell Ringing:

• The Bell gets rung 12 times.

#### Attendance:

- I AM PRINTING THIS IN CAPS AS THIS HAS BEEN OVERLOOKED MORE FREQUENTLY. Please take a count of all attendees of the services half-way through the service to get an accurate count. Include those serving upstairs (Mike, Sound Board People) and also Pastor's and Altar Guild.
- Be sure to write this number down in the Usher's closet on the bulletin board and also place numbers on the wooden board in the Narthex.
- Attendance/Communion cards, Pastor will continue to instruct members to fill out and return to the offering plates. Ushers will separate them out from the offerings and leave on the cabinet near the office.

### Communion:

- One usher is needed to dismiss people from the pews. Please don't dismiss them too early, so as to keeps them from standing for a long period of time.
- If someone is unable to get around easily, you may want to ask if they wish to have communion brought to them. Please let the Pastor know of this situation.
- Ushers may be asked to assist with giving communion to someone in the pew that is unable to come forward.

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## Offerings:

- Please gather the offerings with 2 people present after each service. This keeps everyone safe and above suspicions of questionable handling.
- Bags with locks are on the small bookcase in the Narthex. Place the offerings in the bags and lock them.
- PLACE THE KEY IN THE DROPBOX IN THE NARTHEX
- The money bag goes into the safe, kept in the office hallway. It is in the cabinet under the coat rack
- When gathering "NOISY OFFERINGS" please leave this in the cans and <u>DO NOT</u> mix with the regular offerings. The can may be placed in Kim's office or on the cabinet in the hallway after 2<sup>nd</sup> service.

## Baptisms:

• Ushers will no longer be asked to assist at Baptisms. The Baptism supplies will already be on the Baptism Font.

### Safety & Security:

- Please be aware of where First Aid supplies are, as well as the AED machine.
- Please be aware of the locations of Fire Extinguishers.
- Call 911 in case of emergencies.
- If the weather looks dangerous, have someone keeping an eye out for weather warnings.
- Know where all EXITS are and how to direct people to safety.
- Be aware of anyone needing assistance that is attending service. (i.e. locate a restroom, not feeling well, keeping an eye out for suspicious individuals, etc)