

Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church
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The Core Values of the Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church – We Value:

- ***“Being a Safe Harbor”*** For the spiritual pilgrims in our community.
- ***“Children and Youth”*** We are committed to congregational life that is open and nurturing to young people.
- ***“Excellence in Worship”*** We expect the gospel of Jesus Christ to be proclaimed through excellence in music ministry, quality of liturgy, preaching and celebration of the sacraments.
- ***“Mission”*** Recognizing our common call to ministry, we strive to live our faith sacrificially in our community and in the world.
- ***“Our Moravian Heritage”*** All of our core values have historical precedent in an ancient tradition of Christian witness.

A nursery for children ages 5 and under is in Room 201 of the Christian Education Building. Preschoolers only please, so that attendants may give each child proper attention.

2026 Watchword – I have put my spirit upon my servant; he will bring forth justice to the nations. Isaiah 42:1

Staff

Rev. Dr. Matthew Knapp, Sr.....Senior Pastor
Karen Bongle..... Administrative Assistant
Kim KnappChoir Director
Heidi Hintz Organist
Lay Reader Andy Starr



Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church

August 2, 2026



To maintain a worshipful atmosphere, we ask that you turn off all cell phones. Thank you.

Prelude

Welcome, Ritual of Friendship, Announcements

Moments of Preparation

Call to Worship

***Hymn** – The Church of Christ, in Every Age MBW 694

***Liturgy** – Creation MBW 26

Children’s Moment

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn – Break Now the Bread of Life MBW 502

Scripture Lesson Matthew 14:13-21

Sermon “Give Them Something to Eat!”

Hymn – You Satisfy the Hungry Heart MBW 417

*Benediction

*Postlude

(* =The congregation is invited to stand)

Opportunities This Week

Sun. 08/09 Worship / Lovefeast 10:00 am
Cookies on the patio following worship.

Looking Ahead

Mon. 08/10 Elders' Meeting 6:30 pm

Tues. 08/11 Faith Circle – Fellowship Room 1:30 pm

Sun. 08/16 Worship 10:00 am

Cookies on the patio following worship.

Online Worship at www.sbmoravian.org.

Now livestreaming service 10:00.

Lovefeast – Please join us **next Sunday**, August 9 for a celebration of fellowship and food in church!

Daily Text – It's time to order your Daily Text for 2027 – enclosed is an insert to use or check the website @ www.sbmoravian.org under 'Online Forms' to order & pay. Order deadline is August 13.

American Cross Blood Drive: Monday, August 3 – 12:00 to 6:00 pm and on Tuesday, August 4 – 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at St. Peters Lutheran Church, 108 W. Maple St., Sturgeon Bay.
Call 1-800-Red Cross or go to redcrossblood.org to make an appointment.

Sister Bay Moravian Church Concert today at 4:00 pm.

It will feature local musical talents for an afternoon of music and community. The church choir and guest musicians will perform a variety of pieces from notable composers as well as student composition debuts. Entry is free. The church address is 10924 Old Stage Rd, Sister Bay, WI.

Fall Reminders:

- Worship reverts back to 10:30 am on September 6.
- Coffee Hus will begin on September 13 @ 9:00 am.
- Adult Choir Rehearsal September 13 - 9:15 to 10:00 am.
- Sunday School begins September 13 - 9:30 to 10:15 am.
- Youth activities will kick off on September 16 with a cookout for all youth groups, parents are welcome.
- Annual Tailgate Party September 20 following worship.

Scripture Lesson

Matthew 14:13-21

¹³ When Jesus heard what had happened, he withdrew by boat privately to a solitary place. Hearing of this, the crowds followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴ When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them and healed their sick.

¹⁵ As evening approached, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a remote place, and it's already getting late. Send the crowds away, so they can go to the villages and buy themselves some food."

¹⁶ Jesus replied, "They do not need to go away. You give them something to eat."

¹⁷ "We have here only five loaves of bread and two fish," they answered.

¹⁸ "Bring them here to me," he said. ¹⁹ And he directed the people to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people. ²⁰ They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over. ²¹ The number of those who ate was about five thousand men, besides women and children.

Century Ride Spaghetti Dinner, September 12 at 5 pm.

We are hosting a Spaghetti Dinner in the church dining room on Saturday, September 12 at 5 pm and you are invited! This dinner is to carb up members and friends of the Board of World Mission who will be riding the Door County Century Ride the next day. We think this is a wonderful time for fellowship and for you to have a chance to meet these fellow Moravians who will be coming in from all over the country to participate. The meal will be spaghetti, garlic bread, salad and of course Tadych's Marketplace world famous cherry pie squares! ???There will be a freewill offering. We are also inviting folks from Ephraim and Sister Bay to join us. It would be helpful if you could RSVP the church office (920-743-6218) if you plan to attend so we can get an idea of how much food we need to prepare. This will be a great time for fellowship and hope you will join us.