



# Highland Happenings September 2019

*For more information on regularly scheduled activities & Bible studies, please see the "Overview of Ministries" section (the back half of this publication). If you have the short version (front half of this publication), refer to the complete newsletter online.*

**Highland on Mission:** During August, many of you wrote out cards of appreciation/encouragement to our local law enforcement, fire fighters, and EMS personnel. Your notes will be passed along to local agencies that serve Marathon and Lincoln counties.



Your generosity with *Stuff the Bus* donations made a HUGE impact on local school children! Donated school supplies have been passed along to the "Fill a Backpack, Fill a Need" program which will bless thousands of school age children in the area.



*Thank you Highland for a job well done!*

**Worship Service Time Changes – Start September 8:**  
Sunday school (for all ages) starts at 9:20 am at all campus sites, except Merrill where it will start at 9:00 am.

- Wausau: 8:00 & 10:30 am contemporary service  
10:20 am Traditions service
- Marathon, Merrill, & Weston:  
10:30 am contemporary service

**3<sup>rd</sup> Monday Worship Service—September 16:** Title: *The Moralist*; passage: John 3:1-21. In September, we will launch a brand new series for 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday! Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday (of the month), we will be learning about life changing conversations people had with Jesus. In our first conversation, Jesus confronts a "moralist" and teaches him that no one can earn God's favor through their morality. Moralism cannot be the answer to our sin problem—only Jesus can. Your whole family is invited to enjoy a night filled with great coffee, welcoming community, and engaging worship. This service takes place in the Café room at the Wausau campus. The coffee bar opens up at 6:00 pm; the service begins at 6:30 pm. First time visitors get a free coffee drink!

**Nifty Fifties Plus Dinner:** Join us for food and fellowship at 6:00 pm on Friday, September 13, at Thrive Foodery (2105 N 2<sup>nd</sup> St, Wausau). RSVP by September 11 to Jeff or Jeanne Klapperich at [jmklapperich@juno.com](mailto:jmklapperich@juno.com) or 715-845-3543.

**Did You Know:** Highland Happenings is the "place to go to be in the know" and it is emailed out to all regular attendees around the 1<sup>st</sup> of every month. Connect, Grow, Go is an "at a glance" quick overview of most monthly things Highland and is emailed out the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the month.

**Grapevine Card Meeting:** September 17 at 6:00 pm in room B6 (Wausau campus). Bring glue and scissors; the rest of the supplies will be provided to make cards that will be given away. If you have questions, contact Bev Wegner at 715-393-4089.

**New Baby Congrats:** Amelia Joy born July 29 to Mike & Tess Berger; Mason born July 30 to Ross & Sarah Beier; Everlie JulieLynn born August 11 to Austin & Vickie Hovel; and Joshua Jethro born August 24 to Tony & Melody Marcellino.

## Highland on the GO



IMPACT CARES is coming to the Weston/Wausau area to make an impact on our community. On September 21, we can join with others from the community to bless

people who own mobile homes at the Colonial Gardens mobile home park in Weston. Your day of service in the park will include small repairs, painting, yard work, and light duty work. Most importantly you have the opportunity to bless elderly and disabled people who cannot help themselves. IMPACT CARES will provide donuts and coffee, lunch, and a t-shirt for every registrant. The event is from 8:30 am – 5:00 pm (stay as long as you are able). Register on Highland's website for this impactful event. This is a community event, so invite friends and neighbors to help out too! Stop by the Connection Point for more information. Come on Highland, let's make an IMPACT in our community!

For more information on outreach opportunities, or to find out how you can help, please contact Janna Janke at [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

### Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Donations:

Now is a great time to shop for back-to-school clearance items for the OCC shoebox packing event on November 1 & 2. We can also use donations of new non-liquid, non-breakable hygiene items (not toothpaste), children's clothing, and small toys. Do not include: breakable items, war-related toys, or play money. Donation boxes can be found at each Connection Point. Cash donations can also be dropped off at the office to cover shipping costs for those that can't afford it. Contact: Michele Sattler at 715-551-4974.



## Adult Co-Ed & Sunday School Classes

*If You Want to Walk on Water, You've Got to Get Out of the Boat* (by John Ortberg): Peter may have been the first person (other than Jesus) to walk on water, but Jesus' invitation to come to Him – where the sea is high and the footing impossible – is for all of us. In this study, we will be challenged to face our fears and discover the unique calling of God on our life. The study will meet on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of each month (from September 9 – December 2) at 6:30 pm in room C2 (Wausau campus). Attenders are advised to purchase the book, but it is not necessary. Contact: Tom Krause at 715-218-7985 or [maintman77@gmail.com](mailto:maintman77@gmail.com).

**Bible Essentials:** This 30-week class was developed at Bethlehem Baptist Church in Minneapolis. Topics include:

Biblical Theology, Systematic Theology, Apologetics, Church History, and Inductive Bible Study Methods. This class will be offered on Tuesday evenings from 6:30–8:30 pm. The class requires approximately five hours of reading time per week. Each student will need to purchase four supporting texts to go along with the weekly handouts. The study starts on September 10 in room C14 (Wausau campus). Register online. Contact: Jerre Wright at [jww1712@gmail.com](mailto:jww1712@gmail.com) or 715-218-8105.

**Shepherding a Child's Heart:** This is a Biblical parenting class about how to speak to the heart of your child, as the things your child does and says flow from the heart. Luke 6:45 (ESV) puts it this way, "...out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks." This study is for moms and dads with children of any age. This insightful DVD series provides perspectives and procedures for shepherding your child's heart into the paths of life. Led by Pastor Dan and Sue MacDonald. We will be doing two lessons each week making it a six week study (please commit to attending all six weeks). Meets on Thursdays (September 12 – October 17) from 6:00–8:00 pm in room C7/8 (Wausau campus). Childcare not available. Register at <https://hcc-register.com/>. Please purchase your own book.

**Logos Users Group:** This month the group will meet on September 26 at 6:30 pm in room C14 (Wausau campus). Bring your laptop/tablet and questions. Whether you have Logos or are interested, feel free to attend. Contact: Jerre Wright at [jww1712@hotmail.com](mailto:jww1712@hotmail.com) or 715-218-8105.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Resumes September 8 from 9:20-10:10 am at Wausau, Weston, and Marathon, and from 9:00–10:00 am at Merrill. If you have questions, contact Pastor Isaiah at [idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

### Wausau Campus

**Expository Class – The Book of Romans:** Led by Dave Mahler; room B7.

**Equipping Class – Cherish: The One Word that Changes Everything for Your Marriage:** Led by Steve Clements and Steve Vandenberg; Café room.

**Expository Class – The Book of Ephesians:** Led by Elgin Hushbeck; room B3.

**Inductive Bible Study – Romans 8–16:** Led by Jerre Wright; room B4.

**Apologetics – Worldviews Collide:** Led by Clay Stebbins; room C14.

### Weston Campus

**Those Who Are Spiritual:** Have you ever wondered how to define true Christian living? What does it mean to be

spiritual or to walk in the Spirit? This class will correct many false impressions and present a Scriptural pattern for the full life in Christ. Led by Dan Esterline; room 4.

**The Equipping Class:** This class will start out by studying *The Gospel Comes with a House Key* – the radically ordinary hospitality that any of us can practice to reach people with the good news about Jesus Christ! Meet in the Worship Center.

### Marathon Campus

**God and His People: A Journey Through the Psalms:** Led by several different teachers.

### Merrill Campus

**Verse by Verse:** Led by Jeff Steffen.

## Adult Life Groups

Life Groups are a small group of people that meet weekly or biweekly to study God's Word, discuss the issues and challenges of life, pray, and care for one another. **We are looking for more leaders.** If you are interested in joining or leading a Life Group, please contact Janna Janke at 715-842-5683 or [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com).



The following Life Groups are open to new participants:

- Mikul: Wausau West, Tuesday evening, young families  
Contact Sheradyn & Melissa at [mgb517@gmail.com](mailto:mgb517@gmail.com)
- Rossin: Weston, Sunday evening (women 50+ only)  
Contact Marlene at [delmarrossin@gmail.com](mailto:delmarrossin@gmail.com)
- Sazama: Hatley/Weston Area, Monday morning, 60+  
Contact April at [aprilsazama@yahoo.com](mailto:aprilsazama@yahoo.com)
- Klapperich: Wausau, Sunday afternoon, 50s/60s  
Contact Jeff or Jeanne at [jcklapperich@juno.com](mailto:jcklapperich@juno.com)
- Nelessen: Merrill, Tuesday evening, mixed group  
Contact Jeff or Jean Ann at [nelessen7@gmail.com](mailto:nelessen7@gmail.com)
- Embree: Wausau campus, Sunday afternoon, post mid-life. Contact Marlowe at [marlowe\\_embree@yahoo.com](mailto:marlowe_embree@yahoo.com)
- Blake: Marathon, Sunday, mixed group  
Contact Andy at [Andrew.j.blake@hotmail.com](mailto:Andrew.j.blake@hotmail.com)
- Ellie: Weston, Monday evening, mixed group  
Contact Beth at [bethellie@gmail.com](mailto:bethellie@gmail.com)
- Tikalsky/Benes: Marathon, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays  
Contact: Andy at [andypattytikalsky@gmail.com](mailto:andypattytikalsky@gmail.com)

## Children's Ministry (NextGen)

(Age: birth to grade 5)

**One Way Club Leader Training:** 6:00 pm Wednesday, September 4 in the Café room at the Wausau campus for BOTH (Wausau & Weston) Clubs.

**One Way Club (OWC):** Kickoff night for OWC will be Wednesday, September 11, at 6:00 pm. Come dressed for a summertime theme. Registration forms are available in the lobby at each campus and on our website at <https://highlandcommunitychurch.com/resources/printable-files/>. OWC is for children age 4 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade. It takes place at the Weston and Wausau campus sites. OWC is free. The Wausau campus will be having Parent Orientation on September 11 from 6:10–6:25 pm in the Sanctuary.

September Schedule:

- 11 Summer Theme  
Puppets (Wausau campus)
- 18 Crazy Hair Night  
Puppets (Weston campus)  
Recite: *Ground Rules – Listen to Leaders, Respect Others, Honor God*
- 25 Bring a Friend Night  
Memory Verse: Psalm 19:7
- Oct 2 Sports Team Night  
Memory Verse: 1 Corinthians 10:31



**Awana—Merrill Campus:** Starts Monday, September 9 at 6:00 pm. Children age 4 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to a time of singing, games, learning, and fun dress themes each week. If you have questions, please contact Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Baby/Child Dedication:** Our next dedication service will be during the worship services on Sunday, October 20 (at each campus). If you would like to have your child(ren) dedicated, please contact Jessica Leptien at [jleptien@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jleptien@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Family Christmas Event:** Mark your calendars for Saturday, December 7 from 1:00– 3:00 pm for a fun time with your family at the Wausau campus! More details to come!

**Centershot Archery:** A new 8-week session will start in fall (September 5 – October 24). It will meet on Thursday nights from 6:30–8:00 pm at the Marathon campus. Those in 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up are eligible to participate. Returning participants, as well as those new to Centershot, are welcome. There is no cost. Materials and equipment are provided. Register by contacting Kris Schumacher at [ktschuma@uwalumni.com](mailto:ktschuma@uwalumni.com) or 715-675-3686.

## Journeys Singles Group



If you are single and at least 40 (or so), join us! Journeys is a safe place to develop genuine, godly friendships and to grow together in Christ. Join us for study and fellowship at 7:00 pm on Friday evenings in room B11/12 at the Wausau campus.

September Schedule (details are listed below)

6	7:00 pm	Friday study & fellowship
13	7:00 pm	Friday study & fellowship
20	7:00 pm	Game night (Wausau campus)— please bring a favorite game and snack to share
27	7:00 pm	Friday study & fellowship

For more information, or to be added to the Journeys weekly email list, please contact Louise Cooke at [LouiseChristFollower@gmail.com](mailto:LouiseChristFollower@gmail.com) or call 715-212-5040.

## Marathon Campus

**Adult Sunday School: *God and His People: A Journey Through the Psalms.*** Led by several different teachers.

**No More Excuses Men's Study:** 6:30 pm Thursdays. Led by Ryan McCain. See listing under Men's Ministry.

**Centershot Archery:** 6:30 pm Thursdays, starting September 5. See listing under Children's Ministry.

**IF:Table at the Marathon Campus:** Meet for lunch after church on September 15, October 20, and November 17. To sign up please call/text Sandy Lamberg at 715-680-0493. Bring your own lunch and enjoy 60 minutes of fellowship, devotion, & conversation. Pastor Brian will meet with the men at a local restaurant during that time.

## Men's Ministry



**Men's \$5 BBQ:** Come enjoy our annual \$5 Men's Ministry Fall Kickoff with some dynamite BBQ! It will be held on Thursday, September 12! Doors open at 5:00 pm; dinner will start at 6:00 pm. We have a great line-up for the evening so invite a friend and come hungry! Please register online (and pay \$5 at the door).

**Husband & Wife ATV Ride:** Saturday, September 14. Contact Rod Westphal at [rockinrodwe@gmail.com](mailto:rockinrodwe@gmail.com) for details.

**Men's Breakfast:** All men are invited to enjoy breakfast together at 6:00 am on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month at the Log Cabin Restaurant in Schofield. Questions? Call/text Kevin Voeltzke at 715-574-3588.

**Dan Esterline – *The Book of James:*** The Epistle of *James* is a beautifully constructed Christian letter written by an author with a shepherd's heart. The writer is a skilled communicator. His style is both terse and graphic, employing a wide range of effective illustrations. The book of *James* is the voice of a great Christian leader whose grasp of the spiritual life and of human nature is equal to any in the canon of NT Scripture. The overriding theme of *James* is "proven character through testing." This class will start on Wednesday, September 11, at 6:00 am in room C14 (Wausau campus).

**Jim Hostvedt – *12 Ordinary Men*** (by John MacArthur): Contrary to popular belief, we do not have to be perfect to do God's work. Look no further than the twelve disciples whose many weaknesses are forever preserved throughout the pages of the New Testament. Jesus chose ordinary men – fisherman, tax collectors, and political zealots – and turned their weakness into strength, producing greatness from utter uselessness. In this study, we will draw principles from Christ's careful, hands-on training of the original twelve disciples for today's modern disciple – you. Books will be available at the first class for \$8. The class will start on Thursday, September 19, at 6:30 pm in room C1 (Wausau campus).



**Ryan McCain – *No More Excuses*** (by Tony Evans): In this study we will draw from the lives of Moses, David, Joseph, Jonah, and other Biblical men who faced the worst. We will learn how the Lord pulls men out of their brokenness and declares, "No more!" No more falling short of being the men God desires us to be for any reason. The same struggles we faced yesterday and today are the very same tools God is using to make us better men for tomorrow. This study will start on Thursday, September 19 at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Area (Marathon campus). No cost.

**Pastor Isaiah DeMoss – *The Book of Colossians:*** What we think about Jesus matters. Our perception of Him shapes us—what we say, how we treat others, even what we think. If we paint Jesus as any less than who He is (supreme over all creation and Savior of the world) not only does our theology slip, but the working out of our faith also suffers. In this study, we will walk through the book of Colossians to help us form a complete picture of Jesus. This class will start on Thursday, September 10 at 6:30 am in room C14 (Wausau campus).

**Pastor Dan MacDonald – *The Book of Luke:*** Luke is a careful historian. His aim in writing his gospel and the Book of Acts is to demonstrate to his friend, Theophilus, the truth about the events surrounding Jesus and Jesus' life. Luke wants his friend to be certain of the things he has been taught! Likewise, we too can have the same certainty as we study Luke's gospel. Who is Jesus? Let's explore this together – we will be amazed! This study,

which begins on September 10, will be on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month from 6:15–7:00 am in the Solid Grounds area (Weston campus).

**Jerre Wright – Prayer:** The Wednesday morning men’s Bible study will begin with a study on prayer. We will look at several Old Testament prayers, several of Jesus’ prayers, and several of the prayers of Paul. What is the Biblical pattern of prayer, and how can we improve our prayers and praying? This study starts on September 11 from 9:00–10:30 am in room C14 (Wausau campus). In this study we will be incorporating D.A. Carson’s book *Praying with Paul* – available for purchase from Amazon and CBD. This will be a group discussion/Inductive Bible Study of the six to eight questions from the week’s text. Please register online.

**Jerre Wright – Bible Essentials:** See the class description under Adult Co-Ed Classes on page 2 of this document.

**Jerre Wright – Daniel:** This study will start on November 11. It will meet at the Friendship House in Merrill from 6:30–8:00 am. Contact Jerre at 715-218-8105 or [jww1712@gmail.com](mailto:jww1712@gmail.com) for further details.

## Merrill Campus

**Hospital Visits:** If you are scheduled for surgery, or end up in the hospital, and would like a visit please contact the church office. While the hospitals request information about your home church, they do not let us know you are there. Please know that the pastoral staff is not always on Facebook, so though you may put your hospitalization or surgery on Facebook, we may not see it.

**Wausau Campus Library:** Wausau campus materials can be viewed at [www.highland.mysurpass.net](http://www.highland.mysurpass.net). Need a library checkout code for the Wausau campus? Please email your name and phone number to Krista at [im4gbp@yahoo.com](mailto:im4gbp@yahoo.com).

**Women’s Studies:** For details of Bible studies held at the Merrill campus check out the Women’s Ministry section.

## Weston Campus

**Connect, Grow!** Sunday School classes for all ages start up on September 8 from 9:20–10:10 am. See Adult Sunday school listings under Adult Co-Ed & Sunday School Classes (page 2).

**Connect, Grow!** One Way Club (age 4 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade) and G180 (6<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade) at the Weston campus both start up on Wednesday, September 11 from 6:00–7:30 pm.

**Go!** Weston Community Service Day – Impact Cares event at Colonial Gardens mobile home park. There will

be opportunities to do painting, yard work, small repairs, etc. on Saturday, September 21 from 8:30 am – 5:00 pm. Register at <https://hcc-register.com/>.

**Go!** D.C. Everest Head Start is meeting this year at the Weston Campus. Do you want to have an impact on these little ones? Volunteer to read once a week, or once a month, to the children who attend. It is always encouraging to have godly adult role models to impact this next generation! Contact Pastor Dan at [dmacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:dmacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com) if you are interested in this opportunity.

## Women’s Ministry

**Attention Women:** Do you want to know what is going on with Women’s Ministries? Sign up to be on the email list to get updates about women’s studies and events. Go to [www.highlandcommunitychurch.com](http://www.highlandcommunitychurch.com) and scroll to the bottom of the page to sign up. If you have questions, contact Sue MacDonald, Director of Women’s Ministries, at [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Women’s Mountain Warrior Hike:** Hiking is a wonderful way to connect with God, giving us time to think, pray and commune with Him, while being surrounded by the beautiful landscape He has created. Join us for a brief devotional and hike on September 15 at 4:00 pm and October 13 at 2:00 pm. Meet at the Rib Mountain Quarry Trail off of Grouse Lane. To sign up, contact Jeanine McCain at [jeanine.mccain29@gmail.com](mailto:jeanine.mccain29@gmail.com) or call/text her at 715-571-0029 by the Friday before the hike.

**Moms In Prayer International:** MIPI desires to impact children and schools worldwide for Christ by gathering groups of two or more women (mom, grandmas, aunts) to pray during the school year. The vision for MIPI is that every school in the world would be covered with prayer. Moms In Prayer groups meet weekly (for one hour) during the school year. There are several groups in the Wausau area which meet to pray for K-12 schools and colleges. For more information on these groups and Moms In Prayer, or to learn how to start a group for your child’s school, contact Debbie Myhrer, the Moms In Prayer area coordinator, at [debbiemyhrer@gmail.com](mailto:debbiemyhrer@gmail.com) or 715-551-6076. Visit MIPI’s website at [www.momsinprayer.org](http://www.momsinprayer.org).

**Bless Our Schools Sunday:** Moms In Prayer (MIP) flyers and bookmarks will be available at each campus lobby as resources for praying for our children and their schools.

**Ladies Luncheon:** Join us for fellowship on the last Thursday of every month at 11:00 am at Mandarin Chinese Restaurant (150 E Stewart Ave, Wausau). If you plan on attending, RSVP to Jeanne Becker at 715-675-3494 or Peggy Jaeger at 715-574-1814.



**Grapevine Cards:** Do you enjoy writing and sending cards? Grapevine's Card Ministry is eager for you to join. If you like to make cards that is great, if not we have ladies who will make them for you. Grapevine sends cards to those in the church that need encouragement. This is a growing ministry and we would love for you to get involved. If interested, please contact Cathy Livingston at [livingstoncd@gmail.com](mailto:livingstoncd@gmail.com) or 715-536-3606.

**Women's Ministries Fall Kickoff Night:** Tuesday, September 10 from 6:00–7:30 pm at the Wausau campus. **Connect** through fellowship, **Grow** in worship & devotion, and **Go** reach girls in need! Come enjoy a night of fellowship and worship and find out how you can get involved in Women's Ministries. Bring a dish to pass for the potluck supper and a feminine product to donate to girls in need in our local schools. All women (and girls 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up) are welcome! If you plan to attend, please register at <https://hcc-register.com/>. If you have questions, contact Chris Mergen at [chris.mergen@gmail.com](mailto:chris.mergen@gmail.com) or 715-573-9248.

**IF:Table:** Ladies are invited to gather around the table – a place to gather and share a simple meal – while diving deeper over real stories and Christ-centered conversations. We meet after the women's Bible study classes on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month: **September 11**, October 9, November 13, and December 11 from 11:15 am – 12:15 pm in the Café (Wausau campus). Please make a commitment to attend all four lunches. Bring your own lunch. Childcare is provided, but bring lunch for your child(ren). To sign up for the IF:Table and childcare, register online at <https://hcc-register.com/>. If you have questions, call Lori Schlais at 715-845-0178.

**Ladies' Day at Forest Springs – Thursday, September 12:** Ladies' Day is all about being encouraged, equipped and transformed by God's Word. The guest speaker is Rachel Inouye. Register online at [www.forestsprings.us](http://www.forestsprings.us) or call them at 715-427-5241. Cost: \$26. Meet at the Wausau campus at 7:15 am if you would like to carpool. If you have questions, contact Sue MacDonald at [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Mothers of Preschoolers:** Are you a mom with young children looking for community, support, and encouragement? Join MOPS! Mothers of Preschoolers is a community of women in the thick of mothering young children. We meet at the Wausau campus on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays every month (September 10–May 26) from 9:00–11:15 am. Childcare is provided, but registration is required. For information, contact Amanda McLellan at 715-212-3643 or [WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com).

**MOMSnext:** This ministry is for moms whose children are elementary school age. Join us as we seek to encourage and learn from each other! We meet in conjunction with MOPS, breaking off from time to time for

topics more specific to our stage of mothering. For more information, contact Molly Markey at 716-867-5539 or [WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com).

**MOPS & MOMSnext Kickoff:** Both groups will kick off on Tuesday, September 10 from 9:15–11:15 am in the Café room (Wausau campus). Registration ahead of time is much appreciated and will secure a childcare spot. If you have questions, please send your email to [WausauHighlandMOPS@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMOPS@gmail.com).

**Card Ministry:** Are you interested in fellowship and exchanging homemade cards? If so, call/text Paulette Lang at 715-581-0407. Meets on the second Thursday of every other month, from 6:45–8:00 pm in room B6 at the Wausau campus.

### WOMEN'S FALL BIBLE STUDIES



#### **TUESDAYS in THE WORD in Merrill!**

**Knowing the Bible: Ruth and Esther** (by Kathleen R. Nielson): This 12-week study explores two of the most memorable stories in the Bible and highlights the love and faithfulness of God displayed in the books of Ruth and Esther. Starts Tuesday, September 10 from 9:00–11:00 am. Led by Cheryl Wright (715-536-1290). The class meets at the home of Laurie Jensen (N205 Riverview Ave, Merrill). Cost: \$10. Childcare not provided. Register online.

**Tuesday Evening in Merrill: A Young Women's Bible Study (Women in Their 20s & 30s): Unseen: The Gift of Being Hidden in a World That Loves to be Noticed** (by Sara Hagerty): Women sometimes spend whole seasons feeling unnoticed and unappreciated. So how do we find contentment when we feel so hidden? In *Unseen*, Sara Hagerty suggests that this is exactly what God intended. He is the only One who truly knows us. He is the only One who understands the value of the unseen in our lives. When this truth seeps into our souls, we realize that only when we hide ourselves in God can we give ourselves to others in true freedom—and know the joy of a deeper relationship with the God who sees us. Led by Jean Ann Nelessen (920-944-2625). Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm starting September 24. The study will meet at Jean Ann's home (N366 Lake Road, Merrill). Cost: \$14. Please register online by September 11 to have a book ordered for you. Childcare not provided.

#### **NEW TO THE LIST at the Merrill Campus!!**

**Finding God Faithful: A Study on the Life of Joseph:** Trace the path of Joseph's life in the book of Genesis to observe how God's sovereignty reigns, even in our darkest moments. Learn to recognize when God is working during periods of waiting, trust God's plan when life doesn't make sense, and rest in the sufficiency of His presence in every circumstance. His provision is enough,

His presence is constant, and His purpose is unstoppable. Thursday evenings (8 sessions), starting September 19, from 6:15-8:15 pm. Meets at the Merrill campus. Led by Amy Steffen. Cost: \$15. Childcare not provided. To sign up, please contact Amy at [amyjsteffen@gmail.com](mailto:amyjsteffen@gmail.com) or 720-434-9430.

***The Armor of God*** (by Priscilla Shirer): All day, every day, an invisible war rages around you—unseen, unheard, yet felt throughout every aspect of your life. The enemy seeks to disable you spiritually and wreak havoc on your heart, your mind, your marriage, your children, your relationships, your resilience, and your fellowship with God. But his battle plan depends on catching you unaware and unarmed. This study will challenge you to suit up, stand firm, and enjoy God’s victory in your life. Meets every other Tuesday from 6:30–8:00 pm starting October 8—February 4. This study will meet at the Merrill campus. Led by Angela Aldrich (715-218-0741 or [chrisandangelaaldrich@gmail.com](mailto:chrisandangelaaldrich@gmail.com)) and Katie Aldrich. Cost is \$16.00. Register online by September 23 to have a book ordered for you. Childcare not provided.



**WEDNESDAY MORNING Bible Studies at the Wausau Campus — Starting September 4 — 9:00–11:00 am**

**Wednesday Morning Bible Study Brunch Kickoff:**

Register online for the class you want and then plan to join us for a potluck brunch and fellowship on September 4 from 9:00–11:00 am at the Wausau campus. The brunch will be the first hour, followed by the first class for each study. Come enjoy a time of food and fellowship. Last names beginning with A-L, please bring fruit. Last names beginning with M-Z, please bring a main dish.

**Attention Moms:** *Childcare is offered for infants – 4 years concurrent with the Wednesday morning Women’s Bible studies. Pre-registration for childcare is required; sign up online as you register for your Bible study class. If there is a waiting list for childcare, you will be notified via email. Scholarships are available for those needing assistance. The cost is \$40 for one child; \$50 for two children; \$60 for three children or more.*

***The Book of Ruth:*** In the book of Ruth, God teaches us about His grace and redemption. It’s encouraging to know that God is not idle, even in the darkest of times. Ruth was a widow from a cursed land who just happened to wander into Boaz’s field and experienced redemption because of God’s sovereignty. In eight weeks (September 4—October 23) we will walk through these four chapters and see how God uses ordinary people like you and me to bring Him glory—even in the worst of times. Led by Joanne Altman. No cost. Register online.

***Living Beyond Yourself: Exploring the Fruit of the Spirit*** (by Beth Moore): This 11-week study provides a personal interactive study experience five days a week. This is an

in-depth women's Bible study of the fruit of the Holy Spirit as presented in the book of Galatians. Beth will walk you through each trait listed in the fruit and encourages women to know the freedom of a Spirit-filled life. Beth challenges you to develop the fruit by maintaining an intimate relationship with the Spirit of God. A Spirit-filled life truly results in living beyond yourself. Led by Teresa Stine. Please order your own book. Register online.

***Chase: Chasing After the Heart of God*** (by Jennie Allen): God is invisible, yet He is the only thing we can chase that won’t leave us feeling empty. God has carved out a space in each of us that only He can fill. So whether you are running from God or working your tail off to please Him, David’s journey will challenge your view of God. *Chase* explores the events that defined David’s life and the Psalms that flowed out of those experiences. Through David’s example we’ll discover what God really wants from us. The lessons in this study are simple, yet deep and very interactive, offering Bible study, stories, and projects to dig into Scripture and deeply engage the minds and hearts of participants. Led by Missy Whalen. Please order your own book. Register online.

***The Book of Philemon:*** This book (containing only 25 verses) is an often overlooked book of the Bible. Through an exegetical study of Paul’s letter to a 1st century slave owner, topics such as reconciliation (with God and between believers) and koinonia (Christian fellowship) will be explored. Led by Tarisa Brown. No cost. Register online.

**REGISTER FOR CLASSES:** Register online at <https://hcc-register.com/>. You will need to order your own book as the deadline has passed. After registering for a study or event you will receive a confirmation email. If you do not receive that email, contact Sue MacDonald at [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

Scholarships are available for any of these studies. Please contact Sue for more information.

## Young Adults Ministry



The Young Adults Ministry is for anyone college-age through their 30s, whether married, single, or dating. We meet in the Café room at the Wausau campus on **Monday nights**. The coffee bar opens at 6:00 pm; the study starts at 6:30 pm. For more information, contact Pastor Sam at [sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

### September Schedule

- 2 No Young Adults in honor of Labor Day
- 9 *Authenticity in Adversity*
- 16 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday Worship Service

- 22 Amazing Race (see below)
- 23 *Authenticity in Prosperity*
- 30 *Authentic Relationships*

**Amazing Race:** Join us on Sunday, September 22 for our Amazing Race event which will take place throughout Wausau! We will start at the Wausau campus at 2:00 pm. Email [ademoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:ademoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com) to register. The cost is \$5 per person with five people per team; teams will be determined the day of the event. Space is limited to 25 teams, so register now!

**Young Adults T-shirts:** We now have pocket tees with our Young Adults logo available for purchase. Cost \$13. If interested, contact Amy DeMoss.

For more information on events, contact Amy DeMoss at [ademoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:ademoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

## Youth Ministries (Grade 6 to 12)

**Merrill Campus G180 Parent Info Meeting:** Wednesday, September 4 from 6:00–7:30 pm in the Merrill campus sanctuary. Parents and students are invited to meet Pastor Jarrod and the Student Ministry staff to hear about the upcoming school year, the ministry as a whole, and get to know the ins-and-outs of Generation180 Student Ministry. Coffee and treats will be available!

**G180 Kickoff:** Calling all students in grades 6-12! Meet us Wednesday, September 11 for Generation180's Kickoff! G180 Wausau will meet from 6:00–8:00 pm at the Willow Springs Round Barn and G180 Weston will meet at the Weston campus from 6:00–7:30 pm. See you there! Merrill's G180 kickoff will be on September 18 at the Merrill campus.

**Sunday School:** Classes for teens are available at all four campus sites! Marathon, Weston, and Wausau classes are held at 9:20 am (starting September 8); Merrill's class is at 9:00 am on Sunday mornings (year round). Please join us – info can be found at [www.highlandg180.com](http://www.highlandg180.com)!

**Storm the Mountain:** Sunday, September 22 from 4:00–8:00 pm. We will hike up the south trails of Rib Mountain to enjoy a time of worship and devotion in the amphitheater at the summit. Drop-off and pick-up will be at the South Mountain Elementary School parking lot (at the end of Jonquil Lane just past the DMV). Bring a sack dinner, water bottle, flashlight, and friends for this exciting night of outdoor fun, fall colors, and worship. Refreshments will be available at the top of the mountain. This event is for all students in 6<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade and it is a great way to meet new people and bring a few friends!

**See You at the Pole:** On September 25 join with students across the country as everyone meets at their school flag pole to pray for half an hour before school. There will also be an evening "Saw You at the Pole" rally involving students from area youth groups. This will be the main event for G180 that evening. Details will be provided closer to the event date!

**G180 2019–2020 Calendar of Events:** Our year-long calendar is available online on September 1 at the Connection Point at all four campus sites on September 8. Feel free to grab one, or download it from [www.highlandg180.com](http://www.highlandg180.com)!

**G180 Social Media:** Stay connected with G180 online! **Facebook:** @highlandg180; **Instagram:** highlandg180; or check out the youth web page at [www.highlandg180.com](http://www.highlandg180.com). **NO MORE TWITTER!**

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# OVERVIEW OF MINISTRIES

A listing of regularly scheduled activities, services, and ministries of Highland

## New To Highland

Welcome! At Highland we want to help you take the next step in your relationship with Christ. Whether you are exploring church for the first time, returning after many years, or are a long-time Christ follower new to the community, we would like to help you take your next step. **CONNECT:** We encourage you to get involved in our Highland community. This could be a social group, a Bible study group, men's group, women's group, Care Group, or more. **GROW:** Attend our Orientation Class (offered a couple times per year); and/or attend one of our many adult studies. **GO:** We have found that serving in the church and in the community helps people take the next step in ways that GROW and CONNECT alone just can't do.

## General Listings

**Amazon Smile:** Here's a simple way to support Highland, at no cost to you. At [smile.amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com), you'll find the exact same low prices and vast selection as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to Highland!

**Births:** If you are a regular attender and have a new baby or adoption in your family, contact the office. We'll put a rose on stage in their honor and the birth/adoption will be announced in the next month's Highland Happenings.

**Body & Soul Fitness:** We believe that fitness involves more than just your body. We care about the health of your body and soul. This all-in-one workout burns calories, builds core and overall strength, improves flexibility and balance, and increases your energy level. Cardio, strength/interval training offers all this and more, with an uplifting positive message through the music. Classes meet on Mondays and Thursdays at 5:45 pm. For details, call Janet Reid, AAFA certified fitness instructor, at 715-921-4444 or go to [www.bodyandsoul.org](http://www.bodyandsoul.org).

**Centershot Ministry:** This archery sport league is for age 10 and up. Sessions include Bible study and target shooting; equipment is provided. This is a great outreach for family and friends. Sessions are held at the Marathon and Weston campus sites. Parents and grandparents are encouraged to attend. Pre-registration is necessary, as space is limited for each session. To register for the next session, or for information, contact Chris Janke at 715-571-7037 or [centershot@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:centershot@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Coffee Ministries:** A regular rotation of volunteers serve the congregation at each campus site. If you are interested in this ministry opportunity contact:

- Marathon: Heather Benes (715-443-2584)
- Wausau: Janna Janke at 715-842-5683 or [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com);
- Weston: Betty Tellekson at 715-359-6477 or [halm0103@yahoo.com](mailto:halm0103@yahoo.com) or Karen LeSage at 715-359-2618
- Merrill: Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Congregational Life Ministry:** This ministry includes: the Free Sale, Thanksgiving Soup & Pie Potluck, funeral meals, and meals made and delivered to homes. Many volunteers are needed in this ministry to give comfort and encouragement to those in need. If you are interested in serving in any of these areas, contact Betty Tellekson at [halm0103@yahoo.com](mailto:halm0103@yahoo.com) or 715-359-6477.

**Facebook Groups of Highland:** Our Facebook open groups and pages include: the Church in general, Youth group, One Way Club group, Singles group, Women's Bible Study group, and a Centershot Ministries group. Join one to stay in community when online.

**First Fruits – Highland's Electronic Giving Program:** To participate, fill out the authorization form found in our *First Fruits* brochure. Find it in the lobby or on our website. For information, contact Debra Schonscheck at [dschonscheck@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:dschonscheck@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Highland App:** Text *HighlandCCApp* to 77977 to download Highland's updated App. Be sure to say yes to allowing the App to send you notifications (even when you are not in the App) so you can learn of important notices like cancellations. The new app has a dynamic home page with weekly updates. The media page contains audio/video teachings, and sermon notes and questions that you can type in and save to your device. Have you ever wanted to know what songs we sang this week? Now you can look them up on the Sunday Set List. Send us prayer requests, read the Bible, register for classes, and so much more.

**Highland Community Church Cookbook:** Available in the church office during office hours or at the Wausau campus Connection Point counter. The donation is up to the purchaser; funds go to the Sudan Mission Project.

**Highland's Lay Elders:** Steve Clements, Dennis DeLoye, Tony Morice, Rimon Moses, Dan Myhrer, and Steve Vandenberg.

**Hospital Visits:** If you are scheduled for surgery, or end up in the hospital, and would like a visit please contact the church office. While the hospitals request information about your home church, they do not let us know you are there. Please know that the pastoral staff is not always on Facebook, so though you may put your hospitalization or surgery on Facebook, we may not see it.

**Grapevine Ministry:** This ministry serves to encourage those in need through (loaned) home medical equipment, and handmade cards of encouragement. Contact: Kathy Comport at 715-675-3557.

**Greeters:** If you would like to serve as a welcoming face, we would love to talk with you about this vital ministry.

- Marathon: Jane Thompson (715-443-3092)
- Traditions: Michele Sattler (715-551-4974)
- Wausau: Alyson Halbrook (715-218-0612)
- Weston: Karen Arnold (715-297-0809)
- Merrill: Pastor Adam DeBroux (715-842-5683)

**Libraries:** Each campus has a library of books that can be checked out. Wausau campus materials can be viewed at [www.highland.mysurpass.net](http://www.highland.mysurpass.net). Need a library checkout code for the Wausau campus? Please email your name and phone number to Krista at [im4gbp@yahoo.com](mailto:im4gbp@yahoo.com).

**Meal Ministry:** Show Christ's love by providing a meal for those in our church body who have just had a baby, surgery, etc. Meals can be as simple as delivering a pizza. If willing to help, contact Cheryl Teske at 715-693-0566.

**Missions Committee Meetings:** If you have a heart for missions and would like information about the next meeting, please contact Pastor Andrew Gutberlet at [missions@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:missions@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Prayer Chain Ministry:** If you would like to be involved in this vital ministry, and are willing to confidentially pray for requests that come in, let us know you. Send an email (with your name included) to the office at [office@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:office@highlandcommunitychurch.com) and we will add you to our prayer chain.

**Prayer Requests:** Blank prayer cards are located at the Connection Point and in the Friendship Registers. Completed prayer cards may be placed in the offering basket or lobby drop box. Or, contact the office at 715-842-5683 or [office@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:office@highlandcommunitychurch.com) to submit non-confidential requests for our email prayer chain.

**Prayer Meeting in Wausau:** Join us Wednesday mornings at 7:10 am in the Wausau campus library to pray for the needs of the church body.

**Sermons Available Online:** Watch or listen to a sermon, or encourage a friend to hear what the Scriptures say about a topic! Find them on our teaching page at

[www.highlandcommunitychurch.com](http://www.highlandcommunitychurch.com), on our App, or on podcast.

**Traditions Service:** Did you know Highland offers a choice of worship styles? Our Traditions service continues the rich tradition of worshiping God through hymns with piano accompaniment. It's a smaller service with a friendly, welcoming family atmosphere where it's easy to know everyone's name. This service is held each Sunday at 8:50 am (*during the summer*) or at 10:20 am (*during the school year*) in room B12 at the Wausau campus.

## Adult Co-Ed & Sunday School Classes

**Sunday School:** Each campus offers adult Sunday school class(es). Merrill's classes start at 9:00 am (all year). Wausau, Weston, and Marathon classes resume on September 8 and meet at 9:20 am each Sunday during the school year (except during Christmas and Easter breaks).

## Children's Ministry

**Sunday School:** Sunday school for age 2 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade meets during the school year at 9:20 am at Wausau, Weston, and Marathon; it will resume on September 8. Merrill's Sunday school starts at 9:00 am (all year).

**One Way Club (Wausau and Weston Campus Sites):** Meets Wednesdays, from 6:00–8:00 pm (7:30 pm for the Weston campus), from mid-September through mid-April.

**Awana—Merrill Campus:** Starts Monday, September 9 at 6:00 pm. Children age 4 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to a time of singing, games, learning, and fun dress themes each week. If you have questions, please contact Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Puppet Ministry:** *His Plans Our Hands* black light puppet ministry is open to children age 4 (with adult) – 18 years. Practices are held at the Weston campus. For more information, contact Bram Jarvis at 715-370-0099.

## Men's Ministry

Please check out the current studies under Men's Ministry in the front half of this document.

## Singles' Ministry

**All Single Adults:** Single adults of all ages are invited to attend studies or other events that meet at Highland. Feel free to join any group at any time.

**Journeys:** For singles age 40 and older. Our Friday Night Fellowship is a safe place to develop genuine, godly friendships and grow together in Christ through His Word and prayer. We meet from 7:00–8:30 pm in room

B12 at the Wausau campus. Check Highland's online calendar for current social events. Singles under 40 are also welcome. For more information, or to receive email updates, contact Louise Cooke at 715-212-5040 or [louisechristfollower@gmail.com](mailto:louisechristfollower@gmail.com).

## Women's Ministry

**Attention Women:** Do you want to know what is going on with Women's Ministries? Sign up to be on our email list to get updates about women's studies and events. Go to [www.highlandcommunitychurch.com](http://www.highlandcommunitychurch.com) and scroll to the bottom of the page to sign up. If you have questions, contact Sue MacDonald, Director of Women's Ministries, at [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**Women's Bible Studies:** Studies meet throughout the school year on a various days at our campus sites. Classes meet Wednesdays, from 9:00–11:00 am, at the Wausau campus. Find current studies listed under Women's Ministry in the front half of this document.

**Attention Moms:** *Childcare is offered for infants – 4 years concurrent with the Wednesday morning Women's Bible studies. Pre-registration for childcare is required; sign-up online as you register for your Bible study class. If there is a waiting list for childcare, you will be notified via email. Childcare cost is due the first day of class. The cost is \$40 for one child; \$50 for two children; \$60 for three children or more. Scholarships are available for childcare—contact Sue MacDonald at [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com).*

**Moms In Prayer International:** MIPI desires to impact children and schools worldwide for Christ by gathering women to pray. The vision is that every school in the world would be covered with prayer. Moms In Prayer groups meet weekly during the school year; there are several groups in the Wausau area which meet to pray for K-12 schools and colleges. For more information on these groups and/or Moms In Prayer, or to learn how to start a group, contact Debbie Myhrer, the Marathon County area coordinator, at 715-551-6076 or [debbiemyhrer@gmail.com](mailto:debbiemyhrer@gmail.com).

**Mothers of Preschoolers:** Are you a mom with young children looking for community, support, and encouragement? Join MOPS! Mothers of Preschoolers is a community of women in the thick of mothering young children. We meet at the Wausau campus on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays every month (September – May) from 9:00–11:15 am. Childcare is provided, but registration is required. For information, contact Amanda McLellan at 715-212-3643 or [WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com).

**MOMSnext:** This ministry is for moms whose children are elementary school age. Join us as we seek to encourage and learn from each other! We meet in conjunction with MOPS, breaking off from time to time for topics more specific to our stage of mothering. For more

information, contact Molly Markey at 716-867-5539 or [WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com).

**Grapevine Cards:** Do you enjoy writing and sending cards? Grapevine Cards ministry is eager for you to join. If you like to make cards that is great; if not, we have ladies who will make them for you. Grapevine sends cards out to those in the church that need extra encouragement. This is a growing ministry and we would love for you to get involved. Contact: Cathy Livingston at [livingstoncd@gmail.com](mailto:livingstoncd@gmail.com) or 715-536-3606.

## Worship Ministry

**Worship Ministry:** If you are interested in being a part of the Worship Ministry pick up a "Worship and Arts Ministry: Application to Serve" in the lobby. Ministry areas include: music (bass guitar, drums, keyboard, electric guitar, acoustic guitar, and voice), visual media (ProPresenter), drama, audio, lighting, media, camera operation, graphic design, and event planning. Please fill out the application and return to the church office.

## Young Adults Ministry

The Young Adults Ministry is for anyone college-age through their 30s, whether married, single, or dating. We meet on **Monday nights** in the Café room at the Wausau campus. The coffee bar opens at 6:00 pm; the study starts at 6:30 pm. For more information, contact Pastor Sam at [sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

## Youth Ministry

**Email Updates for Parents of Youth:** If you would like to receive updates about Highland's Youth Ministry, contact Trudy at [tmorice@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:tmorice@highlandcommunitychurch.com).

**G180:** G180 is the Junior High and Senior High Youth Ministry at Highland. Our name describes a generation of youth who desire to turn 180° from the world and toward Christ. Our goal is to equip youth to grow in their relationship with Christ, build healthy friendships, and learn from God's Word. While the Jr. High (grades 6 to 8) and Sr. High (grades 9 to 12) groups both meet on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 – 8:00 pm during the school year, each group has separate programs aside from combined worship and a few events. There is also Sunday school, yearly trips, special events, leadership opportunities, and so much more for youth. Just ask us!

**Youth Sunday School Classes:** Sunday school for grades 6 to 12 meets during the school year at 9:20 am at each campus

## Ministry Contacts

**Body & Soul Fitness:** Janet Reid at 715-921-4444 or [janetreidrdh@gmail.com](mailto:janetreidrdh@gmail.com)

**Adult Co-Ed & Sunday School Studies:** Pastor Isaiah DeMoss at [idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Adult Life Groups:** Janna Janke at [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Centershot (archery- Bible study for ages 10 and up):** Chris Janke at 715-571-7037 or [centershot@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:centershot@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Children's Ministries: (Children's Church, Nursery, One Way Club, Sunday School, VBS)**

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**Merrill Awanas:** Ross Landes at 715-539-6677

**Coffee Ministry:**

**Marathon:** Heather Benes at 715-443-2584

**Merrill:** Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Wausau:** Janna Janke at [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Weston:** Betty Tellekson at 715-359-6477 or [halm0103@yahoo.com](mailto:halm0103@yahoo.com); Karen LeSage at 715-359-2618

**Community Service:** Janna Janke at [jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jjanke@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Congregational Life:** Betty Tellekson at 715-359-6477 or [halm0103@yahoo.com](mailto:halm0103@yahoo.com)

**Electronic Giving:** Debra Schonscheck at [dschonscheck@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:dschonscheck@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Facility Scheduling:** Jolene Fenwick at [jfenwick@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jfenwick@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Grapevine Ministry (respite equipment and cards for the HCC Body):** Kathy Comport at 715-675-3557 or Cathy Livingston at 715-536-3606, or Debbie Zastrow at 715-675-3881

**Greeter Ministry:**

**Marathon Campus:** Jane Thompson at 715-443-3092

**Merrill:** Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Wausau Campus:** Alyson Halbrook at 715-218-0612 or [alysonh2u@gmail.com](mailto:alysonh2u@gmail.com)

**Traditions Service:** Michele Sattler at 715-551-4974 or [michelesattler@gmail.com](mailto:michelesattler@gmail.com)

**Weston Campus:** Karen Arnold at 715-297-0809 or [popcornka@yahoo.com](mailto:popcornka@yahoo.com)

**Meal Ministry:** Cheryl Teske at 715-693-0566

**Men's Ministry:** Dan Fiorenza at [dgfcampmore@gmail.com](mailto:dgfcampmore@gmail.com) or Pastor Isaiah DeMoss at [idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:idemoss@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Wausau Campus:** Dan Fiorenza at [dgfcampmore@gmail.com](mailto:dgfcampmore@gmail.com)

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**Moms In Prayer:** Debbie Myhrer at 715-848-5164 or [debbiemyhrer@gmail.com](mailto:debbiemyhrer@gmail.com)

**MOMSnext (for moms of elementary children who don't have preschoolers):** Molly Markey at 716-867-5539 or

[WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com)

**Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS- mothers of preschoolers):** Amanda McLellan at 715-212-3643 or [WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com](mailto:WausauHighlandMops@gmail.com)

**Nifty Fifties Group:** Jeff or Jeanne Klapperich at 715-845-3543 or [jmklapperich@juno.com](mailto:jmklapperich@juno.com)

**Prayer Chain:** Highland's office at [office@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:office@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Singles' Group (age 40+) called Journeys:** Louise Cooke at [louisechristfollower@gmail.com](mailto:louisechristfollower@gmail.com) or 715-212-5040

**Usher Ministry:**

**Marathon:** Nick Arneson at 715-573-0673 or [narneson@churchmutual.com](mailto:narneson@churchmutual.com); Andy Tikalsky at 715-203-9307 or

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**Merrill:** Pastor Adam DeBroux at [adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:adebroux@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Wausau:** Miles Hoyt at 715-680-8772 or [edbdv8@hotmail.com](mailto:edbdv8@hotmail.com)

**Traditions Service:** Michele Sattler at 715-551-4974 or [michelesattler@gmail.com](mailto:michelesattler@gmail.com)

**Weston:** John Drinville at 715-302-5500 at [flockofeagleswi@gmail.com](mailto:flockofeagleswi@gmail.com)

**Women's Ministry:** Sue MacDonald at 715-842-5683 or [smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:smacdonald@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Worship Ministry:** Pastor Jeff Weiss at [jweiss@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jweiss@highlandcommunitychurch.com)

**Young Adults (20s/30s) Group:** Pastor Sam DeLoye at [sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:sdeloye@highlandcommunitychurch.com);

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**Youth Ministry:** Pastor Jarrod Stichter at [jstichter@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:jstichter@highlandcommunitychurch.com); Trudy Morice at [tmorice@highlandcommunitychurch.com](mailto:tmorice@highlandcommunitychurch.com)