

GOD BEYOND MEASURE

BOUNDLESS

SUMMER 2022

EPHESIANS 3:18-19

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ministries

GREETINGS FROM CAMP!

"I pray that you and all of God's people will understand what is called wide or long or high or deep. I want you to know all about Christ's love, although it is too wonderful to be measured. Then your lives will be filled with all that God is." • Ephesians 3:18-19

Think about something big. Bigger! BIGGER! God is beyond what we can imagine, know, or surmise, yet we are called into relationship with the one who created us, sustains us, and loves us. This summer at Green Lake Lutheran Ministries, we will explore the vastness of our God, the endless ways in which God meets us where we are at, and the-out-of-the-box ways that God calls us to be boundless too. Let's enter into the mystery together!

Summer will be here sooner than we know, and we are so excited to welcome you to another summer here at camp! Our 2022 programming has a lot to offer with programming for ALL ages! Spend some time looking through this brochure, and start picturing yourself around a campfire with new and old friends, under the stars, and experiencing your faith in new and exciting ways!

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The GLLM Program Team



THREE SITES

Located along beautiful shores of Minnesota lakes, Green Lake Lutheran Ministries is a partnership of vibrant camps and congregations sharing the life-changing love of Jesus in vibrant camp and retreat settings. GLLM is affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America.



Camp House

Camp House is an old railroad camp set in Minnesota's northwoods. Located on beautiful Lake George, this site sits on 120 acres near Brimson, Minnesota, about 30 minutes north of Two Harbors. Camp House offers a peaceful and rustic setting that is near several North Shores attractions. It is open for summer camp and retreats June through September, and primarily serves middle school, high school and family campers. With little to no cell phone service, Camp House is a great place to truly get away and focus on your faith!



Green Lake Bible Camp

Green Lake Bible Camp is the year-round home to Green Lake Lutheran Ministries' camping and retreat ministry. Offering a variety of housing options, GLBC hosts many different summer camp programs for middle school and high school campers, as well as GLLM's Family Camp ministry. GLBC also hosts private retreats, family reunions, and special events. The historic Green Lake Bible Camp Stave Chapel is a beautiful spot for worships throughout the year. With a beautiful lake and bountiful woods, GLBC is a great camp setting for all ages.



Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp

Located on the east shore of Lake Andrew, Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp is the vibrant home to summer camp for 1st-7th graders. St. Andrew's Village, where families and retreat guests enjoy rentable private accommodations and a common lodge for fellowship, is also a key part of this great site. Shores boasts 54 acres of beautiful land including wonderful swimming beaches and woods to explore. Adjacent to Sibley State Park, Shores is also home to the beautiful Marble Church, a historic church that was moved on site in 2002.



2022 SCHEDULE



IMPORTANT DATES

Summer Camp Registration opens • December 13, 2021

Early Bird Discount ends • February 15, 2022

First Day of Camp • June 12, 2022

Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp

Green Lake Bible Camp

Camp House

	Grades 1-4	Grades 2-5	Grades 5-7	Various Ages	Grades 7-9	Grades 9-12	Chrysalis House	Various Ages
Week 1: June 12-16	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers	Fishing Camp	Stargazers	SIT	Open for Retreat Bookings	Confirmation North
Week 2: June 19-23	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers		Stargazers		Pastor's Family Camp	MS Servant Adventure & HS Up North
Week 3: June 26-30	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers		Stargazers		Retreat Booking	Family Camp North & HS Up North
Week 4: July 3-7	Fourth of July Week							
Week 5: July 10-14	Congregational Booking				Stargazers		Retreat Booking	Congregational Retreats
Week 6: July 17-21	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers	On-Site Day Camp	Stargazers		Grandparent & Grandchild Camp	Congregational Retreats
Week 7: July 24-28	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers		Stargazers		Family Camp	Congregational Retreats
Week 8: July 31 - August 4	Half Blast	Andy's Gang	Trailblazers	On-Site Day Camp	Congregational Booking		Camp Joy	Congregational Retreats
Week 9: August 7-11	Open for Retreat & Day Camp Bookings				Open for Retreat & Day Camp Bookings			Congregational Retreats

REGISTRATION DETAILS

To register:

- Registration is available online at www.gllm.org. You can use the same username and password if you registered online last summer. If you are a new user to this system, you can create a new account. **Online registration is the best and most streamlined way for you to register and is highly encouraged.** However, another option is to register via mail by completing a paper registration form (found online or in this brochure) and mailing, along with a \$150 deposit, to: Green Lake Lutheran Ministries, Attn: Registrar, 9916 Lake Avenue South, Spicer, Minnesota 56288
- Programs should be registered for based on the grade your camper has **completed by the summer of 2022.**

Important Dates:

- Online and paper registration will open on **December 13, 2022.**
- Early Bird discount (\$50.00 off per registered program) ends **February 15, 2022.**
- Final camper payments will be requested by **May 27, 2022.**

Payment Notes & Discounts:

- Registrations received through February 15, 2022 will get the "Early Bird" discount of \$50.00 off each registered program. \$150 deposit will be required to complete the Early Bird discount. Registrations received after February 15 will be charged in full.
- A sibling discount of \$15.00 for a full week and \$10.00 for Half Blast can be applied for families registering multiple children.
- We are utilizing tiered pricing again this year. See page 6 for more details.
- If you would like to set up a payment plan, please contact our Registrar at 320-796-2181.

Scholarships:

We want camp to be available to everyone who wants to come! Many churches offer scholarships to help with the cost of camp. In addition, if you would like to apply for financial assistance through GLLM, please fill out a Scholarship Application. This form can be found in this brochure, on our website, or requested by calling camp at 320-796-2181. GLLM will send a confirmation email or letter to you upon processing your request.

Cancellations:

Cancellations received 30 days before the camper's arrival date will receive a refund minus a \$50 administration fee. All other cancellations are non-refundable. Exceptions may be made due to family emergencies, illness and the status of the COVID-19 pandemic.



TIERED PRICING

You will notice that each of our programs have three pricing options to choose from. This is because GLLM utilizes tiered pricing. When you make the decision to send your child to Bible camp, you are making a choice that will impact your child's life long after the week at camp is over. Spending time in community with joyful worship, loving counselors, caring peers, the beauty of nature, and a focus on the life-changing love of Jesus is something that holds tremendous value. In a world full of distractions, Bible camp is a place where kids can grow in the confidence that they are beloved children of God. How do you put a price on an experience like this that can change a life forever?



	TIER 1 45% Annual Fund Supported	TIER 2 25% Annual Fund Supported	TIER 3 True Value of Camp
On-Site Day Camps	\$105	\$145	\$185
Half Blast	\$255	\$355	\$475
Andy's Gang Trailblazers Stargazers Confirmation North Staff-in-Training (SIT)	\$510	\$715	\$950
High School Up North Servant Adventure	\$585	\$805	\$1,025
Fishing Camp	\$640	\$875	\$1,115
Grandparent & Grandchild Camp	\$450 Family Max \$150 per adult \$75 per youth	\$600 Family Max \$200 per adult \$100 per youth	\$800 Family Max \$265 per adult \$135 per youth
Family Camp Family Camp North Pastor's Family Camp *Infants and Preschoolers stay free!	\$800 Family Max \$260 per adult \$140 per youth	\$1,040 Family Max \$350 per adult \$170 per youth	\$1,380 Family Max \$455 per adult \$235 per youth

Green Lake Lutheran Ministries prioritizes making the camp experience affordable for families. Each year, through our scholarship program, we strive to make sure everyone has the chance to attend camp. However, as the cost of camp has increased over time, our fees have not increased at the same rate. To help bridge the gap between the true value of camp and our actual fees, we use a system called "tiered" pricing.

Understanding that the value of camp is hard to put a price tag on, Tier 3 represents the true cost of the time that your camper will spend at camp. Tiers 1 and 2 are subsidized through our general fund. We ask that you consider paying the highest tier your finances allow, but what you pay is completely up to you! Your camper's experience will be life-changing regardless of the tier you pick - paying Tier 3 or going to camp on a scholarship will not change that. We can't wait to see you at camp this summer! If you have questions, please contact us in the camp office at 320-796-2181.

FAQ'S

What should my child pack?

Your camper will definitely want the essentials for a week away! A sleeping bag, pillow, appropriate clothing, a Bible, and toiletries is a good place to start. You can find a comprehensive packing list on our website!



What if my child needs to arrive late or leave early?

We are able to accommodate minor scheduling conflicts throughout the week. Don't let something small deter you from coming to camp! If you do have a conflict, let us know and we'll plan accordingly.

Can I request a roommate?

Yes! You can request a roommate as part of your registration process. If you happened to miss that, you can contact our Registrar at camp@gllm.org or by calling 320-796-2181. Please note that roommate requests need to be within the same camp program.

What if my child takes medication or has a health challenge?

We take our camper safety seriously. Upfront and clear communication from home will greatly help us to do a good job! All of our staff members are trained in First Aid and CPR, and each site will have a Health Aide that is trained to handle basic medical protocol. Prescription medications can be brought to camp, where they will be kept in a safe location and distributed by our Health Aide. In the event of a more serious health situation, we work with our local clinic where medical professionals are close and available to help.



What if my child has a food allergy or other dietary restrictions?

We work hard to accommodate a variety of needs for campers. Clearly communicating their needs on our health form will be important. However, if your child has a need that you feel requires more of an explanation, please don't hesitate to call us! We will work with you to make a plan. Just so you know - all of our sites are peanut aware in the summer. We will not serve any food or have any food on site that contains peanuts. However, we may have food that was processed in a plant that contains peanuts.

What if my child gets homesick?

We will do everything we can to comfort and encourage your child if they become homesick. We have many effective strategies to help kids make it through the week, and rarely have campers go home. However, if it becomes clear that our efforts are not working, we will communicate with you to make a plan. If it is determined that your child would be better off leaving early, we will accommodate that decision.



For more answers to FAQ's, please visit our website at www.gllm.org!

TYPICAL DAILY SCHEDULE

Do you ever wonder what a typical day at camp will look like? Check it out! While each of our youth programs has its own schedule variations and special activities that make it unique, all of our campers get to participate in all the great and fun activities that make camp the BEST PART OF SUMMER!

Daily Camp Schedule

8:15 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Cabin Cleaning - Get ready for the day!
9:15 AM	Morning Worship
10:00 AM	Field Game or Activity
10:45 AM	Bible Study
12:00 PM	Lunch
12:45 PM	Quiet Time in Cabin
1:15 PM	Activity Rotations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Swimming Boating on lake shore - canoes, kayaks and paddle boards Pontooning (Green Lake Bible Camp and Camp House) Hiking Arts & Crafts - friendship bracelets, tie dye and more! Gagaball, 9 Square, carpetball and volleyball Field and yard games Fat tire biking (Green Lake Bible Camp and Camp House)
5:30 PM	Supper
6:15 PM	Large Group Game
7:15 PM	Quick Dip Swim
8:00 PM	Campfire Worship
9:00 PM	Snack
9:30 PM	Lights Out (varying by age groups)
10:00 PM	Night Games (for older campers)

New in 2022!

- All campers will receive a GLLM tshirt to tie dye as part of camp registration fee!
- Summer 2022 brings a new flow to the weekly schedule with camp continuing to start on Sunday afternoon and now culminating on Thursday evening with an open house, including dinner, a sending worship, and camp activities for the whole family! Moving forward with a Sunday-Thursday model is a sustainable move that is based on a variety of factors that we believe will benefit our campers, their families, our staff, and our overall mission. This change creates flexibility for camper families in pick up/weekend schedules, allows us to honor the needs of our summer staff, and lets us share an evening worship experience with your whole family.
- High school campers who are also attending the National Youth Gathering can attend High School Up North or Staff-in-Training (SIT) **for FREE!** Contact our office for more information about how to redeem this offer!

SHORES OF ST. ANDREW BIBLE CAMP



Half Blast

Half Blast

completed grades 1-4

June 12-14, June 19-21, June 26-28, July 17-19, July 24-26, July 31 - August 2

\$255 • \$355 • \$475

Dip your toes into camp fun! Half Blast Campers experience all of the fun of camp with half the overnights. This program starts on Sunday with the rest of the Shores campers but finishes up on Tuesday evening after closing worship. Half Blast is a great way to experience the best of camp just in a time frame that is comfortable for you!



Andy's Gang

Andy's Gang

completed grades 2-5

June 12-16, June 19-23, June 26-30, July 17-21, July 24-28, July 31 - August 4

\$510 • \$715 • \$950

Join the rest of the gang for an unforgettable week of playing, learning, and growing in faith! Lace up your walking shoes (or sandals!) A highlight of the week is hiking over to Sibley State Park to meet with a park naturalist for a nature excursion. With our goofy counselors, awesome large group games and fun activities with your cabinmates for Bible Study, the only thing missing from camp this summer is you!



Trailblazers

Trailblazers

completed grades 5-7

June 12-16, June 19-23, June 26-30, July 17-21, July 24-28, July 31 - August 4

\$510 • \$715 • \$950

Returning campers and new campers alike have so much to look forward to during their week as a Trailblazer! The Bible studies go deeper, the adventuring goes further and we're even bringing in a rock wall! Trailblazers canoe over to Sibley State Park to learn from a park naturalist and embrace the outdoors with an overnight in tents in the woods of Shores, the camp fun is even higher as you blaze a new trail at camp this summer.



Fishing Camp

Fishing Camp

completed grades 5-9

June 12-16

\$640 • \$875 • \$1,115

Reel in something big this summer at camp! We partner with Fishing for Life to have expert guides lead fishing trips to some of the best lakes of central Minnesota. The fun continues off the water at Shores where you'll spend time with the other campers in games, worship and Bible Study. Get the best of both worlds with camp and fishing!

GREEN LAKE BIBLE CAMP



Stargazers

completed grades 7-9

June 12-16, June 19-23, June 26-30, July 10-14, July 17-21, July 24-28

\$510 • \$715 • \$950

Join us at Green Lake Bible Camp for a middle school program designed just for you! Stargazers offers late night games that have you sneaking through the woods with your cabin mates, a hammocking overnight under the stars, a high-adventure program with Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Center and a later start to your day so you can sleep in. Come for a week of building friendships, good faith conversations and memories you won't forget anytime soon!



Staff-in-Training (SIT)

completed grades 10-12

June 12-16

\$510 • \$715 • \$950

Biding your time until you can apply to be a camp counselor? Wait no longer! Our Staff-in-Training program helps get you ready by teaching and encouraging you in your leadership and ministry skills. After successfully completing the training week Juniors and Seniors can sign up for additional weeks to volunteer as a Junior Counselor. Either way, you'll join a group of other camp-minded friends for a fun week of the camp experiences you love while getting a sneak peek of what it's like on the other side!



Resource Staff

Are you a Youth Director or Pastor? Come to camp with kids from your congregation, whether they are registered at Green Lake Bible Camp, Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp, or Camp House. You and your family can stay for free! Make sure to register under "Resource Staff" by using the Register for Summer Camp button on our website. This is a great opportunity to deepen faith relationships and spend a beautiful week in God's creation!

Cell Phone Policy

Camp is a great place to unplug, enjoy creation, and experience fellowship for all. To help fully appreciate this gift, GLLM has a long-standing policy that cell phones and other electronics are not allowed at camp. In recent years, more and more campers have been bringing phones to camp, regardless of this policy and we are seeing this negatively impact their experience. We are strictly enforcing our no cell phone policy and we ask for your support. If phones or other electronics are discovered at camp, we will safely store them until the end of the week. Camp is not liable for any electronic devices broken or stolen while at camp. For more details visit our website. Questions? Give us a call!

CAMP HOUSE



Confirmation North

for confirmation students participating with their church group

June 12-16

\$510 • \$715 • \$950

Jump into a week of faith and fun with your confirmation crew! Unplug together in scenic Northern Minnesota as you explore God's gift of creation and have time set-apart for growing as a group and as individuals in your faith journey. You bring the curriculum and we'll provide the adventures! You can try paddle boarding, brick oven cooking, a genuine Finnish sauna and adventure over Gooseberry Falls State Park and Lake Superior. This is a great opportunity for confirmation leaders and students to let loose, talk big, and take chances.



Middle School Servant Adventure

for middle school students

June 19-23

\$585 • \$805 • \$1,025

Put your faith into action by joining us for a week of service and fun! Bring yourself or come as a group to play and serve. Over the course of the week you'll do service projects at 4 area locations and then have the opportunity to explore with hiking, sightseeing and even a trip to North Shore Adventure Park. Each evening is completed with time at Camp House relaxing around a lakeside campfire, singing songs, and building meaningful relationships.



High School Up North

for high school students

June 19-23, June 26-30

\$585 • \$805 • \$1,025

Reignite your faith with an unplugged week of faith exploration, outdoor adventures and intentional time together. When you come Up North you'll have the opportunity to take in the North Shore, build community, and see God's love at work in new ways. Come as a group (chaperones welcome) or join the group here, we'll do all the fun camp stuff and even journey off site for new adventures together.

FAMILY CAMP

Our Family Camp programs are great opportunities to spend time together, meet new people, grow in faith together, and do many fun activities that bring you closer together as a family! With multiple options, find the one that fits your family best and sign up today! **Families of all shapes and sizes are welcome!**

Daily Family Camp Schedule

7:30 AM	Polar Plunge (for the brave at heart!)
8:15 AM	Breakfast
9:30 AM	Morning Worship
10:15 AM	Bible Study <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family Camp & Family Camp Up North: adults do Bible Study with Pastor-in-Residence and kids split by age for Bible Study and fun with counselors Pastor's Family Camp: Pastors do continuing-ed with resource person and kids split by age for Bible Study and fun with counselors Grandparent & Grandchild Camp: Bible Study together as a family!
12:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Quiet Time
2:00 PM	Family Time - activities include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Swimming Boating on lake shore - canoes, kayaks and paddle boards Pontoon Rides Hiking Arts & Crafts - friendship bracelets, tie dye and more! Gagaball, 9 Square, carpetball and volleyball Field and yard games Daily excursions
5:30 PM	Supper
6:30 PM	Evening Activity - prepare to be silly and have a good laugh!
7:30 PM	Evening Worship
8:15 PM	Campfire and Game Time

Pricing Model:

All Family Camp programs follow the same pricing model:

- Adults: \$260 • \$350 • \$455
- Youths: \$140 • \$170 • \$235
- Family Max: \$800 • \$1,040 • \$1,380
- Family Max based on 2 adults and 2 youth. Infants and preschoolers stay free!

Grandparent & Grandchild Camp pricing model is as follows:

- Adults: \$150 • \$200 • \$265
- Youths: \$75 • \$100 • \$135
- Family Max: \$450 • \$600 • \$800
- Family Max based on 2 adults and 2 youth. Infants and preschoolers stay free!



Pastor's Family Camp

Chrysalis House at Green Lake Bible Camp
June 19-23

Pastor's Family Camp is a wonderful opportunity for pastors and their families to connect with others who are in the same line of ministry. This is an ideal opportunity for pastors to get continuing education hours while the whole family gets away from the busy world to relax and spend time together in creation.

Family Camp North

Camp House
June 26-30

Located near all the North Shore has to offer, Camp House is a peaceful place for you and your family to spend quality time together. Stay at Camp House all week to enjoy programming and free time, or take day trips to your favorite places like Gooseberry and Tettegouche State Parks.

Grandparent & Grandchild Camp

Chrysalis House at Green Lake Bible Camp
July 17-20

NEW IN 2022! Grandparent & Grandchild Camp is a great opportunity for intergenerational faith formation as grandparents and grandchildren spend time together doing all the fun camp activities while also learning about faith together. This program runs Sunday-Wednesday morning, providing a great half week of fun!

Family Camp

Chrysalis House at Green Lake Bible Camp
July 24-28

Family Camp is a chance for your family to grow together in faith, try new experiences, and relax on beautiful Green Lake! Our Pastor-in-Residence will be available all week, leading faith-centered activities and being a wonderful presence at camp for you to get to know.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Camp Joy

July 31 - August 4
 Week with days only: \$350
 Caregivers: \$85



Camp Joy

Camp Joy is an opportunity for adults with disabilities to experience camp to its fullest! Campers will get to participate in worship and Bible study in the morning, while spending the afternoons trying out all the camp activities: swimming, pontoon rides, arts and crafts and games. After supper participate in fun group activities such as a kickball tournament, karaoke and dance party and a carnival! **NEW IN 2022:** Day programming offered Monday-Thursday with the chance to sign up for a Wednesday overnight!

The camp is primarily designed for individuals who can care for their own personal needs and do not require a great deal of one-on-one supervision. If individuals are in need of one-on-one assistance in their daily routines, caregivers are required to attend. For more information, please visit our website to download a brochure. You may also call our office at 320-796-2181 and request a brochure.

On-Site Day Camps

July 12-17: Hosted by Bethel Lutheran, Calvary Lutheran, and Vinje Lutheran of Willmar • completed grades kindergarten - 5th grade, daily transportation provided from Vinje Lutheran

July 26-31: Hosted by Faith Lutheran of Spicer and Peace Lutheran of New London • ages 3 years - 6th grade, daily transportation provided from Faith Lutheran and Peace Lutheran

\$105 • \$145 • \$185

Join us at camp as area congregations hold their VBS/Day Camp ministry at Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp. If you are a member of these congregations or are a local community member in the area, you are invited to register for this fun week! Day Camps will run Monday through Thursday, with campers going home each afternoon. Join us for this awesome community-building week as we worship, do Bible study, make crafts, play games, swim and more!



On-Site Day Camps

2022 PROGRAMMED YOUTH RETREATS

First Communion Retreat

various ages
 Saturday, March 19
 \$50



First Communion

The First Communion Retreat is a great opportunity for churches looking for a fun way to explore communion! Come join us for a time of learning and fun at Green Lake Bible Camp. Pastors Dane and Ingrid Skilbred will work with campers on the sacraments and communion teachings while camp staff lead games, worships and more!

Spring Fever Youth Retreat

grades 2-6
 Friday, April 29 - Sunday, May 1
 \$140



Spring Fever

Are you getting the itch for summer? This is the retreat for you! Come join us in a weekend full of Bible Studies, games, arts and crafts, worships, campfires and more. This retreat is great for new campers who want to give camp a try before doing a full week. Sign up today and get ready for some fun!

Fall Frenzy Youth Retreat

grades 2-6
 Saturday, October 1
 \$40



Fall Frenzy

If you are an experienced camper who can't wait a whole year to come back, or if you are brand new to camp, this is the perfect retreat for you! Come join us as we explore God's word, play games, spend time outside, and enjoy the beauty of camp in the fall! Let's have some fun together!

Confirmation Retreat

Confirmation-aged students
 Friday, October 7 - Saturday, October 8
 \$85



Confirmation

This retreat is a great way to get to know your confirmation group better! Spend a weekend at camp working on service projects and enjoying some of favorite camp activities, while also getting a chance to meet together with your other confirmands and spend time learning with your church group. Pastors and youth directors are encouraged to attend!



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