

CAMP JOY DAY CAMP

July 27-30, 2026: Green Lake Bible Camp



Program Information

Camp Joy is an opportunity for adults with disabilities to enjoy the pleasures of being on one of the nicest lakes in Minnesota! Campers will be actively engaged with our summer staff and get involved in worship, Bible study, swimming, boat rides, large group games, and so much more! This day camp is 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 need one-on-one assistance in their daily routines (changing into swimsuits, using the restroom) caregivers are required to attend.

- Monday - Thursday, 9:00am-8:00pm
- Cost for week: \$400 | \$100 caregivers

Registration

You can register in one of two ways:

1. Register online at wem.campbrainregistration.com/
2. Fill out the enclosed registration forms and send them along with a \$60.00 non-refundable deposit to: Water's Edge Ministries – Camp Joy, 9916 Lake Avenue South, Spicer, MN 56288

Scholarship Information

Scholarships are available! If you are in need of financial assistance to attend Camp Joy, contact the GLLM office for an application or find it online at www.gllm.org/scholarship-form

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I come earlier than 9:00 a.m.? Our staff are putting final touches on camp activities and hospitality, and unfortunately, we are NOT ready to receive you until 9:00. Please refrain from showing up early.

What if I have to miss a day? That's ok! If you need to miss any time during Camp Joy, please note that on the form or let us know. Fees will not be prorated.

Do I need to make a deposit? For campers the deposit due is \$60. For caregivers, there is no deposit.

When is my balance due? Please make final payments by May 21, 2026.

What about my medications? WEM requires all medication to be turned into our Camp Health Aide upon check-in (unless your care provider will be administering your medications while at camp).

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TYPICAL DAY AT CAMP JOY DAY CAMP

Sample Schedule:

- 9:00 Registration
- 9:30 Coffee time and Morning Activity
- 10:15 Worship
- 11:00 Bible Study
- 11:45 Joke Time!
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Afternoon Activities: swimming, boat rides, arts and crafts, games
- 5:15 Joke Time!
- 5:30 Supper
- 6:30 Large group activity (Carnival, Dance Party, Kickball Tournament, Variety Show)
- 7:30 Campfire
- 8:00 Pick up

What should I bring along each day?

- Make sure to eat breakfast before you come
- Clothing appropriate for the weather
- Extra set of clothes
- Water bottle
- Swimming suit and towel if you like to swim
- Medication needed for the day
- Sunscreen
- Bible

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REGISTRATION 2026

Participant's Name: _____ T-Shirt size: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Date of Birth: (MM/DD/YYYY) _____ Pronouns: _____

While at Camp Joy, I will be able to:

- Independently feed myself at meal times
- Independently use the restroom
- Change into my swimsuit on my own

Guardian Name (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Physician: _____ Phone: _____ Provider: _____

To adequately provide for all our guests, it is important that we are aware of any caregivers attending with campers. Please check below if a caregiver will be attending and note the number of days attending. If a caregiver will be caring for more than one camper (e.g. more than one camper is coming from the group home), please specify which others they will be caring for.

- My caregiver will not attend.
- My caregiver will attend — fee: \$100 (covers meals)

Caregiver: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Phone: _____

- A caregiver will administer medications
- Water's Edge Ministries Health Aide staff will administer medications

The caregiver will also be caring for (list camper's first and last names):

Please list any dietary restrictions you or your caregiver have:

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At this time, I would like to pay: Full amount Deposit Only (\$60 participant)
I will be paying by: Check Credit Card Applied for Scholarship

Name on Credit Card _____

Card Number _____ Exp Date _____

Security Code _____ Signature _____

If you are not able to attend certain days, please list them here:

_____ (Fees will not be prorated. Scholarships are available upon request)

MEDICAL EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION

I, _____, authorize Water's Edge Ministries personnel to seek and authorize necessary medical treatment for _____ (participant name) in the event of a medical emergency if I cannot be reached or am delayed in arriving.

Signature of participant or authorized guardian:

_____ Date _____

PERMISSIONS

By participating in a Water's Edge Ministries (WEM) program, participants and/or their parent(s)/guardian(s) grant permission for photos and videos to be taken and used by the organization for promotional, educational, and archival purposes in any format. This includes, but is not limited to, use on websites, social media, print materials, and other media. No compensation will be provided for use of these materials. To opt out, a Media Release Opt-Out Form must be requested and submitted to the Director of Marketing & Communications prior to program participation.

By participating in programs, services, and activities of WEM, you agree to the following: On behalf of yourself and your children, you hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless WEM, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating to your participation in our programs, services or activities. You understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of this organization, its employees, agents, and representatives.

Signature of participant or authorized guardian:

_____ Date _____