

WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

July 5, 2026

Shaped By Christ... To Share His Love!

Meet Rev. Jonathan Anderson



The Rev. Jonathan Anderson serves the Lord through The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) as a missionary in Panama. In this role, Jonathan preaches the Gospel of Jesus Christ to

the local people, while supporting the established congregations in the area and helping to plant new Lutheran churches.

Concordia has committed to supporting Jonathan not only financially but in our prayers. Please pray for Jonathan as he serves in Panama. Ask God to give him safety and good health as he travels and proclaims the Word of God. May God grant him wisdom and strength as he serves the Lord in this new location, learning a new language and culture. May the Gospel be received by all whom he meets, and may the church in Panama grow according to God's will. Give thanks to God for sending Jonathan to serve His children in this part of the world.

Nursery Hours

8:45a - 12:15p

Located down the main hall off the sanctuary on the right-hand side, just a few doors past the office area. Look for the sign.

Connect with Staff

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Members:

Sydney Karre
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Steven Geml
Donna Hager
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Leslie Brown
Kelli Kaylor
Don Hauser
Vicki Shull
Lesa Williams
Greg Roseman

Church & School Staff:

Susan Harman Kate Cullen
Leslie Reed Briana Welch

Seminary Student: Lamar Stewart

Missionaries: Rev. Jason & Emily Groth, Belize
Rev. Jonathan Anderson, Panama

Music Director Call Committee

Friends:

Eli Ames
Greg Sigmon
Nathan Brown
Phyllis Bollinger
Sandy Sigman

Military:

Eric Galloway Kendall Hamm Tony Sherrill Christopher Walker
Jaylen Joyner Nathan Malin Amber Miller Clay Weedman Madison Jordan

These Sunday Christian Education Classes are offered at 10:10a.

Pre-school 3 – K – Led by Jerri Alice, Maggie Lou & Mary Elizabeth Carter. Beside nursery

1st – 3rd Grade – Led by Sharon White & Ron Bumgarner - Education wing of the church

4th - 5th Grade - Led by Nick Butcher - Education wing of the church

6th - 8th Grade Confirmation - Led by Kelly Roth - Education wing of the church

Adults - A#2 - Led by Katrina Palozzi - "Parenting: 14 Gospel Principles"

Adults - A#1 - Led by Pastor Geml/Carl Roth - A Longer Look at the Lessons

Adults - Emmaus Room - Led by Kevin Graudin - The Story

Adults - Library - Led by Jen White, Promised Rest

Conover School

Conover School Vision Statement: "Our vision for Conover School is to create a learning environment where all students can reach their full potential and be active participants in their communities."

Conover School is Concordia's Mission of the Month for July. Children ages 3 to 22 have unique needs that traditional children do not. Your donations will help defray the costs of these personal items that teachers often pay for themselves.

Conover School is successful because staff, parents, students, and community supporters are in partnership to create a school environment that promotes optimum learning and achievement for all students. Offering plates will be positioned in the narthex and transept throughout July.

Greeters Today:

(9:00) Bobby & Deanna Moore
(11:00) Dick & Sherri Hiler

Lectors Today:

(9:00) Audra Kuchenbecker
(11:00) Stephanie Guelzow

Fellowship Today:

Opal Bolick

Greeters Next Week:

(9:00) Betsy Murray
(11:00) Fred Farmer

Lectors Next Week:

(9:00) Betsy Murray
(11:00) Andy Hass

Fellowship Next Week:

Mary Anne Wike

Just the Facts:

General Fund Offerings: \$ 10,417 Budget Needs: \$ 18,726 Attendance: 228
Online Giving: \$ 2,415

Member of the Week: Frankie Hubbard - 1515 Old Boxwood Circle, Conover, NC 28613. She would dearly enjoy visitors. Please call ahead at 828-464-5110.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, July 5

9a Worship & Communion
10:10a Christian Education
11a worship & Communion

Monday, July 6

1:30p Quilt Tacking

Wednesday, July 8

7a Ladies' Bible Study

Thursday, July 9

6:30a Men's Bible Study
9a Staff Devotion & Meeting

Friday, July 10

4p Scouts

Sunday, July 12

9a Worship & Communion
10:10a Christian Education
11a worship & Communion
Boy Scouts to Camp Bud Schiele