

Lutherdale Bible Camp Inc. N7891 US Highway 12 Elkhorn, WI 53121









## **SUMMER CAMP 2024**

"I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well."





DATES	CAMP PROGRAM WITH AGE/GRADE COMPLETED
June 7-9	80th Anniversary Alumni/Staff Reunion
1 JUNE 16-21	Confirmation Week (Grades 6-9)
	High School Week (Grades 9-11)
	L.E.A.P. 1 and 2 Week 1 (Grades 10-12)
June 22-23	Camp 24 Family Weekend
2 JUNE 23-28	Camp Odayin (specialty camp for kids with Heart Disease)
	L.E.A.P. 1 Week 2 Option (Grades 10-12)
3 JULY 1-5	Team USA (Adult 18+ with Disabilities)
	On-site Day Camp (Grades K-5)
4 JULY 7-12	Adventure Week (Grades 3-8)
	Young Pioneers (Grades 1-2)   *Special Dates*
	L.E.A.P. 1 Week 2 Option (Grades 10-12)
5 JULY 14-19	Night Owls (Grades 6-8)
	Fireflies (Grades 4-5)
	On-site Day Camp (Grades K-5)
	L.E.A.P. 1 Week 2 Option (Grades 10-12)
6 JULY 21-26	Camp Oasis (specialty camp for kids with Crohn's and Colitis diseases)
	L.E.A.P. 1 Week 2 Option (Grades 10-12)
7 JULY 28-AUG 2	Water Week (Grades 3-8)
	High School Week (Grades 9-11)
AUG 4-7 *SPECIAL DATES*	Mini Mashup (Grades 1-8)
AUG 14-17	Family Camp
	June 7-9  JUNE 16-21  June 22-23  JUNE 23-28  JULY 1-5  JULY 7-12  JULY 14-19  JULY 21-26  JULY 28-AUG 2  AUG 4-7 *SPECIAL DATES*



We believe that all people who come to Lutherdale have the opportunity to be welcomed, accepted, known, celebrated, and loved.



# WELCOME

## Lutherdale Summer Camp 2024





Lutherdale is proud to be accredited by the American Camping Association. Lutherdale has been offering summer camp for 80 years! We believe that every camper deserves to be welcomed, accepted, known, celebrated, and loved as a child of God.

Our programs are designed to provide a variety of opportunities for growth and fun. From traditional outdoor activities like hiking, swimming, and canoeing, to creative arts and crafts, and music, there is something for everyone. We also offer programs that focus on leadership development, spiritual growth, and service to others.

At the heart of everything we do is our commitment to living out the values of our faith. We believe that camp is a place of grace, where campers can experience God's love in a tangible way, and we strive to create an environment that fosters spiritual growth and exploration.

Whether you're a first-time camper or a returning veteran, we invite you to join us this summer for an unforgettable experience at Lutherdale. We can't wait to welcome you!

## **OUR MISSION**

Lutherdale is a faith community, dedicated to building lives in Christ, through the wonder of God's creation and the study of God's word.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Greetings, and welcome to summer 2024! I am extremely excited about and committed to providing a memorable and safe experience for you and your family this summer. At Lutherdale, we are dedicated to going above and beyond in service and in program quality. We want you to know that you can count on us to be a home away from home this summer.

Our camp leadership team is made up of seasoned staff with previous experience and a love for Lutherdale. Our number one goal is to provide a safe, enriching, and faith-formative space for our campers. Whether trying camp for the first time or coming back for another year, we are sure that your child or family will have a blast at camp.

Grace Crevier
Lutherdale Youth Program Director



## 2024 PRICING AND SCHOLARSHIPS

#### A note on Tiered Pricing:

We believe in camp for all!

We are proud to offer a tiered-pricing system in which each camper family self-selects the price that works best for them. Selections are always **confidential**, and all campers receive the **same high-quality experience** regardless of their selection.

We work hard to offer our summer staff competitive wages, as well as keep up with rising costs. We recognize that our camper families also face rising costs, and we keep our prices as low as possible to make camp accessible for all. All tiers are subsidized from the true cost of camp. We also offer full and partial scholarships to all families who need them. We never turn campers away!

Tier I

\$445

Tier I is our most subsidized tier and does not reflect the true cost of operating summer camp programs. Tier II

\$525

Tier II is our partially subsidized tier for those who can pay a little more but still cannot afford the true cost of camp.

Tier III

\$680

Tier III more closely accounts for the true cost of camp.

What happens when you pay the Tier II or Tier III rate?

You take an active role in supporting the true cost of your child's camp experience, which enables us to direct the contributions from our generous donors to support other areas of need in the camping ministry, including program, staffing and facility upgrades.

### Scholarships:

If you are interested in a scholarship for camp, apply using our Financial Assistance Form, found on our website under Summer Camp > Registration and Pricing.

## **DID YOU KNOW LUTHERDALE...**



#### HAS A ROPES COURSE AND CLIMBING TOWER

Our ropes course at Lutherdale is designed for all adventure seekers. With trained and certified staff overseeing every step, we prioritize safety while providing an exciting experience. We believe in "challenge by choice," tailoring the course to accommodate all abilities. While all campers will participate in the low ropes course and team building challenges, the Climbing Tower is an add-on experience for any campers that have completed grades 3-12.

#### IS KNOWN FOR OUR QUALITY FOOD SERVICE

At Lutherdale, we recognize that everyone has their own dietary needs. Our Chef and kitchen staff are dedicated to accommodating those needs with care and ensuring everyone can enjoy their time here without any food-related concerns.



## SUMMER REGISTRATION



## Registration is online, scan the QR code on the right or click "register" at the top of lutherdale.org.

Create an account or log into your existing account. Select a program.

All programs are categorized by grade completed by June 2024.

Camp programs are listed by date, not by title.

Only the programs a camper is eligible for will be visible.

Make a \$100 non-refundable deposit on the camper's account.

Full payment is due 7 days prior to the start of the session.

Camp 24 and On-Site Day Camp require payment IN FULL to be registered.



#### **CANCELLATION POLICY**

The \$100 deposit for summer programs is non-refundable.

## **EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION**



Receive a FREE Lutherdale T-Shirt if registration is completed before April 1, 2024.

## SCAN THIS OR CODE TO SEE OUR FAOS



Get answers to our most commonly asked questions like: How does camper check-in/out work?, How does the Camp Store work?, Can I communicate with my child(ren) while they are at camp?, and more!

#### **FAMILY CAMP**

Registration for Family Camp requires our office to set up a family account FIRST if any of your children have come to camp previously or if you are a donor. Please call (262) 742-2352.

#### WAITLISTED

A status of "waitlisted" means the program is full. A camper may stay on the waitlist or choose a different program. Those choosing to stay on the waitlist will be contacted by camp if a spot becomes available.

#### **INCOMPLETE**

A status of "incomplete" means you have started the registration process. There is NOT a spot held for your camper until you have made the \$100 non-refundable deposit. All "incomplete" status registrations will be cleared from your account after 30 days.

#### **2024 MARKS LUTHERDALE'S 80TH YEAR IN MINISTRY!**

We are celebrating with many events including a Celebration for Congregations on April 30th, a staff alumni reunion on June 7-9th, our 38th Annual Quilt Auction on August 11th, along with a Fall Fest and Fun Run on October 30, 2024! Come and celebrate this wonderful year with us.



# WHAT IS THIS SUMMER'S THEME?



We are loved and accepted by God even before we enter this world. The fact that God knows our innermost selves is mind-boggling at the very least. Even when we feel alone and unseen, God sees us and knows us, never leaving our side. Maybe even more brain-bending is that we do not need to do anything or prove a single thing to receive God's free gift of abundant mercy and grace.

Each bible study gives an opportunity to explore more deeply the authentic selves God has created us to be. We will learn what it means to be siblings in Christ – humans who are brave enough to encourage and stand up for each other, sharing burdens as well as joys. We grow and learn more about ourselves while listening to and sharing with each other.

"I PRAISE YOU, FOR I AM FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE. **WONDERFUL ARE** YOUR WORKS: THAT I KNOW VERY WELL."

-PSALM 139:14

## **OUR CAMP STAFF ARE...**



and background checks on each of our camp staff.

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age-appropriate activities, faith formation, and caring for campers.



Our staff members possess extraordinary

and a passion for this ministry. Every staff member is committed to fostering lasting relationships and a sense of belonging for your child at camp.





## WHAT IS A DAY AT LUTHERDALE LIKE?

Every day at Lutherdale is an adventure. Whether you are starting your day with a polar plunge or ending your night with a night climb at the ropes course, each day has something for everyone. A typical day includes worship, bible study, swimming, arts and crafts, gaga ball, specialty games, and more!

Interested in learning more? Scan the QR Code to read more about our daily schedule.



## WE HAVE PROGRAMS FOR EVERYONE. FIND WHAT IS BEST FOR YOU!

For summer programs, grade refers to the grade COMPLETED before camp start date.

## **ADULT AND FAMILY**

#### Camp 24 - Grand Camp

June 22-23, 2024

Want to plan a getaway that everyone can enjoy? Pack up the car, grab the family or friends, and come out to camp for a 24-hour camp. Enjoy playing. praying, and relaxing in God's Creation! Camp runs from 10 am Saturday to 10 am Sunday.

#### **TEAM USA**

July 1-5, 2024

Designed specifically for adults with Neurological and Developmental needs, Team USA provides a full week of fun, camp activities in a Christ-centered environment. Daily themes include major holidays like Christmas, the 4th of July and more! Campers must be able to care for their own hygiene & interact well with others.

#### Intergenerational Camp

August 14-17, 2024

This 3-night retreat will offer you a chance to spend time away from home while learning more about your faith together! Activities include intergenerational Bible studies. worship, games, and more.

## **GRADES K-5**

#### **On-Site Day Camp**

July 1-5, 2024 OR July 15-19, 2024 Be prepared for an exciting day camp experience from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday. On-Site Day Camp offers thrilling activities, delicious lunch and snacks, as well as unforgettable memories. Lutherdale provides a unique adventure and a

fun-filled destination for day campers.

Enjoy classic camp activities and bond with fellow campers over meals, campfires, and group activities. Find more information in grade 3-8 description.

## **Adventure Camp**

July 7-12, 2024

**GRADES 3-8** 

Participate in the low and high ropes course, canoe, and for our older campers, an overnight outdoors cooking food over the fire. With activities agared toward wilderness survival, shelter building, geocaching, and fire building, campers will help to build self-confidence and appreciation for adventure in God's Creation.

#### **Night Owls and Fireflies**

July 14-19, 2024

Enjoy night time swimming and boating, conquer the ropes course under the stars. craft, sina around campfires, delve into Bible Study, and then play night games and take an early morning polar plunge! Fireflies is great for 4th and 5th graders with fascination of the night sky and staying up until midnight. For 6th - 8th graders, relish a later bedtime as Night Owls progressively stay up later and end the week with an exhilarating all-nighter!

## **GRADES 1-2**

## **Young Pioneers**

July 7-9, OR July 10-12, 2024

This 2-night program is a perfect introduction to overnight camp for those who have completed 1st or 2nd grade. Cabin Leaders facilitate fun activities with their small groups, helping campers to build confidence, grow closer to Jesus, and make memories they'll be talking about for years!

## Mini Mashup Week

August 4-7, 2024

### **Water Camp**

July 28-August 2, 2024

Explore our Watery world during Water Week at Lutherdale! Daily activities will include water games, boating trips, and a beach party with a cookout dinner! Splash in the water all week long! Campers develop new friendships and stay cool with a variety of waterfront activities, from the water slide to canoeing. Campers will experience extra time at the lake all while enjoying the traditional camp activities at Lutherdale.

## Mini Mashup Week

August 4-7, 2024

This is the perfect solution for those who want to enjoy the fun and adventure of camp, but don't have the time for a longer stay. During your 3-night stay, you'll have the opportunity to participate in classic camp activities such as archery, canoeing, and ropes. You'll also get to bond with your fellow campers over meals, campfires, and other group activities.

## **GRADES 6-9**

## **Confirmation Week**

June 16-21, 2024

Spend a week at Lutherdale with your confirmation group and your pastor, exploring the great outdoors and digging deeper into new ways to live out your faith. This is a great chance to grow as a congregation in an increasingly rare unplugged and peaceful setting.

## **GRADES 9-11**

## **High School Camp**

June 16-21, 2024 OR July 28-August 2, 2024

High School campers will enjoy all activities of camp including the ropes course, canoeing, late night games, polar plunge, and so much more! Campers will spend one night sleeping under the stars and have the opportunity for a late night climb.

**CAMP DROP OFF:** Sunday, 2-4pm

CAMP PICK-UP:

Friday, 11 am

\*for a week-long camp

## **GRADES 10-12**

## L.E.A.P. Program 1

June 16-21, 2024 and June 23-28 OR July 7-12 OR July 14-19 OR July 21-26, 2024

The Leadership Exploration and Adventure Program is a great way to get a taste of what it will be like to work at camp! Campers who have completed grades 10 through 12 will have the opportunity to learn more about their spiritual gifts and how they can use them to become the next leaders. Campers will spend time during our June High School week to learn more about themselves and come back to Lutherdale for another week in a supporting role, using what they've learned

#### L.E.A.P. Program 2

June 16-21, 2024 + Part of Summer

This LEAP Program is application and invitation based and is designed for campers who have completed LEAP 1 and would like to grow their leadership skills further. Campers will have the opportunity to be a camper during our June High School week, and then come back to work at Camp for multiple weeks. If you are an adult that would like to recommend a youth for this program, please email grace@lutherdale.org.

## **HAVE LUTHERDALE COME** TO YOUR CHURCH

#### **SUMMER VBS**

Lutherdale sends trained Camp Leaders out to churches each week to lead VBS in congregations. Staff will lead bible studies, worship, games, arts and crafts, and more!

#### **CAMP NIGHTS**

Have a intergenerational camp night at your church or local par Lutherdale will send staff to lead a campfire worship with s'mores, games, and activities to build community and have fun.

Interested in Summer VBS or Camp Nights? Contact Grace at grace@lutherdale.org.























