## ST. JOSEPH LUTHERAN

St. Joseph Lutheran (LCMC) is welcoming family of young and old Bible believing Christians. As we are a small parish, most every member plays a role in the vitality of the church. Some are teachers, some musicians, some youth leaders, and we take turns with janitor duties and reading scripture at Sunday services. A young couple has lead a very successful Bible School, usually during the first week of June. It was so successful that we actually had to limit the number of students from the community who wanted to attend. Our Sunday School is active and one of our youth leaders is teaching confirmation at present. We have an updated sound system, piano and keyboard, a projector and built in screen for power points, showing videos and have the capability of reinstating WiFi for live streaming. We have also used hotspots for live streaming.

The church building itself is a lovely brick country parish surrounded by trees, a large grassy area and is adjacent to the St. Joseph Cemetery. The grounds are carefully taken care of by parishioners and we hire a parish youth and/or family to do the mowing and trimming.

We, unfortunately, cannot support a full-time pastor but would welcome visiting with those who are looking for a part time position that would involve Sunday morning services and teaching confirmation which could also be done on Sunday mornings. Funerals and weddings would also be part of the contract but those are few and far between. We are open to seminary students, retirees or those with another form of income to supplement the salary we are able to pay.

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