

# The Soo Chimes

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# PASTOR'S MESSAGE

The Lord's Prayer has been at the heart of Christian worship and prayer since the earliest days of Christianity. Given the Lord's Prayers importance in Christian worship, I have been asked over the years why the version we recite is different than what is found in scripture. There do seem to be some differences, "(Luke 11:2-4 NIV) He said to them, "When you pray, say: "'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. {3} Give us each day our daily bread. {4} Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation." This version does not contain "who art in heaven", "thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven", "deliver us from evil" and the closing doxology "for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever amen". There are many similarities, but also some stark differences between the version of The Lord's Prayer in Luke and the one we recite in worship.

The Gospel of Matthew also contains a version of The Lord's Prayer, (Mat 6:9-13 NIV) "This, then, is how you should pray: "'Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, {10} your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. {11} Give us today our daily bread.

{12} Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. {13} And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one." This version of The Lord's Prayer is very close to the one we recite lacking only the ending doxology, "for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory for ever amen". So why is there a difference in versions of The Lord's Prayer within the Gospels?

The Gospel of Luke is not an eye witness account of Jesus and his teaching. Luke specifically tells us his Gospel is written after speaking with eye witnesses to Jesus. The Gospel of Matthew is an eye witness account to Jesus and his teachings. Matthew was also written at a later date. Matthew's version of The Lord's Prayer is probably Matthew's way of politely correcting Luke in his account. It is no surprise we use a version closer to Matthew' than Luke's.

Our version of The Lord's Prayer is still different than Matthew's version by including the ending doxology, "for thine is the kingdom and the glory and the power forever amen". There is an ancient Christian document called the Didache. Didache is a transliteration of a Greek word which means

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The Purpose of the First United Presbyterian Church is to:

Invite people to know and glorify God Grow together as followers of Christ Serve others through the power of the Holy Spirit Receive your
newsletter by email
and in color, too.
Call the office to
find out how!

"teaching". We know the Didache existed in 95 AD and possibly even earlier in 70's AD. It claims to be teachings of the twelve apostles. It was accepted and recognized as authoritative in the early Christian Church. The version of The Lord's Prayer found in the Didache is the one we use today.

When we recite The Lord's Prayer either collectively or individually, we are praying a prayer that was widespread in the early Christian Church. In using this prayer we are joining countless Christians over the course of two thousand years. How amazing is that?

Peace in Christ, Mark

### Deacon



If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from the Deacon's please contact the church office or one of the Deacons

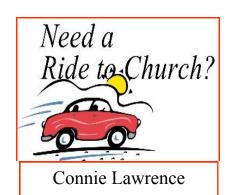


Margaret Olson 07/20/16

Virginia Malette 07/22/16



The next Deacon's Meeting will be held in September





### Freighter View Assisted Living 605 West Portage Avenue

Virginia Blair Audrey Bush Emily Hamilton Delores Swick

WMH Long Term Care
500 Osborn Boulevard

Lois Myers

### Tendercare- Sault Ste Marie 1011 Meridian

Jim Schmidt Jean Smith

### McKinley Manor 2023 West 4th Avenue

Jeanne Gantz
Jane Kellan
Dorothy Smart
Vera Steffens

#### **Out of Town**

Della Porter 2920 Crystal Lane Room 426 Kalamazoo, MI 49009

Dorthea Allen Michigan Masonic Home 1200 Wright, Room 167 Alma, MI 48801

June MacInnis 900 Glen Haven Circle, Apt 2 Petoskey, MI 49770

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Family of Margaret Olson, Family of Virginia Malette, John White, Marion Osborn, Diane McMeeken, Shane Miller, Pat White, Kevin Tastor, Gina Gough,

Dorothy Smart, Jim Schmidt, Dorothy Smart, Delphine Porter, Jean Smith, Jane Kellan, Ruth Thesing, Judy Knutsen, Joyce Cross, Wendy (Menard) James, William Kellan, Margaret Vonderwerth & her family, and all members of missionaries and the U.S. Armed Forces.

Please keep us up to date on your prayer requests.



SUNDAY **AUGUST 21ST** 2:00 PM

Mary Stanaway



Music in the Park

7 pm to 8:30 pm

This event repeats Wednesday evening

every week throughout the summer

(August 26th last performance).



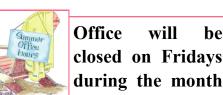


### **Every Wednesday**

4 pm - 6:30 pm.

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Ashmun & Portage

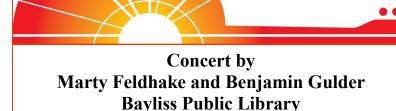




### **August 3 - Hawk Junction**

- **August 10 Lise White & Friends**
- **August 17 The Snyders**
- **August 24 Country Classics Dance Band**
- **August 31 The Cookies**





Folk and spiritual music will be performed by Marty Feldhake (guitar and vocals) and Benjamin Gulder (fiddle, mandolin and vocals) in a free concert. Their CDs will be available for purchase and signing. Friends of Bayliss Library will

Aug 18 @ 7:00 pm



### **Superhero Pancake Breakfast**

The VFW

Aug 28 @ 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Cost for the Pancake Breakfast is by donation. There will be raffle tickets available to purchase in order to enter for a chance to win a raffle

We will have Michigan-made Postma Brothers Maple Syrup. Come eat a short stack with local **EUP Heroes!** 

All proceeds will benefit the Diane Peppler Resource Center.

|                           |       | Nora and Gary Nurmi        | 08/11 |
|---------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|
| anniversaries **          |       | Wayne and Jennie Somes     | 08/11 |
|                           |       | Shane and Sara Hill        | 08/12 |
| David and Patricia Whyte  | 08/02 | John and Ruth Wilson       | 08/13 |
| Gary and Angela Gorsuch   | 08/03 | Earl and Phyllis McKechnie | 08/14 |
| Ronald and Bonita Lawson  | 08/06 | Anne and Todd Capling      | 08/20 |
| Julie and James Martin    | 08/08 | Gary and Joan Hill         | 08/20 |
| Glenn and Carolyn Trumble | 08/08 | David and Joyce Henderson  | 08/29 |
| William and Kay Boyne     | 08/09 | Richard and Carol Brawley  | 08/31 |



We are working on revamping our nursery schedule. With many new little ones coming to

church, we would like to give their parents a chance to here the sermon and participate in worship. If you would like to help out in any way with our nursery schedule, please see Melissa or Kaye.





Pastor Mark is going to be

Membership
Class

Class in the near future. If

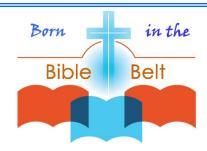
you have been wondering it is all about to be a Presbyterian and or would like to join our membership, please give Denise a call in the church office. All ages are encouraged to come to our new member class.



Deanna Musgrave 08/01 Brenda Corbiere 08/02

| Jackson Gazvoda   | 08/04 | Roberta Lackey      | 08/17 |
|-------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| Joel Schmidt      | 08/06 | Robert Leon         | 08/17 |
| Terri Marsh       | 08/09 | Gary Lehman         | 08/18 |
| Sue Michels       | 08/09 | Steven Lawson       | 08/19 |
| Donald Myers      | 08/13 | Kadence Gorsuch     | 08/21 |
| Audrey Zane       | 08/13 | David Parker        | 08/23 |
| Lorne Eagle       | 08/14 | Vera Steffens       | 08/23 |
| Ryan Sanderson    | 08/14 | Alegra Soorus       | 08/25 |
| Joshua Gerrie     | 08/15 | Corrie Rath         | 08/26 |
| Ronald Blair      | 08/16 | Donald Gerrie Jr.   | 08/27 |
| Donald Gerrie Sr. | 08/17 | Robert Stratton III | 08/28 |

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Tulsa, Oklahoma is the birth place of Don who remembers World War 2 vividly. In grade school he recalls purchasing a 10 cent stamp for a war bond book on a weekly basis. The booklet cost \$18.75 and was worth \$25.00 nine years later. He collected tin cans and newspapers and placed them on the scrap pile to be used in the war effort. Pearl Harbor is a day that he will never forget.

As he grew up he was as athletic as most boys in the neighborhood and after finishing high school he attended the University of Tulsa on a baseball scholarship. He was a catcher from the time he was 10 until he was 21. During the summers, he was a Roustabout in the Gulf of Mexico for 3 years and near Tulsa for 2 years.

He married his college sweetheart, Marilyn in 1956. They reared 4 children, a son who lives in St. Louis, MO. and a daughter who resides in Chandler, AZ and another two daughters living on Bainbridge Island, WA. Combined they have 8 grand children, and 2 great grand children.

Over the years Don distinguished himself by becoming a finalist in a series of Toastmasters speech contests, an accredited rose judge and exhibiter with the American Rose Society and the Rose Society of England. He became a District Governor of Lions International, was Coach of the year in Detroit's Catholic League and Coach of the Year

in Sault Ste. Marie in the Great Lakes Inter Collegiate Athletic Conference all in softball.

After purchasing a home on Drummond Island in 1977, they eventually moved there in 1984 when he and Marilyn retired there after Republic Steel merged with another company. While living on Drummond until 2003, they traveled extensively and wherever the International Convention was held he was the Chairman of the Lions of MI All State Band. On behalf of Lions they visited, South Korea, China, Japan, Hong Kong, England, Scotland, France, the Azores, Iceland, Canada, Mexico, Puerto Rico, New Zealand, Spain, Morocco, Hawaii, and Australia.

Don has served the Presbytery and the First United Presbyterian Church under 3 ministers.

Today, Don and Marilyn and Abby my kayak companion are your neighbors in the Sault and they live in a condo located just east of the power canal on the St. Mary's River.

Don Myers, CRE

### Three Lakes Lay Academy Fall 2016 Class Offerings

Schedule: Thursdays from September 15 – November 17, 2016

All classes held at: Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

950 Huron St, St. Ignace, MI 49781

906-643-7870

Each class is \$10 for the semester. Students may be required to purchase books. Scholarships are available. Classes are team taught by Presbyterian and Lutheran teachers.

Please pre-register at <u>davidvandam68@gmail.com</u> or <u>david.tielbar6@gmail.com</u> before September 7, 2016 to make sure you can get books by the first class!

For information please contact: Pastor David Tielbar at 906-643-7870, <a href="mailto:david.tielbar6@gmail.com">david.tielbar6@gmail.com</a> or Rev. David Van Dam at 231-439-5069, <a href="mailto:davidvandam68@gmail.com">davidvandam68@gmail.com</a>

### **QUILTS HAVE STORIES. TOO!**

Quilt Show to benefit "Road to Recovery" \$5 Admission fee

Friday, September 16th

12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 17th

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

First United Presbyterian Church 555 Bingham Avenue Sault Ste. Marie MI 49783

The Quilts will be displayed on the pews in the Sanctuary. We are looking for new, used, special occasion, and those that send most of their lives in a closet or under a bed, also bring those found at garage sales, flea markets or in a corner of a thrift store. That's a story!

We will also have wall space for wall hangers. Some quilts and wall hangings will be in the Social Hall. We will also have refreshments and a luncheon in the Social Hall. The luncheon be available for \$7.00 each and will consist of soup, salads, and desserts.

We invite everyone to come walk aisles and read the stories behind the quilts. You would also be helping support the "Road to Recovery" vans and deter bridge fare and gas. One or two vans travel to Petoskey five days a week, picking up our family member or friends from the Sault area making stops at all exits to St. Ignace. The van riders have wonderful friendship stories as they travel many miles together.

In August we will be in the Narthex for you to sign up for salads and desserts for the luncheon. Also we will need greeters and workers.

Quilt Show

Hope to see you September 16th and 17th

Road to Recovery

to support

### **QUILT SHOW LUNCHEON**

'A quilt show to benefit "Road to Recovery" will be held at church Friday, September 16th and September Saturday, 17th. luncheon will be offered. If you are able to provide a salad or dessert for one of these please sign the the sheet bulletin board across from the office.

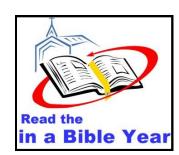
If you have questions, please contact Mary Stanaway at 647-6759 or Lois Hillock 635-0380.

The Textile Social Group has already begun to set their mission goal for 2017.

We have started lap quilts for next season, among other items and we continue to accept denim and other fabric donations.

Anyone is welcome to stop in on Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. beginning **October 6, 2016** with whatever textile activity they do.





| 1  | 1 Corinthians 16        | 2 Kings 12-13           | Micah 3         |
|----|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 2  | 2 Corinthians 1:1-2:4   | 2 Kings 14              | Micah 4:1-5:1   |
| 3  | 2 Corinthians 2:5-3:18  | 2 Kings 15-16           | Micah 5:2-15    |
| 4  | 2 Corinthians 4:1-5:10  | 2 Kings 17              | Micah 6         |
| 5  | 2 Corinthians 5:11-6:13 | 2 Kings 18              | Micah 7         |
| 6  | 2 Corinthians 6:14-7:16 | 2 Kings 19              | Nahum 1         |
| 7  | 2 Corinthians 8         | 2 Kings 20-21           | Nahum 2         |
| 8  | 2 Corinthians 9         | 2 Kings 22:1-23:35      | Nahum 3         |
| 9  | 2 Corinthians 10        | 2 Kings 23:36-24:20     | Habakkuk 1      |
| 10 | 2 Corinthians 11        | 2 Kings 25              | Habakkuk 2      |
| 11 | 2 Corinthians 12        | 1 Chronicles 1-2        | Habakkuk 3      |
| 12 | 2 Corinthians 13        | 1 Chronicles 3-4        | Zephaniah 1     |
| 13 | John 1:1-18             | 1 Chronicles 5-6        | Zephaniah 2     |
| 14 | John 1:19-34            | 1 Chronicles 7-8        | Zephaniah 3     |
| 15 | John 1:35-51            | 1 Chronicles 9          | Haggai 1-2      |
| 16 | John 2                  | 1 Chronicles 10-11      | Zechariah 1     |
| 17 | John 3:1-21             | 1 Chronicles 12         | Zechariah 2     |
| 18 | John 3:22-36            | 1 Chronicles 13-14      | Zechariah 3     |
| 19 | John 4:1-26             | 1 Chronicles 15:1-16:6  | Zechariah 4     |
| 20 | John 4:27-42            | 1 Chronicles 16:7-43    | Zechariah 5     |
| 21 | John 4:43-54            | 1 Chronicles 17         | Zechariah 6     |
| 22 | John 5:1-18             | 1 Chronicles 18-19      | Zechariah 7     |
| 23 | John 5:19-47            | 1 Chronicles 20:1-22:1  | Zechariah 8     |
| 24 | John 6:1-21             | 1 Chronicles 22:2-23:32 | Zechariah 9     |
| 25 | John 6:22-59            | 1 Chronicles 24         | Zechariah 10    |
| 26 | John 6:60-71            | 1 Chronicles 25-26      | Zechariah 11    |
| 27 | John 7:1-24             | 1 Chronicles 27-28      | Zechariah 12    |
| 28 | John 7:25-52            | 1 Chronicles 29         | Zechariah 13    |
| 29 | John 8:1-20             | 2 Chronicles 1:1-2:16   | Zechariah 14    |
| 30 | John 8:21-47            | 2 Chronicles 2:17-5:1   | Malachi 1:1-2:9 |
| 31 | John 8:48-59            | 2 Chronicles 5:2-14     | Malachi 2:10-16 |



Doreen Gordon and Michelle Markstrom



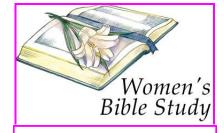
Men's Bible Study every Friday morning at 9:00 am.

All men are welcome to join us!



9:00 am

Cancelled until September Have a great summer!



Woman's Bible Study will be taking the summer off and will resume studies in September

Enjoy your summer!





# Ladies Coffee Hour Cancelled See you in September!





The Ultimate Cloth Great for your Cleaning projects!

Get yours at the church office \$6.00 each or 5 for \$25.00

### Sault Ste. Marie Downtown Days.

August 5 & 6

Two full days of fun and activities for the whole family. Sidewalk Sales, Arts & Crafts, Music and much more.

### **Quilt Raffle**

This year the PW will be raffling another beautiful hand made king size quilt by Sandy Shaw.

Tickets are available.

The drawing will be held

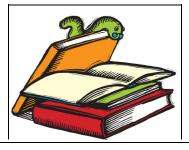
November 5, 2016 at 4:00 pm.

### The Nuala Kennedy Band at LSSU Arts Center

, August 13, 2016

7 pm - 9 pm

Irish Musical Group Performance



### **Bayliss Library Book Sale**

Friday, August 05 & Saturday August 6 9 am - 1 pm

It's the Big Book Sale! The Friends of the Bayliss Library Annual Summer Used Book Sale inside and outside at the Library.

### 44th Annual Sault Summer Arts Festival

Tuesday, August 02, 2016

10am - 8pm

New Location—Lake Superior State University

#### LSSU NORTH LAWN

The U.S. Air Force Band of Mid-America pop combo "Starlifter" will play at 6pm. Free concert at the Annual Sault Summer Arts Festival at it new location on the grounds of Lake Superior State University. Only 100 chairs available. Or bring something to sit on. If it rains the concert will move to the LSSU Arts Center.



Don't forget to visit the Sault Convention and Visitors Bureau at http://www.saultstemarie.com

For more information and more events



### Soo Theatre Rossini's "Barber of Seville" August 10th, 12th and 14th Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 pm

### Movie Nights

LSSU ARTS CENTER

650 W. Easterday Ave., Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

\$7 each 7 pm to 9 pm

Saturday, August 6th "Captain America Cival War"

Tuesday, August 9th "Captain America Civil War"

Thursday, August 18th "Now You See Me 2"

Friday, August 19th "Now You See Me 2"



### Soo Theatre

Sunday at 3:00 pm.

Friday, August 5, 2016 7 pm

"RAISE THE ROOF"

**Billy Strings** 

**Concert Series** 

To close out the series, the famous Billy Strings Band will be at the Soo Theatre on August 5.

Help "Raise the Roof". All money raised will go to the Soo Theatre's new roof.

### **Bible Quiz**

Under what circumstances did strongman Samson become weak?

- A. When a curse was spoken against him
- B. When he slacked off on his weight-lifting exercises
- C. When his hair was cut
- D. When he was bound with ropes that had never been used

### Have you been to the Retreat Cottage?

Did you know that the church owns a retreat cottage on Sugar Island?

It sits on the river and has a beautiful view from the closed-in porch. There is a living room, dining room, kitchen, and FIVE bedrooms. Each bedroom has a twin size bed – which have brand new mattress/box spring sets. There are dishes and cookware, chairs, couch, almost all the comforts of home. We just put a "new" (used) stove in too. You do need to bring your own linens (kitchen, bath, and bed) but it is still a wonderful place to spend a couple of days and commune with God in his bountiful wonder of nature. (Very limited cell reception – it's a good thing...)

We do charge a nominal usage fee to keep operating expenses covered. Call today and see what time slots are available.

Check out our website for more information: http://www.soopresbyterian.org/retreat-cottage.html





# TRUST Poster

No matter what you face, God is with you. Make this poster as a reminder to always trust God.

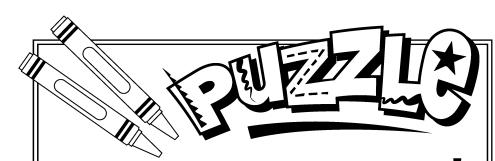


#### What you need:

- Cardstock
- Glue
- Twigs (a 3" piece and a 2" piece)
- Pebbles
- Black paint
- Paintbrush
- Sand or glitter
- Broken crayons (2 or 3)

### What you do:

- 1. On the left side of the cardstock, trace a 3"-high letter T with glue. Place twigs on the glue lines.
- 2. Trace an R of the same size. Place pebbles on that glue.
- 3. Use black paint to make a U.
- 4. Trace an S in glue. Pour sand (or glitter) on top.
- 5. Make another T with glue. Place the crayons on top.
- 6. After the poster dries, shake off the excess sand (or glitter) into a trash can.



### NEVER FEAR

The Psalms are full of inspiring prayers to God, who always looks after you.

Directions: Use the clues to fill in each missing letter. Then use those letters to complete Psalm 13:5, NIV.

| What plants grow in  | DIR   |
|----------------------|-------|
| The opposite of play | W O K |
| One-of-a-kind        | NIQUE |
| A hug and a          | KI S  |
| Sour                 | TAR   |
| To speak very loudly | YEL   |
| Immediately          | N W   |
| Bees live in a       | HIE   |
| A dandelion is this  | W E D |
|                      | J     |
| in your unfailing    |       |
|                      |       |

13:5, NIV

Answers: dirt, work, unique, kiss, tart, yell, now, hive, weed; I trust in your unfailing love; my heart rejoices in your salvation. Psalm

my heart rejoices in your salvation. Psalm 13:5, NIV

Bible Quiz (page 9)

Answer: C (See Judges 16:17-19.)



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|   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday                       |
|---|--|--|-----------|---|--|--------------------------------|
|   | 1<br>7:00p ACT Study Grp                             | 2 <b>Election Day</b><br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib) | ೯         | 4<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                                | 5 Office Closed<br>9:00a Men's Study Grp<br>OPF OUT OFFICE | 6<br>9:00a N.A.<br>7:00p A.A.  |
|   | 8<br>7:00p ACT Study Grp                             | 9<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                     | 10        | 11.<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                              | 9:00a Men's Study Grp                                      | 13<br>9:00a N.A.<br>7:00p A.A. |
| Early Social Hour<br>Worship Service<br>Sunday School<br>Soup Kitchen   | 15<br>5:30p Session Mtg (WR)<br>7:00p ACT Study Grp) | 16<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                    | 17        | 18.<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                              | 9:00a Men's Study Grp                                      | 20<br>9:00a N.A.<br>7:00p A.A. |
| Early Social Hour<br>Worship Service<br>Sunday School<br>Trustee's Mtg (WR)<br>Soup Kitchen<br>Freighter View Worship | 22 7:00p ACT Study Grp                               | 23<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                    | 24        | 25<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)<br>6:00p Boy Scout Leader Mtg | 26 Office Closed 9:00a Men's Study Grp OUT OFFICE          | 27<br>9:00a N.A<br>7:00p A.A.  |
| Early Social Hour<br>Worship Service<br>Sunday School<br>Soup Kitchen   | 29<br>7:00p ACT Study Grp)                           | 30<br>12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)                    | 31        |   |  |                                |

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Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (closed 11:30-12)

**Sunday Worship Schedule** 

Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Sunday School (all grades) 10:00 a.m.

**Church Staff** 

Rev. Mark Gabbard, Minister Don Myers, CRE Brenda Ransom, CRE

Kay Boyne, Music Director

Denise Goldade, Financial/Administrative Assistant

Jesse Witte, Sexton

### **Deadline for September issue: August 19th**

Wednesdays: Music in the Park, Soo Locks Park, 7 p.m.

Farmers Market, 4-7 p.m., corner of Ashmun & Portage

August 2 **Election Day** 

Arts Festival at LSSU

August 5 Soo Theatre, "Raise The Roof" Billy Strings **7** pm

August 5 & 6 **Downtown Days** 

August 5 & 6 **Bayliss Library Book Sale** 

August 10,12 &14 Soo Theatre, Rossini's "Barber of Seville

August 13 Naula Kennedy Band at LSSU Arts Center 7 pm



August 2

August 6 &9 Movie Night at LSSU

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