SUMMER IS FINALLY HERE!! Addy's Ponderings

I bet a lot of you share this feeling with me as we wake up, see the sun and no longer reach for something warm to throw on. Whether you work on your garden, take a vacation, enjoy the outdoors, attend festivals or simply delight in a more agreeable weather, summers are particularly special to most Wisconsinites. In fact, Milwaukee as a community tends to want to get the most out its considerably short warm season. There seems to be countless family-friendly activities almost every warm day of the year!

Summer also has very important meanings. It helps us remember God's bounty, as we enjoy our fresh produce right out of our trees and gardens. Nature often shows us of the beauty of birth during this season. Some of the most important events in our lives are also planned during this time, such as weddings and graduations. Children bring life to our neighborhoods with their laughter and play when it's nice out.

Speaking of youth, please grace our 6/8 service with memories of your younger days. Tell us about childhood experiences that have resulted in spiritual growth. Just a couple of minutes, 2 to 3, will do just fine. We're looking for five brave souls to do this. Please contact me at (414) 704-7827 or <u>abonnetti@yahoo.com</u> to sign up as soon as possible.

Additionally, remember to join St. Luke's at its own wonderful summer events. Please refer to your calendar for details.

Thank you for reading!

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