Bethesda Life-Line

Worship Services* Sunday 8:30 & 10 AM Service of Holy Communion is celebrated every Sunday of each month.

Coffee fellowship is held in the fellowship room following the early Sunday Worship service. All are invited to share in conversation and warm fellowship.



Nov 4 Sunday Communion

8:30 & 10 AM

Nov 11 Sunday Worship Communion	9:00 AM
Nov 18 Sunday Worship Communion	8:30 & 10 AM
Nov 25 Sunday Worship Communion	8:30 & 10 AM

Bethesda Mission Statement: We will LIVE and SERVE through FAITH we will ACT with LOVE and KINDNESS we will GIVE hope and SUPPORT to all

Upcoming Events

Nov. 4 Daylight Savings time ends Nov. 10 Veterans breakfast by Malmo Lions Dec. 1 Christmas WELCA luncheon Dec. 23 Cantata





2018 Annual Meeting Minutes

copies can be found in the office for you to read.

Women's Devotions & Bible Study Celebrates 20 Years

In the spring of 1998 a women's Bible study was started and over the last 20 years the group has seen changes as members moved away and the studies evolved. Twenty years ago there were two groups which met once a week and for the past ten years the group has been meeting once a month. The one constant element that has never changed is to learn more about the Bible and to join in deeper fellowship with other women.

Over the next three months the group will be studying about repentance and how repentance shapes our relationships with God and with others. This year we are using the studies from The Gather magazine a publication of the ELCA women's organization. Next meeting is November 12. If you are interested in joining us, contact Pat Becker. All are welcome.



MEN'S ANNUAL FISHING TRIP

Is scheduled for January 21st – 23rd, 2019. We will leave the church Monday, January 21 at 0600 and stop at the Shining light café in Northome for breakfast and to draw numbers for your fishing partner. Monday there will be a steak dinner at the lodge and on Tuesday they will serve breakfast, we will provide a sack lunch to take along fishing and then a fish fry for dinner. Wednesday morning you are on your own, headed home.

A check for \$100 payable to Bayview Lodge will be required, the deadline for this is December 10th. If interested contact Skip Hansen (218-839-2005) or Ron Mehlhop (507-276-0798) to make your reservations.



From the Pastor

"Do not judge, so that you may not be judged. For with the judgment you make you will be judged, and the measure you give will be the measure you get. Why do you see the speck in your neighbor's eye, but do

not notice the log in your own eye? Or how can you say to your neighbor, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' while the log is in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbor's eye." (Matthew 7:1-5)

Greetings, fellow brothers and sisters in Christ! Listening, as I noted last month, is a vital part of our Christian calling and service. It is a pretty handy practice for our role as US citizen too. Freedom of speech is essential for a healthy democracy, but we need good ears for that mouth to work properly.

Of course, one wrinkle I failed to mention was that life in the 21st century faces ever-growing challenges when it comes to listening - as modern-day people we are so inundated with information that it recalls that saying about drinking water through a fire hose. Between network news, cable tv, print newspapers, radio, Facebook and Twitter and all the rest, information bombards us from every angle.

Early this year my brother and I took a trip to Iceland and we were amazed that even in fairly rural regions of that country they had good cellphone service, enough that we were able to stream some music and podcasts as we drove around, the Icelandic radio stations being a bit lost on us. I did read recently, however, that some locals in one remote peninsula on the NW corner of Iceland is trying to preserve a "digital free zone." One small corner of an otherwise tech friendly island that is free from ringing and beeping and buzzing smartphones. The need for emergency services might encourage them to plop down some more cell towers, but it is easy to see the appeal in silence.

But for those of us who feel compelled to stay informed (even when the news regularly makes us depressed), sorting news you can trust from that firehose blast of information can be a daunting task. Yet it is a necessary step, because as much as modern technology has made communicating easier that means it is also easier for people to communicate bad information. Sometimes I feel like the Amish had the right idea all along. Recently, the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions created a handy graphic to help sort good news from bad. Here is their advice for considering which online news stories to share (but could be adapted for news more generally):

- **Consider the source**: Click away from the story to investigate the site, its mission and its contact info.
- **Read beyond**: Headlines can be outrageous in an effort to get clicks. What's the whole story?
- Check the author: Do a quick search on the author. Are they credible? Are they real?
- **Supporting sources?** Click on those links. Determine if the info given actually supports the story.
- Check the date: Reposting old news stories doesn't mean they're relevant to current events.
- **Is it a joke?** If it is too outlandish, it might be satire. Research the site and author to be sure.
- Check your biases: Consider if your own beliefs could affect your judgement.
- Ask the experts: Ask a librarian, or consult a fact-checking site.

This may all seem like a lot of work, but if we are going to ignore Jesus' advice and post something that makes a judgement call on other people, we want to at least make sure we know what we are talking about. It is very easy these days to share something with your closest 324 friends on social media, but we don't always take responsibility for our incredible new power. It used to be that you would only embarrass yourself in front of your family at Thanksgiving or down at the local bar or breakfast spot when you spouted off about something. Now, if you see that speck in someone else's eye, you can make sure everybody knows.

And once everyone is talking and texting and posting to social media about that speck, it kind of short-circuits our brain and we begin to see that speck magnified to logsized and beyond. Whether the information is outright false or has an element of truth, but doesn't tell the whole story, the more bad information spreads, the harder it is to shake.

Jesus may not have had a smartphone, but he knew the danger of judging too quickly, of bearing false witness, and of speaking more than listening. There are times that we do need to speak out, but when we do, we need to do our homework. Otherwise, maybe just do what I do and stick to posting photos of your pets on Facebook, it just seems safer.

Blessings to you this month and always! Pastor James

TREASU General Fund	YTD	
Income Actual	\$20,379	\$20,379
Income Budgeted	\$16,379	\$16,379
Expense Actual	\$13,011	\$13,011
Expense Budgeted	\$16,395	\$16,395
Over/(Short)	\$7,368	\$7,368



Bethesda Lutheran Church of Malmo

Minutes of October 18, 2018

In attendance: Kathy Berland, Mary Braun, Ron Mehlhop, Ron Haglund, Cheryl Malotky, Sharon Whipple, Pastor James Muske, Jenny Schuett, and George Smith.

Guests: Randy Tofteland. RE: Mutual Ministry Committee

The meeting was called to order by council president George Smith. Pastor James gave opening Devotions.

Secretary's Report:

Motion was made to accept the minutes of the September meeting by Sherry Whipple, seconded by Cheryl Malotky, and passed.

Treasurer's Report:

Financial view and current month activity for September was presented by Mary Braun. Reporting employee taxes (FICA, etc), was under budgeted, will need to be revised. Question on MCCU bank accounts. Dormant accounts for Youth Group. Can activate if we start youth groups again. Motion was made by Ron Haglund to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Jenny Schuett and passed.

Pastor's Report:

September 15 to October 18, 2018 Thank you all for all your hard work and leadership and helping make this another great month!

• Had a wonderful time participating in my first Jamboree. Thanks to all involved for all their hard work, and all who came out and enjoyed!

- Attended the NE MN Synod's Fall Theological Conference, where I preached at the first evening's worship service
- Continued to work with *Together Here*, our Synod's committee to help build understanding of and relationships with our Native American neighbors; together with Randy Tofteland, I attended a training session for the "blanket exercise" teaching tool
 - Also hosted a local meeting for people in the Mille Lacs/Brainerd Lakes area
- Jim Christensen and I participated in a praise team workshop and concert hosted by Faith Lutheran in Isle, which featured a number of area praise teams
- All the regular committee and worship activities, pastoral visits
- Looking ahead for Thanksgiving Eve service, should we host here or join other churches?

Discussed Wednesday night Thanksgiving service; shared service or remain the same (potluck and service)?

Old Business:

Mutual Ministry Committee

Randy Tofteland presented Mutual Ministry Committee recommendation for our church. A motion was made to accept the formation of a Mutual Ministry Committee by Mary Braun, seconded by Kathy Berland, and passed.

Job Descriptions

No changes. A copy of each committee job description will be distributed to each council rep that they are responsible for.

Personnel Committee. Ron Haglund new council rep. Will call a meeting soon to elect a chair.

New Business:

Select a New Council President and Vice President A was motion made by Sherry Whipple and seconded by Cheryl Malotky to accept George Smith as President and passed.

A motion was made by Sherry Whipple and seconded by Kathy Berland to accept Jenny Schuett as Vice President and passed. Committee Council Representative Assignments Personnel: Ron Haglund Faith, Health & Wellness: Kathy Berland Music & Worship: Sherry Whipple & Cheryl Malotky Property: Jenny Schuett Mission & Evangelism: Judie Birk Stewardship: Mary Braun Strategic Planning: George Smith WELCA Rep: Sherry Whipple & Cheryl Malotky

Approve Pastor's salary and benefits for 2018-2019 A was motion made by Ron Haglund and seconded by Sherry Whipple to accept the Synod Guidelines to accept Pastor's salary and benefits and passed.

Pending Major Tasks to Accomplish

Church's 100th Anniversary Celebration 2019 Trunk or Treat scheduled for Oct. 31, 2018. Change to free will for food. Other activities planned: Sweatshirts & Tshirts, Movie Night, Lions Car Show in Sept. 2019

Internal Audit

A motion was made by Ron Haglund and seconded by Sherry Whipple to pursue the internal audit.

Committee Reports:

Worship and Music:

Report will be coming on recent survey.

Stewardship & Finance:

Stewardship met on Monday, October 15 with opening prayer. The following items were discussed:

1. Envelopes will be order and benevolence category will read Global Benevolence. People wishing to give to local benevolence and other programs will continue to use the other category.

2. We recommend that Pearl (domestic abuse program for Mille Lacs County) be added to local benevolence for the coming year. Our recommendation will be given to Mission and Evangelism. 3. The Isle School Project was discussed. Nov. 4, 11, 18 were chosen as special giving and recognition dates. Patti S. and Mary B. will coordinate a notice in the Sunday bulletin and Lifeline. Pastor James will give a blessing each of the Sundays for the gifts received. There will be a box or basket placed in the front of the altar and members will deposit their items in the box before church. A list of items needed for the program is available in the narthex.

4. The budget was reviewed and changes will be discussed at the next meeting.

5. An in-house audit is recommended by the stewardship committee. Information will be put together and presented to the council at their November meeting so the council can determine if they wish to proceed with an in-house audit and what it will entail.

6. Next meeting will be Monday, November 12 at 12:30

Property Committee

Meeting notes for October 2018.

- Some trees have been trimmed for ease of mowing and appearance.
- The Sanctuary carpet has been cleaned. The other carpets to be cleaned after the Bazaar.
- Material for the Century Celebration sign has been purchased and will be installed soon.
- Septic covers will be installed before ground freezes.
- Driveway markers will be placed after the first plowing.
- Refrigerator in kitchen failed and will be repaired. Do we need a new refrigerator?
- Gutter screens have been put on parsonage gutters.
- Church and parsonage sprayed for bugs.
- The well has been tested by Minnesota Health Department.

Respectfully submitted, Lee Forrester The next council meeting will be November 15th at 10:00 am.

Respectfully submitted by Judie Birk, Council Secretary.

NEW COMMITTEE FORMED

A new committee named the Mutual Ministry Committee has just been approved by the Church Council. Its purpose is to support a healthy relationship between our pastor and the congregation and provide a safe confidential forum to gather, clarify and share feedback and concerns within the congregation and our pastor.

The launch of the Mutual Ministry Committee comes after several years of discussion and planning and was a recommendation of both Pastor Jim Raisanen and Pastor Terry Frovik as something that would be beneficial for Bethesda. Additionally, Mutual Ministry Committees are now common throughout ELCA churches and have been found to be very helpful in building long term healthy relationships between the pastor and the congregation.

A complete description of Bethesda's Mutual Ministry Committee is included in this month's Life-Line Newsletter so you can more fully understand its purpose and responsibilities. But it's also important to understand what the committee is not. The committee is not intended to eliminate direct communication with the pastor. All members of Bethesda are encouraged to speak directly with our pastor and share any feedback they feel comfortable expressing. But the committee will serve to find ways to gather feedback both formally and informally that is intended to make our pastor as personally and professionally successful as they can be and to create a healthy relationship between the pastor and congregation.

In addition to Pastor James, members of the newly formed committee include Carolyn Morris, Char Berg and is chaired by Randy Tofteland. The committee will soon be communicating plans on how it will gather congregation feedback and input, but in the meantime if you have anything on your minds that you would like the committee to hear and know please seek out Carolyn, Char or Randy and they will ensure your input and feedback is handled in a sensitive and confidential manner.

Thank you for your interest in the Mutual Ministry Committee and look for more information in the coming months.

MUTUAL MINISTRY COMMITTEE

Job Description (October 2018)

PURPOSE

The primary function of the Mutual Ministry Committee is to support a healthy relationship between the pastor and the congregation. It provides a forum of mutual trust and is a "Listening Post" and "Sounding Board" for both pastor and congregation.

DUTIES / RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Provide a safe and confidential forum to gather, clarify and share feedback and concerns within congregation and the pastor.
- 2. Develop open communication about the expectations, attitudes and concerns within the congregation and pastor.
- 3. Identify early warning signs of misunderstandings.
- 4. Serve as a group where the pastor can test new ideas.
- 5. Be a sounding board in time of personal and professional stress for the pastor.
- 6. Provide frequent and on-going informal feedback to the pastor with the sole intention of improving personal and professional effectiveness.
- 7. Serves as the exit interview group when a pastor leaves the congregation.

<u>CHAIRPERSON / MEMBER</u> <u>QUALIFICATIONS</u>

- 1. Actively engaged within the congregation and committed to Christ.
- 2. Trustworthy, open minded and willing to listen.
- 3. Committed to and capable of keeping information <u>Strictly Confidential</u>.
- 4. Possess and display a true concern for others and have a strong sense of empathy.
- 5. Willingness to share sometimes difficult information or concern in a caring, sensitive manner.

MEMBER SIZE / TERM

- 1. Initially no more than 4 members (including pastor).
- 2. Each member (excluding pastor) will serve a two year term with a maximum of two consecutive terms.

Thank you's

<u>THANK YOU!</u> To the person who gave a generous gift to the Bethesda Rescue Dog, Daisy, for her upcoming surgery and vet bills. You are a very kind and caring soul. May God bless you. We are very grateful to you. Judy & Daisy





Join us on Thursdays at 12:30 to play! Join in on the fun (no potluck during the month of November, just fun!) **Double Pinochle** is at 1:00 on Mondays



Operation Christmas Child

During VBS the kids packed 26 shoeboxes to send to needy children around the world. There were items left over so more boxes will be packed on Sunday, November 11th

during coffee fellowship. Until then we will continue to collect school supplies, small toys, T-shirts and hygiene items. Items can be brought to the collection box in the narthex and all are invited to come and pack a box on November 11th.

Veterans Pancake breakfast and bake sale by the Malmo area Lions on November 10th, 7-11 a.m. \$5 per plate, Veterans are free. At Bethesda church.



Thanks to all who helped plant, weed, water and mow Bethesda's lawn & gardens this summer. May God bless your winter season!

SNOWBIRDS Before you leave to head to

warmer climates please let Mary or Jenny in the office know your forwarding address and the dates you will be gone (Telephone No./e-mail too?) so that we may get your newsletters and any other information to you. If you can't find Mary, just leave a note on the secretary's desk with the pertinent information. THANK YOU!

MILLE LACS HOMEMAKERS

Have you heard about the Mille Lacs Home-Makers Club? We meet the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 11 am or 12 noon from September thru May at the Mille Lacs Snowmobile Club. We are a service organization for area nursing homes in Aitkin, Onamia, and Isle. We make easy Easter and Christmas items to put on their breakfast trays and fleece robes to keep them warm—no sewing; you can cut, pin and other easy tasks. Come to our November 14th meeting at 11:30 am to check us out. We have a fun time. For more info contact Shirley Gosselin, President, at cell-320-339-5589; h-320-676-5589



Choir News

Wow, where did October go!! I have been busy attending two weddings in Southwest MN this last month. I want to thank Randy Tofteland for filling in for me again on Oct. 7th so I could spend the weekend with all of my siblings. I do have one last wedding for a nephew in Calif. and will be flying out with my mom this next week, and so Jeanine has agreed to lead the choir for me on Nov.4th. The choir will be singing "Lord, I call to you," and on Nov.18th we will be singing, "Praise to the Lord." This song reminds me of hymns we would sing at Thanksgiving time as I was growing up back at Faith Lutheran Church in Avoca, MN. I hope you will enjoy it, and hope it brings memories of past Thanksgivings to you also.

The choir has started to practice the Cantata in the last couple of weeks. We will be busy learning this new cantata on Wed. nights. If anyone would like to join us we will start choir practice at 6:00 and 6:15 start practicing the Cantata. We will be practicing on Wed. Nov. 7th, 14th, off on the 21st for Thanksgiving eve and then on Nov. 28th. We would love anyone who loves Christmas and loves to sing to join us in the Cantata. You do not have to read music but do have to love to sing and to have a lot of fun!! I will tell you more about the Cantata in my Dec. newsletter article. I want wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving, as our great God continues to bless us at Bethesda!!

God's Blessing to you all, Sheila Penoyer/Choir Director

Husky Pride

How can students focus on academics when they are going hungry?

ISLE SCHOOL FOOD PANTRY

November 4, 11, & 18 will be designated as Isle School Food Pantry giving Sundays. There will be a basket placed in the front of the altar and members are requested to deposit their items in the basket before church. Pastor James will give a blessing each of the Sundays for the gifts received. A list of items needed for the program is also available in the narthex.

Items needed/wanted for Isle School's Food Pantry

- 1. Canned chicken, tuna and ham or hearty, ready-to-go meals like beef stew and chili with meat. Non-perishable items rich in protein are the most desired food drive donation items.
- 2. Canned vegetables: Potatoes, beans, carrots, spinach or peas, all with no salt added preferred THAT KIDS WOULD LIKE...
- 3. Canned fruit ...plus individual fruit cups
- 4. Canned tomatoes & pasta sauces
- 5. Shelf stable milk and alternatives (rice, soy, etc.)
- 6. Snack items for kids to take to school: juice boxes, applesauce containers, granola bars
- 7. Single serve macaroni & cheese, microwavable foods, bowls, packets
- 8. Cereal cups
- 9. Nuts sealed to take out of the building
- 10. Peanut or other nut butter, especially crunchy-sealed to take out of the building
- 11. Instant oatmeal, instant grits
- 12. Whole grain pasta, brown rice and quinoa
- 13. Biscuit or baking mixes (that only require water)
- 14. Spices like cinnamon, oregano, basil, salt, pepper
- 15. Items that have a long shelf life but always goes immediately-some breads-crackers-cookies
- 16. Bags of apples or potatoes.
- 17. Chocolate. It's not a necessity but just a pick-me-up that helps lift the heart of some

BEYOND FOOD

- 1. Toiletries: toothbrushes, soap, toothpaste, lotion, shampoo & conditioner, warm socks, deodorant, Chapstick, etc.
- 2. Feminine hygiene products
- 3. School supplies
- 4. Clothes hats, gloves, etc?

WHAT FOOD BANKS CANNOT USE

- 1. Perishable foods
- 2. Expired foods
- 3. Food without a label
- 4. Homemade food
- 5. Food or packaging that's falling apart or damaged



Our Father in Heaven, We give thanks for the pleasure Of gathering together for this occasion. We give thanks for this food

Prepared by loving hands.

We give thanks for life,

The freedom to enjoy it all

- And all other blessings.
- As we partake of this food,

We pray for health and strength To carry on and try to live as You would have us.

This we ask in the name of Christ, Our Heavenly Father.

--Harry Jewell



Local Area Thanksgiving Services to attend

Tuesday, Nov.20 - Ecumenical Service: 7:00pm at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Wahkon

Wednesday, Nov. 21-First Lutheran Aitkin: 6:30pm

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The Lifeline Mission

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To share articles and/or information, mail to: Sue Stebbins, *Lifeline Editor* c/o Bethesda Lutheran Church

Activities & Events

November 2018

If anyone is unable to fulfill an assignment below, please find your own substitute or notify the coordinator

Ushers by	Skip & Lynn Hansen	
	8:30	10:00
Nov 4 & 11	Chuck, Elsa Carlson	Dick, Sue Stebbins
Nov 18 & 25	Wayne, Janice Olson	Carolyn Morris

Check list in office for when to light the Christ Candle Don't forget the blessing boxes the first Sunday of every month!! If anyone is interested in ushering please contact Skip or Lynn

Altar Care by Dianne Jones

Nov. Kathy Larson, Dianne Jones

Dec. Shirley Gosselin & Linda Southworth



Coffee Servers

Nov 4

- Nov 11 Jack & Paula Spetz
- Nov 18
- Nov 25 Carron Family

Greeters Lynne Meidlinger

- Nov 4George, Kathy LarsonNov 11Del, Diane Jones
- Nov 18 Nicole D., Winnie Zahradka
- Nov 28 George, Patti Smith



- Nov 12 Del & Dianne Jones
- Nov 12 Dick & Judy Wozney
- Nov 19 Douglas & Nancy Hansen
- Nov 26 Rollie & Joan Halvorson



- Nov 1 Steve Long
- Nov 2 JoAnn Haglund
- Nov 2 Melissa Turner
- Nov 5 Thomas Forester
- Nov 5 Jenny Schuett
- Nov 6 David Tousignant
- Nov 7 Phillip Bray
- Nov 8 Richard Pullen
- Nov 8 Sylvia Tapelt
- Nov 9 Doug Kloss
- Nov 10 Jon Knudsen
- Nov 14 Drake Thole
- Nov 14 Judith Wozney
- Nov 15 Kathleen Berland
- Nov 15 Robert Krueger
- Nov 16 Joan Petersen
- Nov 18 Karen Miller
- Nov 18 Carol Schlottman
- Nov 21 Dawn Dressely
- Nov 22 Glenda Berry
- Nov 22 Barbara Macioch
- Nov 24 Ronald Mehlhop
- Nov 26 Evelyn Richter
- Nov 26 Dick Wozney
- Nov 27 Doris Reinhard
- Nov 27 Mary Swanson
- Nov 28 Michael Macioch
- Nov 28 Susan Samuelson
- Nov 29 Pat Jorgensen
- Nov 29 Laurie Simonson
- Nov 30 Donald Calverley



When you are down to nothing, God is up to something!"



November 2018 Bethesda Calendar of Events



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
] 8:00 R.o.m.e.o.s\ 10:30 W & M 1:00 Funeral- James Falk 6:00 Bells	2 10:00 Bones Builders	<i>3</i> <i>Day Light</i> <i>Savings</i> Turn your clock back
4 8:30 Worship 10:00 Worship Communion	5 1:00 Pinochle 7:00 p.m AA & Alanon mtg	6 9:00 Quilters 12:00-2 Pastor Text Study	7 9:00 Bible Study 10:00 Stitchers 10:00 Centennial. Committee mtg. \ 6:00 Choir 7:00 Praise Team	8 8:00 R.o.m.e.o.s 12:30 Cards-Fun Timers 6:00 Bells	9 10:00 Bones Builders	10 7:00–11 a.m. Malmo Lions Pancake Breakfast- Veterans eat free
11 8:30 Worship 10:00 Worship Communion	12 Carpet/Tile Cleaning-Kitchen, Hallway, Office 9:00 Womens Devtions @Beckers 12:30 Stewardship 1:00 Pinochle 7:00 p.m AA & Alanon mtg	13 No Quilting 12:00-2 Pastor Text Study	14 9:00 Bible Study 10:00 Stitchers 6:00 Choir 7:00 Praise Team	15 8:00 R.o.m.e.o.s 10:00 Property mtg 10:00 Council mtg 12:30 Cards-Fun Timers 6:00 Bells	16 10:00 Bones Builders	17
18 8:30 Worship 10:00 Worship Communion (help needed taking down tables & chairs for carpet cleaning)	19 Fellowship Hall Carpet Cleaning 1:00 Pinochle 7:00 p.m AA & Alanon mtg	20 12:00-2 Pastor Text Study Newsline Deadline	21 8-12 WIC 9:00 Bible Study 9:30 WELCA No Thanksgiving Service –check pg. 7 for area service times	22 Give Happy Thanksgiving	23 Aitkin Fish house parade	24
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