

## **For Sunday, June 6**

God, you call upon your people to strengthen your Church on earth. This week, bless the hearts and minds of the young adults who gather at Camps Kirchenwald and Nawakwa for staff training. Inspire them in their teambuilding and their learning, so that they might be empowered and equipped to care for and teach the children and families who attend our camps.

### **Camp staff in your congregation**

As your Holy Spirit inspired the apostles to go out into the world to share the Good News, so inspire *[name(s)]* as *he/she/they* prepare(s) for a summer of leadership and service at Camp Kirchenwald/Nawakwa. Equip him/her/them with the gifts necessary to care for, teach, and lead the campers who attend summer camp. Infuse him/her/them with a sense of holy purpose, and help him/her/them to find joy in serving You through service to others.

## **For Sunday, June 20**

We pray for the ministry of the Lutheran Camping Corporation. As the summer season begins, send your spirit to create cultures of acceptance and faithfulness at Camps Kirchenwald and Nawakwa. May the children and adults who participate in this ministry be encouraged and strengthened in their faithfulness. We pray that they may return to their homes and congregations with a greater sense of Your boundless love for all creation, and a renewed eagerness to serve You.

### **Throughout the summer**

We ask your blessing on *[camper(s) name(s)]* who will attend Camp *Kirchenwald/Nawakwa* this week/summer. Keep *[him/her/them]* safe and help *[him/her/them]* know that You are always with us, even when we are apart from family and home. May *[his/her/their]* time at camp be a time of growth in Your Spirit and delight in Your creation. We pray for a safe return and look forward to seeing the ways that You have worked in the *life/lives* of *[name(s)]* through outdoor ministry.