

VOYAGEURS LUTHERAN MINISTRY AT A GLANCE

...In God's Great Northwoods!



Our Mission: VLM provides opportunities for Christ-centered Spiritual Growth, Leadership Development, and Outreach in God's Great Northwoods!

Our Values: VLM is rooted in Program, Partnership, People of the Word, Service, Safety and Hospitality.

Voyageurs Lutheran Ministry was born when Camp Hiawatha (1958) and Camp Vermilion (1959) were brought together into one organization in 1990. We are a 501c3 Non-Profit Outdoor Ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and are open to all.

Our Membership is currently made up of 81 churches in Minnesota.

Summer Programs:

- Residential Youth Camps
- Family Camps
- Hockey Camp
- Fine Arts Camp
- Congregational Day Camps
- Guided Canoe Country Trips

Year-Round Programs

- Programmed Retreats
- Family Reunion Rentals
- Wedding Rentals
- Group Meeting Space
- Hobby Retreats
- Church Retreats



Camp Hiawatha

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Camp Vermilion *368 acres on the Southwest Shore of Lake Vermilion*



Year Round Housing:

Bakk House Retreat Center - Sleeps 36 w/
Kitchen, meeting space and sauna

3-Season:

Priest House—Sleeps 12
Lakeside Cabins (3) - Sleep 5-8 each

Summer Cabins:

Summer Cabins (18) sleep 11 w/ Shower house
Camp Sites (5) - with elec. and water hook-up

Includes:

Access to waterfront, canoes, hiking,
cross country skiing, snowshoeing, sports field,
large sauna.

Staff available for Food Service, Lifeguarding,
Group Development Initiative Course
Fully outfitted BWCAW trips with Guide

Families

Hobby Groups

Woodworkers

Fishing Groups

Congregations

Sabbatical

Snowmobilers

Scout Retreats

Day Groups

School Groups

Sauna
Enthusiasts

Year-round
Family
Reunions

Hobby Groups

Congregations

Recovery
Communities

School Groups

Scout Retreats

Day Groups

Cross Country
Skiers

Leadership
Development

Year Round Housing:

Retreat Center - Sleeps 16 w/Shared Bath
Gloria Dei Dorm—Sleeps 50 w/Private Bath
Lindberg Dorm—Sleeps 34 w/Private Bath

Includes:

Access to waterfront, canoes, hiking,
cross country skiing, snowshoeing, sports field,
basketball court, large sauna.

Staff available for Food Service, Lifeguarding,
Group Development Initiative Course, small
group meeting space.

Facilities available year-round except for
summer (weekends only).



Over 80 Acres on the North Shore of Deer lake

Camp Hiawatha