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### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

- Sun., August 7**
- 9:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion & Live Stream on YouTube
- Mon., August 8**
- 8:00 PM Monday Night Fellowship @ Brau Brothers
- Tues., August 9**
- 7:00 PM Adult Children of Alcoholics
- Wed., August 10**
- 12:00 PM 12@12
- Thurs., August 11**
- 9:00 AM Senior Coffee
  - 10:00 AM Worship on Studio 1
  - 5:15 PM NHCC Board Meeting
- Fri., August 12**
- 6:30 PM Alcoholics Anon.
  - 7:00 PM Worship on Studio 1
- Sat., August 13**
- 9:30 AM Karen 7th Day Adventist
- Sun., August 14**
- 9:30 AM Worship & Live Stream on YouTube

Proclaiming and Serving Jesus Christ



### PRAYERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**We remember in prayer these and all others we name in our hearts:**

- Delores Manke (hospice)
- Ellen Wischer (in hospice)
- Phil Green (nephew of Roger Green, ALS)
- Kaylee Juutilainen (kidney)
- Elaine Sandquist (recovering from surgery for endometrial cancer and radiation treatments in August)
- Aaron Nielsen (son of Ryan & Kathy Nielsen, recovering from emergency surgery)

### Senior Coffee

Thursdays from 9:00-10:00am in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome.

### Worship Services

Our worship schedule will continue with 1 service on Sundays at 9:30am and Communion on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month.

### Worship Leaders Needed

Worship leader volunteers are needed for September services. Contact Wendy in the office to volunteer.

### August Newsletter

Please check your email or the church web site for the August newsletter. Printed copies are also available outside of the church office.

9th Sunday after Pentecost  
August 7th, 2022  
† Worship w/Holy Communion

### Rally Sunday!

Save the Date! We are excited to host an all-congregation Rally Sunday on Sunday, September 11th. More details coming soon!

### Sunday School

Registration is now open! Please register by August 15th so we can plan for curriculum. Students will see their classrooms, meet teachers and have some fun on Rally Sunday (Sept. 11th). Classes will begin on September 18th. The registration link is also on the web site and posted on the office window.

### Confirmation Classes

6th grade and new student Parent Orientation will be Wednesday, September 7th at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall. The first night of Confirmation Classes for students will be Wednesday, September 14th at 5:30pm. Pizza will be served.

### CIA / Sr. High Youth

Open to all students in grades 9-12. Join us Wednesday, Sept. 14th at 7pm in the Youth Room.

### Fall Worship Schedule

Our Fall worship schedule begins on Sunday, September 18th. We will continue with 1 worship service at 9:30am and Sunday School will be held from 8:45am to 9:15. Coffee Fellowship will be held during Sunday School in the Fellowship Hall.

**PRELUDE**

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**GATHERING HYMN**

**GREETING**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Benevolent God ... .., our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

**FIRST READING** ~ Jeremiah 23:23-29

**SECOND READING** ~Hebrews 11:29--12:2

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**GOSPEL** ~ Luke 12:49-56

*Prior to the reading:*

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*After the Gospel reading:*

P: The Gospel of our Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**APOSTLE'S CREED**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

P: Merciful God,

C: **Receive our prayer.**

**SHARING THE PEACE**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OFFERING**

**OFFERING PRAYER**

P: God of abundance,... ..in the name of Jesus.

C: **Amen.**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION**

*All are welcome. If you wish for a gluten-free wafer please tell those serving communion.*

**COMMUNION RESPONSE SONG**

**BENEDICTION**

**SENDING HYMN**

**DISMISSAL**

P: Go in peace! Serve the Lord!

C: **We Will! Thanks be to God!**

**POSTLUDE**

**WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS**

Leader	Erin Kuehl
Musician	Judy DeCramer
Lector	Randy Bakke
Usher	Matthew Stuewe
Projector	<i>Volunteer Needed</i>
Video	John DeCramer
Communion	Brenda Citrowske
Altar Guild	Nicole Lewis
Communion Bread	Brenda Citrowske

