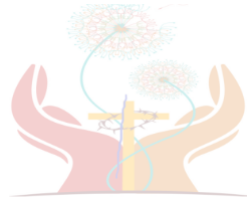


## Welcome to Worship

God is here for you,  
In the word and sacraments, in the love  
of this community.



*Scattering seeds of love  
worship & service*

Welcome! Great to have you here!  
Thank you for choosing to worship with  
us at First Lutheran today.

**LECTIONARY 15**  
**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost**  
**July 10, 2022**  
**GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER**

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### Prelude/Welcome/Announcements

#### Call to Worship:

P: The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

**C: Amen.**

#### Opening Hymn No. 836 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

#### Confession and Forgiveness

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: Most merciful God, we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

**C: Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the  $\pm$  Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

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**Hymn of Praise: Page 148**

### Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

**O Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in pain and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**

Amen.

### Hearing God's Word

#### Lesson: Deuteronomy 30: 9-14

The Lord your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the Lord will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the Lord your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul. Surely, the commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, "Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?" Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, "Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?" No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe. The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

#### Psalm 25:1-10

To you, O LORD,

**C: I lift up my soul.**

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My God, I put my trust in you; let me not be put to shame,

**C: nor let my enemies triumph over me.**

Let none who look to you be put to shame;

**C: rather let those be put to shame who are treacherous.**

Show me your ways, O LORD,

**C: and teach me your paths.**

Lead me in your truth and teach me,

**C: for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.**

Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love,

**C: for they are from everlasting.**

Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions;

**C: remember me according to your steadfast love and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.**

You are gracious and upright, O LORD;

**C: therefore you teach sinners in your way.**

You lead the lowly in justice

**C: and teach the lowly your way.**

All your paths, O LORD, are steadfast love and faithfulness

**C: to those who keep your covenant and your testimonies.**

## **Second Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14**

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

P: Please stand in honor of the reading of the gospel.

The Holy Gospel is taken from **Luke 10:25-37**

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

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live." But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." "The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **Children's Sermon (For the Young at Heart)**

### **Sermon**

**Hymn of the Day No. 659 "Will You Let Me Be Your Servant?"**

## Sermon

### Hymn of the Day No. 659” Will You Let Me Be Your Servant”

#### Responding to God’s Word

#### Apostles’ Creed

#### Prayers of the Church

P: Lord in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **C: And also with you.** (sharing of the peace of Christ)

#### Offering / Offering Hymn: No. 821 “Shout to the Lord”

#### Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray.

**C: Merciful God, as grains of wheat scattered upon the hills were gathered together to become one bread, so let your church be gathered together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, for yours is the glory through Jesus Christ, now and forever. Amen.**

#### Lord’s Prayer

#### God’s People Sent Forth

#### Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord’s face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord looks upon you with favor and + give you peace. **C: Amen.**

#### Sending Hymn No. 551 “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve”

#### Dismissal

P: Go in peace, celebrate life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

*Welcome! Great to have you here! Thank you for choosing to worship with us here today.*

*The Worship Radio Broadcast* today is in honor of Howard and Perdita Douty’s wedding anniversary by their son and daughter and families.

*✠ Continuing Prayer Concerns:* Ellie Trautman and Ardell Wolff, Val Carmody, Sarah Meyer, Janice & Larry Harkema, Bob Fritz, Jeanine Olson and Carly Burkard, daughter of Laura & Eric Burkard, and Carole Sommers as they deal with health issues.

*\*\*\* If you or someone you know has a Prayer Concern, please call the church office 825-5837 to have it listed in the bulletin and church webpage.*

#### *This Week’s Schedule – July 10, 2022*

*Today* 9:30am Worship at the church & live streamed

*July 13, 8 pm* Church Council Meeting


*July 14, 9:30 am* Quilting, *4-5 pm* Second Harvest

*Sunday, July 17* 9:30am Worship at the church & live streamed Worship/Holy Communion at the church & live streamed

*If you are interested in reading lessons on Sundays, please scan the QR code and sign-up. Thank you.*





FLY Fairstand— ALL church members encouraged to HELP  
 Sunday, July 31 3-5 pm is clean up  
 August 3-6 shifts: 11 am-2 pm, 2-5 pm, and 5-8 pm  
 Contact Gen Velde or scan QR code.   
[gvelde@hotmail.com](mailto:gvelde@hotmail.com)  
 text/call: 319-290-8879



**Casting Crowns Concert**

Saturday, November 5, 2022, 7:00 PM

- Ticket Price will range from \$25 (upper level) to \$50-60 (floor/lower level) You can choose your price range. If we get a group of 10 or more there will be a discount of \$5 per ticket.
- Those interested will go out to eat before the concert.
- To commit to a ticket; email: [office@firstlutheranpipestone.org](mailto:office@firstlutheranpipestone.org) with the price of the ticket you would like and how many or Text Brenda @ 507-820-0753 by July 13
- Brenda will collect money for tickets and pick up tickets after sign up and try to get like priced seats together.

*Event sponsored by Adult Ed Committee.*

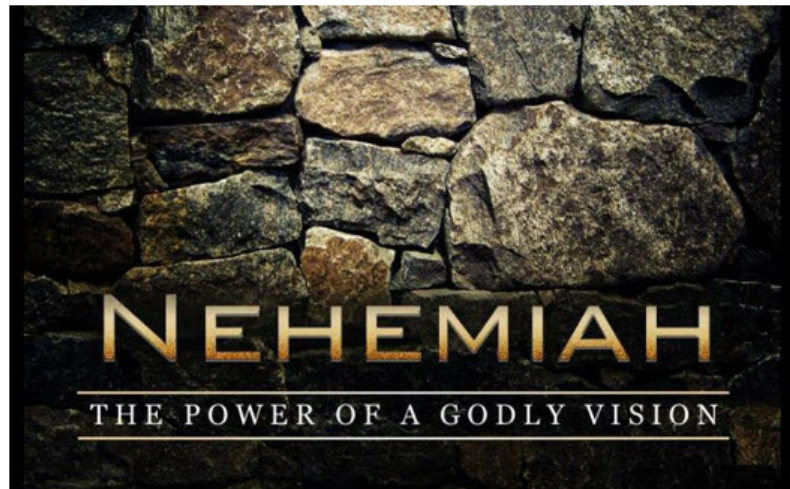
**HAND ME ANOTHER BRICK: TIMELESS LESSONS ON LEADERSHIP**

The Matter at Hand  
 Survey of Nehemiah



*Praying and  
 waiting go  
 hand in hand.  
 You haven't  
 really learned to  
 pray until you've  
 learned to wait.*

*— Charles R. Swindoll*



**First Lutheran Church “Partners in Ministry”**

“Partners in Ministry” is a new program that is beginning at First Lutheran. We are excited to share with you that we have people who will be making home visits, provide a listening ear, and prayer support to members of First Lutheran Church. The “Partners in Ministry” servants are also willing to bring communion to people who are unable to attend worship. These volunteers are here to serve the greater community of First Lutheran. Are you facing surgery and want prayer? We are here for you. Would you like a friendly visitor to share in your journey of faith and life? We are here for you. Call the church office 825-5837 to find out more information. The people who are willing to serve as your “Partners in Ministry” are:

***Nancy Finzen Carol Johnson Becky Kaffar  
 LaDonna Myers Mavis Pierson Judy Stubbe***

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