READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

Sunday; Joshua 3:1-17, Acts 9:1-22 Monday; Joshua 4:1-24, Acts 9:23-43 Tuesday; Joshua 5:1—6:5, Acts 10:1-17 Wednesday; Joshua 6:6-27, Acts 10:18-33 Thursday; Joshua 7:1-26, Acts 10:34-48 Friday; Joshua 8:1-28, Acts 11:1-18 Saturday; Joshua 10:1-25, [Joshua10:28—22:34] Acts 11:19-30 Sunday; Joshua 23:1-16, Acts 12:1-25

Your Word is a lamp to my feet; and a light to my path. Psalms 119: 105

Measure of Our Stewardship

Budgetary Needs = Total budget divided by 52. The General Fund Receipts include Friday through Thursday receipts. These amounts are not reconciled to any bank statement at the time of this publication.

GENERAL FUND INCOME	7/07/23 - 07/13/23	Attendance 07/09/23	
Tuition Income:	\$ 398	Sunday Worship Total:	229
G/F Envelope Income	<u>\$ 11,523</u>	Communed:	57
Weekly Budgetary Needs	<u>\$ 25,052</u>	Visitors:	5
	\$-13,131	Adult Bible Study:	26

Give, and it will be given to you. Luke 6:38

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2. Vanco Mobile Faith – Download from the app store and search for First Ev. Lutheran

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SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023 First Evangelical Lutheran Church 925 13th Street E. Glencoe, MN 55336 | 320-864-5522 <u>www.firstglencoe.org</u> | <u>office@1stglencoe.org</u>



JULY 16, 2023 – SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AS WE GATHER

This morning is week four of our seven-week sermon series called "God's Living Water: Covered in Jesus' Grace". Today, we join Jesus alongside a well in Samaria as He uses His physical thirst to make a Samaritan woman aware of her much deeper spiritual thirst. She learns about God's great love and mercy, and she believes Jesus is the promised Messiah. We also have a need for God that nothing on earth can quench, only the Good News of God's love and forgiveness in His Son, Jesus Christ.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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MUSICIANS: Chuck Thiel & the Jolly Ramblers

J HYMNS (Printed in the worship folders)

BIBLE READINGS Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 55:10-13 Epistle Lesson: Romans 8:12-17 Gospel Lesson: John 4:1-30

DEACONS 8:00 AM – Don Hepner / Fritz Schulz 10:30 AM – Tim Schauer / Dan Nikolaisen

CABLE TV, CHANNEL 10: Wednesdays 6:30 PM | Fridays 5:30 PM

INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

-- Kim Oelfke, Lloyd Duenow, JoAnn Iliff, Glenn Cohrs, Clara Witthus

-- Bruce & Linda Donnay as the celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary on Monday, July 17th. May God continue to richly bless them and their marriage!

-- Lucille Kramer as she celebrated her 90th birthday on Saturday, July 15th. Flowers are placed in her honor. May God continue to richly bless her!

--- John & Cheryl Scheidt as they celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary on Thursday, July 20th. Flowers are placed in their honor. May God continue to richly bless them!

THANK YOU: Today's polka services are made possible by generous donations from our congregation members. A sincere THANK YOU to each and every one that commits to ensuring this annual event continues. If you would like to donate, please make note on your offering envelope, or stop by the church office to learn more.

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY 07.16 Polka Service Divine Service w/Communion | 8:00 AM Fellowship: Deacons/Elders | 9:00 AM Bible Study | 9:15 AM Divine Service | 10:30 AM VBS | 5:45- 8:00 PM

MONDAY 07.17 Quilt Tying | 1:00 PM VBS | 5:45-8:00 PM

TUESDAY 07.18 Staff Meeting | 1:00 PM VBS | 5:45-8:00 PM

WEDNESDAY 07.19 VBS | 5:45-8:00 PM

THURSDAY 07.20 No Church Council Meeting

FRIDAY 07.21 August Newsletter Deadline

SUNDAY 07.23 Divine Service | 8:00 AM Fellowship: Christian Ed | 9:00 AM Bible Study | 9:15 AM Divine Service w/Communion | 10:30 AM GlenFields | 1:00 PM

CHURCH SECRETARY: First Lutheran Church is seeking a friendly, dependable, and highly motivated individual with outstanding people and communication skills for the church secretary position (not to exceed 30 hours per week). The ideal candidate must possess excellent planning and organizational skills, along with a high degree of accuracy and detail.

Salary commensurate with work experience.

For confidential consideration, mail or email your resume by August 4th to: First Lutheran Church 925 13th Street E. Glencoe, MN 55336 or bedwards@1stglencoe.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MN TWINS: Tickets are available for Tuesday, August 15th game vs. Detroit Tigers. Seats are in Sec 213 at a cost of \$37 each. Bus transport departs at 4 pm from FL at a cost of \$15 each. Please contact Cindy at 612-840-6308. There are only 10 spots remaining. Signup deadline is July 23rd.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: The

Nominating Committee will soon be recruiting new board members for all of our Church Boards. These positions are to serve two-year terms beginning January 1, 2024.

Please prayerfully consider sharing your time and talents within our Congregation. If you know you'd like to join or know a person you think may be good for one of the Boards, please contact the office.

MCLEOD FOOD SHELF SUMMER CA\$H

CAMPAIGN: With usage trending 30% over last year, it doesn't appear the need for food support will lessen anytime soon. So, during the month of July, a financial gift of any amount will be increased by the Open Your Heart grant fund, making even more meals possible for those struggling to put food on the table. All cash donations will be applied toward a proportionate matching grant, which means MORE MEALS for food shelf shoppers!

We ask that you prayerfully consider donating to help feed the hungry in McLeod County! We appreciate your support of this local resource!

SERMON

"Jesus at the Well" John 4:1-30 ~ Pastor Dan Welch

ACOLYTES

8:00 AM – Erika Goche 10:30 AM – Isaiah Nikolaisen