

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

Sunday; Proverbs 4:1-27, John 12:1-19 **Monday;** Proverbs 5:1-23 [Proverbs 6:1-7:27] John 12:20-36a
Tuesday; Proverbs 8:1-21, John 12:36b-50 **Wednesday;** Proverbs 8:22-36, John 13:1-20 **Thursday;**
Proverbs 9:1-18, John 13:21-38 **Friday;** Proverbs 10:1-23 [Proverbs 11:1-12:28] John 14:1-17 **Saturday;**
Proverbs 13:1-25, John 14:18-31 **Sunday;** Proverbs 14:1-27, John 15:1-11

Jesus said to them, "The kingdom of God is as if a man should scatter seed on the ground. He sleeps and rises night and day, and the seed sprouts and grows; he knows not how. The earth produces by itself, first the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear. But when the grain is ripe, at once he puts in the sickle, because the harvest has come ." Mark 4:26-29 ESV.

A brand new **Video Bible Study Series** from Lutheran Hour Ministries featuring Lutheran Hour Speaker Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. The title of this study is: **Nurturing Your Faith: Patient Urgency**.

In Session Two (of five) on Sunday, June 16th. at 9:15 am in the Church Fellowship Center, we will discuss and expand upon the following: "When we share Jesus with others, we're eager-urgent even-to speak the Good News. However, we do understand the need for patience in how others receive the Gospel in their lives. In *Nurturing Your Faith: Patient Urgency*, we will learn via Mark's Gospel about a map, a means, and a model for having healthy spiritual conversations with others.

Please join us at 9:15 AM in the Church Fellowship Center Today, Sunday, June 16th.

Measure of Our Stewardship

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

| GENERAL FUND INCOME | | Attendance 6/9/24 | |
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| <u>6/2/24 – 6/8/24</u> | | | |
| Tuition Income: | \$ 3,922 | Sunday Worship Total: | 252 |
| G/F Envelope Income | \$ 19,978 | Communed: | 83 |
| Weekly Budgetary Need | \$ 25,052 | Visitors: | 10 |
| | \$ - 1,152 | Adult Bible: | N/A |

'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' Acts 20:35

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SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024

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SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024 FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AS WE GATHER

God's care for all creation is indisputable. He is the Lord of everything, nourishing the seed, sprouting new life. In turn, trees, branches, and foliage provide respite for other species of life. So also, God provides necessary shelter and nourishment for mankind. We live by faith and not by sight beneath His canopy of creation. In blessing or calamity, in fear and in hope, we are declared to be new creatures in Christ Jesus.

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♪ HYMNS

8:00 AM- #504, 704, 720 [894, 622, 577] 923
10:30 AM- #504, 704, 720, 923

BIBLE READINGS

Old Testament Lesson: Ezekiel 17:22-24
Epistle Lesson: 2 Corinthians 5:1-10
Gospel Lesson: Mark 4:26-34

DEACONS:

8:00 AM- Jon Lemke / David Polzin
10:30 AM- Mark Schmidt / Roger Schmidt

ORGANIST: Luke Dahl

SERMON:

"We Are of Good Courage"
2 Corinthians 5:1-10
~ Pastor Welch

ACOLYTES:

8:00 AM- Britt Wolff
10:30 AM- Lilly Petterson

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

INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

-- Kim Oelfke, Lloyd Duenow, JoAnn Iliff, Clara Witthus, Duane Schuette, Ralph Duenow, Marlys Becker, Ruth Karg, Lisa Dumke (Good Friend to Keenan & Stacy Dummer), Arlyce Grack, Kim Cohrs, Ormund Ostlie, Lorna Nemitz, Bruce Beltz, Linda Krueger (Good Friend to LaDonna Stuber), and Harvey Becker.

-- Melissa Cohrs, Journey Dammann, Matt Dammann, Cameron Flint, Brook Haukos, Joshua Maxwell, Jennifer Maxwell, and Brent Schmalz who will confirm their faith in Christ at the 10:30 AM service this morning. We also welcome into our congregation Daniel Berg, who attended the recent new member classes but transferred into our congregation last year.

-- We pray God's continued blessings upon Melissa Cohrs, wife of David Cohrs, who was baptized on Monday June 10th in a private service of Holy Baptism. Melissa recently completed the new member/adult confirmation class this spring.

-- The Family and Friends of Howard McCormick, who was called home to the Lord this past week. Blessed are those who die in the Lord.

-- Please pray for Frances Wilson. Her daughter, Susan, and son-in-law, Dennis Falk, were killed June 9th in a car crash near their home near Sanborn.

-- Flowers are placed in memory of Dorothy Rose, whose funeral was held here Monday June 10th.

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY 6.16 FATHERS DAY

Divine Service w/ Communion | 8:00 AM
Fellowship: Deacons & Elders with
New Member Reception | 9:00 AM
Bible Class | 9:15 AM
Divine Service | 10:30 AM

MONDAY 6.17

Quilt Tying | 1:00 PM

TUESDAY 6.18

Women's Bible Study | 9:00 AM
Staff Meeting | 10:30 AM
Women's Bible Study | 7:00 PM

THURSDAY 6.20

Church Council | 7:00 PM

SUNDAY 6.23

Divine Service | 8:00 AM
Fellowship: OPEN | 9:00 AM
Bible Class | 9:15 AM
Divine Service w/ Communion | 10:30 AM
Youth Fellowship | 6:30-8:00 PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ATTENTION! THE FLS GARDEN is in need of CLEAN grass clippings. You can drop them off on the West side of the garden. Please contact Mr. Scheele at 952-250-1149 with any questions.

RURAL ROUTE 1 POPCORN: A variety of popcorn is available from the FLS Fundraiser. Stop by the church office if you would like to purchase any!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:

Please join us at the Circus where "Jesus Brings Us Joy!" Watch for additional information about how to obtain your ticket! Come Celebrate and Learn How Jesus Gives Us Joy on July 14th - 17th, 5:30 to 7:45 p.m.

GOT CANDY?

First Lutheran is having a float in the Glencoe Days Parade on Saturday, June 22 and what's a float without candy? If you feel led to donate candy for our float, please drop donations off in the church office before June 19th. Thank you in advance!

CHECK OUT our new "Church of the Lutheran Hour" sign (it replaced the older rusting one). The sign was provided by the Glencoe Zone, Minnesota South District, of Lutheran Hour Ministries. At the end of each KDUZ Lutheran Hour broadcast, listeners are invited to attend services at a "Church of the Lutheran Hour" in their area. The goal for the Glencoe Zone is to provide signs to all LCMS churches in the KDUZ listening area.

Pastor Becker will be speaking about his missionary work at a Bible Study in North Mankato at Good Shepherd Church June 23rd. The Bible Study will begin right after the 9:00 AM worship service. There will be a potluck luncheon after the bible study and all are welcome to join. Please bring a dish to pass.

NEW MEMBER RECEPTION TODAY:

Join us in welcoming our newest members and their families between services THIS MORNING! During fellowship, a brief introduction will be read so you can learn about each of our newest members while enjoying delicious refreshments. This is a great opportunity to greet and get acquainted with your fellow church family!