

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost *September 11th, 2022*

Hymn: "My Faith Has Found a Resting Place" 139

Announcements

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **1 TIMOTHY 1:12-17**

 Praise Hymn: "Amazing Grace" 342

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "Be Thou My Vision" 469

 Sermon Text: **LUKE 15:1-10**

The Sermon: "**Parables of Lost and Found**" Pr. Charles Bergstedt

The Benediction

Hymn: "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" 187

Postlude



The Congregation stands

****Please turn off cell phones during the service – thank you****

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any additions or changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries:** Nicole Bartell, David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Daniel, Denisa & Luna Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Trevor Rubenstein, David Gunderson, Bill Rogers, Derek Johnson & Family, ALC Foreign Missions, Outpost Ministries.
- ❖ **MILITARY/POLICE OFFICERS—Pray for those Serving Our Communities & Country –** Jesse Maunu, John Saari, Gregg Johnson, Jason Leonard, Dominic Anspach, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, Tim Miller, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Ben Jenkins, Brandon Hietala, Zach B, Rose Stamp, Corey Anderson and Christopher Anderson
- ❖ **The family of:** Louise Erva(10/21) (Jennifer's mother), Marvin Barhorst(12/21), Pr Rodger Foltz (2/22)
- ❖ **Sharon Emery** – Healing and strength from severe arthritis and pinched spinal nerves.
- ❖ **Dan Puumala**- Blood supply to right eye/miraculous healing/infection/strength; healing of chronic extreme dry eye
- ❖ **Sara Graf** – Relief and healing from Crohn's Disease and hormonal imbalance
- ❖ **Clayton Matti** – For physical, mental and spiritual healing of multiple disabilities, correct medication, continued signs of improvement
- ❖ **Pastor Charles Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Leann Bergstedt** – Prayers for treatment & healing of breast cancer
- ❖ **Roger Larson** – Healing
- ❖ **Ed Puumala** – inactive lymphoma
- ❖ **Cheryl Puumala** – only on immunotherapy; Pray for continued healing
- ❖ **Ed Pahkala** (Marlene's brother)-In remission
- ❖ **Bonnie Rentz** (Marlene's Sister)-heal stroke in eye & benign tumor in frontal lobe of brain.
- ❖ **Marlene Walters** – Prayers for healing & treatment of returned cancer
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Reuben Aho** – Praise for hearing in one ear; hearing for right ear
- ❖ **Anita Aho** – God's healing, comfort, strength and protection for Reuben and Anita
- ❖ **Marc Geiselhart** – Recovery & healing from Stroke; return home
- ❖ **Lorrie & Mike Kandoll** (Ryan's Parents) – Healing
- ❖ **Terri Bloomquist** – Praise for Healing from cellulitis; pray for continued healing of skin.
- ❖ **Myrna Maikkula** – Pray that Myrna would be a bold witness of God's love to all she will meet on this second cancer journey and also for her family.
- ❖ **Bev Aho** – Peace, healing & Medical Team
- ❖ **Jeff & Anne Bodin**-(Niece to Jack Bergstedt) Jeff surgery for lung cancer, healing & comfort
- ❖ **Jennie Haataja** – peace, health & Drs
- ❖ **Audrey Krutzig** – healing from broken hip, peace and wisdom for the Drs
- ❖ **Tom Needle** – healing from fall
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Paul Matson**
- ❖ **Pray for our Country;** Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church (Heb 13:3), ALC Balm of Gilead, Nigerian Church, Sharon Silent Prayer

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

¹ Oh give thanks to the LORD, call upon His name; Make known His deeds among the peoples. ² Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; Speak of all His wonders. ³ Glory in His holy name; Let the heart of those who seek the LORD be glad. **Psalm 105:1-3**



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 51

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father

Confession:

Gracious God in Heaven, we bow before You to confess to You that we have sinned and done that which is evil in Your sight. We have walked in Pride, we have not been as thankful, or forgiving as You would like us to be. Help us to show forth fruits of Your Spirit, the love joy and peace that You have shown to us. And forgive us for all our wrong doing, even those stubborn habits that we struggle with, for we pray this in the Name of Jesus our Lord, Amen.

Absolution

O Lord God, Heavenly Father, You who have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that they turn from their way and live: we pray to You that You would mercifully avert the punishment that our sins deserve, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept 14th – Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Study Begins

Sept 18th – Sunday School Begins

Sept 18th – Hymn Sing

Sept 30-Oct 2 – Ladies Retreat at Lahti Retreat Center

Oct 5th – Feed My Starving Children Event

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

Sept 11 – Stacey Wempen

Sept 18 – Volunteer

Sept 25 – Volunteer

Oct 2 – Volunteer

Nursery Schedule:

Sept 11 – Volunteer

Sept 18 – Volunteer

Sept 25 – Volunteer

Oct 2 – Volunteer

Thank you for making Sunday special with your presence, the delicious cake, the many gifts, and expressions of love & encouragement.

In Jesus we are united.
With much love & appreciation,
Pastor Joel & Susan

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All women are welcome to join us for a Wednesday morning Bible Study. Starting **Wednesday, September 14 at 9:30 am** we will be continuing our study of "Abigail, Living with the Difficult People in Your Life."

We meet in the Sun Room at the back of the church.

Contact Janis Saari, 763-473-0295, for more information or questions.



Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ the church:

Wednesday's 6:30-7:30pm (In-person)

September 14th – Bible Study

New Bible Study-**"The Miracles of Jesus" -The Insight Series by Ken Schauers**

Sunday School/Bible Study Begins:

Sunday, Sept 18th @ 9:15am – 10:15am

Adults: Studying "James" – Roy Saari

Older Children's Class (ages 7 to 13) – Kevin Wempen

Younger Children's Class (ages 3 to 6)– Carmen Kandoll

Opportunities to Serve:

We are looking for several people willing to fill in as substitute teachers for the children's classes on an as needed basis and if you have helped in the past, please let us know if you'd like to continue. There is also an opportunity to help with the Children's opening time including Prayer, singing and Bible verses.

Please Contact: Ryan or Carmen Kandoll, Kris Walters with questions or willingness to help.

Annual Hymn Sing

Sunday, September 18th @ 6 pm

At the home of Harley & Donna Hendrickson

34476 – 732nd Ave, Kimball, MN

Music by Richard Eckman & Friends

Bring your lawn chairs! Flyer on the Narthex Bulletin Board

Lahti Ladies Weekend @ Lahti Retreat Center

September 30-October 2, 2022

“Cast Your Cares”

Speaker: Robin Nominelli Bermel

Information/Registration form on the Narthex Desk



Join us at FMSC in Chanhassen to pack food on

Wednesday, October 5th,

4:30-6:15pm.

Sign up sheet is on the Narthex desk.

Carpooling is welcome.

Sign-up sheet on the Narthex Desk. If you are unable to join us consider a donation to FMSC.

Site Address: 18732 Lake Drive East, Chanhassen, MN 55317



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

It's time to start preparing to fill Shoe Boxes for the Operation Christmas Child collection in early November. There will be free boxes in the church narthex available for you again this year. Watch for more information on what to put in the boxes.

As of August 31, 2022 OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs Budget Income: \$120,034/\$144,363

Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$122,889/\$144,363

NEW PRAYER CHAIN – plcprayerchain2021@gmail.com

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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers:

Scott Maikkula Lloyd Walters
Volunteer Andrew Walters

Nursery:

Volunteer

Counters:

Deb Sunnarborg
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Driver:

Coffee fellowship: Stacey Wempen

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers:

Scott Maikkula Lloyd Walters
Volunteer Andrew Walters

Nursery:

Volunteer

Counters:

Erik & Cynthia Aho
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Driver:

Coffee fellowship: Volunteer

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (9/11)

10:30am Worship Service in person, on
YouTube & Facebook

11:30am Coffee Fellowship

TUESDAY (9/13)

6:00pm Mission Committee Meeting

6:30pm Board of Trustees Meeting

WEDNESDAY (9/14)

9:30am Ladies Bible study @ the church

6:30pm Evening Bible Study @ the Church

NEXT SUNDAY (9/18)

9:15am Sunday School & Adult Bible study

10:30am Worship Service With Communion
in person, on YouTube &
Facebook

11:30am Coffee Fellowship

6:00pm Annual Hymn Sing @ Hendrickson's

