

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Baptism of Our Lord *January 9th, 2022*

Hymn: "Joy to the World" 10

Announcements

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **ROMANS 6:1-11**
LUKE 3:15-22

 Hymn: "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne" 12

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Apostle's Creed

The Lord's Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "Jesus, Lord and Precious Saviour" 55

 Sermon Text: ISAIAH 43:1-7

The Sermon: **"You Are Mine"** Pr. Joel Baker

The Benediction

Hymn: "In the Bleak Midwinter" Insert
"Bring a Torch Jeanette Isabella" Insert

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: David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Daniel, Denisa & Luna Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Trevor Rubenstein, David Gunderson, Bill Rogers, 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: Eugene(Gene) Cordes (2/21), James Sunnarborg (Lulu Puumala’s brother)(2/21), Don Matti (2/21), Dale Maikkula (3/21), Duane Haataja (Jennie Haataja’s son)(4/21), Pr Orval Wirkkala (4/21), Cameron Besonen (4/21), Rodell Riemersma (Rich’s mom)(5/21), Aila Foltz (6/21)(pray for Pr Foltz & their family), Joan O’Brien (6/21), Barb Briggs (8/21)(pray for her family & Lorn Hilman), Elaine Krumholz Spika(8/21) (Bill Krumholz’ mom), Carol Besonen (9/21)(Lorraine’s sister-in-law), Louise Erva(10/21) (Jennifer’s mother), Marvin Barhorst(12/21)
- ❖ 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 Mom) – Healing
- ❖ Earl Rokala – Prayers for healing
- ❖ Sally Roebke – Healing from seizures; peace; Doctors wisdom
- ❖ 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.
- ❖ Connie Liverett – treatment for a disease; health
- ❖ Karen Christopherson – Drs Wisdom & healing, praise for God’s hand in all planning
- ❖ Jeff & Anne Bodin-(Niece to Jack Bergstedt) Jeff surgery for lung cancer, healing & comfort
- ❖ Pr Foltz – healing
- ❖ Audrey Krutzig – healing; Praise that she is home
- ❖ Pr Joel - healing
- ❖ Carmen Kandoll – Healthy pregnancy
- ❖ Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Arvi Aho
- ❖ 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

²³ But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers. ²⁴ God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.”

John 4:23-24



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 29

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

Confession of Sin:

Almighty and everlasting God, we bow before You in repentance for our sins. We have sinned against You in many ways, most of which are unknown even to us. Forgive us for bad attitudes that offend You, for remarks that hurt You and others, for when we have forgotten to call upon You and help us to live our lives in the way that will please You. This we pray, thanking You for Your great love for us in Christ Jesus our Lord, Amen.

Absolution:

By the authority of God's Word and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ, I declare to you that God, through His grace, has forgiven all your sins; in the Name of God the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and buried. He descended into hell.

The third day He arose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from which He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 9th – Movie afternoon @ 12:15pm “The Chosen”

Jan 15th – Saturday Ladies Bible Study

Jan 22nd – Annual Meeting @ 1:00pm

Feb 12th – Saturday Ladies Bible Study

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

Jan 9 – Janis Saari

Jan 16 – Volunteer

Jan 23 – Volunteer

Nursery Schedule:

Jan 9 – Volunteer

Jan 16 – Volunteer

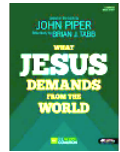
Jan 23 - Volunteer

Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ the



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

Jan 12 - “What Jesus Demands from the World” see Pr Joel with questions.



Call Committee Request:

As we begin our formal search for a new senior pastor to lead our congregation we ask that anyone with a potential candidate referral please reach out to a member of the call committee. A full list of pastoral duties can be found in the church bylaws. (Copies on the Narthex desk)

Call committee members are: Brad Aho, Stacey Wempen, Steve Dahlmeier, Noel Walters, Roy Saari, Scott Maikkula and Larry Wahala.

BUDGETARY INPUT NEEDED

In preparation for our budget meetings, The Board of Trustees is asking input regarding any specific items you believe should be included in our 2022 Budget. Specific requests, comments, and ideas should be given in writing to the following individuals: For Mission and Evangelism suggestions: contact Ryan Kandoll. For Building and Grounds: contact Noel Walters. For Christian Ed: contact Earl Christopherson. For all other General Budgetary suggestions: contact Larry Walters.

Annual Meeting

Saturday, January 22nd at 1:00pm in the Sanctuary

Please plan on attending.

- Annual Meeting Reports are due on January 2nd
- **Reports can be submitted to the secretary by email:**
secretary@plymouthapostolic.org.
- The Board encourages members to provide input before January 2nd on any items they would like addressed at the Annual Meeting.
- Please place any agenda suggestions in Kevin Wempen's box in the office

Interested in a women's Bible Study?

Join a small group of women as we start a new study on Wednesday, January 19th @ 9:30 am. We meet in the sunroom (also called the board room) which is just down the hall from our church sanctuary.

TOPIC --*Abigail. Living with the difficult people in your life.*

In this six-week study, journey along with Abigail as she uses her influence in two men's lives---with different results. See how the empowerment of the Holy Spirit can help you deal with difficult people.....without becoming difficult yourself!

Sermon Notes

NEW PRAYER CHAIN – plcprayerchain2021@gmail.com

Church E-MAIL - secretary@plymouthapostolic.org

WEBSITE - www.plymouthapostolic.org

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers :

Kevin Wempen Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel Volunteer

Nursery:

Volunteer

Counters:

Debbie Sunnarborg

Kris Walters / Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Van Driver:

Coffee fellowship: Janis Saari

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers :

Kevin Wempen Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel Volunteer

Nursery:

Volunteer

Counters:

Erik or Cynthia Aho

Kris Walters / Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Van Driver:

Coffee fellowship: Volunteer

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (1/9)

9:15am Sunday School\ Bible Study

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

11:30am Coffee Fellowship

12:15pm Movie Afternoon

TUESDAY (1/11)

5:45pm Mission meeting

6:30pm Board of Trustees meeting

WEDNESDAY (1/12)

9:30am Men's Bible Study

9:30am Ladies Bible Study

6:30pm Evening Bible Study

SATURDAY (1/15)

9:30am Ladies Bible Study

NEXT SUNDAY (1/16)

9:15am Sunday School\ Bible Study

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

11:30am Coffee Fellowship

As of December 31, 2021 OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs Budget Income: \$198,932/\$204,350

Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$180,803/\$204,350

