

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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2nd Sunday after Christmas *January 5th, 2025*

Prelude

 Hymn: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" INSERT

Announcements

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **1 KINGS 3:4-15**
PSALM 119:97-104
EPHESIANS 1:3-14

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "Songs of Thankfulness" 68

 Sermon Text: **LUKE 2:40-52**

The Sermon Pr. Ryan Kandoll

Apostles Creed

The Order of Holy Communion

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Lamb of God" 166

Communion Hymns: 52, 170, 51

The Post-Communion Prayer

 Hymn: "All Blessing, Honor, Thanks and Praise" 174

The Benediction

Hymn: "The Church's One Foundation" 365

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, removals or changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries:** Nicole & Saul Palazuelos, David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Daniel, Denisa & Luna Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Trevor Rubenstein, David & Carmen 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, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, James O’Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Ben Jenkins, Rose Stamp, Corey Anderson, Christopher Anderson & Brandon Hietala
- ❖ **The family of:** Roger Jenkins (1/24), Lori Krumholz(2/24), Shirley Hendrickson (4/24), Timothy Simula (8/24), Martha Koski (10/24)
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **Pastor Charles & Leann Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Ed Puumala** – inactive lymphoma
- ❖ **Cheryl Puumala** –Pray for continued healing, pain control
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine’s Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Debbie Salguero**
- ❖ **Lulu Puumala**
- ❖ **Lorrie & Mike Kandoll** (Pr. Ryan’s Parents) – Healing
- ❖ **Pastor & Mrs. Lee & daughter Amy** – Healing
- ❖ **Terri Bloomquist** –pray for continued healing
- ❖ **Myrna Maikkula** – Thanks be to God for cancer and the doors it has opened. PTL for healing in God’s time.
- ❖ **Bev Aho** – Peace, healing & Medical Team
- ❖ **Audrey Krutzig** – healing, peace and wisdom for the Drs
- ❖ **Heidi Ritter(Patty Olson’s niece, Joe Palkola’s daughter)** – Breast Cancer
- ❖ **Michael Cravens** – continued healing with treatments
- ❖ **Earl Rokala**-healing
- ❖ **Karen Christopherson**-Dr’s care & guidance in diagnoses & treatment of Autoimmune disorder
- ❖ **Evy Walters**-healing from accident
- ❖ **David Anderson(Terri Bloomquist’s brother)** Praise for healing that has already occurred from major stroke, prayers for continued healing
- ❖ **Phyllis Krumholz**-praise for healing of a TIA & prayers for a good result of a thyroid biopsy
- ❖ **Carmen Kandoll & Simeon**
- ❖ **Elise O’Neill & Reuben**
- ❖ **Allison Bulthuis & Esmé**
- ❖ **Alaura & Josh Hansen**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Nicole & Saul**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Dennis Hannu**
- ❖ **Good News Club**- starting, teachers, promotion, kids to have an open heart to the gospel.
- ❖ **Pray for the USA;** Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church (Heb 13:3), Nigerian Church, Christians in Palestine and Israel, ALC Balm of Gilead, Abortion, Sharon
- ❖ **Our Church**-Music leader, Discernment on repairs and upgrades to the building; Silent Prayer

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

¹ Praise the LORD, all nations; Laud Him, all peoples! ² For His lovingkindness is great toward us, And the truth of the LORD is everlasting. Praise the LORD!
Psalm 117



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 119

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

Confession of Sin:

Congregation: 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:

Pastor: 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.



WE WELCOME TO HOLY COMMUNION

all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior and who believe that at the Lord's table we receive His true Body and Blood for the forgiveness of sins. If you will not be communing but desire a blessing, please indicate the same to those serving Holy Communion by crossing your arms. Grape juice is also available upon request.

DATES TO REMEMBER

TODAY – Nominations Meeting after the Worship service

TODAY - Undecorate the Church

Jan 18 – Church Work Day @ 9am

Jan 25 – Annual Meeting @ the Church @ 1pm

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

Jan 5 – Jan & John Peltó

Jan 12 – Volunteer

Jan 19 – Volunteer

Jan 26 – Volunteer

Nursery Schedule:

Jan 5 – Volunteer

Jan 12 – Volunteer

Jan 19 – Volunteer

Jan 26 – Volunteer

**Wednesday Evening Bible Study to Resume on
Jan 8th, 2025 @ 6pm**

Topic: Small Catechism - Baptism

Looking for nursery help

during Sunday School from 9:15-10:15am

Also, looking for help on Wednesday evenings with nursery and/or a children's program from 6:00pm-7:30pm. More info to follow. See Pr. Ryan or Kris Walters with questions

**We will be taking down the Christmas
Decorations TODAY after the meeting. If
you are able, please stay to help with this
task.**

**The Adult Sunday School class will be
starting a new study on the Apostle Peter
beginning January 5th, 2025.**

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 2025 Budget. Specific requests, comments, and ideas should be given **in writing** to the following individuals:

- For Mission and Evangelism suggestions: contact Roy Saari.
- For Building and Grounds: contact Noel Walters.
- For Christian Ed: contact Pr. Ryan Kandoll.
- For all General Budgetary suggestions: contact Brad Aho or Scott Maikkula.

NOMINATIONS MEETING

Please note that the Board Nominations Meeting will be held January 5th, 2025 following the worship service. If you would like to nominate someone, please get the members approval prior to the meeting.

There are 2 existing open seats as well as terms expiring for 2 current Trustees (Scott Maikkula and John Pelto). There will be a total of 4 open seats for the election at the Annual Meeting. The 3 candidates who receive the highest total votes will receive 3-year terms. The candidate receiving the 4th highest total votes will receive a 1 year term.

Thank You. - The Board of Trustees.

Annual Meeting Saturday, January 25th, 2025

at 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please plan on attending.

- Annual Meeting Reports are due on January 5th
- **Reports can be submitted to the secretary by email:**
secretary@plymouthapostolic.org.
- The Board encourages members to provide input before January 5th on any items they would like addressed at the Annual Meeting.
- Please place any agenda suggestions in Kevin Wempen's box in the office

Mark Your Calendar – Saturday, January 18th Church Clean-up from 9am-12pm

This is an opportunity to help maintain the beauty and value of our church building and grounds. Please bring your work gloves and a can-do attitude. See Noel Walters with questions.



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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers:

Kevin Wempen Volunteer
Kevin Myrmel Volunteer

Counters:

Volunteer
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Jan & John Pelto

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Stacey Wempen

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers:

Kevin Wempen Volunteer
Kevin Myrmel Volunteer

Counters:

Volunteer
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Volunteer

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Stacey Wempen

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (1/5) **9:15am** Sunday School for All Ages
 10:30am Worship Service with Communion
 11:30am Nominations Meeting
 11:45am Coffee Fellowship
 11:45am Undecorate the Church

WEDNESDAY (1/8) **9:30am** Men's Bible Study
 6:00pm Evening Bible Study for everyone

NEXT SUNDAY (1/12) **9:15am** Sunday School for All Ages
 10:30am Worship Service with Communion
 11:30am Coffee Fellowship

Church Office Hours for October – May
T, W, TH 10am – 2pm

As of December 31st, 2024 OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs Budget Income: \$202,351/ \$219,091
Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$180,981/ \$219,091

