

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Seventh Sunday of Easter ***May 21st, 2023***

Prelude

 Hymn: "Christ Alone" 109

Announcements

Missionary Presentation Daniel Harcar

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **ACTS 1:12-26**
PSALM 68:1-10

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "There Is A Redeemer" Insert

 Sermon Text: **JOHN 17:1-11**

The Sermon Pr. Ryan Kandoll

Nicene Creed

The Order of Holy Communion

The Words of Institution


The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Lamb of God" 166

Communion Hymns: 140, 1

The Post-Communion Prayer

The Benediction

 Hymn: "O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee" 173

Hymn: "All Hail the Power" 143

Postlude



The Congregation stands

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any additions 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, Dominic Anspach, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Ben Jenkins, Zach B, Rose Stamp, Corey Anderson and Christopher Anderson
- ❖ **The family of:** Thomas Neadle (10/22), Jennie Haataja (10/22), Sharon Emery (11/22), Jennifer (Erva) Barhorst (11/22), Lois Johnson (Myrna & Neil's sister) (12/22), Marlene Walters (12/22), Clayton Matti (1/23), Madeleine Myrmel (Craig's wife, Kevin's sister-in-law) (2/23), Joe Pelto (3/23), Pr. & Mrs. Elmer Liimatta (3/23), Pr. Ansten Tretten (3/23)
- ❖ **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 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.
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Debbie Salguero**
- ❖ **Lulu Puumala**
- ❖ **Joe Pelkola** (Patti Olson's brother)
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **Audrey Krutzig** – healing, peace and wisdom for the Drs
- ❖ **Lori Krumholz**—Prayers for the healing of her cancer, and wisdom for her doctors
- ❖ **Jake Besonen** – (Don's Brother)-pulmonary fibrosis
- ❖ **Alisha Ellis** – Healthy mom & baby
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Matti Valitalo**
- ❖ **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 I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD."
Psalm 122:1



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 68



WE WELCOME TO HOLY COMMUNION

all who believe in Jesus Christ as personal 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. Grape juice is also available upon request.

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

Confession:

Dear Heavenly Father, we bow before You to confess that we have sinned against You in our words, actions and our thoughts. We come to ask Your forgiveness and to seek Your great mercy. We come to You on the merits of Jesus Christ, not our own. Look not upon our sins, or our iniquity, but wash us in the blood of Jesus Christ so that we may be clean before You. This we pray in His Name, Amen.

Absolution:

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us. The promise of Scripture is that whoever confesses his sins to the Lord will receive forgiveness through the faithfulness and righteousness of Christ so I declare to you the forgiveness of all of your sins in the name and shed blood of Jesus. God grant that this may be the experience of us all. On the other hand, I declare to the unrepentant and unbelieving, that so long as they continue in their unrepentance, God has not forgiven their sins, and will assuredly visit their iniquities upon them, if they do not turn from their evil ways, and come to repentance and faith in Christ, before the time of grace ends

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, Begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God, Begotten, not made, Being of one substance with the Father, By whom all things were made: Who for us, and for our salvation, came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin Mary, And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, And ascended into heaven, And is seated on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead: Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead, And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

DATES TO REMEMBER

TODAY –Missionary presentation-Daniel Harcar

TODAY – Semi-Annual Meeting following the Worship Service

June 4 – Church Family Picnic @ French Regional Park

June 11 – VBS Planning Meeting

June 29 – July 2 – ALCA 2023 Convention in New York Mills, MN

July 19-23 – LBF Bible Camp

July 31- Aug 4 – Vacation Bible School

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

May 21 – Kris Walters

May 28 – Janis Saari

June 4 – Church Picnic

June 11 – Mike & Lorrie Kandoll

June 18 – Volunteer

Nursery Schedule:

May 21 – Volunteer

May 28 – Volunteer

June 4 – Church Picnic

June 11 – Volunteer

June 18 - Volunteer

***Semi-Annual Meeting is Scheduled for
TODAY in the Fellowship Hall**

Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ the church:

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

May 24th – Spiritual Warfare



ALCA Convention – June 29th – July 2nd

being hosted by New York Mills ALC

There are a few copies 2023 ALCA Convention packet & Schedule of Events available on the Narthex Desk.

Church Family Picnic Sunday, June 4th

at French Regional Park

12605 Rockford Rd, Plymouth MN 55441

Moraine Picnic Site- Worship service at 10:00am

Church will provide Hotdogs/buns, chips & drinks

Last Name Begins with:

A – N

O – Z

Please Bring:

Cookies or Bars

Salad or Fruit



LBF Bible Camp at Lahti Retreat Center

Theme: Ambassadors for Christ

July 19 – 23, 2023

Directors: Josh & Alaura Hansen

Registration is open. Follow the link below.

<https://sites.google.com/view/welcometolbf/home>

Full camp ages 9 and up: \$210; Full camp ages 5-8: \$160

Under 5: Free; Counselors: \$100; There is an \$800 cap on the cost per family. "Family" refers to immediate family only (parents and dependent children). There is a reduced rate for staying on the grounds in your own RV or tent. You may customize your rate with varying meal and camping arrangements. Contact the LBF registrar to discuss options that are available. (There are some funds available for camp. If interested talk to a PLC Board member to apply)



Vacation Bible School Meeting
If you are willing to help with the 2023
Vacation Bible School please attend
June 11th @ 11:45am
Please pray about helping in some way.

THEME: The Keepers of the Kingdom
Standing Strong in Today's Battle for Truth

Answers VBS –
Preparing Children to Survive in Today's World

10 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might.
11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand
against the schemes of the devil.

EPH 6:10-11 (ESV)

We are engaged in an epic battle for the hearts and minds of our youth. Every day, they're bombarded with lies about who they are, who their Creator is, and where their salvation comes from. Thankfully, God has given his children armor to wear in this battle between truth and lies, light and darkness, good and evil

With this VBS, your kids will learn how they can be part of God's kingdom through salvation in his Son and will be equipped with the armor of God to become Keepers of the Kingdom who stand strong in today's battle for truth.



WHEN: VBS will Be July 31st – Aug 4th
9:00am – 11:30am

Thank you for considering!
REGISTRATION IS LIVE on website!

<https://2023plcvbs.myanswers.com/keepers-of-the-kingdom/>

- Volunteer signup on the narthex desk.
- Service project, craft, game & snack supplies needed list coming soon.
- There are a few fliers on the narthex desk that can be handed out to family, friends and neighbors.
- There will be a Service Project making fleece tie blankets benefitting the children @ The Children's Hospital and a baby items drive benefitting the Robbinsdale Women's Center.



Crystal Women's Center- Formerly Robbinsdale Women's Center

Most-needed items are highlighted.

BABY VIDEO MONITORS

BABY WASH CLOTHS

NEWBORN up to 12-month sleepers or one-piece outfits (No holiday themes)

NEWBORN SOCKS

BOPPY PILLOWS

BIBS

BURP CLOTHS

BABY BATH TUBS

SWADDLES or SLEEP SACKS

BABY HOODED TOWEL SETS

BABY TOYS, TEETHERS or **BOARD BOOKS**

TUMMY TIME MATS or **TUMMY TIME TOYS**

BABY CARRIERS

BOUNCY SEATS & BABY GYMS

BABY SWINGS

BABY LAUNDRY DETERGENT

DIAPER CREAM

HEALTH/GROOMING KITS

GRACO STOLLER/CAR SEAT COMBOS

BABY BOTTLE SETS (DR. BROWNS and AVENT)

Please note: We are only accepting NEW items at this time.

Also, we do not accept blankets (we only accept receiving blankets, sleep sacks and swaddles)

Also, we have an Amazon Wish List that we keep updated weekly (I usually order a few items each month myself). The items that are ordered using the link are shipped directly to us.

> **Amazon Wish List link:** <https://a.co/f5eRCk3>

> **Target Link:** <https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift-giver?registryId=ee3a20c0-983c-11ed-a4ce-dfe3b9912fcf&type=CHARITY>

> **Walmart Link:**

<https://www.walmart.com/registry/ER/27188a2c-99cd-415c-96c5-b6a5584980cc>

> **** PLEASE NOTE ****

** Amazon Wish List purchases are sent to us anonymously by default. If you would like to provide your identity to RWC, include your information via the "Add gift options" button at check out.

** After you place your order, you can check back later with Amazon to see if RWC received your items and when.

** Your AMAZON INVOICE is your RECEIPT.

> The items on the Amazon registry can be purchased elsewhere.

> Other donation options are on our website:

<https://rwcinfo.org/donate/>

3826 W Broadway Ave, Mpls, MN 55422

<http://mychoicetwincities.com>

**The children will be making tie blankets for the Children's
Hospital** <https://www.childrensmn.org/>

"Children's Minnesota accepts and distributes quilts and tie blankets. Fleece blankets are preferred as they are non-allergenic. Fun colors and patterns are always loved by our patients. We encourage groups to make blankets that are 1.5 yard x 1.5 yard or 2.5 yards x 1.5 yards." Monetary or child themed fleece donations for this project would be appreciated.

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:

Earl Christopherson Volunteer
Noel Walters Volunteer

Counters:

Erik or Cynthia Aho
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Kris Walters

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Driver:

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers:

Earl Christopherson Volunteer
Noel Walters Volunteer

Counters:

Larry Walters
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Janis Saari

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Driver:

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (5/21) 9:15am Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:30am Worship Service
11:30am Coffee Fellowship **downstairs**
12:00pm **Semi-Annual Meeting in Fellowship Hall**

WEDNESDAY (5/24) 9:30am Men's & Ladies Bible Studies @ the church
6:30pm Evening Bible Study

NEXT SUNDAY (5/28) 10:30am Worship Service
11:30am Coffee Fellowship

**Summer Church Office Hours will Be
Tuesdays and Wednesdays
9:30am – 3:30pm
Starting the week of May 28th**

