

	<p>21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 13, 2024</p>	
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DEAR FRIENDS, WELCOME! May your journey with our Lord Jesus fill your hearts with peace through the promises of His Son. We welcome you in the name of Christ Jesus, the Savior of the world.

PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: Our Father in heaven, who has claim to our total being, if we are holding back any of that which belongs to You, forgive us, and in Your very forgiveness inspire us to release our grasp on it until we are altogether Yours; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.



WE PRAISE GOD and thank Him for daily blessings. We ask Him to settle our hearts in true faith.



We also pray for those with needs including Gary Ringel, Don TenEyck, Cleo Schultz, Sam Moege, Elton Maas, Barbara Theel, Joe Holenbeck, Ruth Tracy, Rev. Chris Kellogg, Elijah Moran, Lucas Sanders, Brandon Boeckman, and our shut-ins.

WORSHIP SERVANTS: Sunday School Teachers: Jim MacGregor, Dennis Theel, Phillip Theel, Lisa Thompson, Traci Dickens; Altar Guild: Becky Frank, Cheryl Butenhoff; Greeters: Mr. & Mrs. Mike Savage; Elaine Becker & Shawn; Acolytes: Katherine Lister, McKinley Miller; Ushers: Ron Bandel, Chad Breiner, Jason Evans, Randy Meseke, Jacob Meseke, Perry Piper, David Savage, Don Zerbe; Children's Message: Harmon Butler; Liturgist: Ken Smith; Proclaimer: Don Frank; Technicians: Bruce Schultz, Whitney Howard

OUR ACTIVITIES FOR CHRIST THIS WEEK

TODAY	8:30am 9:30am 10:45am 10:45am 11:00am	Sunday School / Bible Class Worship Service (FM 88.3; FB Live) Parish Nurse Church Council Lunch Bunch @ El Corral
MONDAY	12:00pm 7:00pm	<i>No School – Teachers Conference</i> Pray for Missions Around the World Choir
TUESDAY	6:15am 7:30pm	Bible Breakfast @ Frank's <i>No School – Teachers Conference</i> Theology on Tap @ Rockin K's, Manhattan
WEDNESDAY	8:15am 1:30pm 6:15am 7:00pm	<i>Chapel</i> LWML Friendship Circle Confirmation Confirmation Mentors' Activity

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THURSDAY	9:30am	No Bible Class
FRIDAY		<i>No Bus Service</i> <i>Harvest Party</i>
SATURDAY	6:05pm	Worship Service with Communion
SUNDAY	8:30am	Sunday School / Bible Class
	9:30am	Communion Service (FM 88.3; FB Live)

OUR LOVE FOR CHRIST		AUGUST 31 & SEPTEMBER 1, 2024			
Attendance: Saturday	26				
Sunday	90	Livestream	13	Views	234
Sunday School	28				
Total receipts	\$6,004.41	<i>Weekly Budget Needs:</i>		<i>\$10,646.00</i>	

LIFELIGHT Bible Class is studying the book of Revelation. The class will not meet on October 17th and will work through Lesson 8 on October 24th. In November, we will study the book of Ecclesiastes. If you would like to participate in the Bible Study and have the materials, please call the church office.



CONFIRMATION MENTORING PROGRAM: The Church's mentorship program will begin on October 16th at 7:00 p.m. If you were a mentor last year and want to continue with the young person you had, please respond to Kathy Cox at 785-765-3967. If you would like to serve, contact Pastor or Kathy.



BOOK STUDY: The book study group is meeting October 17th at Bruce and Kathy Schultz's home. Please read chapters 13-16.

YOUTH GROUP MEETING: The youth will gather at the home of Jim and Kim Diehl, 26803 Hessdale Road. They will meet October 27th at noon for lunch and pumpkin carving afterwards.

LUNCH BUNCH will meet October 13th at El Corral in Alma at 11:00 a.m. Please tell Kathy Schultz, or call Cheryl in the church office, or sign up so we can let the restaurant know how many are coming.

DOOR OFFERING: A door offering will be collected today to aid hurricane victims.

FLINT HILLS LUTHERANS FOR LIFE is hosting a fostering/adoption event this afternoon at Mount Calvary Lutheran Church in Wamego at 2:00 p.m. Nate Bruns of LifeLine Children's Services will discuss care for the vulnerable, adoption (including "wrap around care," i.e. care given to adoptive parents and families as they navigate the process and ultimately adopt), and "standing for life."



COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER: Plans are in the making for the community Thanksgiving dinner. If you are interested in helping, your service would not be turned down. For more information, contact Joyce Pimple, 620-803-2570 or the Holy Family Parish at holyfamilyparishalma@gmail.com.

CIRCUIT 8 REFORMATION RALLY: On Sunday, October 27th, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Alta Vista will host Churches of Circuit 8 (Alma, Alta Vista, Duluth, McFarland, Junction City, Manhattan, Wamego, and Wheaton) for the Rally. Rev. Dr. Daniel Harmelink will be the guest speaker for worship and lecture. Worship with Holy Communion will be at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Dr. Harmelink will present a quick run-through of the 20 crises the LCMS faced before the February 19, 1974, Walkout at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, a comprehensive presentation of the actual issues that surrounded the Walkout, and the lingering influences of higher-thinking (at the core of the Walkout) in the world today.



BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES



- Oct. 13 *Frankie & Rita Zeller*
- Oct. 14 Ruth Hund
- Donald Zerbe
- Oct. 15 Cru Giefer
- Oct. 16 Jared Moege
- Ron & Trish Bandel*
- Oct. 18 Corey Thompson
- Oct. 19 Jeremy Kraus