18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST October 1, 2023

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH 106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

Bishop Craig Anderson Ph.D. Interim Pastor

Church (320) 598-3630 www.faithlutheranmadison.org "Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment to all God's people."

Remember, O Lord, your compassion and love. (Ps. 25:6)

*Indicates to please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

OPENING HYMN ~ "God is Here" #526 Vs. 1 & 3

GREETING

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*PRAYER OF THE DAY

SPECIAL MUSIC ~ "Jesus, Name Above All Names" Senior Choir

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

PSALM 25:1-9

SECOND READING: Philippians 2:1-13

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL: Matthew 21:23-32

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways" #772

APOSTLES CREED

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ~ "We Give Thee But Thine Own" #686 Vs. 1

OFFERING PRAYER

GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ Page 152

"HOLY, HOLY, HOLY" ~ Page 153

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION ~ DISTRIBUTION SONGS

"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast" #517
"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #759

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BLESSING

SENDING SONG ~ "Praise and Thanks and Adoration" #783

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Assistants

Worship Leader: Bishop Craig Anderson

Ph.D. Interim Pastor

Music Director: Linda Anderson

Office Manager: Sharon Ronglien

Financial Secretary: Lorrie Ehrenberg

Financial Treasurer: Kristin Ludvigson Education Coordinator: Darcy Daline

Helper: Lisa Strand

Reader: Kelly Zahrbock

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 1

Acolyte: Noah Arndt & Lily Fernholz

Communion: Kathy Harwick & Stan Olson

Greeters: Paul & Betty Jo DuFrane, Justin & Mikaela Lee family

Please also hold these concerns in your prayers, today and throughout the week. Contact the church office at 598-3630 to add or remove a person.

CARE CENTER & HOMEBOUND RESIDENTS: Patty Thompson, Margaret Klefsaas, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock

PRAYER CONCERNS: Mike Deyo, Carol Olson, Steve Helgemo, Curtis Shelstad, Phyllis Hauck, Jerry Osteraas, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky



Readings for October 8

Isaiah 5:1-7

Psalm 80:7-15

Philippians 3:4b-14

Matthew 21:33-46

ANNOUNCEMENTS 10/1

- Don't forget that you can listen to the Sunday service on KLQP 92.1 @ 11:30AM or watch it on Channel 8 @ 3:30PM. You may also view ALL past and present services on our website: www.faithlutheranmadison.org and our Facebook page.
- Today's bulletin and radio broadcast are sponsored in memory of Marlyn Hanson, who passed away 9 years ago on October 2nd by Shirley and family. Blessed be his memory.
- Recognized as new members today are Kyle, Amber, Harrison and Archer Boyens, Rick and Ann Gail, Alyce Nelson, Ryan Lexy and Deni Smith, Grant, Charlynn and Lennon Trygestad and Jennifer Warnock.
- NEEDED: Someone to order treats and pick up on Friday for Sunday morning coffee hour. Also, someone to clean up after coffee hour on Sunday mornings. Please let the office know if you are willing to do this. THANK YOU to Angie for doing this for many years!
- The globe is back in front of church for kids to bring their offering up and put in while ushers are collecting the offering.
- There are puzzles in the library for anyone to take home to put together. Please return them to the library when finished.
- Volunteers are needed to serve treats at coffee on Sundays. Please consider donating treats (8-9 dz.) or the funds to purchase treats (\$30-\$45 est. cost). Two or more people could join together for a Sunday. The sign-up sheet is on the coffee table each Sunday or call the office. Donations should be designated on the check memo.
- If you would like to sponsor a radio broadcast, bulletins or altar flowers in memory or in honor of someone, please contact the office. Prices are: radio-\$51.00, bulletins-\$25.00 flowers-\$50.00. All three-\$126.00.

Coffee Fundraiser

The Education Committee is having a coffee fundraiser to raise money for youth group missions, sending children to camp and other youth activities. The "table of goodies" (coffee) is located near the fellowship hall.

We THANK YOU for your support!

Ground Coffee-\$14 K-Cups-\$14 One Pot Pouches-\$3

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

Monday, October 2

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, October 4

9am Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise

3:30pm Confirmation

6pm Faith Ringers

Sunday, October 8

9am Worship/Baptism

10am Sunday School

10am Decorating Confirmation Stoles

Prayer Concerns - Prayers for our call committee in our search for our Pastor. Prayers of thanks for Bishop Craig Anderson Ph.D., Interim Pastor, as he shepherds our Faith family forward in our mission to love others as Jesus does!