

7TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 16, 2023

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

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“Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment to all God’s people.”

Your paths overflow with plenty. (Ps. 65:11)

**Indicates to please stand as you are able*

GATHERING SONGS:

“Come and Go With Me to My Father’s House”

“We Are the Seeds”

“We Are One”

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

OPENING HYMN ~ “For the Fruit of All Creation” #679

GREETING

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

FIRST READING: Isaiah 55:10-13

PSALM: “The Harvest Psalm”

SECOND READING: Romans 8:1-11

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** ~ “Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil”
#512

GOSPEL: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ “Christ Taught Us Of a Farmer”

***APOSTLES CREED**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING ~ “Everybody’s Got Something to Offer”

OFFERING PRAYER

***LORD’S PRAYER** ~ Sung

BLESSING

SENDING SONG ~ “The Trees of the Field”

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Assistants

Worship Leader: Jeanene Munsterman

Music Director: Linda Anderson

Office Manager: Sharon Ronglien

Financial Secretary: Lorrie Ehrenberg

Financial Treasurer: Kristin Ludvigson

Education Coordinator: Darcy Daline

Helper: Lisa Strand

Reader: Contemporary Group

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 5

Acolyte: Jace Daline & Aidyn Bonn

Communion:

Greeters: Mike & Sherry Deyo, Kiyoko Dolman

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: Ron Sorenson, Margaret Klefsaas, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Betty Peterson, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock

PRAYER CONCERNS: Jodi Kallhoff, Betty Johnson, Phyllis Hauck, Tom Daline, Jerry Osteraas, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky



Readings for July 23

Isaiah 44:6-8

Psalms 86:11-17

Romans 8:12-25

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

ANNOUNCEMENTS 7/16

- ♦ 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.
- ♦ Church council will meet today following the church service in the library.
- ♦ Pastor Tim Larson will be leading our service next **Sunday, July 23rd. Communion will be served.**
- ♦ There are puzzles in the library for anyone to take home to put together. Please return them 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 line.
- ♦ 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.

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, July 17

7pm AA / AL Anon

Sunday, July 23

9am Worship with Communion

Prayer Concerns - Prayers of thanks for those who have been and are willing to work hard to prepare a message for us in the absence of a pastor. Lord, give them guidance and wisdom in their preparation.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

"God's New Creation"

August 7 - 10, 2023

5:00 - 7:30 P.M.

Supper will be served!

Thursday, August 10th Closing Program @ 6:00 P.M.