

The Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
August 29, 2021  
FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH  
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to all God’s people.”

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*Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle? (Ps. 15:1)*

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*\*Indicates to please stand as you are able*

**BELL**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS** ✚

**\*OPENING HYMN** "Gather Us In" #532 vs.1-3

**GREETING** p.203

**KYRIE** p.203

**CANTICLE OF PRAISE** “Glory Be To God...”

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray.

**O God our strength, without you we are weak and wayward  
creatures. Protect us from all dangers that attack us from the  
outside, and cleanse us from all evil that arises from within**

**ourselves, that we may be preserved through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.  
Amen.**

**FIRST READING:** Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

**PSALM 15** (Read responsively)

1 - Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle? Who may abide upon your holy hill?

**2 - Those who lead a blameless life and do what is right, who speak the truth from their heart;**

3 - they do not slander with the tongue, they do no evil to their friends; they do not cast discredit upon a neighbor.

**4 - In their sight the wicked are rejected, but they honor those who fear the Lord. They have sworn upon their health and do not take back their word.**

5 - They do not give their money in hope of gain, nor do they take bribes against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be overthrown.

**SECOND READING:** James 1:17-27

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** p.205

**\*GOSPEL:** Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The Holy Gospel according to Mark the 7th chapter...

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**SERMON**

**\*HYMN OF DAY** "Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways" #772

**APOSTLES' CREED** p.104

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION** *Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.***

## **SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE**

## **OFFERING**

### **\*OFFERING PRAYER**

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING** p.206-207

## **PREFACE**

## **HOLY, HOLY, HOLY,** p.207

## **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

### **\*LORD'S PRAYER**

## **COMMUNION**

## **SONGS OF DISTRIBUTION**

"This is My Father's World" #824, "As the Grains of Wheat" #465

### **\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

### **\*BLESSING**

## **\*SENDING HYMN** "For the Beauty of the Earth" #879 vs 1,4,5

### **\*DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **POSTLUDE**

## **Today's Worship Assistants**

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Ron Nichols

**Music Director:** Linda Anderson

**Office Manager:** Jessica Borstad

**Reader:** Ryan Giles

**Video/Audio:** Tech Team

**Usher Team:** Team #2

**Acolytes:** Blake Wells, Eric Nygard

**Communion:** Stan Olson, Arlette Johnson

***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 RESIDENTS:** Ken Beyer, Lil Lyng, Betty Peterson, Annabell Engebretson, Don Husby, Ramona Niven, Marlene Johnson, and Gary McFarland.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Dave Ludvigson, Alice Johnson, Skip Blahosky, Sammi Summerland, Jeff Mortenson, Don Husby, & Gayle Weber.



### **Readings for Sept. 5**

Isaiah 35:4-7a

Psalms 146

James 2:1-17

Mark 7:24-37

\*Our condolences go out to the family and friends of Carlyle Larsen. His funeral was on Wednesday, August 25.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS 8/29

- ♦ 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](http://www.faithlutheranmadison.org) and our Facebook page.
- ♦ Blessing of the Backpacks will be done on Sunday, September 19. Please have your children come with their school backpacks to worship so that they can be blessed.
- ♦ "Walk of Hope" Luminaries will be sold for \$5 in the narthex September 5 & 12. The "walk" will be on September 19th from 2-4pm at the LQP Fairgrounds.

### **\*\*THIS WEEK AT FAITH\*\***

#### **Sunday, August 29**

9am Worship

#### **Monday, August 30**

7pm AA / AL Anon

#### **Tuesday, August 31**

8am-4pm School training in  
Fellowship Hall

#### **Wednesday, September 1**

8am-4pm School training in  
Fellowship Hall

9am Hot Muffins

#### **Thursday, September 2**

8am-4pm School training in  
Fellowship Hall

#### **Sunday, September 5**

9am Worship Service

### **Faith Fair Food Stand**

Order your pies for \$13.00 in the  
Narthex or the Church office.

### **Sunday, Aug. 22**

Church Attendance: 80

Church Offering: \$ 1,617.00

Online Offering: \$ 1,925.60

SS Attendance: n/a

SS Offering: n/a

August Income: \$13,480.59

August Expenses: .\$14,427.69

**-\$ 947.10**

YTD Income: \$ 186,838.44

YTD Expenses: .\$ 170,958.62

**\$ 15,879.82**