

Prayer Page

Thanksgiving

- Installation of LWML Officers
- Elaine Cook - recovering after surgery
- Kurt (son of Larry & Sue Kroemer) - Safely home after Davenport search/rescue mission

Entrusting into God's Care

- Persecuted Christians and refugees
- Those suffering after storms and during the pandemic
- Peace in Europe and throughout the world
- Project 24 students, Yvonne and Lorine

Healing

- Mark (brother of Anne Railsback) - recovering after surgery
- Prudy Petersen - recovering at Cottage Grove after fall
- Nancy (sister of Julie Elias) - recovering after fall
- Joel Knutson - recovering after surgery
- Lucas McCarley - recovering after surgery
- Ethel Doehrmann - recovering after hospitalization
- Larry Easler - recovering after fall at Hiawatha Care Center
- Tom Stock - health issues
- Lee Rathje - recovering after surgery
- Dave Johnson - recovering after surgery
- Janelle Dunbar - recovering after surgery
- Doug Knutson - immunotherapy treatment
- Bonnie Bubke - personal issues
- Rick Foreman - recovering at home after fall
- Deb Heitland - health issues
- Abi Clark - health issues

Homebound

- Nadine Wax - at home

Mourning, friends and family of

- Ivan Grimm (brother of Brenda Heims) - died 5/29
- Norma Sirotiak - died 5/26
- Stephen Stepanek - died 5/20

Serving Our Country

- Ben (son of Kroemers) - IA National Guard
- Devin (friend of Kroemers) - IA Army National Guard
- Jordan (grandson of Kim Neuhaus) - Army, deployed to Poland
- Mitchell & Benjamin (relatives of Schoens & Smiths) - US Navy
- Harrison (son of Siecks) - US Army, deployed to Poland

Chancel Flowers are given by Leonard and Rita Tiedt in celebration of their 54th wedding anniversary.

Servants of Worship

	Sunday, June 11	Sunday, June 18
Elder	Mark Elias	Rick Foreman
Usher (8:30)	Wade Ramsey	Pete Larson, Randy Schmith
Usher (11)	Dave Johnson	Dick & Karen Hass
Greeter (8:30)	Pete & Kris Larson	Randy & Joni Schmith
Greeter (11)	Karen Schmidt & Rita Tiedt	Colby & Janine Schmitt
Lector (8:30)	Mark Bornemann	Rick Foreman
Lector (11)	Sheryl Knutson	Emily Kroemer
Video (8:30)	Jeff Gebert	Mitch Myers
Video (11)	Mike Diers	Michelle Hedtke
Sound (8:30)	Ken Cook	Ken Cook
Sound (11)	Darin Elm	Phil Hedtke
Acolyte (8:30)	Ella Bricker	Camden Brusius
Acolyte (11)	Alex Theriault	Evan Ranbarger
Nursery (11)	Emily Kroemer & Abi Clark	Annie & Robby Russman
Coffee	Freeses	Kirkpatricks

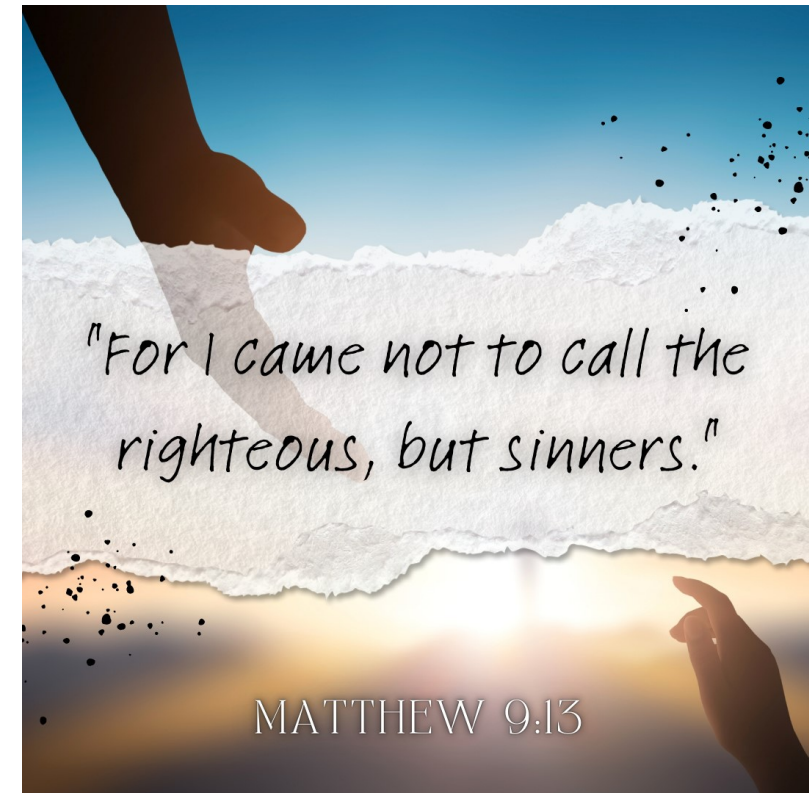
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June 11, 2023
Second Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 Service

Living and Sharing God's Love

Order of Service

Divine Service Setting I

Organ Prelude and Ringing of the Bells

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn

By Grace I'm Saved

LSB #566

Confession and Absolution

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Introit

Psalm 50

Kyrie

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Hymn of Praise

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

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Old Testament Reading

Hosea 5:15-6:6

Epistle Reading

Romans 4:13-25

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

Matthew 9:9-13

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day

Chief of Sinners Though I Be

LSB #611

Sermon

Apostles' Creed

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Installation of LWML Officers

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Luther's Morning Prayer

Benediction

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Closing Hymn

How Firm a Foundation

LSB #728

Notes and Announcements

Today we will start a new ministry for **emerging adults**: those aged 18-26 years old. All emerging adults are encouraged to join us for Bible study on Sundays at 5:00 p.m. Our study will focus on different topics and issues we face at this age, and look at them with a Christian lens. Contact Kierra for more information!

New adult Bible study starts tomorrow! This is a six-week study on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. looking at how we live out our Christian faith in different areas of our lives. What does it look like to be a family member, a citizen, and church member? We will start by looking at the definition of vocation, its purpose, and how we are called to our vocation in these areas. Contact Kierra for details.

This Tuesday, June 13, women's guild will **tie quilts for Lutheran World Relief**. All are welcome to help tie quilts on the second Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Our last **Family Faith Night** of this school year will be held this Wednesday, June 14. All parents and children are welcome to attend! Dinner is served at 5:30, and the program is at 6:00-7:30.

Senior Worship will be held this Thursday, June 15 at 11:00 a.m. followed by a luncheon. Contact the office if you plan to attend.

Tickets have been purchased for the Kernels game on Sunday, June 25 at 1:05 p.m. If you signed up, please see Becky McCarley by the Welcome Center today or next Sunday to pay for and pick up your tickets (\$10 per adult and free for kids under 18). If you did not sign up, see Becky ASAP for any extra tickets or purchase tickets at the Kernels box office in the upper rows of Section 112.

Join us for a **service project at His Hands Free Clinic** on Saturday, June 24, at 10:00 a.m. to approximately noon. We will work on general cleaning jobs at the clinic. All are welcome to come serve! His Hands is located at 1245 2nd Ave. SE in Cedar Rapids.

Save the date for an **LCMS Pickleball Tournament** on Saturday, July 15 at Noelridge Park! All ages and skill levels are welcome to participate. A link to sign up for the tournament is coming soon.

Upcoming topics at Sunday morning adult Bible study:

June 11 - "The Trinity in the Old Testament"

June 18 - "The Name of God"

June 25 through July - "We Preach Christ Crucified"

Our Calendar This Week

Today

8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional)
9:45 am Summer Sunday School
11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary)
1:00 pm Food Pantry Open
5:00 pm Emerging Adults

Monday

6:00 pm Stephen Ministry Supervision
7:00 pm Elders Meeting
7:00 pm Vocation Bible Study

Tuesday

9:00 am Quilting for World Relief
9:00 am Walking for Exercise
7:00 pm Council Meeting

Wednesday

6:00 am Men's Bible Study - Zoom
5:30 pm Family Meal
6:00 pm Family Faith Night

Thursday

9:00 am Adult Bible Study
9:00 am Walking for Exercise
11:00 am Senior Worship

Saturday

9:00 am Holy Yoga
9:00 am Dementia Workshop

Next Sunday

8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional) w/ Comm
9:45 am Summer Sunday School
11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary) w/ Comm
1:00 pm Food Pantry Open
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Stewardship Note - Matthew 9:9 – "As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, 'Follow me.' And he rose and followed him." When Jesus talks, Matthew listens and acts. Jesus says, "Follow me," and Matthew follows. What does this tell us about Matthew? It tells us that he believes in Jesus. Our actions flow out of our faith. Show me what a man does, and I'll tell you what he really believes. Our sinful actions uncover our false beliefs and our need for repentance and a return to the forgiveness we find in Jesus. Our godly actions display our faith in Jesus.

Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.