

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Third Sunday after the Epiphany January 21st, 2018

Announcements

 Hymn: "Fierce Was the Billow Wild" 63

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **MARK 1:14-20**
1 CORINTHIANS 7:29-31

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "As with Gladness Men of Old" 62

 Sermon Text: **JONAH 3:1-5, 10**

The Sermon: **"I Couldn't Believe It!"** Pr. Joel Baker

Choir Anthem: "See the Bread, See the Wine"

Nicene Creed

The Order of Holy Communion

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Lamb of God" 166

Communion Hymns: 64, 65, 59

The Post-Communion Prayer

 Hymn: "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" 666

The Benediction

Hymn: "Songs of Thankfulness" 68

Postlude



The Congregation stands

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries: David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Stacy Maikkula, Pastor Etinah, Daniel & Denisa Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Nicole Bartell, Trevor Rubenstein, David Gunderson, Bill Rogers, ALC Foreign Missions, Outpost Ministries.**
- ❖ **MILITARY – Pray for those Serving Our Country – Scott Matti, Jesse Maunu, Mike Larson, John Saari, Tripp Otto, Gregg Johnson, Jason Leonard, Dominic Anspach, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, Tim Miller, Michael Palkki, John Pahkala, Joshua Pahkala, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Luke McDonald, Ben Jenkins, Brandon Hietala, Zach B and Rose Stamp**
- ❖ **The family of Rebekka Wahala(7/17); Jack Bergstedt(9/17)**
- ❖ **Al Saari – Pray that God will give strength and comfort.**
- ❖ **Don Bielinski – Pray for continued healing.**
- ❖ **Sharon Emery – Healing and strength from severe arthritis and pinched spinal nerves.**
- ❖ **Jana Pile - (Joyce Tibbs' daughter) Relief of back pain, anxiety, pulmonary & personal care**
- ❖ **Dan Puumala- Blood supply to right eye/miraculous healing/infection/strength**
- ❖ **Sara Graf – Relief and healing from Crohn's Disease and hormonal imbalance**
- ❖ **Mary Pahkala – (Marlene Walters' mother) Pray for healing**
- ❖ **Karen Nolte – (Anita Aho's Niece) Pray for her and her caregivers.**
- ❖ **Don Matti – Successful chemo treatments**
- ❖ **Clayton Matti – For physical, mental and spiritual healing of multiple disabilities**
- ❖ **Pastor Charles Bergstedt – Continued healing**
- ❖ **Jill Sanko (Joyce Tibbs' daughter) Pray for healing of break in left arm and physical fatigue**
- ❖ **Lois Johnson (Neil & Myrna sister): Lois's had lab work after first radioactive bead treatment and results show chromogranin levels dropped from 6,200 to 2,600. Next apt is in December. Thank you for praying for Lois.**
- ❖ **David Mickelsen – (Joyce Tibbs' brother) Pray for remission of cancer in the blood**
- ❖ **Roger Larson – Healing**
- ❖ **Ed Puumala – inactive lymphoma**
- ❖ **Cheryl Puumala – continued healing after radiation treatments**
- ❖ **Ed Pahkala (Marlene's brother)-that the chemo shot and pill he's getting for Multiple Myeloma, continues working. Also that he will draw closer to God and trust Him.**
- ❖ **Jeannie Pietari(Deb Sunnarborg's sister) – Wisdom for the Drs & nurses caring for her. Pray for Christ to touch her in spirit and in healing. That His peace will be upon her and the family**
- ❖ **Lil Mindermann – (Bette Hietala's Sister)recovery from cancer surgery and healing and endurance as she undergoes treatment.**
- ❖ **Katrina Vahakangas - healing in ankle**
- ❖ **Lori Krumholz-(Bill's Sister-in-law)pray for healing from surgery & successful chemo treatments**
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy**
- ❖ **Reuben Aho – Prayers for healing**
- ❖ **Elise & Charlotte O'Neill – prayers for mom and baby**
- ❖ **Kristi Nordstrom(Julie Bartell's cousin) – Pray for strength & healing during Chemo for stage 4 cancer**
- ❖ **Pastor Rodger Foltz-Healing**
- ❖ **Carl Grussendorf – (Ellie's Brother) – Healing from heart surgery**
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week - Pastor Gary Bertram**
- ❖ **Pray for our Country**
- ❖ **Radio Ministry**
- ❖ **Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church(Heb 13:3), ALC Balm of Gilead, Gospel Café, Sharon**
- ❖ **Silent Prayer**

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

²⁰ “The LORD is in His holy temple. Let all the earth be silent before Him.”

Habakkuk 2:20



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 62

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father

Confession:

Our most gracious Father in heaven, We bow before You to confess our sin and seek Your forgiveness. We have not esteemed others better than ourselves and have fallen into sin because of our own weakness. We know that sin leads us to death but Your gift to us is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Strengthen our hearts against sin and forgive us when we fail. Grant to us the promise of eternal life with You in heaven and Your grace to live here on this earth. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Absolution:

We beseech You, Almighty God, Heavenly Father, to grant us a true faith, a firm hope in Your mercy, and a sincere love to our fellow men, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, Begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God, Begotten, not made, Being of one substance with the Father, By whom all things were made: Who for us, and for our salvation, came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin Mary, And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, And ascended into heaven, And is seated on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead: Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead, And the Life of the world to come. Amen.



WE WELCOME TO HOLY COMMUNION

all who believe in Jesus Christ as personal Savior and who believe that at the Lord's table we receive His true Body and Blood for the forgiveness of sins. If you will not be communing but desire a blessing, please indicate the same to those serving Holy Communion. Grape juice is also available upon request.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Shalom To You Radio Program
KKMS 980AM Radio **Saturdays at 2:30pm**
Please be in prayer for this ministry.



For those that are interested, there is a **free book exchange** in the meeting room next to Pastor Joel's office.



Read Through the Bible Wednesday's 6:30-8pm

- Jan 24 – Feed My Starving Children Event
- Jan 31 – Isaiah 24-30
- Feb 7 – Isaiah 31-37

DATES TO REMEMBER

- TODAY – Youth Rally Planning Meeting**
- TODAY – Women's Book Group meeting**
- Jan 24 – Feed My Starving Children**
- Jan 25 – Senior Potluck & DVD at the church**
- Jan 27 – Ladies Saturday morning Bible Study**
- Feb 2 – Kingston ALC 10th Annual Spaghetti Supper @ KALC**
- Feb 2-4 – Annual Ski trip hosted by Esko ALC/info on narthex desk**
- Feb 14 – Ash Wednesday**
- Upcoming Coffee Serving List:**
- Jan 28 – Stacey & Kevin Wempen**
- Feb 4 – Lois & Joel Hendrickson**
- Feb 11 – Julie & Brian Bartell**
- Upcoming Nursery Schedule List:**
- Jan 28 – Mary Kay Myrmel Family**
- Feb 4 – Evy Walters & Volunteer**
- Feb 11 – Janis Saari & Susan Baker**

Current coffee serving schedule and Nursery are on the desk in the Narthex



TODAY

following church there will be a Youth Rally planning meeting. All are invited to attend

Join us at FMSC in Coon Rapids to pack food on **Wednesday, January 24th at 6:00pm.**

Sign up sheet is on the Narthex desk.

Van will leave from the church at 5:00pm.



Senior potluck and DVD on the life of J.S. Bach

Thursday, January 25 at 11:00
in the Fellowship Hall

10th Annual

**Kingston Apostolic Lutheran Church
SPAGHETTI SUPPER!!**

Friday, February 02, 2018 5 – 7:00pm

at Kingston Apostolic Lutheran Church

Spaghetti Pasta Bar (choice of spaghetti sauce or Alfredo sauce),
salad, garlic bread & hot fudge sundae

Donations to: Kingston Apostolic Lutheran Church (KALC)

Proceeds to go to a new projector screen



33rd Annual Ski Trip hosted by Esko
Apostolic Lutheran Church is **February 2-4th,
2018**. There is info on the Narthex desk for those
interested in attending. Let Noel or Kris Walters
know if you are planning to attend by Jan 31st.

Praying for Muslims

A guide for Effective Intercession

available in the narthex for those interested.



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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers

Kevin Wempen

Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel

Volunteer

Nursery

Marlene Walters Family

Counters

Cynthia & Erik Aho

Volunteer

Greeters

Dale & Myrna Maikkula

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver

Neil Sunnarborg

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Pam & Don Bielinski

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers

Kevin Wempen

Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel

Volunteer

Nursery

MaryKay Myrmel Family

Counters

Larry Walters

Judy McDonald

Greeters

MaryKay Myrmel

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver

Neil Sunnarborg

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Stacey & Kevin Wempen

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY(1/21)

9:00am

Sunday morning Bible Study for all

10:30am

Worship Service with Communion

11:30am

Coffee Fellowship

11:45am

Youth Rally Planning Meeting

12:15pm

Women's Book Group Meeting

WEDNESDAY(1/24)

9:15am

Ladies Bible Study @ the church

9:30am

Men's Bible Study @ the church

5:15pm

Van Leaves for FMSC

6:00pm

Packing at Feed My Starving Children

THURSDAY(1/25)

11:00am

Senior Potluck & DVD

SATURDAY(1/27)

9:00pm

Saturday Morning Ladies Bible Study

NEXT SUNDAY(1/28)

9:00am

Sunday morning Bible Study for all

10:30am

Worship Service

11:30am

Abbreviated Communion

11:30am

Coffee Fellowship