

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Fifth Sunday after Pentecost ***July 9th, 2017***

Announcements

Call To Worship

Steven Dahlmeier



Hymn: "The Star-Spangled Banner"

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Invocation

Scripture Reading:

ZECHARIAH 9:9-12
MATTHEW 11:25-30

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer



Hymn: "In Tenderness, Jesus, Enfold Me"

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Offertory Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "Be Still My Soul"

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Sermon Text:

ROMANS 7:14-25

The Sermon: "**Always "Tsuris" (Trouble)**"

Pr. Joel Baker

The Benediction

Hymn: "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

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Postlude



The Congregation stands

****Please turn off cell phones during the service – thank you****

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, and Brandon Hietala.
- ❖ **The family of Rodney Mattinen**(Audrey & Anita’s brother), **Dee Walters-Salguero**, Jack Hurula(Bev Aho’s father), **Pastor Wayne Juntunen**, **Pastor Peter Bergstedt**, **George Pelto**, **John Grussendorf**(Ellie’s Brother), **Gary Lee**(Stewart Lee’s son), **David Sunnarborg(Earl)**; **Rebekka Wahala**
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **Jack Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Jill Sanko** (Joyce Tibbs' daughter) Solutions for health problems including COPD causing fatigue
- ❖ **Lois Johnson** (Myrna Maikkula & Neil Sunnarborg sister) Thank you for your continued prayer support Lois will now be doctoring in Duluth We pray the Sandostatin” injection will put cancer growth to a halt and put it in remission. As well as, her body will not have all the side effects of getting this shot
- ❖ **David Mickelsen** – (Joyce Tibbs’ brother) Pray for remission of cancer
- ❖ **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.
- ❖ **Marlene Walters** – Pray for continued healing and strength after surgery and throughout radiation treatments
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **Barb Briggs** – Recovery from knee surgery, relief from much pain
- ❖ **Lil Mindermann** – (Bette Hietala’s Sister)recovery from cancer surgery and healing and endurance as she undergoes treatment.
- ❖ **Janis Saari** – Prayer for healing
- ❖ **Eva Vahakangas** – Recovery from back surgery; Katrina healing in ankle
- ❖ **Betty Hartl** – (Deb Sunnarborg’s mother) Give Doctors wisdom treating her dizzy spells
- ❖ **Lori Krumholz**-(Bill’s Sister-in-law)pray for healing from surgery & successful chemo treatments
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week - Pastor Bruce Selin**
- ❖ **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

² Serve the LORD with gladness; Come before Him with joyful singing...

⁴ Enter His gates with thanksgiving And His courts with praise. Give thanks to Him, bless His name.

Psalm 100:2, 4



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 145

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

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name, He gives power to become sons of God, and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He who believes, and is baptized, shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, to us all.



ANNOUNCEMENT

Shalom To You Radio Program

KKMS 980AM Radio **Saturdays at 2:30pm**

Please be in prayer for this ministry.



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

July 12 – Joshua 3-9

July 19 – Joshua 10-16

July 26 – Joshua 17-23

CPR Class

PLC is researching holding a CPR class here at the church. There is a sign-up sheet on the narthex desk for those interested.

Date will be determined by interest. (Possibly July or August)

See Earl Christopherson with questions.

A congregational meeting notice for July 23rd immediately following the service in regards to a property proposal for PLC. We will use the time to share the details with the congregation and do some Q/A.

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 13-16 – 2017 Annual Convention of the Apostolic Lutheran Churches of America. ESKO ALC hosting (info on narthex desk)

July 23 – Congregational Meeting

July 23 – Baby Shower for Elsbeth(Krumholz)Stark

July 26-30 – LBF Camp at Lahti Retreat Center

Aug 7-11 – Vacation Bible School here at the church

Aug 11 – Game night @ 6:30pm at the church

Aug 20 – Open House Baby Shower for Annie(Aho)Pantzke

Upcoming Coffee Serving List:

July 16 – Sharon & Larry Wahala/Earl Christopherson

July 23 – Phyllis & Bill Krumholtz

July 30 – Marlene & Lloyd Walters

Upcoming Nursery Schedule List:

July 16 – Volunteer

July 23 – Patti Olson Family

July 30 – Cynthia Aho Family



Baby Shower Luncheon for Elsbeth Krumholz-Stark.
Sunday July 23rd, 2017 at 12:00pm following the service.

Elsbeth is registered at [Target](#) and [Babylist.com](#)

Contact Gen Matti with any questions.



Our Vacation Bible School's theme for the week of 8/7 through 8/11/2017 will be "Over the Moat:

Drawbridge to the King!", which will have a medieval setting with castle, knights, and royalty.

Jesus is the way or drawbridge to the King.

Psalms 47:6 - 7 is the theme verse: "Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!"

Students will see God's sovereignty, love, and faithfulness by looking at David's life, and will learn to praise God our King. Lessons are about loving God, trusting in God, praising God, telling others about God, and thanking God. Please pray about helping with this outreach program. There is a volunteer signup sheet on the narthex table with many ways to help. Contact Susan Baker with questions or comments (952-884-9848). Thank you!

****Final VBS meetings are planned as follows: Aug 2 & 5**

Choose 1 date and let Susan know which date you will attend.

Thank you.



VBS at PLC August 7-11, 9-11:30am

If you have children, grandchildren or friends that would be interested in joining us at VBS please sign up soon. There are registration cards on the narthex desk

Game night here at the church on **Friday, Aug 11th at 6:30pm.**

Bring your favorite game, and your favorite game-playing person(s) and join in the fun and fellowship. Outside games, weather permitting.



An Open House "Co-ed" Baby Shower

for Josh & Annie(Aho)Pantzke

Sunday, Aug 20th from 12-4pm

@ Brad & Bev Aho's home Everyone is Welcome!



LUTHERAN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

Camp Lahti:

July 26 - July 30

(Wednesday - Sunday)

Go to lfbiblecamp.org to register

No pre-camp deposit necessary.

Paper copies of the registration are available in the church office.



Save the Date

Inter-Lutheran Theological Seminary Rally

on SUNDAY, 10/8 at 3 PM here at PLC

The ILT Seminary is celebrating its 50th Anniversary

The rally will be followed by a supper in the Fellowship Hall.

Please plan to attend and show your support!

Funeral for Rebekka Wahala

Visitation/Reviewal at PLC:

TODAY, July 9th @ 4-6pm

Monday, July 10th @ 10-11am

Funeral Service at PLC:

Monday, July 10th @ 11am

Lunch following

Graveside service about 1:30 at Glen Haven Cemetery in Crystal

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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers

Kevin Wempen
Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel
Volunteer

Nursery

Stacy Wempen Family

Counters

Deb Sunnarborg
Kris Walters

Greeters

Neil & Deb Sunnarborg

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver

Neil Sunnarborg

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Anita & Reuben Aho/Bill Graunke

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers

Kevin Wempen
Roger Larson

Kevin Myrmel
Volunteer

Nursery

Cynthia Aho Family

Counters

Cynthia & Erik Aho
Volunteer

Greeters

Reuben & Anita Aho

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver

Neil Sunnarborg

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Sharon & Larry Wahala/Earl Christopherson

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY(7/9):	10:30am	Worship Service
	11:30am	Coffee Fellowship
TUESDAY(7/11)	5:45pm	Mission meeting
	6:30pm	Board of Trustees meeting at the church
WEDNESDAY(7/12)	6:30pm	Read Thru the Bible Study- Joshua 3-9
NEXT SUNDAY(7/16):	10:30am	Worship Service with Communion
	11:30am	Coffee Fellowship

As of June 30, 2017

OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs. Budget Income: \$92,681/\$91,593

Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$76,469/\$91,593