

✠ TODAY AT GRACE ✠

Organist: Maureen Ochsner Elder: Dale Enns

Ushers: Benno Sydow; Gary Gunther; Larry Nelson; Bill Rust; Jeff Stifter

Counting Team 2: Gary Gunther; Rick Nelson; Bill Rust; Bob Vandever; Clint Welker

Church Cleaners: Fleischer

✠ NEXT WEEK AT GRACE ✠

Ushers: Benno Sydow; Gary Gunther; Larry Nelson; Bill Rust; Jeff Stifter

Counting Team 3: Brian Eichstadt; Duane Enns; David Hein; Chad Hestekin; Benno Sydow

Church Cleaners: R. Nelson

✠ OUR SCHEDULE ✠

Sun., Aug. 26: 9:00 am – Worship Service
Mon., Aug. 27: 8:00 am – Opening Service for Grace Lutheran School
Sun., Sept. 2: 9:00 am – Worship Service w/Lord's Supper
Mon., Sept. 3: Labor Day – No School
Wed., Sept. 5: 4:30-6:15 – Catechism Begins for Public School Students
Thu., Sept. 7: School's 42nd Anniversary (Sept. 7, 1976)
Sat., Sept. 8: 9:00-11:00 am – Necklace Assembly for Liberian Children
Sun., Sept. 9: Return to Regular Sunday Schedule
 8:30 am – Choir Practice Begins
 9:00 am – Bible Class & Sunday School Begin
 10:00 am – Worship Service (Regular Schedule Resumes)
 12:00 pm – Council Meeting
Sun., Sept. 16: Annual Church Picnic
October 2-3: Minnesota Pastoral Conference @ Red Wing, MN
October 17-20: CLC Teachers' Conference @ West Columbia, SC

For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. (Ephesians 2:8-9)

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Grades: Kindergarten-8th

Church Year: Pentecost 14

Date: August 26, 2018

✠ THE ORDER OF WORSHIP ✠

Worship Preparation: *Psalm 122, TLH p. 152 f.*

Hymn: *TLH 5: Lord, Open Thou My Heart to Hear*

Liturgy: *TLH, p. 5 ff. (Also available on laminated sheet in pew)*

Introit (followed by Gloria Patri, The Kyrie): *TLH, pp. 6-7*

P: Surely God is my help; the Lord is the one who sustains me.

C: Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord.

P: From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets ...

C: The name of the Lord be praised, both now and forevermore.

P: He raises the poor from the dust and lifts up the needy from the ash heap;

C: Surely God is my help, the one who sustains me. Glory be to God!

Gloria in Excelsis: *TLH 250, st. 1, 4*

1. Holy God, we praise Thy name; Lord of all, we bow before Thee. All on earth Thy scepter claim, All in heav'n above adore Thee. Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign.	4. Holy Father, holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name Thee; Though in essence only one, Undivided God we claim Thee And, adoring, bend the knee While we own the mystery.
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First Reading: *Joshua 24:1-2, 14-18*

Gradual:

P: Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise;

C: His greatness no one can fathom.

P: I will meditate on Your wonderful works,

C: And I will proclaim Your great deeds.

P: Alleluia. Alleluia. Now faith is being sure of what we hope for ...

C: And certain of what we do not see. Alleluia.

Second Reading:*John 6:60-69*
Confession of Faith:*Apostolic Creed, TLH p. 12*
Hymn: *TLH 477: Lord Jesus, Thou the Church's Head*

Sermon: *Ephesians 5:22-33*

²² Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. ²³ For the husband is head of the wife, as also Christ is head of the church; and He is the Savior of the body. ²⁴ Therefore, just as the church is subject to Christ, so *let* the wives *be* to their own husbands in everything. ²⁵ Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her, ²⁶ that He might sanctify and cleanse her with the washing of water by the word, ²⁷ that He might present her to Himself a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that she should be holy and without blemish. ²⁸ So husbands ought to love their own wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife loves himself. ²⁹ For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as the Lord *does* the church. ³⁰ For we are members of His body, of His flesh and of His bones. ³¹ "For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." ³² This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church. ³³ Nevertheless let each one of you in particular so love his own wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects *her* husband. (NKJVTM)

"Two Relationships Descriptive of Each Other"

Offertory:*TLH p. 12 f.*

Hymn:*TLH 371: Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness*

Offering, Prayers, Benediction:*TLH p. 14*

Hymn: *TLH 624, st. 1,4: O Blessed Home Where Man and Wife*

Welcome to our guests and visitors. We appreciate the opportunity to share God's Word with you today. Please come again! Those interested in learning more about the Scriptures and our doctrinal position, please speak with Pastor Hein. He would be delighted to visit with you!

† THE ANNOUNCEMENTS †

- ♦ **Thanks** to Pastor Emeritus Daniel Fleischer for preaching the Word this morning. Pastor Hein is on vacation near Spokane, WA, visiting family. He will be returning later this week. For emergency pastoral help, you may call the parsonage at 763-784-8784 or call Pastor directly on his cell at 612-408-1635. Alternatively, you may call Pastors Emeritus David Schierenbeck (651-202-8602) or Daniel Fleischer (651-352-1471), including any hospital calls.
- ♦ **Service Schedule:** Please remember that the service schedule will be changing Sunday, Sept. 9. Sunday School and Bible Class will begin at 9:00 am with regular morning worship at 10:00 am.
- ♦ **Sunday School:** Those interested in teaching or subbing may speak with either Pastor or Michael Ude.
- ♦ **Catechism:** Catechism classes for those not enrolled in the Christian Day School will begin on Wed., Sept. 5, 4:30-6:15 pm. This is for those in 6th through 8th grade. Please pray that the Lord will richly bless the instruction of our youth!
- ♦ **Christian Day School Starts:** Tomorrow morning, at 8:00 am, there will be an opening service for the new school year. All members are invited to come. There are 19 children that will be attending this year (* non-member): K: E. Kanneh*, R. Ude, T. Wales; 1st Grade: R. Oman; 2nd Grade: L. Nelson, Z. Wales; 3rd Grade: C. Nelson, R. Oman, D. Rinne*; 4th Grade: U. Wales; 5th Grade: A. Onyinge*, M. Rinne*; 6th Grade: A. Baker, N. Story; 7th Grade: L. Pearson*; 8th Grade: A. Holmberg*, R. Onyinge*, S. Rinne*, N. Story. We pray that our students will be richly blessed through the spiritual training they will receive through the daily immersion in God's Word.
- ♦ **Church Picnic:** On Sun., Sept. 16 there will be a church picnic here on the church grounds following our regular church service. Grilled meat will be provided. Members are asked to bring a dish to share, including things like salads, chips, and/or desserts. Committee #3 will be serving and cleanup, though additional help would be appreciated.

