

SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY
Rev. Lester Wolfgram, Pastor
Rev. Justin Woodside, Pastor
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost
August 15, 2021

Divine Service Setting One LSB 151
Opening Hymn: “When In Our Music God Is Glorified” LSB 796
Hymn of the Day: “Praise and Thanksgiving” LSB 789
Distribution: “O God, My Faithful God” LSB 696
“Sent Forth By God’s Blessing” LSB 643
Closing Hymn: “Praise To The Lord, The Almighty” LSB 790

WELCOME!! We are glad that you have joined us this morning as we lift up our hearts and voices in response to God’s great gift of forgiveness and life in Christ Jesus. If you are a visitor, please sign our guest book and introduce yourself to Pastor Les Wolfgram and Pastor Justin Woodside.

AT SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH we celebrate the Lord’s Supper in the confidence that we receive, along with the bread and wine, our Savior’s true body and blood “through and in which we obtain the forgiveness of sins.” Besides individually receiving Christ’s free gift of forgiveness in this sacrament, all those who commune make a confession of the faith that we believe and teach in the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. To commune at this altar is to accept the doctrinal position of this congregation. Because of that common confession, we invite those who are members at sister Missouri Synod Churches to join us at the Lord’s Table. If you would like more information on our understanding of the Lord’s Supper, please visit with Pastor Wolfgram or Pastor Woodside.

Introit

Psalm 111:1–5, 9; antiphon: v. 10

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good under- | standing.*

His praise endures for- | ever!

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my | whole heart,*

in the company of the upright, in the congre- | gation.

Great are the works | of the Lord,*

studied by all who de- | light in them.

Full of splendor and majesty | is his work,*

and his righteousness endures for- | ever.

He has caused his wondrous works to be re- | membered;*

the Lord is gracious and | merciful.

He provides food for those who | fear him;*

he remembers his covenant for- | ever.

He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant for- | ever.*

Holy and awesome | is his name!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

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COLLECT Almighty God, whom to know is everlasting life, grant us to know Your Son, Jesus, to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow His steps in the way that leads to life eternal; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Position:

Afterschool Childcare Helpers

Martin Luther School is looking for individuals to assist with after school childcare.

This is a great job for high school or college students

Duties involve engaging with and supervising students PK- 5th grade

Hours are 3:15-5:30, M-F

Flexibility is possible for number of days per week.

Pay starts at \$11.00/hour but may be modified depending on experience and availability.

If interested, contact Denise Wolfgram or call the office at (701) 224-9070



MAIN STREET LIVING—LCMS TV Program—

Sunday Mornings @ 10 AM

KBMY Xtra / Bismarck Channel 17.3 Midco Channel 594

10:00 AM: worship service led by area pastors

10:30 AM: "This Is The Life" program

To watch these programs at any time and see upcoming schedules go to www.mainstreetliving.com/north.

August 15: Rev. Craig Fenske, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Grand Forks, ND, presents the message: "Words of Eternal Life" based on John 6:51-69. "This Is The Life" episode: "A Nice Girl Like You" - A widowed pastor dates a middle-aged single woman in his parish, but when she professes her love, he tells her he cannot return it.

August 22: Rev. Daniel Voth, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Grand Forks, ND, presents the message "13th Sunday after Pentecost", based on Isaiah 29:11-19, Ephesians 5:22-33, and Mark 7:1-13. "This Is The Life" episode: "But Not For Lunch" - A man has difficulty adjusting to retirement until he turns his time over to the Lord.



The Human Care Committee is looking for donations to help restock our shelves. You are always welcome to bring what you would like or make a monetary donation to the pantry. As always, these items are put in our outdoor LFP (Little Free Pantry) to help those in need in our community. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



A memorial service for Darline Bourn will take place at Shepherd of the Valley on Friday, September 3 at 2:00 PM.

Confirmation



Confirmation Orientation will take place for students entering 7th and 8th grade along with their parents on Wednesday, August 18. We will meet at Bethel Lutheran Church beginning at 7:00 PM. We are looking forward to a great year of learning and growing in Christ!

YOU DON'T NEED TO DO THIS ALONE!

Whether you are mourning the death of a loved one who died several years ago or the more recent loss of a family member, you are invited to

TAKE HEART IN YOUR GRIEF.

6 Sunday Evenings starting Oct. 3
6:30-8:00 PM

Zion Lutheran Church
413 East Avenue D
Led by Rev. Thomas R. Marcis Jr. and Rev. Les Wolfgram

Questions or to register please call 701-258-4231



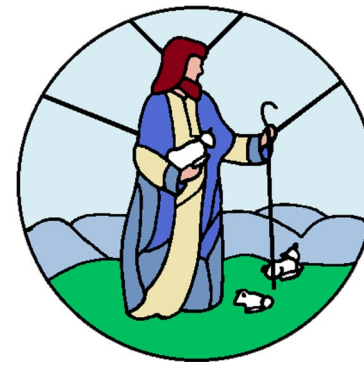

Plan To attend Rally Day!

Sunday School Rally Day will take place Sunday, September 12 during the education hour from 9:30-10:30 AM. Come and learn about Jesus as you enjoy crafts, music, snacks, and the opportunity to sign up your child starting at age 3 for the 2021-2022 Sunday School year. If you would like to help with Sunday School this year, please contact Samantha Henke or Michelle Dever.



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The Human Care Emphasis for July-September is Food For The Poor. Rev. Paul Short will join us via Teams on September 19 during the education to tell us how our support goes to help people in need in Haiti and other countries. Our goal is to purchase items from their "Gift Catalogue" that will make a difference in the lives of families who live in poverty. By providing lifesaving food, secure housing, clean water, healthcare, emergency relief, and education opportunities, Food For The Poor strives to give those in poverty a chance at a better future even as they show them God's love.



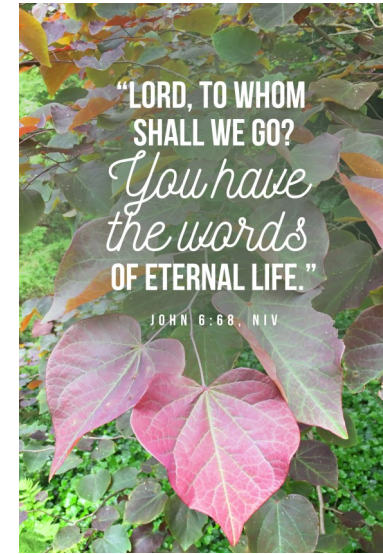
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 and lives our faith in Christ"*
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Food For The Poor strives to lift the poor out of poverty.

- In the first six months of 2020, we shipped 1,585 tractor-trailer loads of aid
- In the first six months of 2020, we built, repaired or expanded 21 schools, and shipped 133 tractor-trailer loads of school furniture, books and educational supplies to schools. Since mid-March we have shipped more than 200 containers specifically for COVID-19 relief

THE WEEKLY FYI



THOSE SERVING TODAY

- Preacher:** Pastor Les Wolfgram
Liturgist: Pastor Les Wolfgram
Elder: Martin Bjergaard
Accompanist: Shirley Cook/Denise Wolfgram
Acolyte: 8:15am Daisy A.
 10:45am Jason C.

Worship Times
6:00 PM Every Wednesday
8:15 am Sunday Divine Service (livestream)
9:30 am Education Hour
10:45 am Sunday Divine Service

Aug 15-Aug 28

15 *8:15am: Divine Service 9:30am: Ed. Hour *10:45am: Divine Service	16	17	18 6:00pm Worship (Pastor Woodside) 7:00pm Catechism Instruction Orientation @ Bethel	19	20	21
22 8:15am: Divine Service 9:30am: Ed. Hour 10:45am: Divine Service 7:00pm: Council	23	24 Newsletter and Calendar info due	25 6:00pm Worship (Pastor Zellers)	26	27	28



The next Men's Network study will take place on September 18 at Messiah Lutheran Church from 8:00-10:00 AM.



Pastor Woodside, will lead the Mid-week service, August 18th at 6:00pm.



- Sun:** 2 Sam. 5:1-25; 1 Cor. 8:1-13
Mon: 2 Sam. 6:1-19; 1 Cor. 9:1-23
Tue: 2 Sam. 7:1-17; 1 Cor. 9:24-10:22
Wed: 2 Sam. 7:18-29; 1 Cor. 10:23-11:16
Thu: 2 Sam. 11:1-27; 1 Cor. 11:17-34
Fri: 2 Sam. 12:1-25, 2 Sam. 13:1-19:43; 1 Cor. 12:1-13
Sat: 1 Kings 1:1-4, 15-35; 1 Cor. 12:14-31