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Parish Notes

Welcome to Worship

August 9, 2020

For help with Covid-19
needs or Pastoral needs
contact Pat Refsdal @
908-625-2039

Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus

Ascension's Outdoor Worship Service Mark your calendars and join us for Ascension's Outdoor Worship Service this coming **Sunday, August 16th** at 9:00 am in the church parking lot. Pastor Gordon Young will join us for the worship service with Holy Communion. Water, hand sanitizer, wipes and packaged communion elements will be available. Bring your chairs and masks. Masks will be available for those members who forgot to bring one. Please text, email or call Pat Refsdal, 908-625-2039 or Kelly Martin, 801-920-6476 to let us know you are coming so we can be prepared to support the number of attendees.

Outdoor Worship Service Procedures

We will worship in front of the double doors on the west side of the CLC
Please sit 6 feet between family groups/Ushers will assist with seating
Come early to get situated and not disturb others during the service
Bring your own chairs; some chairs will be available, if needed
If possible print your bulletins at home - some bulletins will be available
Communion packets will be available as you arrive
We will ask that you respect the rule of no handshaking, hugging, etc.
An offering plate will be available for your offering
A box will be available to drop off your Time & Talent Sheets
Proceed directly to your vehicles after worship, loitering is discouraged
Restroom use is discouraged

The 8th Sunday after Pentecost

Matthew 14:22-33

Tips of Discipleship - Trust in Christ

Focus Question - When have you needed to place the most trust in Christ?

For more resources visit

<https://search.elca.org/Pages/ResourceResults.aspx?k=daily+discipleship>

August Birthdays

Hannah Hart	3
Steve Morlan	6
Melinda Tolle	8
Alan Day	24
Andy Day	28



Pastoral Transition The Ascension Church Council has interviewed and is corresponding with a pastoral candidate from the Rocky Mountain Synod. The council is impressed with her spiritual presence, sincerity, thoughtfulness, listening skills, and her leadership abilities during the pandemic and with respect to church ministries. She will also interview with the Southeastern Synod in the coming week.

In the mean time, RMS is currently working to provide additional candidates to interview. The more interviews we accomplish, the better we are able to find the pastor most suited to Ascension Lutheran Church. More information will be provided as soon as available.

As previously mentioned, the RMS has informed us that we will not be completing another transition period like the one we experienced in 2015 - 2017. There will be no need for a Transition Team, a Call Committee nor an Interim Pastor. The Synod is going to offer pastoral candidates who would be "term call pastors". These candidates would be interviewed by the council, then voted on by the council and congregation and offered a term call. They would serve for one or two years as our pastor, then the congregation could vote to extend a full call at the end of year one, year two or not at all. We ask for your support and your prayers as we continue the process to call a new pastor - as council members, we are praying the Holy Spirit guide us all in this process and reveal to us the right path.

Church Reopening Plan

The Church Council has completed a reopening plan for outdoor services and the eventual return to indoor worship services. We will work in the coming week to get copies of that plan to all member families.

KIDZ Town Update

Thanks to Kidz Town for installing a sun shade over the playground area so the children can be protected from damaging sun exposure. This is in addition to the concrete bike path they installed in the playground area and the conversation nook they added on the north side of the building.

†Please Lift Up in Prayer:

- The Family of Mildred Tolle
- Lillian Hughes & Family
- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Kristy - Shari Morosky's daughter
- Joan Marlow
- Stephanie, niece of Gloria
- Cory, Nancy Byrne's son
- Pam Burbank
- Jessica Stewart, Dick Graves daughter
- Dan Harkin, Lillian Hughes cousin
- Delilah Sell, Lillian Hughes cousin
- Rebecca Rens and the Eyre Families
- Patti, Shari Morosky's sister
- Roy Zimmerman
- Randy and Janie Karas
- Jefferson Barrett
- Kyle and Kristen - friends of Kelly
- Karla and Lynn Davis
- Maylan Chugg, Don & Dee's granddaughter
- Julie Jensen, Mike Williams' sister
- Heather Nolting, wife of Arliss' nephew
- Levi Lewis, brother of Kelly's student
- Richard Ower, Craig Butts' stepdad
- Judy Sherman
- Holly & Libby, friends of Kim Engelby
- Matt, friend of Nancy O.
- Gloria Mike
- Maci, Ryan & baby, friends of Alyson
- Bee Dunham, friend of Nancy O.

- Sean Zeller, Pastor Gene's nephew
- Cheryl, friend of Alyson
- Mark Hughes and family
- Richard, Shari Morosky's husband
- Harold and Mary VanDehey, friends of Leo Seeber
- Shelley, Diana Warkentin's friend
- Scott, son of Elaine's friend
- Ardis, Elaine Shelburne's sister
- Jason Shepherd, Nancy Byrne's nephew
- Roger McEntire, Diane Schultz' friend
- Heidi, Diane Shultz' sister-in-law
- Don Hughes
- Dick Graves
- Jim Johnson, Sharen's brother-in-law
- Skyla and Baby Hines
- Karen O.
- Charles, Melinda's brother



†Praying for Loved Ones in the Military:

- Kaleb Tarr
- Dariyan Edsinger
- Mason Bushey and his wife Ida, and family
- Brody Wilcock
- Renee Kiel
- Justin Kiel
- Kris Kiel
- Matt Malde
- Chip Reynolds
- Jason Chugg

Please send any prayer chain updates or requests to Kelly Martin. jeffnkelly2@msn.com