

Praying

MINISTRY WORKERS

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." (Luke 10:2 ESV)

PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

Pray for Toon Simom, a 73 year old Laotian widow who has been driven from her home because of her faith in Jesus.

CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Law Enforcement Officers and Judges

HEALING

Bryan Fevold, Chris Schaffer, Joyce Hovland, Clay Ceynar, Doyle & Deb Hagen, Wynn Murphy, Richard Helmuth, Jessica Wisness Burns, Lori Halverson, Roger Olson, Christine Conant, Dixie Selting, Jesse Veeder Scofield, Kari Anderson, Darlene Benth, Patty Roeder, Della Rauschendorfer, Trisha Beck, Tanner Henderson, Wayne & Barb Johnson, Peter Kamphaugh, Luke Pedersen

HOPE AND COMFORT

The Nash Family

CHURCH FAMILY

Jamie, Meghan, Aksel, Demi, Odin & Henry Jellesed

SISTER CONGREGATIONS

Hillside Lutheran Brethren Church- Pastor Brad Hoganson, Sucasunna, New Jersey

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Mission Focus

Pray for Ethan & Sandy Christofferson, missionaries in Taiwan

from Women's Ministries CLB newsletter



Sandy shares these ways we can pray:

1. As we come back to Taiwan, we're getting back into the relationships that we have been developing. One Sunday, two non-Christian friends were at church. We were so excited to see them!
 2. Ethan wants to interview four or five young adults before he presents a paper on November 4th. We pray that he will find young people who can express themselves well.
 3. My neighbor was potentially going to have surgery for a gallstone when we returned to Taiwan. She's decided against it for now. Her relationship with her son (who lives with her) is not good. We are praying that she will turn to God and pray when things get bad.
 4. We are happy that our children are together in Portland, OR. They get together once a week and we're so glad they can do that.
- Thank you so much for the prayers!

Growing & Serving

Living in
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Together

TODAY

6:00 PM Bedrock Youth Group

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

9:30 AM Prayer Meeting
10:00 AM Coffee & Conversation

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

5:30 PM Supper & Fellowship
6:00 PM Freedom That Lasts
6:00 PM Women's Bible Study

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

2:00 PM Catechism Class

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

9:00 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
POTLUCK after the service
6:00 PM Bedrock Youth Group



BIRTHDAYS

Oct 5	Emily Kindel	Oct 5	Rodney Sampsel
Oct 5	Nate Sconce	Oct 11	Randy Kindel
Oct 11	Halie Heiser	Oct 12	Caleb Timmons
Oct 13	Aspen Downare	Oct 16	Braden Heiser
Oct 18	Vawnita Best	Oct 19	Julie Pedersen
Oct 21	Cherise Nash	Oct 23	Brylee Jenks
Oct 27	Kyle Best		



Welcome!

Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost

October 4, 2026

We're glad you're here to worship with us. If you're visiting with us today, we hope you'll stick around for a bit after the service. We'd love to get acquainted with you. If you'd like us to contact you, please scan our QR code on the back of the bulletin, or fill out a visitor card at our Welcome Center.

BIBLE CENTERED Through God's saving Word we have been adopted into God's Family and share in the saving work of Jesus Christ.

FAMILY FOCUSED As brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ, we serve each other and worship, learn and work together.

MISSION DRIVEN We are engaged in Jesus' disciple-making mission - winning souls for Christ by the preaching of the Word and personal witnessing, and strengthening believers through Christian fellowship in the Word and Sacraments.

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Order of Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

Prayers of the Church

Songs of Praise

Come People Of The Risen King
Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Ancient Words

Old Testament Reading

Epistle Reading

The Apostles' Creed

Children's Message

Tithes and Offerings

Gospel Reading

Sermon

The Parable of the Two Sons and The Parable of the Tenants

Hymn

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Doxology

** If you are able, please stand for elements of the service noted in bold.*

Sermon Notes

Next Sunday's Readings: Psalm 23, Isaiah 25:6-9, Philippians 4:4-13, Matthew 22:1-14

Psalm 80:7-19

Isaiah 5:1-7

Philippians 3:4b-14

Matthew 21:28-46

Across The Lands



HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life Mt 28:20a

Talking about The Second Article of the Creed

Redemption

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whence He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned creature, bought and freed me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil-not with silver and gold, but with His holy and precious blood, and with His innocent sufferings and death-in order that I might be His own, live under Him in His Kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness; even as He is risen from the dead, and lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

196 How did Jesus make His resurrection known?

During a period of forty days, He showed Himself alive to many people and spoke to them about the Kingdom of God (Luke 24; John 20:10-29; John 21:1-23; 1 Corinthians 15:3-9).



197 What command did Jesus give His disciples before His ascension?

Jesus gave them this command: "...All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age" (Matthew 28:18-20).

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version

The Lord's Supper

Who may participate?

This sacrament is meant for believers in Jesus Christ (1 Corinthians 11:27-29). It is the way that God unites His church, sustains the church and grows faith, hope and love as the church participates in this shared grace together. Communion is God's way of delivering assurance of the forgiveness of sins to the flock.

What is received?

Christ gives to the communicants His body and blood - in, with, and under the bread and wine. He declares the forgiveness of sin to all believers, and strengthens their faith.

I feel I'm unworthy to receive

Being unworthy of Jesus' body and blood is the primary reason to receive the forgiveness of sins promised in communion. But it is possible to receive communion with an unworthy attitude. Therefore, self-examination is called for (1 Corinthians 11:28, 31).

I do well to ask myself:

1. Do I believe Jesus' promises?

"Without faith it is impossible to please God" (Hebrews 11:6).

2. Do I recognize Jesus' presence?

"Whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. Anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself" (1 Cor. 11:27, 29).

3. Am I reconciled with my fellow believers?

If we do not value reconciliation with others, we put ourselves in a place where we are distancing ourselves from God's will for us. We are living in rebellion.

4. Do I recognize my sinfulness and that it will be the death of me?

(1 John 1:5-10)

5. Is my hope in Jesus alone as the one who can give me eternal life?

We invite those who confess Jesus as their Savior from sin and death to receive the gift of forgiveness of sins offered and gifted in this sacrament.

A Note for Parents

Because communion requires time for self-examination, we do not encourage communion for children until they are old enough to be taught and old enough for self-examination. Through teaching they will appreciate its significance. Catechism Classes provide an opportunity to learn about the Lord's Supper. These classes are taught with the use of Luther's Small Catechism ... If you would like a copy of the Small Catechism for personal instruction or to instruct your children please contact the Pastor or the church office.

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