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*Boldly living
 Christ's extreme love;
 Building Faith
 and Community*

HOSPITALIZED:

CONTINUED PRAYERS: Rev. Louis and Hilda Knief, Jayme Knapp, Brandon Neiman, Linda Wood, Mike Clayton, Shawn Foote, Abigail Young, Eddy Jones, Pat Kretzmann (Rebecca Best's mother), Rev. Wayne Ahrens (son-in-law of Pastor and Hilda Knief), Donna Hawbecker, Jan Long, Wayne Schneider (friend of Marilyn Berkshier), Tommie Washington, MaryAnn Smith, Gary Lawrence, George Von Behren, Tina Hill (friend of Linda Von Behren), Roberta Muzzarelli (Jim Grebe's mother-in-law), Jeff Lowe, Tina Virgil (sister of Eric Gordon), Shirley Binder, Michael VandeVoorde, Theresa Kensinger (friend of JoAnn Reith), Ann Schwindenhammer (sister-in-law of Mike Schwindenhammer), Tom and Connie Trunk, Rudy Bozec (brother of Linda Von Behren), Louie Heuermann, Carol Walton (friend of Marilyn Berkshier), Debbie Lawrence, Amelia Martin (granddaughter of Debbie Lawrence), Rhonda Morrow, Doug Closen (son of Debbie Lawrence), James Smallwood (CLC and CLS custodian), Neil Johnson (brother of Debbie Lawrence), for the death of Teresa Anderson, mother-in-law of Sarah Anderson; for those in the military, for our Church Boards and their members, for Christians being persecuted worldwide. **THE BOARD OF ELDERS REMINDS YOU** that if you have a prayer request added to the Prayer Chain, please contact Laura Baize (laura.baize@christlutheranpeo.org/637-5309). **If you would like to be on the prayer chain and receive emails about prayer requests, please email Laura or call the church office.**

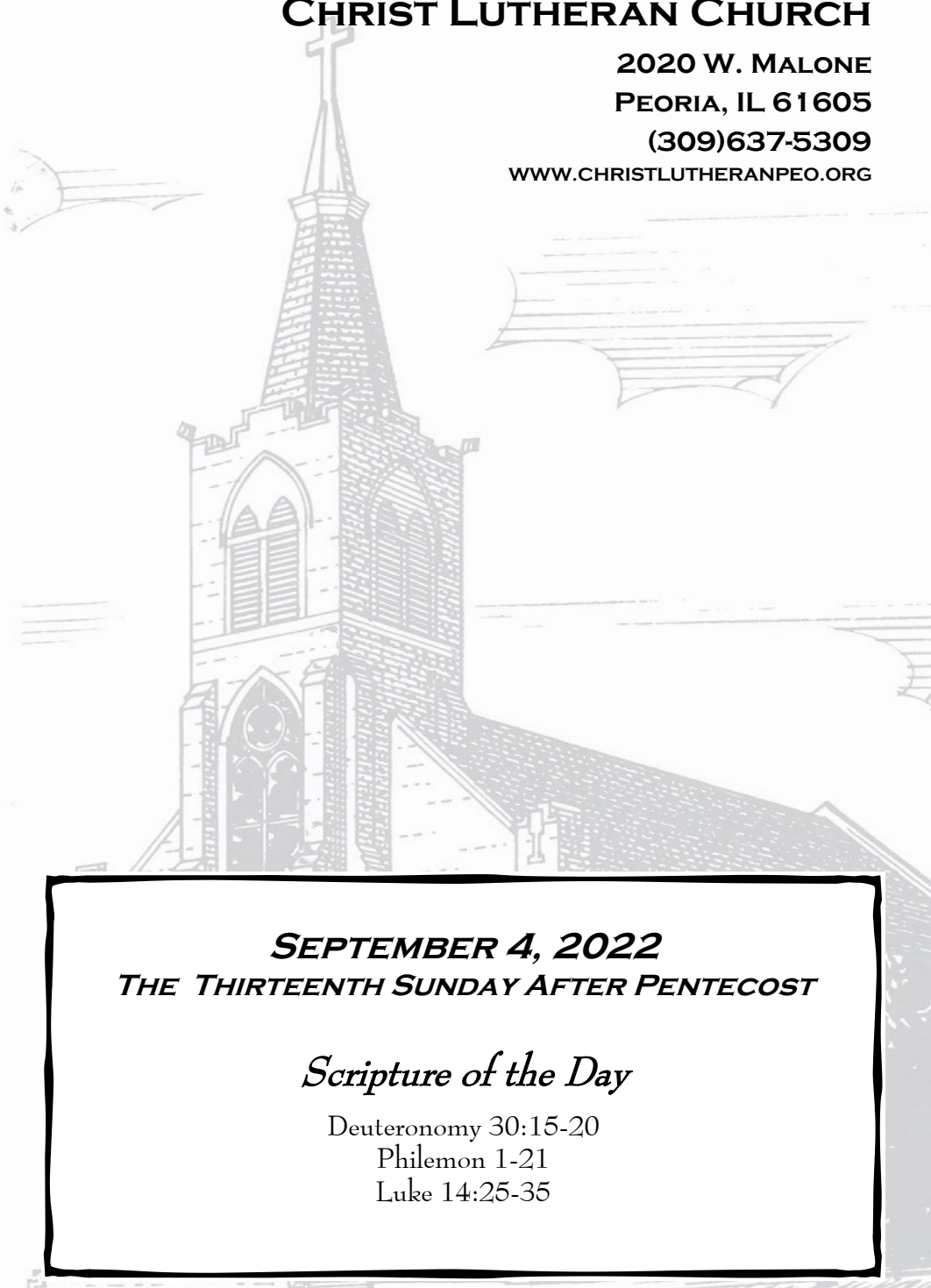
THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING (SEP 5-SEP 11)

MON 9/5: NO SCHOOL/OFFICES CLOSED
TUE 9/6: Women's Bible Study 6:00 PM
 Youth 6:00 PM
 Trustees 6:30 PM
WED 9/7: Chapel..... 1:30 PM
THU 9/8: Quilting NOON
 Stew/Finance 6:00 PM
FRI 9/9:
SAT 9/10: Holy Communion 9:00 AM
SUN 9/11: CLYF Bake Sale
 Sunday School 10:15 AM

2022 BOARD OF ELDERS	
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SEPTEMBER 4, 2022
THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Scripture of the Day

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
 Philemon 1-21
 Luke 14:25-35

The Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost

WELCOME TREASURED MEMBERS AND HONORED GUESTS!

NOTE TO OUR GUESTS: Since Holy Communion is a public demonstration of unity in faith, those who commune should express their acceptance of the faith and teaching for which we stand. Our welcome to visitors is heartfelt. Visitors from another Lutheran church or Congregation are asked to please approach our Pastor, if you have not already done so, before attending communion this morning. Also, if you're not a member of an LCMS church but would like a blessing, cross your arms across your chest to receive the blessing. Individual cups are available, in addition to the common cup, as you approach the Altar. **Non-alcoholic white wine** is available in the center of the tray.

VISION STATEMENT: Christ Lutheran Church will continue its Christ-centered, life directed focus, responding to the needs of its members, emphasizing local and worldwide witness, and acting as a catalyst for the improvement of the neighborhood.

ELDER PRAYING WITH PASTOR: Dwayne Allen

ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: Del Hume, Dwayne Allen, Ralph Teske

GREETING YOU BEFORE SERVICES TODAY: Beth Bennett

ACOLYTES FOR TODAY: Dominic and Vincent Silotto; **FOR NEXT SUNDAY:** Colleen and Amelia Lamberti

AS YOU LOOK FORWARD to your worship next Sunday, you should read the appointed lessons for **The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost** - The First Lesson: Ezekiel 34:11-24, The Second Lesson: 1 Timothy 1:(5-11)12-17, and The Holy Gospel: Luke 15:1-10.

THE PARISH MINISTRY BOARD has Sunday School lesson packets available to take home. Today's lesson is "A Place for Us".

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! - Sunday School Rally Day is coming! If you aren't coming to a Sunday School class, come and find out what we have to offer! Join us on Sept. 11th @ 9 AM for a service that celebrates the importance of Sunday School!

LAST WEEK: Tithes and Offerings: \$5,175.00; MTD: \$23,204.00. Improvement Fund: \$95.00, MTD: \$405.00. Attendance: 150. Sunday School Attendance: N-7th 5, 8th-HS 0, Adults 48, Visitors 0; Total 49.

THIS IS THE 41st SUNDAY OF OUR PLEDGE YEAR

STEWARDSHIP CORNER — **Luke 14:33** – **“So therefore, any one of you who does not renounce all that he has cannot be my disciple.”** None of what we have is ours. It all belongs to God. That is the foundation of Christian stewardship. What we have been given is to be used for God's purposes according to our callings in home, Church, and society. As we learn to leave generously in these callings, we renounce our ownership of our wealth. It's not “ours,” it's His. God owns everything, and we manage for the furtherance of His goals.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Cruze Komnick's 10th birthday on Sept. 8th and Trace and Cassie McIntosh's 16th wedding anniversary on Sept. 9th by their family.

BAPTIZED INTO THE FAMILY OF GOD this morning is Rory Jay Chase, son of James and Aubrey Chase. Sponsors and Witnesses of Rory's baptism this morning are Graham Bredemeyer and Alena Bredemeyer.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE WILL AGAIN participate in the Life Chain on October 2, 2022. This has as its focus the Planned Parenthood facility at 2709 N. Knoxville Ave in Peoria and stretches north and south from there along Knoxville. We will gather there at 2:00 pm and quietly stand for one hour along both sides of the street holding signs provided by Central Illinois Right to Life. This will be the 34th annual observance of the Life Chain, which occurs simultaneously in over 1,200 other locations across our nation and in Canada. Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful visual statement by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that we support the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception to natural death.

THANK YOU FOR THE PRAYERS, cards and flowers at the death of my husband, Gerald. ~ Jane Pollitt

ORDER OF SERVICE**Opening Hymn**

“See This Wonder in the Making” [LSB 593]

Baptism, p. 268**Invocation****Confession and Absolution****The First Lesson**

Deuteronomy 30:15-20, p. 172

The Epistle Lesson

Philemon 1-21, p. 1000

The Holy Gospel

Luke 14:25-35, p. 874

Sermon Hymn

“Seek Ye First” [LSB 712]

Rev. Karl F. Eckhoff

“Let Go, and Let God!”
Luke 14:25-35

Prayer of the Church**The Lord's Prayer****Words of Institution****Communion Hymns**

“O God, My Faithful God” [LSB 696]

“What is This Bread” [LSB 629]

“Just As I Am” [LSB 570]

**Post Communion
Thanksgiving Dismissal****Benediction****Closing Hymn**

“All the People That Do Dwell”
[LSB 791, v. 1, 5]

Pianist—Aimee Traenkenschuh