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

HOSPITALIZED:

CONTINUED PRAYERS: Jayme Knapp, Brandon Neiman, Mike Clayton, Shawn Foote, Pat Kretzmann (Rebecca Best's mother), Jan Long, George Von Behren, Tina Hill (friend of Linda Von Behren), Roberta Muzzarelli (Jim Grebe's mother-in-law), Jeff Lowe, Michael VandeVoorde, Ann Schwindenhammer (sister-in-law of Mike Schwindenhammer), Connie Trunk, Rudy Bozec (brother of Linda Von Behren), Amelia Martin (granddaughter of Debbie Lawrence), Doug Closen (son of Debbie Lawrence), Neil Johnson (brother of Debbie Lawrence), Susan Gulley, Laurie Burkley, Dolly Auer (friend of Wayne Siebels), Diane Hollis (friend of Wayne Siebels), Sheila Sturdivant, Julie Campen, Becky Robards (friend of Barb O'Dell), for those in the military, for our Church Boards and their members, CLS staff and students, for Christians being persecuted worldwide. *THE BOARD OF ELDERS REMINDS YOU* that if you have someone you would like to be remembered in The Prayer of the Church during worship on Sundays, call the church office (637-5309) or send an email to laura.baize@christlutheranpeo.org. Names on the prayer list will be updated each week and removed after approximately 4 weeks, unless the office is otherwise notified. We will renew prayers when requested.

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING (JUN 25-JUL 2)

MON 6/26:

TUE 6/27:

WED 6/28:

THU 6/29:

FRI 6/30:

SAT 7/1:

SUN 7/2:

View and Chew 11:45 AM

Holy Communion 9:00 AM
Sunday School 10:15 AM
Bible Classes 10:30 AM

2023 BOARD OF ELDERS

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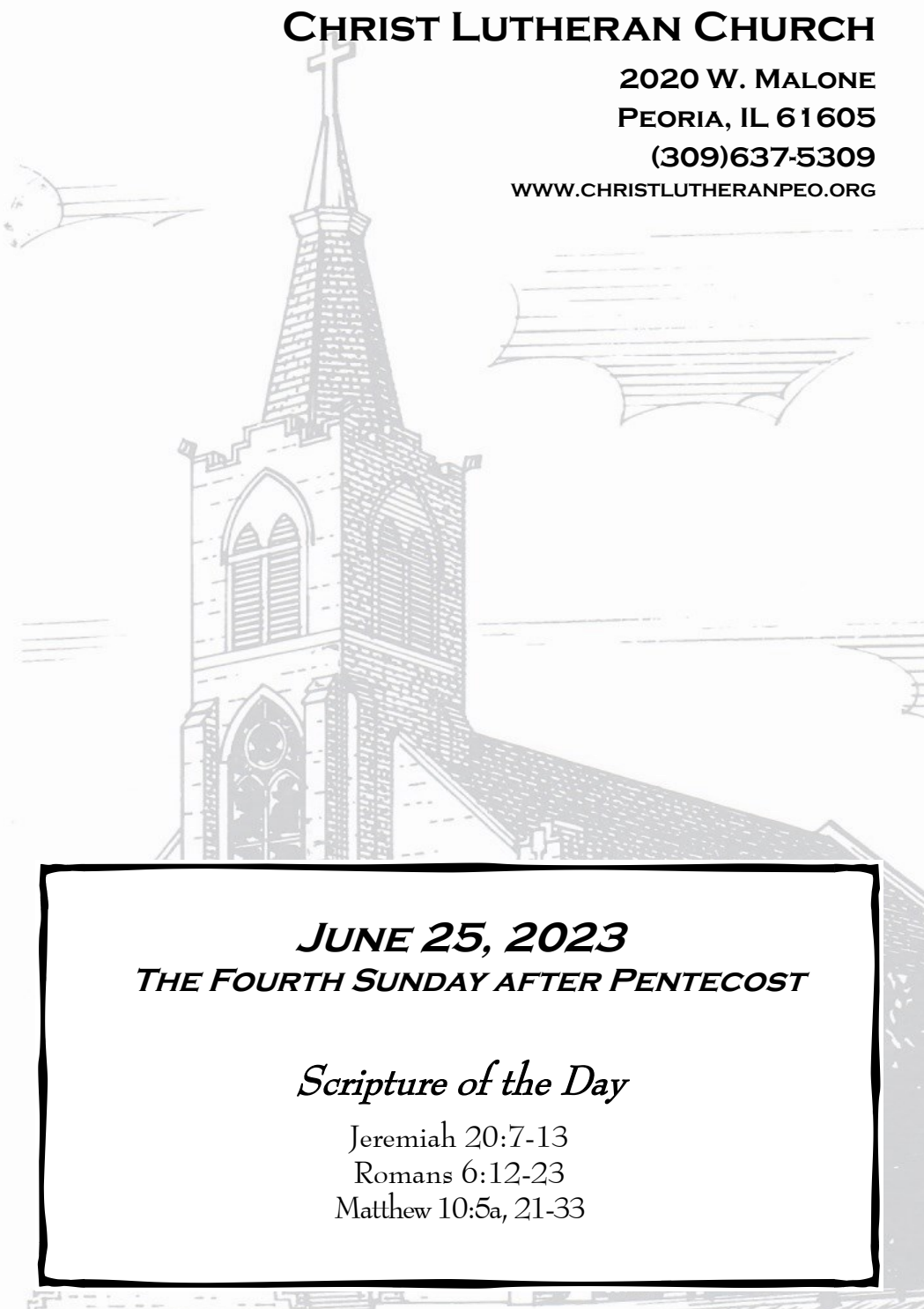
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JUNE 25, 2023
THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Scripture of the Day

Jeremiah 20:7-13
Romans 6:12-23
Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

The Fourth 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: Tommie Washington

ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: Tommie Washington, Del Hume, Alan White

GREETING YOU BEFORE SERVICES TODAY: Wendy Kisler and Keri Boswell

ACOLYTES FOR TODAY: Catherine Rowe, Leah Stenger, **ACOLYTES FOR NEXT SUNDAY:** Andrew Simmons, Wyatt Simmons

AS YOU LOOK FORWARD to your worship next Sunday, you should read the appointed lessons for **The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost** - The First Lesson: Jeremiah 28:5-9, The Second Lesson: Romans 7:1-13, and The Holy Gospel: Matthew 10:34-42.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON TODAY is "The Family Tree". There are craft packets available today at the back entrance to the church. Remember, packets with the Sunday School crafts and activities are also emailed the Friday before the lesson, along with the bulletins!

LAST WEEK: Tithes and Offerings: \$4,283.00; MTD: \$21,619.00. Improvement Fund: \$30.00, MTD: \$470.00. Attendance: 117. Sunday School Attendance: N-7th 7; 8th-HS 2, Adults 51, Visitors 4; Total 64.

THIS IS THE 31st SUNDAY OF OUR PLEDGE YEAR

STEWARDSHIP CORNER - **Romans 6:13** – “Present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness.” Everything we have — even our own existence, our very selves — is a gift from God to be used for His purposes. God has called you to be His own and has given you tasks to perform in home, in church and in society. How will you serve Him today?

VIEW AND CHEW - We are watching season 3 of The Chosen! After viewing episode 4. There will be time for a short and a simple devotion and discussion about the show. Please bring your lunch; we'll also have drinks and other snacks available. Please feel free to invite your friends! If you have any questions, please contact Alan White.

LWML - Just a reminder, the monthly LWML mite offering will be collected next Sunday at the annex entrance. As an added note, Suzanne Heinz and Wilma & Debra Ogden have been attending the LWML National Convention in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this past Thursday, Friday and Saturday. After worship services, they will be returning home later this afternoon. Pray for safe travels home!

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE! For the next three weeks, we will be collecting school supplies to support both our students at CLS and the city at large through our partners in ministry at Friendship House. Lists of items that can be donated for both organizations are available as you leave church this morning. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact David Best at 309-369-0082. Let's show our school and our city the love of Christ through this project!

ORDER OF SERVICE**Opening Song***"Forever Reign"***Confession and Absolution****The First Lesson**

Jeremiah 20:3-17, p. 648

The Epistle Lesson

Romans 6:12-23, p. 943

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 10:5a, 21-33, p. 815

Apostles' Creed**Sermon Song***"Man of Sorrows"***Rev. Karl F. Eckhoff***"What Can a Disciple Expect"*

Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

Prayer of the Church**The Lord's Prayer****Words of Institution****Communion Songs***"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"**"Holy is the Lord"**"Lead Me to the Cross"***Post Communion Thanksgiving****Benediction****Closing Song***"In Christ Alone"*

Musicians - Praise Band