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

HOSPITALIZED: OSF-Donna Gogele

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, Diane Hollis (friend of Wayne Siebels), Sheila Sturdivant, Julie Campen, Becky Robards (friend of Barb O'Dell), Rod Delicath, Sharon Schepke, Ron Hill, Roger Becker, for the 65th wedding anniversary of Barb and Carl Strum on Sept 6th, 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, send an email to angie.evans@christlutheranpeo.org or call the church office (637-5309). 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 (SEPTEMBER 4-SEPTEMBER 10)

MON 9/4:	No school/Offices closed-Labor Day
TUE 9/5:	Youth..... 4:00 PM
	Trustees 6:30 PM
WED 9/6:	Chapel..... 10:00 AM
	View and Chew 11:45 AM
	Adult Choir..... 6:30 PM
THU 9/7:	Parish Ministry..... 3:00 PM
	Day School..... 4:00 PM
	Stew/Finance 6:00 PM
SUN 9/10:	Holy Communion..... 9:00 AM
	CLYF Bake Sale
	Sunday School 10:15 AM

2023 BOARD OF ELDERS

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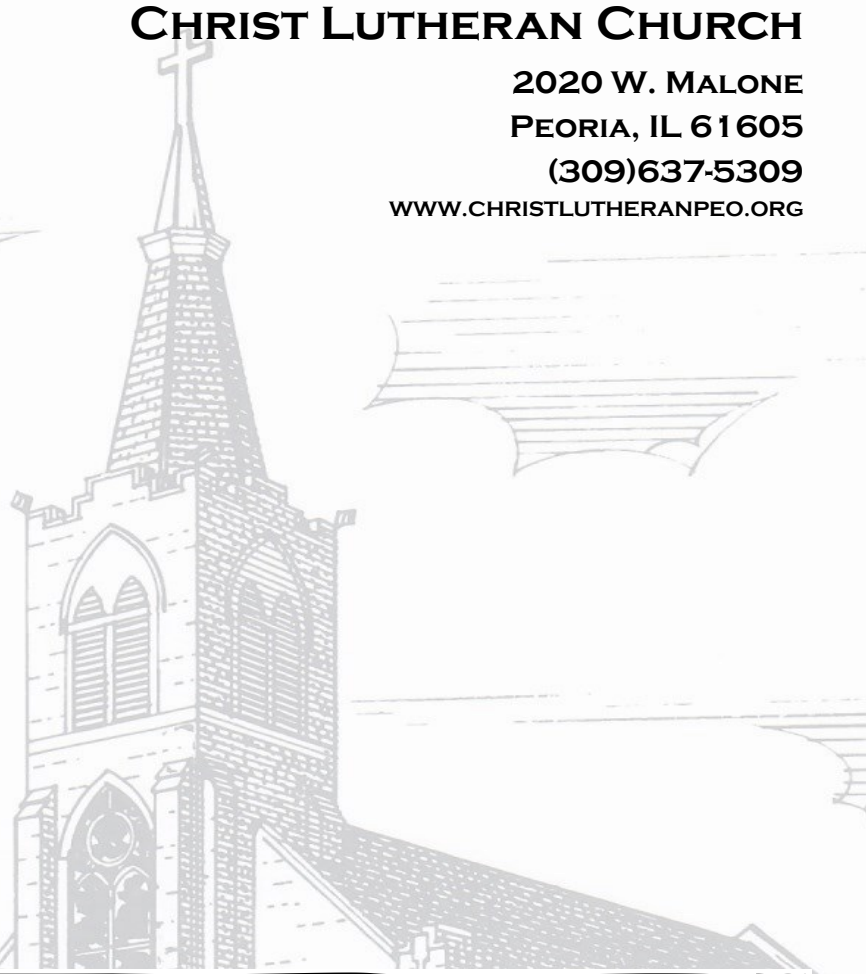
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SEPTEMBER 3, 2023
THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST

Scripture of the Day

Jeremiah 15:15-21 Romans 12:9-21

Matthew 16:21-28

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: Tommy Washington

ELDERS ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION: Larry VonBehren, Luke Grebe, Al Schneider

GREETING YOU BEFORE SERVICES TODAY: Darlene Marvel

ACOLYTES FOR TODAY: Dominic Silotto, Ethan Best; **ACOLYTES FOR NEXT SUNDAY:** Andrew Simmons, Serenity Winchell

AS YOU LOOK FORWARD to your worship next Sunday, you should read the appointed lessons for **The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost** - The First Lesson: Ezekial 33:7-9, The Second Lesson: Romans 13:1-10, and The Holy Gospel: Matthew 18:1-20.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON TODAY takes the children into a section on the Fruits of the Spirit. Today's lesson is "Fruits of the Spirit – Peace". 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!

Members of Christ Lutheran- Thank you so much for the kind words, support and gifts that have been showered on us during our move to Peoria. The housewarming gift, pantry shower and installation gifts are much appreciated. Looking forward to serving our Savior with all of you. - The Schmitke's

LAST WEEK: Tithes and Offerings: \$6,237; MTD: \$30,435.13. Improvement Fund: \$10.00; MTD: \$160.00. Attendance: 123. Sunday School Attendance: N-5th 10, 6th-HS 3, Adults 51, Visitors 1, Total 65.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER: Matthew 16:27 – "For the Son of Man is going to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay each person according to what he has done." St Paul talks about rewards on the Last Day in 1 Corinthians 3, and Jesus says more about this "repaying" in Matthew 19:27-30.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY: are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Carl and Barb Strum's 65th anniversary on September 6th.

VIEW AND CHEW - We will be doing "That the World May Know—Living Stones: Priene" (Vol. 6 Series 1). 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.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW! - There are quite a few upcoming events that you may want to put on your calendar now. There will be more information as the dates get closer. The following include:

- September 10th—Sunday School Rally Service
- September 10th—New Preschool-K class begins
- October 14th—Fish Fry in Gym B
- October 31st—Trunk or Treat
- November 11th—13th Annual Dinner and Auction
- November 19th—Congregation meeting

*CLS Chapel will be held on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM.

BELLS STARTING SOON! Bells will start on Labor Day, Sept. 4th, at 6:30pm in the choir room. Please, consider giving something new a try and help lead God's people in worship! If you have any questions, please contact David Best at 309-369-0082.

GREETINGS LADIES OF CHRIST!

You are invited to our fall General Membership Meeting when we will host a panel of local Women in Ministry. Please come to support them, to enjoy a continental breakfast and a time of Christian fellowship. Postcard invitations are available at Christ c/o Suzanne Heinz, LWGP delegate.

**Friday morning, Oct 20, 2023 9-11am St. Paul Lutheran Church
1427 West Lake Avenue, Peoria**

RSVP to Lisa Mack by Oct 16th so that we can plan accordingly
Call or text (309) 360-2669 LisaDMack14@gmail.com

Order of Service

**Divine Service Setting One,
p. 151**

Confession and Absolution

Opening Hymn

"All People That On Earth Do Dwell" [LSB 791 v. 1,3, 5]

The First Lesson

Jeremiah 15:15-21 p.643

The Epistle Lesson

Romans 12:9-21 p. 948

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 16:21-28 p. 822

Apostles' Creed

Sermon Hymn

"O God, Forsake Me Not"
(LSB 731)

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"Disciples Listen, Discern and Bear Their Crosses"
Matthew 16:13-28

Prayer of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Communion Songs

"Christ Be My Leader" (LSB 861)
"Christ The Eternal Lord" (LSB 829)
"Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus" (LSB 685)

Post Communion

Thanksgiving

Benediction

Closing Song

"Jesus Lead Thou On" (LSB 718)

Organist: Judy Eckhoff