



August 25, 2024
14th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00 AM

Rev. Monte Peterson, Pastor
Heather May, Youth & Family Minister
Carol Peterson, Music Director

*Members of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, in response to Christ's love,
Reach out in service to each other, the community, and the world.*




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Welcome to Worship!

Kids, don't forget your Praise Packs! See directions on the back page and follow along!

Children's Bulletins are available in the Praise Packs!

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

 **PRELUDE** "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

Arr. John A. Behnke



CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS



OPENING HYMN "Look Who Gathers at Christ's Table"

On Screen

STORIES FROM OUR CONGREGATION

BAPTISMS OF MARK EDWARD LOMPRES and COLIN S. HERMAN



FIRST READING Romans 6:12-23

R: This is the Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Monte

GOSPEL READING Matthew 10:40-42

P: This is the Gospel of our Lord

C: Thanks be to God



SERMON Reverend David Rebey



SERMON HYMN "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

#815



PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH



PEACE *P: The peace of Christ be with you always*

C: And also with you.

Please greet one another with the words, "Peace be with you."



OFFERING *Pew Pads are located at the end of each pew.*

Please fill them out and pass them, noting those seated around you.

OFFERTORY "As the Deer" Martin Nystrom, arr. By Stan Pethel
Violin Ensemble: Lindsay Banman, Willa Peterson, and Jackie Wajerski

Children are invited to gather at the back and help bring forward the offering.

GREAT THANKSGIVING



LORD'S PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION – CONTINUOUS

*If you wish to have the Pastor bring communion to your pew, please notify an Usher.
All are Welcome!*



DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“Lamb of God”

#195

“Fairest Lord Jesus” Trad. American Medley, arr. Stan Pethel

Violin Ensemble Lindsay Banman, Willa Peterson, Jackie Wajerski

“Lord, Be Glorified”

#744



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P: Jesus, bread of life,

*C: we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As
you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the
world with your own life. In your name we pray, Amen.*



BENEDICTION



CLOSING HYMN

“To Be Your Presence”

#546



DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

“Largo”

John Stanley

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***THANK YOU** to Pastor Rebey for preaching today and sharing the ministry of
Breaking the Chains during Fellowship Hour*

***THANK YOU,** to Deborah Vogt, for providing the organ music today!*

***CHANCEL FLOWERS** are given by **Jim and Myrna Cook**
in honor of their 60th Wedding Anniversary*

ETERNAL FLAME for the month of August is given by **Alice Kaisler** in loving memory
of husband Mervin Kaisler.

+ THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ASSISTED DURING WORSHIP TODAY! +

*You can now **GIVE ONLINE**, by scanning the QR code:*



Thank you for all the ways you contribute to the life and ministry of the church!

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, August 26

9:00 am Quilters

6:30pm Home Communion / Hospital Visitation Training

Tuesday, August 27

6:30pm Parish Education Meeting

Wednesday, August 28

1:00 pm Worship

6:00 pm Confirmation Parent Meeting

Friday, August 30 – Church Office Closed

HOME COMMUNION AND HOSPITAL VISITATION TRAINING

TOMORROW Monday, August 26, 6:30pm – 8:30PM

We are re-launching the Home Communion ministry team again. It's a real extension of our ministry and a blessing to everyone involved. See the sign up on the Welcome Center for more information and reach out to Pastor if you have questions.

PRAYER STATIONS

Remember to check out the Prayer Stations in the back choir loft and by the stained-glass window.

SUMMERTIME JESUS CHALLENGE

Don't forget to continue to send in your pictures completing the Summertime Jesus Challenge. Send your pictures to JesusSummerTime@gmail.com

FOOD PANTRY

Please continue to bring in donations for the food pantry. Summer months bring extra challenges, as there are no school meals!

WELCOME TO PASTOR DAVID REBEY FROM BREAKING THE CHAINS

* Pray for the men at Felmers Chaney and Kenosha Correctional Center, both those who have recently been released and those who are preparing for release.

* We say prayers of thanks for the abundance of their garden that they offer to area food pantries.

*Interested in joining a ZOOM worship on a Saturday evening? Contact Pr. Rebey at David.rebey@gmail.com

RALLY DAY – CONNECTION DAY Sunday, September 8

- **Bring** backpacks for a blessing
- **Stay** for the First Day of Sunday school
- **Join** the congregation for pot-luck picnic at 11:00 am. We're grilling hotdogs and brats
- **Please bring** a dish to share:
If your last name starts with A-P - side.
If your last name starts with Q-Z - dessert.
Sign-ups are at the Welcome Center to help Set Up on Saturday and Serve or Clean up on Sunday!

****SUMMER PRAISE PACKS****



Light your candle when the candles are lit at the front of the church and hold it up high. At the end of the service turn your candle off.



Take out the mini-Summertime Jesus and hold him tight during times of prayer. Don't forget Jesus is with you always!



Wave your pom pom to move to the music.



While listening to Pastor's Sermon, work on your Children's bulletins (attached to the clipboard) Can you make any connections to the sermon?



Fill out the sheet to thank God for something that has happened this week. Turn it into the offering plate.



Greet those around you with a handshake, wave, fist bump, peace sign, or say hello !



Place the sticker on your shirt to remember that you are a child of God and He loves you!