September 29, 2024 19th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 AM

Mountain and Hill Sunday Bible Sunday

Rev. Monte Peterson, Pastor Carol Peterson, Music Director Lani Ziller, Office Administrator

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

♦ PRELUDE

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

OPENING HYMN "God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind" #400

BIBLE PRESENTATION

FIRST READING Psalm 48:1-11

R: This is the Word of the Lord C: Thanks be to God

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Monte

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GOSPEL READING Mark 16:14-18

P: This is the Gospel of our Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON Pastor Monte

SERMON HYMN "How Small Our Span of Life" #636

APOSTLES CREED

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

P: Lord, in Your mercy C: Hear our prayer.

P: The peace of Christ be with you always. C: And also with you. PEACE 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 ANTHEM Violin Piece by Lindsay Banman

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

LORD'S PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION - You will be invited to stand or kneel at the altar.

If you wish to have the Pastor bring communion to your pew, please notify an Usher.

All are Welcome!

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"As the Grains of Wheat"

#465 #483

"Here is Bread"

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God has renewed us by the cross of Christ and restored us with His C: word and sacrament. Let us go forth into the world to renew and restore all that is broken, lost and hurting. Amen.

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN

"This Little Light of Mine"

#677

ℓ DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

CHANCEL FLOWERS are given by Dick and Sheri Trucks as they celebrate their 45th Wedding Anniversary

ETERNAL FLAME for the month of September is given by Becky and Tim Brunner for blessings received

> Today we are blessed to have the parents of these students presenting Bibles to their children: Elise Bollig, Olivia Clark, and Elliot Enriquez

+THANK YOU to Joe Dominic, our Guest Organist today.+ We look forward to seeing him again in October.

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

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

Confession and Forgiveness written by Rev. Stephen M. Fearing www.stephenmfearing.com and adapted by Pastor Monte

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, Sept 30

9:00 am Quilters

6:30 pm Parish Education Meeting

Wednesday, Oct 2

1:00 pm Worship

6:00 pm Confirmation Family Night

Thursday, Oct 3

9:00 am Retiree's Breakfast @ Melrose

Friday, Oct 4 Church Office Closed

PUMPKIN CARVING Sunday October 6 during Education Hour. Sign up TODAY. All Sunday School families, Confirmation Students and High Schoolers are invited. Start planning your designs.

<u>DIRECTORIES</u> can be picked up at the table in the Gathering Space.

FOOD PANTRY

Please continue to bring in donations for the food pantry at First Lutheran Church.

SIGN UPS at the WELCOME CENTER

- Sandwich fixings for Guest House Sandwich making on Sunday Oct 20
- Those wishing Home Communion
- Readers and Communion Assistants

HANDBELL CHOIR Please reach out to Kate Braatz if you have questions or interest. musikate@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE

October 17 - WINGS

October 19 – Needles and Prayers

October 20 - Guest House Sandwich

making

October 27 – Packer Party November 10- Ministry Fair

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



PRAISE PACK ICONS

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

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Take out the cross & hold it tight during tight during times of prayer.



Use the ribbon stick to move to the music. Wave it high!



Follow along on the screen with the readings. What people or things do you hear about?



While listening to the sermon, do the activity sheets/children bulletins on the



clipboard. Can you make any connections to what the Pastor is talking about?



Put "I Give myself to God" paper in the offering plate as your offering.



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



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