

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 15, 2018

Divine Worship Setting Two

Opening Hymn	810
Sermon Hymn	587
Communion Hymns	861, 744, 670
Closing Hymn	793

TITLE:

“When You Don’t Want to Hear Bad News”

TEXT:

Amos 7:7-15

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Thank you:

Music:	Elaine Webster
Altar Guild:	Bonnie Tomiyama
Communion Assist.:	Lorence Peterson, Rob Tomiyama, John Riggs

Greeter/Ushers:

Yard care for the weeks of
July 16th to July 28th

Rick Stilling

Holy Communion

We believe that worthy participation in Holy Communion requires repentance, faith in Jesus Christ as one’s Saviour, and an earnest desire to amend one’s sinful life, as well as accepting the Scriptural teaching regarding the real presence of Christ with His body and blood in the Sacrament. “This do in remembrance of me” (Luke 22:19).

❖ **Visitors:** Please fill out a visitor’s card. Those desiring to commune with us for the first time, please speak to Pastor Rod before the service. Visitors who do not share the Lutheran Confession are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing

❖ **Members:** Please fill out a communion registration card (find them in the holder on the back of the pew in front of you) and place completed cards in the offering plate. These registrations help us follow the worship life of our church family.

❖ For those who **cannot** have alcohol, grape juice is available in the center ring of the communion trays

Offering cards for those using FaithLife Preauthorized Payment Program are available in the lower righthand mail slot. Pick one up before service and place it in the offering plate. The card will be returned to the mail slot after offering is counted.



News & Notes

Thank you to Rev. Tom Prachar for officiating over the service today.

Fair Booth Ministry is again looking for volunteers to work during the Saskatoon Ex, August 7-12, 2018, at the Lutheran Laymen’s League booth. Two people are required for each shift. Your church budget supports this ministry. If there is a question you can’t answer, take down the pertinent information and someone else will call. Deadline to sign up is July 23. Orientation and a gate pass will be provided to volunteers Thursday evening, August 2 at 7:00 pm at Faith Lutheran Church. Mark your calendars for this date and time. Please prayerfully consider serving your Lord by volunteering at this Booth. Any questions, please call Donna Schultz at 306-374-7164 or email me at d.e.schultz@hotmail.com. Thank you for volunteering.

VBS Grace will be hosting the "Back to Basics" VBS on Saturday September 8th (note new date) from 10am - 3pm. If you are able to volunteer please sign the sheet located in the kitchen.

Donna will be back in the office on July 26th. Pastor Rod will be leaving on his holidays after worship on July 22nd returning in time for worship August 19th. For Pastoral care during this time please call: July 22 - 30 - Pastor Rudy 306-373-0510
July 31 - Aug 6 - Pastor Randy 306-717-9173
Aug 7 - 15 - Pastor Murray 306-514-8636

If you would like to learn how to **operate the PowerPoint with the music** included please let Pastor Rod know as soon as possible so we can have a brief training session, as we will be making use of the Concordia Organist CDs on July 22nd.

Pastor Rod and Donna are in and out of the office or away from home. If no-one is available when you call, please, please leave a message even if it simply your name. Thank you.

Travelling this summer but don't want to miss a service? Please visit http://locator.lcms.org/nchurches_frm/c_summary.asp or <http://www.lutheranchurchcanada.ca/congregations.php?location=all> to find a congregation near your destination.

Sutherland School Cereal Drive

We continue to collect cereal. Please make sure the Best Before Date is for Fall of 2018. Cereals requested are: Rice Krispies, Vector, Raisin Bran, Corn Flakes, Special K and Granola. They could also use empty ice cream pails.

Want to get back into the Bible but aren't sure where to start?
Looking to start reading the Bible for the first time and want some of the highlights?

I recommend the following:

The Book of Genesis: The one that literally starts it all. Here we see the creation of everything, the fall into sin, the first time the Gospel is preached, and the first covenants between God and His people.

The Book of Exodus: The Book of Exodus includes the events of the first Passover, the exodus from Egypt, the giving of the 10 Commandments. Often the language of the book of Exodus is picked up by the prophets, and by the Gospels to point out what God has done for His people, and what God has done through Christ.

The Book of Isaiah: One of the longer books of the Bible, but full of God's promises to His people, both to the nations of Israel and Judah, but also to all God's people through the Suffering Servant.

The Gospel of Matthew: Drawing heavily from the Old Testament Matthew clearly shows how Christ and His works fulfills the words of the Old Testament prophets.

The Book of Acts: What happened after Christ's ascension into heaven? What did the earliest Christians go through? How did the Church get started? The Book of Acts has the answers!

The Letter to the Romans: St. Paul's letter to the church in Rome. This letter becomes highly significant to Martin Luther as he searches for a merciful God. A must read!

On air July 22nd, 2018

“You Feed Them

Every job looks like it's easy if you don't have to do it. That was certainly the case when Jesus told His disciples to feed the crowd. With no McDonald's in the area, they came back and asked Jesus to do what they couldn't. We would be wise if we did the same.

(Mark 6:37)

Listen at 7 a.m. on CJWW 600 AM. 7:30 a.m. on CKRM 620 AM; 9 a.m. on CJGX 940 AM. 1 p.m. on CKSW 570 AM.



Sunday, July 15th, 2018

Bible Study resumes in September
10:30 a.m. Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
2:30 p.m. New Covenant Church Rental
Donna on holidays until July 31st

Tuesday, July 17th, 2018

7:30 p.m. New Covenant Church Rental

Thursday, July 19th, 2018

4:00 p.m. Weight Watchers

Saturday, July 21st, 2018

10:00 a.m. N.A. Meeting

Sunday, July 22nd, 2018

10:30 a.m. Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
2:30 p.m. New Covenant Church Rental

If you have news you would like posted in the bulletin, please contact Donna Clarke during her office hours (Tues.-Thurs. 9:30 -12:30) or to email

Reminder that news and announcements must be in by Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. to be in the following Sunday's Bulletin. News and announcements for the Website, must also be by this time.

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