

August 4, 2019



Zion Lutheran Church

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As We Gather

*Welcome!
Together we will
worship the
Crucified, Risen,
and Ascended
Jesus. We, the
believers at Zion,
are glad to have
you here. Make
yourself at home;
you are among
the family of
Christ.*

Service Notes . . .

In Preparation for Worship: Please take some time to greet the people you are worshipping with! The order of worship for today is on the back of this page. You may want to take a few minutes to look it over and place a ribbon on the Psalm assigned for today as well as the Divine Service Liturgy we'll be following in the Lutheran Service Book (LSB) as you prepare to receive the gifts of God and sing His praises. May God seriously bless your worship with us this day...a new day of salvation!

To Stand or Sit: There are certain parts of the service where you will be invited to kneel or stand. Sometimes, "wrestling" with kids, or a personal health condition makes kneeling or standing uncomfortable...please know: **It is okay to kneel, stand, or sit.** All are appropriate! So please, make yourself comfortable, receive the gifts God loves to give and **BOLDLY** sing His praises!

THE OFFERING: If you are our guest today, you are not expected to contribute monetarily to God's work at Zion...you are our guest! Please remember to fill out the Friendship Book (located at the end of the Pew) and sign our Guest Book in the narthex so we can thank you for your visit...and come soon to see us again! If you choose to give an offering, know this: The gifts we give back to God are used by His church to transform lives.



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Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

Divine Service Setting Four page 203.

Welcome

Baptism Hymn 592 "Dearest Jesus, We Are Here" [Verses 1-3]

During the singing of verse 2, Baptismal party comes forward

Holy Baptism, page 268ff Brynna Marlyne Prozinski, Daughter of Nick Prozinski & Melissa Otremba Prozinski

Baptismal party returns to their pews following the baptism

Opening Hymn 703 "How Can I Thank You, Lord"

(Rise)

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION p.203

(please kneel as you are able)

Psalms 100 (front of hymnal) responsively by half verse

All Say: "Glory be to the Father..."

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GLORIA IN EXCELSIS p. 204

SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY p. 205

(Sit)



Scripture Readings

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-26 ² Vanity of vanities, says the Preacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity.¹² I the Preacher have been king over Israel in Jerusalem. ¹³ And I applied my heart to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven. It is an unhappy business that God has given to the children of man to be busy with. ¹⁴ I have seen everything that is done under the sun, and behold, all is vanity and a striving after wind. ^{2:18} I hated all my toil in which I toil under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to the man who will come after me, ¹⁹ and who knows whether he will be wise or a fool? Yet he will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. ²⁰ So I turned about and gave my heart up to despair over all the toil of my labors under the sun, ²¹ because sometimes a person who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave everything to be enjoyed by someone who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. ²² What has a man from all the toil and striving of heart with which he toils beneath the sun? ²³ For all his days are full of sorrow, and his work is a vexation. Even in the night his heart does not rest. This also is vanity. ²⁴ There is nothing better for a person than that he should eat and drink and find enjoyment in his toil. This also, I saw, is from the hand of God, ²⁵ for apart from him who can eat or who can have enjoyment? ²⁶ For to

the one who pleases him God has given wisdom and knowledge and joy, but to the sinner he has given the business of gathering and collecting, only to give to one who pleases God. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.

(This is the Word of the Lord — **Thanks be to God**)

Colossians 3:1-11(ESV)¹If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ³For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.⁵Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. ⁶On account of these the wrath of God is coming. ⁷In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. ⁸But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. ⁹Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices ¹⁰and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. ¹¹Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all.

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Rise for ALLELUIA and VERSE

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Luke 12:13-21(ESV)¹³Someone in the crowd said to him, “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me.” ¹⁴But he said to him, “Man, who made me a judge or arbitrator over you?” ¹⁵And he said to them, “Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.” ¹⁶And he told them a parable, saying, “The land of a rich man produced plentifully, ¹⁷and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’ ¹⁸And he said, ‘I will do this: I will tear down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’ ²⁰But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ ²¹So is the one who lays up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God.”

Gospel response

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Apostles’ Creed

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(Sit)

(Ushers collect Prayer Requests and bring them to Pastor)

Hymn of the Day 813 “Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng” (Vs 1-5)

SERMON “ A Fool and His Money” (Luke 12:15-21)

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(Rise)

Our Prayers: Pastor: Lord, in Your mercy, **People:** hear our prayer

(Sit)

Reception of Offering: [Please sign the black Friendship book, pass it on to the next person in the pew and return it to the end of the pew when finished.]

OFFERING

(Rise)

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AGNUS DEI	p. 210
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Distribution Hymns 634 & 618

Rise for Common Dismissal

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POST COMMUNION COLLECT	p. 212
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BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION	p. 212
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(Sit)

Closing Hymn 895 "Now Thank We All Our God" (Verses 1 & 3)

Announcements

Join us for coffee and treats in the Fellowship Hall following the service

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WELCOME VISITORS! We wish to welcome all visitors and guests to worship the Triune God with us. May He go with you during the week, and we invite you to worship with us again. Our restrooms are located near the East entrance door – next to the church mail boxes.

“OUR PURPOSE IN ZION is to be a growing, caring, community of believers in Christ who help strengthen one another through prayer and fellowship in Word and Sacrament to bring others to Christ”

CHILDREN’S ACTIVITY BAGS are available in the narthex. We ask that the activity bags be returned after the worship service. *Thank you!*

A NURSERY is provided on the lower level of the education unit for families with infants and small children; a television is available in the nursery, so you may listen and watch the worship service. There is a Changing Table located there.

PERSONAL SOUND RECEIVERS: If you have a hearing problem you may use Zion’s Personal Sound Receivers that can be found on the bulletin stand in the Narthex.

EVENTS AT ZION THIS WEEK		
MON	5:00pm	Elders Meeting
	7:00pm	Evangelism Meeting
TUES	5:00pm	Bible Study
	6:00pm	Centershot
	6:30pm	Board of Ed
THUR	5:00pm	Share a meal
FRI	1:00 pm	Friendship Club
		LWML Retreat (through Sunday)
SAT	6:30pm	No Service
SUN	9:00am	Worship

THE LUTHERAN HOUR

Topic for today is, *“Live Life, Traveling Well”* Next week, *“How to Pray”*

Sermons can be heard on Sunday at:

- 6:05am @ WCCO 830AM
- 6:10am @ KLTF 960AM
- 6:30am @ KEYL 1400AM –
- 7:05am @ KFML 94.1FM
- 5:00pm @ KCFB 91.5FM

(Sermons are posted on our church website (worship/music page)

SATURDAY/SUNDAY ~ July 27 & 28, 2019 (30/93 = 123)		 ATTENDANCE
Current	\$2,594.00	Building Fund..... \$526.61
Loose	\$111.00	Altar Flowers..... \$60.00
Mission	\$42.00	Youth
TOTAL OPERATING:	\$2,747.00	TOTAL ADDITIONAL GIFTS:
NEEDED FOR EXPENSES:.....	\$3,060.00	NEEDED FOR BUILDING LOAN

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“PRAYER CHAIN” contact person is Gloria Irwin. Call her at 632-8044 or Lydia Posch @ 632-6228 for any prayer concerns or questions.



KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: Reuben Weber, Randy Fischer, and Linda Dickmann

ALTAR FLOWERS PROVIDED THIS MONTH BY:

8/4 Bev Messinger and family ~ "In memory of Robert Messinger"

8/18 Al & Sue Prozinski



OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN IN AUGUST

- The Lutheran Women’s Quarterly Bible study will meet on Monday, August 19 at 9:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room. The study, “We Will Serve the Lord,” can be found on page 18 of the Summer 2019 LWQ. Join us as we explore who, why, and how we can *serve the Lord with gladness*.
- The ZLW will meet on Monday, August 19 at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room. We will discuss the leadership needs of the ZLW as well as upcoming event and projects. The ZLW is our local connection to the LWML, so we welcome all women to come and get involved.
- Women’s Day Out will be on Monday, August 19 at the Little Falls Country Club. Join us for fellowship and lunch as we will carpool from church at 11:00 a.m. Contact Marilyn Boeddeker at 632-3191 if you plan to attend. We will be celebrating August birthdays! Bring a friend!



CHICKS FOR BRICKS



Thursday, August 22nd
5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Church
411 Third Ave NE
Little Falls

Chicken – Ham – Potato Salad – Chips
Fresh Fruit – Rolls – Dessert – Beverage

Proceeds go to our new Fellowship Hall – \$8.00 per person suggested

SHARE-A-MEAL

- > Zion is scheduled to serve at the Oasis Share-a-Meal this week Thursday, August 8 at 1st Lutheran Church beginning at 5:00 pm. We have a sign-up sheet for donations on the ministry desk, please help us get it filled out. Volunteers of all ages are welcome, we need six to eight people for set-up, serving, and clean-up after the meal. See Peter for more details.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- > NO CHILDREN'S MESSAGE TODAY

YOUTH MINISTRY

- > We thank God for the blessings received by the youth and leaders who attended the Nat'l Youth Gathering in Twin Cities. We pray that they will use their skills to mentor others in our congregation and encourage all of our youth to grow in their faith.

ADULT / FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY

- > Dan Hughes – Tuesday evening Bible study – 5:00pm
- > FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK: www.facebook.com/zionlf
- > STAY INFORMED ON OUR WEBPAGE: www.zionlf.com

OUTREACH

- > **CENTERSHOT** An archery based... Christ centered educational experience for the whole family. If you want to help us develop this ministry contact DCO Peter Keyes.
- > **LUTHERAN ISLAND CAMP** Pick up the summer schedule and register for your favorite camp. The ZLW has student scholarships available for campers, see Barb Jelinski for specific details.
- > **BECOMING A WELCOMING CHURCH** Greet everyone with a smile. Introduce yourself to those you don't know. Invite others to join you for coffee and fellowship. Mingle with a different group each week just to mix things up and enjoy the company of others.

PUERTO RICO MISSION TEAM - THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

- > We will be presenting after worship today on our mission trip to Puerto Rico. God showed Himself to us in many ways by allowing us to complete our projects, keeping us safe, providing timely rain and cloud cover, and keeping the rain from stopping our work. We grew us a team and were blessed to serve several groups of children in the city of Mayaguez. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS AND SUPPORT!!!

DCO PETER KEYES CONTACT INFORMATION:

Phone (call / text) 320-232-3108 or email mrpjkeyes@yahoo.com

[LISTEN, LEARN, LIVE with LOVE; PRAY ALWAYS...](#)

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Pastor Hendrickson will be on vacation during the month of August. He will return August 26th
 Pray that he will have safe travels, wonderful visits with family and friends, and restful time of reflection as he prepares for the year ahead.

August Servants

August		Elder	Ushers	Reader	Greeters *	Acolyte	Organist	FH Servers
4	COM	Sheldon Prozinski	Eugene Doucette & Dennis Hollermann	Don Stover	Julie Doucette & Marilyn Husby	Elder	Carol Prozinski	Wayne & Bing Ganz
11		Chris Roe	Harvey Axel & Marcel Bellefeuille	Katie Schumann	Darlene Axel & Nancy Christensen	Elder	Peggy Dolney	Karen Dickmann & Linda Dickmann
18	COM	Craig Bohnsack	Ben Messinger & Bailey Dawson	Amanda Dawson	Norma Naill & Ginny Fitch	Elder	Carol Prozinski	Bev Messinger & Amanda Dawson
25	Blended	Mike Gohl	Wayne Ganz & David Dickmann	Dan Gilder	Karen Dickmann & Carolyn Ganz	Elder	Peggy Dolney	Carol & Sheldon Prozinski
31		Greg Rausch	Paul Gulsvig	Colleen Duncan	Paul Gulsvig	Elder	Carol Prozinski	

* If you have not received a copy of the job description for Greeters, please see Barb for a copy

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