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**NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

2 SAMUEL 7:1-14 • PSALM 89:20-37 • JEREMIAH 23:1-6  
EPHESIANS 2:1 1-22 • MARK 6:30-34, 53-56

**WELCOME TO OUR FELLOWSHIP.**

**WE AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING:**

- The Holy Trinity of God - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- God has revealed Himself fully and decisively in Holy Scripture. We believe the Bible, consisting of the Old and New Testaments, to be the inspired, infallible and authoritative Word of God and our guide for faith and life.
- There is only one way to Salvation - through Jesus Christ.
- The sanctity of human life based on our creation in the image of God and our election by God for service in His Kingdom. This leads us to respectfully affirm the sanctity of every stage of human life from conception to death.
- The Biblical guidelines for human sexuality: marriage as the union of one man and one woman, fidelity and holiness in marriage and chastity outside of marriage for the sake of the Kingdom.
- That the mission of the Church is to spread the Good News of the Gospel of Salvation in every word and deed. We are sent by Christ into all the world to proclaim His atoning death and resurrection and to call every person into a life of faith, discipleship and submission to His Lordship.

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**CHURCH of ZEPHYRHILLS**

*"Big Enough to Serve - Small Enough to Care!"*



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**THE LORD'S DAY**  
*July 22, 2018*

**LET US GLORIFY GOD IN ALL THAT WE DO TODAY**

PRELUDE

SOUNDING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

INTROIT *"We Worship and Adore You"* Page 194

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

\*HYMN *"God Is So Good"* Page 193  
( Verses 1,3,4 )

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY, LORD'S PRAYER AND GLORIA PATRI

HYMN *"Rock of Ages"* Page 342  
( Verses All )

**LET US PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER**

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE *"Through It All"* Page 580

**READING OF THE LAW**

RESPONSIVE READING: *The Heidelberg Catechism: Question 28*

**LET US RETURN THANKS UNTO THE LORD**

RECEIVING THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER

HYMN *"I'd Rather Have Jesus"* Page 506  
( Verses All )

**LET US LIFT OUR VOICES IN PRAISE**

SPECIAL MUSIC *"It's Not An Easy Road"* Pastor Strauss

**LET US EXAMINE GOD'S WORD TOGETHER**

SERMON *"The Lord Hears the Cry of His People"*  
Psalm 5

\*THE APOSTLES CREED

\*CLOSING HYMN *"He Keeps Me Singing"* Page 746  
( Verses 1,5 )

\*BENEDICTION

\* ANTHEM *"The Family of God"* Page 419

**GREET EACH OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE**

**AND DEPART IN PEACE**

*\*Please stand if able at this sign.*

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Senior Pastor	Rev. H. Joseph Kler
Minister of Music	Rev. John O. Strauss
Pianist	Mrs. Dee Schultz
Sound Booth	Mrs. Lynne Dulmaine, Mr. Mike Bowman
	Mr. Jim Lafrinere, Mr. John Vosteen
Pre-Production Design	Mrs. Vickie Sargent-Kler
Acolyte	Mr. Jonathan J. Kler
Church Bell	Miss Katherine Kler

## OUR MISSION

TO PRESENT CHRIST TO EVERYONE,  
EVERYWHERE, AT EVERY AVAILABLE OPPORTUNITY.

## OUR VISION

TO BE A LOVING, CARING CHURCH  
WHOSE ARMS EMBRACE ALL THAT COME.



**The Flowers on the  
Altar are placed by:**

*Barbara & Rich Miller in loving Memory of Barbara's  
Daughter, Gail, and Gail's Daughter, Shannon*

Our Missions Committee has teamed up with **Chester Taylor**  
and **West Elementary Schools** to hold Our Annual

**"Christmas in July."**

**BACK TO SCHOOL COLLECTION.**

### NEEDS LIST

Backpacks • 3 Ring Binders • Black Dry Erase Markers  
Safety Scissors • Box of 24 Crayola Crayons  
Boxes of #2 Pencils • Large Pink Erasers  
Package of Loose Leaf Wide Ruled Notebook Paper  
Pencil Case • Red Ballpoint Pens  
Spiral Bound Notebooks • Yellow Highlighters

**We will be collecting supplies  
every Sunday from July 8th – July 29th**



In this constantly changing world our goal is to reflect and recapture the historic and classical worship of Almighty God. Central to our service is the proclamation of the Word and a Biblical understanding of the Sacraments in the tradition of the Evangelical and Reformed faith.

*If you are visiting with us today we're glad you're here.  
We are ordinary people on an extraordinary journey,  
learning to love and serve like Jesus. Come with us!*

## THE LORD'S DAY

**JULY 22, 2018 ~ 10:00 A.M. WORSHIP**

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

07/25.....Bible Study.....6:30 PM  
07/26.....Pat Beach Memorial....11:00 AM @ Church  
07/31..... DIACONATE MEETING.....6:30 PM  
08/06. ....Ken Scott Memorial.....2:30 PM @ Bushnell

**Deacon of the Month:** Mr. Gene Rigotti

**Ushers:** Betty Strauss, Helen Dunn  
Barbara Murphy, Ed Murphy

**Offering Last Sunday:**.....\$2,856

**Attendance Last Sunday:**.....91

# WHY DO WE DO THAT?

**I heard someone say that we are a liturgical church, but I'm not sure what this means?**

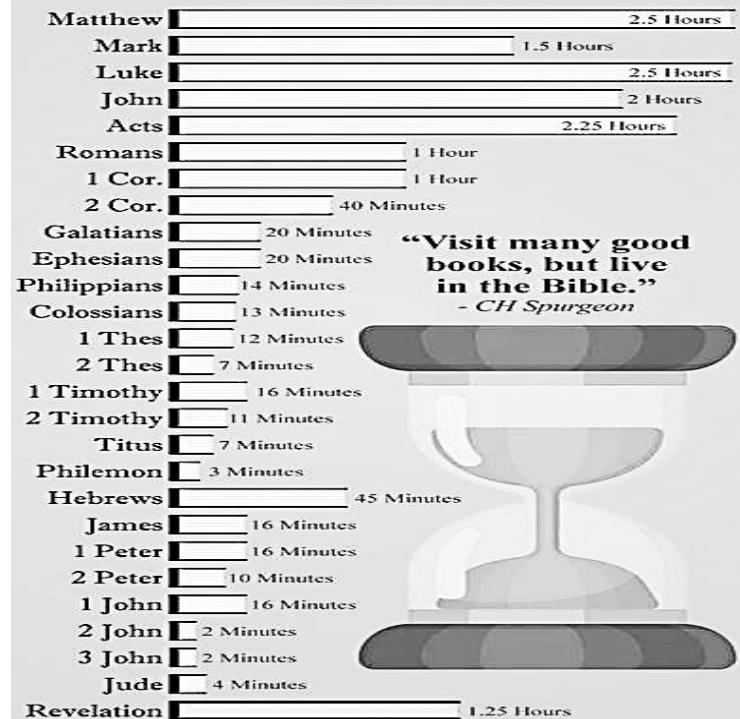
The word *liturgy*, comes from the Greek language and means *the work of the people*. It is the *stuff* that God's people all do when they gather to worship. It refers to the words and actions, the songs and symbols that comprise the worship of the whole people of God. If you worship on Sunday, and you aren't just attending a show; if you are actually participating - whatever you're doing is the "liturgy." It also means that the service of worship is done in a decent, orderly and logical way.

In summary - worship is "liturgical" if those doing the worshiping really understand who they are as the People of God and what they're doing. This makes them, not passive spectators observing rituals; but rather, active participants in ascribing praise and devotion to the Lord.

If you have difficulty hearing during Worship, please see one of our Sound Booth Technicians before the service begins.



## HOW LONG IT TAKES TO READ EACH BOOK IN THE NEW TESTAMENT



**ReasonableTHEOLOGY.org**

Data from DesiringGod.org/articles/three-tips-for-better-bible-reading