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### FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

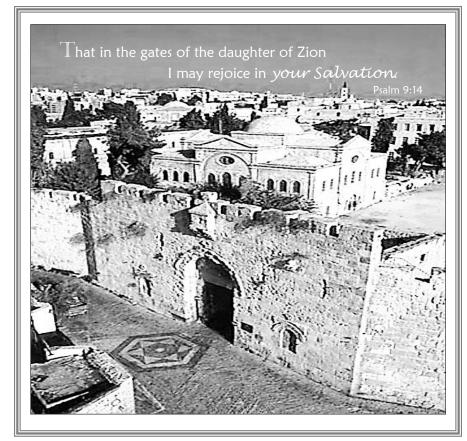
1 Kings 8:1-43 and Psalm 84 • Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 and Psalm 34:15-22 • Ephesians 6:10-20 • John 6:56-69 58

# 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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### THE LORD'S DAY

August 26, 2018

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

**PRELUDE** 

SOUNDING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CALL TO WORSHIP** 

INTROIT "Every Day With Jesus"

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

\*HYMN "Spirit of the Living God" Page 389

(Verses All)

\*Prayer of the Day, Lord's Prayer and Gloria Patri

HYMN "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" Page 591

( Verses 1,3,4)

LET US PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE "The Lord's My Shepherd"

**READING OF THE LAW** 

RESPONSIVE READING: Heidelberg Catechism: Lord's Day 15

LET US RETURN THANKS UNTO THE LORD

RECEIVING THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*Doxology and Offertory Prayer

HYMN "In My Heart There Rings a Melody"

(Verses All)

Page 502

LET US LIFT OUR VOICES IN PRAISE

SPECIAL MUSIC "How Great Thou Art" Bill Thompson

LET US EXAMINE GOD'S WORD TOGETHER

SERMON "Rejoicing in Our Salvation"

Psalm 9

\*THE APOSTLES CREED

\*CLOSING HYMN "Soon and Very Soon" Page 757

( Verses 1,3)

\*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.

Senior Pastor Rev. H. Joseph Kler Minister of Music Rev. John O. Strauss Pianist Mrs. Dee Schultz

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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:

Wanda Rigotti & Glenn Rogers in loving Memory of Sister & Wife, Sondra Rogers, who passed 8-28-17



Collected on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Each Month.

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 AUGUST 26, 2018 ~ 10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

MARK YOUR CALENDAR	08/28	Deacon's Meeting	6:30 PM
	09/23	Bible Exhibit	3:00 PM
	08/28		

Deacon of the Month: Marshall Whitcomb

Ushers: Carolyn Hunt, Phil Hunt Bob Andle, Rob Andle

Offering Last Sunday: \$2237.00

Attendance Last Sunday:.....103





The Peyton's will be performing at our Annual Homecoming Celebration on October 28, 2018

Our theme this year will be an "Old Fashioned Church Picnic". The Church will provide Fried Chicken and we will be asking the congregation to bring side dishes and desserts.

This is a FREE EVENT but Space is limited
- so please sign up today.

Name\_\_\_\_\_# Number Attending\_\_\_\_\_

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## Joun us un Celebrating 496 years of the Peoples Bible

- > September 23, 2018
- Bible Exhibit and Video Presentation at 3:00 PM
- > Bratwurst Supper at 5:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

One of the items on display will be this early printing from the Gospel of John Chapter 2 as it appeared when 1st published in 1534 and reprinted in 1705. In addition to the text there is an original woodcut illustration of Jesus at Cana turning water into wine.



An important part of Martin Luther's reforms was recognizing that the Bible needed to be translated into the language of the people. During his time in Wartburg Castle, Luther began to translate the New Testament into German in order to make it more accessible to "all the people of the nation." ...and from there it became the Bible translation that "rocked the world," introduced mass media, unified a nation, and set the standard for all future biblical translations

Come celebrate this landmark event with us:

This is a FREE EVENT but Space is limited – so please sign up today.		
Name	# Number Attending	

September 23<sup>rd</sup> Bible Exhibit and Dinner