



October 16, 2022

19th Sunday of Pentecost

Pastor Sarah Henrich

LAM Janet Getchell

*Please stand as you are able.

PRELUDE "Divertissement," by G. Young Betsy Murray

WELCOME

*OPENING HYMN "O Word of God Incarnate," ELW 514 Screen

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS Screen

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: Let us pray. O Lord God . . .

All: . . . Tireless guardian of your people, you are always ready to hear our cries. Teach us to rely day and night on your care. Inspire us to seek your enduring justice for all this suffering world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC "I Will," by D. Cline, P. Naish & L. Alexander King's Choir

PSALM Psalm 121 (read responsively) Screen

LESSON Genesis 32:22-31

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION "Alleluia," ELW p. 188, Setting 8 Screen

*GOSPEL Luke 18:1-8

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Sarah

HYMN "Lord of All Hopefulness," ELW 765 vs. 1-2 Screen

SERMON Pastor Sarah

*HYMN "Lord of All Hopefulness," ELW 765 vs. 3-4 Screen

OFFERING PRAYER Screen

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: In gratitude and humility, let us join together in prayer on behalf of all of God's creation.

A brief silence.

After each petition:

Leader: . . . Hear us, O God.

People: Your mercy is great.

Leader: With grateful hearts we commend our spoken and silent prayers to you,

O God; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

All: Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER Screen

DISTRIBUTION "Lamb of God," p.191 setting 8 Screen

"My Faith is Firmly Found," by J.S. Bach Betsy Murray

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

Screen

*SENDING HYMN "The Church of Christ, in Every Age," ELW 729

Screen

(sung to the tune of ELW 883)

*SENDING OUT

Leader: By your hands, may love be shared. By your voice, may peace be spoken. By your eyes, may beauty be seen. By your ears, may truth be heard. By your life, may the song of Christ be sung.

People: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE "Psalm XX," G. Young Betsy Murray

Thank you for worshipping with us today! CTK PRAYER CONCERNS:

PRAISE & THANKSGIVING:

For our Sunday School and Confirmation youth, families, teachers and our partners in confirmation ministry.

For the leadership of our CTK council as they meet this coming week, and for all the staff.

For the dedication of our many ministry team volunteers.

For our hard-working Call Committee.

THOSE GRIEVING:

For those grieving the loss of a loved one.

THOSE EXPERIENCING CANCER:

Harvey Schindler (family member of Sharon Scott), cancer

Heinz Schneemann (father of Gerrit Schneemann), cancer treatment

Tracee Schultz (daughter of Patti Rund), receiving treatment

Chris Kluver (brother of Alvina Peterson), receiving treatment for bone cancer

Oliver, 12-year-old nephew of Julie (friend of Elida Olson), recently diagnosed with leukemia.

Robert Crane (nephew of Sandy Serier) receiving treatment

Anne Brucker (niece of Sandy Serier) receiving treatment

Mark Peterson (son of Alvina Peterson), receiving treatment for leukemia.

OTHER HEALTH ISSUES:

Joan Machehedt, recovering from broken shoulder.

Camden Astrup (great nephew of Beth & Scott Tradup) receiving the treatment he needs Elaine (Lori Will's mother) for healing broken bones after a fall.

Bob Miller (friend of Elida Olson), heart issues

GLOBAL CONCERNS:

For God to be with family, friends, former CTK members and all people dealing with the aftermath of Hurricanes.

For teachers, students and families as they dig into their school work.

Our partner congregation in Masisiwe, Tanzania

COVID concerns in our midst and workd wide. Especially we pray for scientists and medical personnel who work hard to keep us safe.

Staff & students at Birch Lake Elementary

Everyone impacted by immigration worldwide.

For those being hit hard by the economic realities of war, oil prices, and post-COVID changes.

Those impacted by the European Crisis

MILITARY CONCERNS:

LCpl Marine Wyatt Reeves, honorary grandson of Elida Olson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2022 Giving Statements

Your year-to date giving statements are ready and available to pick up this Sunday. They will be in a basket on the island in the Narthex. Please stop by and pick yours up today!

Receiving New Members on Reformation Sunday 10.30.22

What better day to welcome new members to CTK! At our worship service, we'll receive anyone who wishes to become part of CTK with great delight. Just let us know (Pastor Sarah or Linda in the office) if you would like to be a part of this group, show up on Sunday, and be welcomed into the family. Because this is rather short notice, we will gather new members for a light lunch and conversation about CTK in November

October is Masisiwe Scholarship Month

on a date to be determined.

You can meet with Polly Morrison in the fellowship hall after the service today for more information and to pledge or give to the fund, and sign a letter to the Masisiwe students we support.

Call Committee Update

Thanks again to all that participated in the congregational survey. Your input is crucial to the CTK call process!!

The Call Committee is going through the congregational survey data, pulling out overall themes, and condensing the information to include it in the Ministry Site Profile. Once the Ministry Site Profile is complete, it will be presented to the congregation before being submitted to the synod. The synod will use the Ministry Site Profile to match CTK to the best potential pastoral candidates.



All Congregation Service Opportunity!

Please help pack nutritious meals for hungry children around the world!

Where: **Feed My Starving Children** 401 93rd Ave NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433

When: Wed, 10/26; 7:00pm -8:45pm

Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex for more information or use this link to reserve your spot with our group. http://www.fmsc.org/join-group?
joincode=NLWB5Y

For pastoral care or other needs please contact the Pastor or the church office at 651-429-4828

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