



Blessing of the Backpacks will be on Sunday, August 26. Bring your backpack or school bags to church and Pastor Jeanette will bless them.

Congratulations to Becca Christensen and Johnny Alvarez who were united in marriage on Friday in Montana. Blessing to them on this union.

To all my friends and pastor at 1st Lutheran, I want to thank you for all your prayers, cards and calls. I also want to thank everyone who helped Julia in the kitchen. A big thank to you all. God bless, Dorothy Bauman

Join us on Sunday, September 9 at Pioneer Village for “God’s Work; Our Hands” Sunday servant day. Worship service will be at 9:00 am in the church with painting of the library & assembling school kits for Lutheran World Relief to follow. A meal will be served afterward.



21st COUNTRY WESTERN SERVICE
September 16, 2018 @ 9:00 am
Special Guests: Klaassen Family Singers

Mark the date on your calendar and be sure to bring your friends and neighbors to share this special time together.



7th, 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation will begin on Wednesday, September 5 at 6:30 pm with orientation. We request that at least one parent attends the orientation meeting with their child. Our Confirmation classes will begin on September 12 at 6:30 pm.

Choir will begin September 5th at 6:30 pm. New members are always welcome! Our first singing Sunday will probably be October 7th.

Welcome to Sonja Stark who is joining our congregation this morning.

Orville Lien will be celebrating his 98th Birthday on August 23rd. The family would like to do a card shower for him...just drop off your card at church by the 22nd and the family will pick them up to deliver to him. He would love to hear from as many of you as possible. Thank you so much ahead of time for helping to make his birthday extra special!

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Ministers: All baptized members; Jeanette McCormick, Pastor

August 19, 2018– 13th Sunday after Pentecost; 9:00 am Worship

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/SHARING OF GOD’S PEACE

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*GATHERING HYMN

ELW 793, “Be Thou My Vision”

*GREETING (p.138)

*KYRIE (p. 138)

*CANTICLE OF PRAISE (p. 139)

“This is the Feast”

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST LESSON: Proverbs 9:1-6 (p. 516)

SECOND LESSON: Ephesians 5:15-20 (p. 952)

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 142)

“Alleluia”

*GOSPEL: John 6:51-58 (p. 868)

SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 777, “Come To Me All Pilgrims Thirsty”

WELCOME NEW MEMBER – Sonja Stark

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

“Let the Vineyards”

*GREAT THANKSGIVING

*PREFACE

*HOLY/HOLY/HOLY

*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

*LORD’S PRAYER

*LAMB OF GOD

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

ELW 807, “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

ELW 400, “God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind”

ELW 480, “O Bread of Life From Heaven”

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*BLESSING

*SENDING HYMN

ELW 717, “Let Justice Flow like Streams”

*DISMISSAL

SUNDAY SERVANTS

ACOLYTE: Aria Larson/Dylon Sholes
USHER: Sophie Wietzema
NURSERY: Matt & Teresa Widboom Family
LECTOR: Robert Bents
GREETERS: Don & Kathy Craun (N)
 Pat & Lynette Demuth Family (B)

POWERPOINT: Glenda Lais
ORGANIST: Lori Nienkerk
ASSISTING MINISTER: Lisa Waldner
COFFEE: Dennis & Judy Selberg/Marjorie Larson
SOUND: Linda Towne
VAN DRIVER: 8/19 – Midg White
 8/26 – Ron Hallstrom

BUSY BAGS: August – Linda Neugebauer
 September – Paula Laffrenzen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 115 Attendance a year ago: 167
 Attendance Last Wednesday: 10



Members: Norma Radenbaugh, Orville Lien, Dustin Poppema, Al Luing, Ron Hallstrom, Leanna Lundquist, Gene Wachter, Dale Koob, Betty Nelson, Diane Sletten
Members in Nursing Homes: Dianne Sanderson, Sandra Marsh, June Boots, Nancy Zuehlke, Arlene Muse
Members in Care Facilities: Jerry Anderson, Bobbie Elvin, Dorothy Hallstrom, Joan Doeden, Adeline Larson, Jean Bender, Wes Anderson, Edna Marsh
Family Members & Friends: Virgil Reed (Darcy Poppema's dad), Peggy Konold (Norma Radenbaugh's daughter), Bob & Arlene Fink (sister & brother-in-law to Fern Burmeister), Scott Luing (Al Luing's son), Gene Termunde (Lisa Waldner's brother), Brad Martens (Valerie Veen's son), Mary Elsing, Vivian Oakes, Pat Termunde (Lisa Waldner's mom), Smokey Brandt, Julie Garvin
Our service men and women
Our Missionaries: Chuck & Sybil Rounds in Costa Rica and Love INC.

FELC SCHEDULE FOR August 20 – August 26, 2018

Monday	9:00AM	Bulletin Deadline (8-26 & 9-2)
20	12:00PM	Confirmation Retreat Ends
Tuesday	6:00PM	Finance Team
21	7:00PM	Church Council
Wednesday	10:30AM	Meadow's Bible Study
22	6:00PM	Worship – Women in the Bible
Thursday	9:15AM	Coffee Time Bible Study (Ladies)
23	1:30PM	Seasoned Citizens @ Pastor Jeanette's
	5:00PM	Boy Scouts
Friday		Pastor's Day Off
24		
Saturday		
25		
Sunday	9:00AM	Worship – 14 th Sunday in Pentecost
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Radio Broadcast Sponsor: In memory of Gloria Widboom by her family.
 (Service time is 8:00 am on the radio.)



Operation Christmas Child – It is that time of the year to start thinking about Operation Christmas Child. School supplies are on sale. Items can be put in the box in the lower narthex. If you would like to donate money and have someone purchase the items for you, please drop the money off in the office or give it to Dorothy Bauman.



SEASONED CITIZENS: We will meet on Thursday, August 23 at 1:30 pm to travel to Pastor Jeanette's in Jackson. We will be having a hymn sing at her house. Sign up in the church office by Monday, August 20.

Gift Cards will not be available in the office August 27 – 31.