

**Mark your calendars now** for the second annual Women Seeking God conference! Our theme this year is "BE", as in "Be Bold!" "Be Filled", "Be Strong" and "Be Still". Our speaker is Amy Herzog, from Fergus Falls, MN. Amy co-pastors Amanda Deyounge's home church and Amanda will again lead us in worship. The dates for this years' conference are October 12 and 13. Watch for more information to come!

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**Members:** Wes Anderson, Ron Hallstrom, Aldyne Robinson, Leanna Lundquist, Gracyn Vacura, Gene Wachter, Dale Koob, Betty Nelson, Norma Radenbaugh, Dianne Sanderson, Diane Sletten, Edna Marsh

**Members in Nursing Homes:** Sandra Marsh, June Boots, Nancy Zuehlke, Helen Beckman, Arlene Muse

**Members in Care Facilities:** Jerry Anderson, Bobbie Elvin, Dorothy Hallstrom, Joan Doeden, Adeline Larson, Jean Bender

**Family Members & Friends:** George Hoffman (Orville Lien's son-in-law), Gene Termunde (Lisa Waldner's brother), Joyce Lempke (Jo Kruse's sister), Traci Feit (Darcy Poppema's sister), Brad Martens (Valerie Veen's son), Todd Bach, Vickie Bierman, Bill Dobson, Mary Elsing, Vivian Oakes, Pat Termunde (Lisa Waldner's mom), Donnie Wipf, Smokey Brandt, Julie Garvin

**Our service men and women**

**Our Missionaries:** Chuck & Sybil Rounds in Costa Rica and Love INC.

**First Lutheran Church – ELCA**  
**1200 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue - Worthington, MN 56187**  
**Web Site:** felcwgtn.org & **Email:** felcwgtn@frontiernet.net  
Ministers: All baptized members; Jeanette McCormick, Pastor  
**July 15, 2018 – 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost; 9:00 am Worship**

WELCOME /ANNOUNCEMENTS/SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

\*GATHERING SONG

ELW 812, "Faith of Our Fathers"

\*GREETING (p. 138)

\*KYRIE (p. 138)

\*CANTICLE OF PRAISE (p. 139)

"This is the Feat"

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST LESSON: Amos 7:7-15 (p. 748)

SECOND LESSON: Ephesians 1:3-14 (p. 949)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 142)

"Alleluia"

\*GOSPEL: Mark 6:14-29 (p. 817-818)

SERMON

Pastor Jeanette

HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 805, "Lead On, O King Eternal!"

\*APOSTLE'S CREED

\*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

P: Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

ELW 186, "Let the Vineyards"

\*GREAT THANKSGIVING

\*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (p. 144)

\*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE (p. 145)

\*LORD'S PRAYER (p. 145)

\*LAMB OF GOD (p. 146)

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

ELW 807, "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

ELW 400, "God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind"

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*BLESSING

\*SENDING SONG

ELW 717, "Let Justice Flow like Streams"

DISMISSAL

**SUNDAY SERVANTS**  
**ACOLYTE:** Aria Larson/Grace McGaughey  
**USHER:** Stephanie Bauman  
**NURSERY:** Matt & Teresa Widboom Family  
**LECTOR:** Linda Towne  
**GREETERS:** Rosann Boots/Vona Mae Vihlen (N)  
 Linda Towne (B)  
**POWERPOINT:** Judy Selberg  
**ORGANIST:** Nancy Hofstee  
**ASSISTING MINISTER:** Lisa Waldner  
**COFFEE:** Calvin & Ruth Rehborg/Rosann Boots  
**SOUND:** Jay & Kathy Myer  
**VAN DRIVER:** 7/15 – Leroy Merkel  
 7/22 – Mike Burns  
**BUSY BAGS:** July – Mary Larson  
 August – Linda Neugebauer

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Attendance**

Attendance Last Sunday: 109                      Attendance a year ago: 124  
 Attendance Last Wednesday: 10

**ATTENTION** – Please leave the back two pews along the wall available every week for those who have walkers or are handicapped. Thank you!

**Bible Study** is held every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at the Meadows at 10:30 am. Everyone is invited to join us for these studies.



**Lutheran Night at Target Field** – Tuesday, July 31 @ 7:10 pm. We have 7 tickets still available. Cost will be \$58 per person. We will leave at 1:00 pm from the church parking lot. Payment is due when you sign up. Please talk to Natalie or Pastor Jeanette soon.

**Gift Cards** will not be available in the office on Monday, July 16.

**Widow's Ministry will not meet in July.** The next meeting is August 13 at American Lutheran Church.

**FELC SCHEDULE FOR July 16 – July 22, 2018**

Day	Time	Event
Monday 16	9:00AM	Bulletin Deadline
Tuesday 17	6:00PM 7:00PM	Finance Team Church Council
Wednesday 18	6:00PM	Worship
Thursday 19	9:15AM 9:30AM	Coffee Time Bible Study (Ladies) Hannah Circle – Church Lounge
Friday 20		Pastor's Day Off
Saturday 21		
Sunday 22	9:00AM	Worship – 9 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pentecost

**Radio Broadcast Sponsor:** In memory of Merlin Robinson by his family.  
 (Service time is 8:00 am on the radio.)

**I would like to thank** Pastor Jeanette and all of my First Lutheran family for their thoughts, prayers and visits after my accident in April and following knee surgery. Your support really means a lot to me. I am not 100% yet and I am still doing therapy but we do see improvement daily now. Thanks again.                      Kevin Lowe

**MK10K Run and Family Fun Walk** - Join us during the Nobles County Fair for the Annual MK10K on Saturday, August 4, 2018. This 10th Anniversary race will feature a 10K, 10K relay (two people, two 5Ks), and a 2 mile family fun walk starting and ending at the Nobles County Fairgrounds. The race begins at 9:00 am, registration begins at 8:00 am. All proceeds will benefit the Southwest Crisis Center and the MK Foundation. For more information or to register: mnsfcc.org.