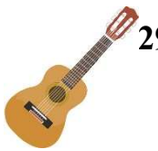
7th, 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation

Confirmation on Wednesday, September 16, we will begin class. We will be meeting from 6:30-7:30 pm.

ATTENTION: There are sign-up sheets in Centennial Hall to help in different ministries of the worship service. If you are interested in assisting with being coffee servers, greeters, computer assistant, assisting minister/lector, sound, Livestream, van driver or ushering, please sign on the sheets as to which ministries you are able to assist with. If you are currently serving, please sign up again so we know that you are still interested in serving. Thank You!

29th ANNUAL COUNTRY WESTERN SERVICE
September 20, 2026 @ 9:30 AM
Join us for a great service.

***First Lutheran Church* – ELCA**
1200 4th Avenue - Worthington, MN 56187
Ministers: All baptized members – Jeanette McCormick, Pastor
Web Site: felcwgtn.org & **Email:** felcwgtn@gmail.com
September 13, 2026 – (* = please stand)

GATHERING MUSIC
WELCOME
*OPENING SONG "God of Wonders" (CCLI Song #3118757)
*OPENING PRAYER
*PEACE
*CALL TO WORSHIP
*SONG "God's Work, Our Hands" (One License #AF2019203)
SCRIPTURE READING: Genesis 6:5-22, 8:6-12; 9:8-17 (Red Bible p. 4-7)
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
*GOSPEL: Matthew 8:23-27 (Red Bible p. 789)
MESSAGE Pastor Jeanette
SONG ELW 580, "How Clear Is Our Vocation Lord"
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
OFFERING/SPECIAL MUSIC "After the Flood" (One License #U00755)
OFFERING PRAYER
*PRAYERS
*LORD'S PRAYER
*BLESSING
*SENDING SONG "Mighty To Save" (CCLI #4591782)

Join us Wednesdays at 6 pm in the sanctuary for "The Psalms: Hope for Real People." We'll gather around the words of the Psalms and discover the joys, questions, struggles, and everyday moments of life, with our *Peace of the Prairie* liturgy.

SUNDAY SERVANTS

ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR Cooper Scripture
ACOLYTE: Dyson Neugebauer
SOUND: Ethan Nixon
POWERPOINT: Glenda Lais
ORGANIST: Nancy Hofstee
VAN DRIVERS: 9-13 Daren Bauman (360-9275)
9-20 Midg White (360-3215)
GREETERS: Doug & Julie Christensen
LIVESTREAM: Carrie Adams
COFFEE: Debbie & Dale Koob & Jane Benson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 60 Attendance a year ago: 107
Attendance Last Wednesday: 21 Livestream: 268

Members: Ardys Jacobson, Grace McGaughey, Laura Christensen, Bob Benson, Linda Towne, Mike Vosburgh, Logan Waldner, Shirley Frisch, Erin Schutte-Wadzinski, Wadzinski Family, Leroy Merkel, Alvin Kuehl, Jean Black, Dennis Zierke, Kathy Summers, Glenda Lais, Val Veen, Zach Kempema, Gayle Huehn, JoAnn Kruse, Charlene Wachter, Marilyn Frisch, Julie & Denny Christensen
Members in Nursing Homes: Joan Tofteland
Members in Care Facilities: Rosann Boots, Karen Lewis, Jean Bender
Family Members & Friends: Brad Milbrath (son of Vickie Milbrath), Bishop Charles Anderson, Mikeayla Engidaw, Connie Ness (friend of Vickie Milbrath), David King (friend of Kevin & Pam Fleming), Verna Hill, (mother of Mary Ingenthron), Avrey Smith (brother of Austin Peters-Smith), Aaron & Amy Koob (nephew of Dale & Debbie Koob), Rita Knutson, Wendy Frodermann (family of Eric & Lisa Milbrath), Rachael Felske (granddaughter of Karen Buchman), Suzy Wilson (cousin of Gayle Huehn), Ken Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing and Nancy Hellstrom), Vickie Bierman (sister of Lisa Waldner), Darlene Vaala (grandmother of Tiffany Neugebauer), Debbie Schannaw (daughter of Gayle Huehn), Rick Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing & Nancy Hellstrom), Kelly Reeves & family (Friend of Lisa Waldner), Maghan Fleming (Daughter-in-law of Kevin & Pam Fleming, Mark Richards, Joe Christensen (son of Nora Leinen & Gene Christensen), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son)
Our service men and women and Love INC

FELC SCHEDULE FOR September 14-20, 2026

Monday – 14	9:00AM	Bulletin Deadline
	6:00PM	Worship & Music
Tuesday – 15	7:30AM	Early Risers Bible Study
	6:00PM	Finance Team
	7:15PM	Church Council
Wednesday – 16	5:15PM	Meal
	6:00PM	Worship
	6:30-8:15PM	Confirmation
	6:30PM	Sanctuary Choir
	7:15PM	Youth Group
Thursday – 17	9:30AM	Hannah Circle
	1:30-2:30PM	Memory Café
Friday – 18		Pastor's Sabbath Day
Saturday – 19		
Sunday –20	8:00AM	Grace Lutheran Worship
	8:45AM	Sunday School
	9:30AM	Worship/Communion – 29th Annual Country Gospel

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: In memory of Robin & Trenton Stoyke.
(Service time is 8:00 am on the radio 104.3 FM.)

Why we sing *How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord* is to remember that God calls us to faithful service not only in extraordinary moments, but through the ordinary work of everyday life. Written by British Methodist hymn writer Fred Pratt Green in 1980, this hymn reflects on Christian vocation as a lifelong journey of following Christ with humility, perseverance, and trust. As we celebrate God's Work. Our Hands. Sunday, today's readings remind us that God works through ordinary people to bring hope in uncertain times: Noah faithfully preserves life through the flood, Jesus calms the storm when fear overwhelms the disciples, and the psalmist proclaims that God is our refuge and strength. As we sing, we pray that God would renew and sustain us in every calling, equipping our hands and hearts to serve our neighbors and care for God's creation with courage, compassion, and hope.