

# Welcome to Anchorage Lutheran Church



## Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

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# WELCOME TO church

## GATHERING

Opening Song                      Come Now Is The Time To Worship

Welcome

Announcements

Opening Prayer

Apostles Creed

Gathering Songs                      Come Thou Fount  
As The Deer

## THANKSGIVING

Confessions of Sins

Announcement of Forgiveness

Song                                      Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer                      As It Is In Heaven

Words of Institution

Distribution

Dismissal and Prayer

## THE WORD

New Testament Reading              Romans 8: 12-17

Gospel Reading                        Matthew 13: 10-17

Children's Message

Message                                 "Family Troubles" Genesis 28: 6-9  
Pastor Tony Schultz

## SENDING

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song                         The Blessing

Sending

### **New Testament Reading: Romans 8: 12-17**

<sup>12</sup>So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. <sup>13</sup>For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. <sup>14</sup>For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. <sup>15</sup>For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" <sup>16</sup>The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, <sup>17</sup>and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with Him in order that we may also be glorified with Him.

### **Gospel Reading: Matthew 11: 25-30**

<sup>10</sup>Then the disciples came and said to Him, "Why do you speak to them in parables?" <sup>11</sup>And He answered them, "To you it has been given to know the secrets of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given. <sup>12</sup>For to the one who has, more will be given, and he will have an abundance, but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. <sup>13</sup>This is why I speak to them in parables, because seeing they do not see, and hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand. <sup>14</sup>Indeed, in their case the prophecy of Isaiah is fulfilled that says: "You will indeed hear but never understand, and you will indeed see but never perceive. <sup>15</sup>For this people's heart has grown dull, and with their ears they can barely hear, and their eyes they have closed, lest they should see with their eyes and hear with their ears and understand with their heart and turn, and I would heal them. <sup>16</sup>But blessed are your eyes, for they see, and your ears, for they hear. <sup>17</sup>Truly, I say to you, many prophets and righteous people longed to see what you see, and did not see it, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear it.

### **Old Testament Reading: Genesis 28: 6-9**

<sup>6</sup>Now Esau saw that Isaac had blessed Jacob and sent him away to Paddan-aram to take a wife from there, and that as he blessed him he directed him, "You must not take a wife from the Canaanite women," <sup>7</sup>and that Jacob had obeyed his father and his mother and gone to Paddan-aram. <sup>8</sup>So when Esau saw that the Canaanite women did not please Isaac his father, <sup>9</sup>Esau went to Ishmael and took as his wife, besides the wives he had, Mahalath the daughter of Ishmael, Abraham's son, the sister of Nebaioth.



### **Virtual Vacation Bible School 2020**

Available July 20—August 15

Register Now:

<https://vbpro.events/p/events/virtualvacationbibleschool2020>

### **Opportunity to Pray**

#### **Those Who Need Our Ongoing Prayers**

Rose Diekelman, Jody Quinn, Carolyn Shepard, Christine Gill

#### **Comfort, Health, Recovery**

Nelda Hamilton, Gerd Krause, Tonya (Rick Funner's niece), Anna (Donna Dean's daughter), Forest Taylor, Matt Newton, Liz Millikan, Ann McCoy, Don Henry, Norman Alexie (Gwendie Gellerman's nephew), Norma Huseman, Julie Helms (Wayne & Bobbie Helms' sister in law), Tim (Dennis Koehler's nephew), Janet (Sherry Hartung's sister), Our Sudanese sister Nyayop, Sherri Crocker's Father, Crystal Bukola's Grandfather—Burleigh Neilsen, Jason Boerger

#### **Those Who Are Traveling** Albino Kong

# Our Calling

**We exist** as a ministry because of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. As Christians, we seek to know Him and understand His purpose in our lives through the study of God's Holy Word, frequent worship, and reception of the Lord's Supper.

**We strive** to share the Good News of Christ's victory over death through proclamation in our worship services, Christian education programs in our community, and support of missions in Alaska, the Pacific Northwest and the World.

**We seek** to live as God's children, open to the leading of the Holy Spirit by witness and discipleship of Christ Jesus through the use of our time, talent, and treasures.

**The Lord's Supper:** The Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Savior, given and shed for us for the forgiveness of sins. We celebrate this meal often in remembrance of Jesus' sacrifice. Baptized adult Christians, understanding and seeking the mystery of this Holy Meal—the nourishing forgiveness and Real Presence of Christ—are invited to participate.

*Should you come to the altar and wish not to receive this sacrament, please cross your arms to receive a blessing. Children who have not yet been confirmed are invited to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing.*

## ALC Weekly Calendar

<b>Sunday, July 12</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Traditional Worship</b>
	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Contemporary Worship</b>
<b>Monday, July 13</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Zoom Women's Bible Study</b>
	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>ALANON Brown Bag</b>
<b>Tuesday, July 14</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>ALANON Brown Bag</b>
<b>Wednesday, July 15</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>ALANON Brown Bag</b>
<b>Thursday, July 16</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>ALANON Brown Bag</b>
	<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>Praise Team</b>
	<b>6:30 PM</b>	<b>Youth Praise Team</b>
<b>Friday, July 17</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>ALANON Brown Bag</b>
<b>Saturday, July 18</b>		
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Traditional Worship</b>
	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Contemporary Worship</b>

**TEXTS** from the Church?

Contact the office to register your number!



## CLARE HOUSE—TODAY

Please drop off your items in the kitchen, marked CLARE HOUSE

THANK YOU!!

**\*\*We are looking for someone to take over this ministry, starting in August. If you are interested, please contact the Church Office.\*\***

Altar Flowers:

Mike & Lynn Boots

**\*\*\*We are streaming BOTH Services via Facebook!\*\*\***

*thank you*  
**FOR JOINING US**