The Third Sunday after Pentecost

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§ *A Heartfelt Welcome To Our Guests* §

Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church (FELC). We're pleased you've come to receive the blessings our Lord gives in the Divine Service. Please help us get to know you and record your attendance by signing the red record of fellowship book as it is passed down the pew and/or the guest book in the narthex. Most Sundays we host refreshments after the service. Please join us downstairs in the Parish Fellowship. This is a great way to get to know the members of the family of FELC.

Holy Communion Announcement

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Faith in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and so are unable to receive the Sacrament are invited to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased.

How Can We Help You? We want your visit to be a blessing to you and strive to be as user friendly as possible. Our pastor is also available for pastoral care whether you're here for a week, months, years, or permanently. Faith is a member of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.

Those Serving June 26th at Faith

Organist	Mary Jones	**Asst. Minister**	Dennis Engstrom
Acolyte		**Greeters**	
Altar Guild	Lee Phinney	**Refreshments**	
Ushers	Don Edie, Jared Munson Henry Gordon, Fred Brady	**Sermon Title**	Set Free for What?

The order of service for today begins on page 184 of the Lutheran Service Book.

Confession and Absolution

Please rise. The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C **who made heaven and earth.**
P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

The Congregation reflects silently on God's Word using the Ten Commandments to examine specific sins committed in thought, word, and deed.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,
C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

818 In Thee Is Gladness

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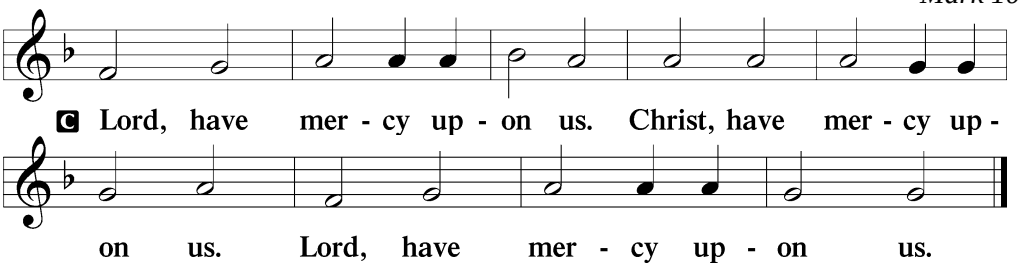
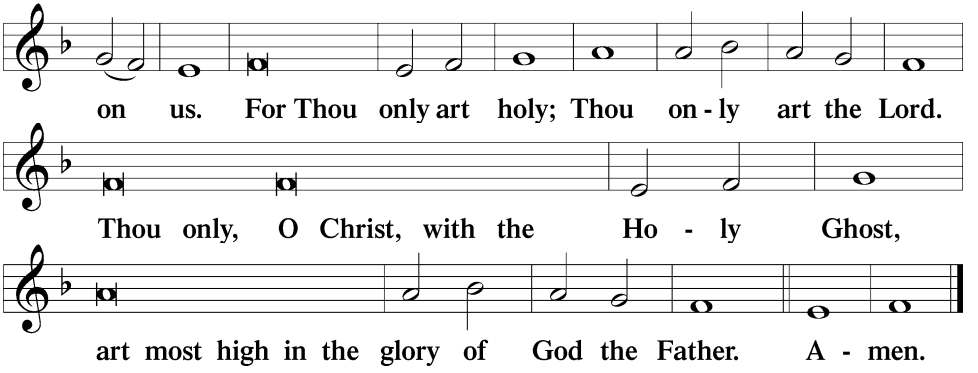
P Alleluia. When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. Alleluia. *Luke 9:51*

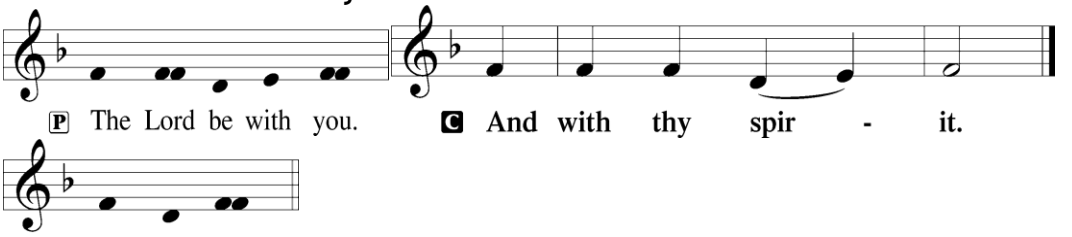
Kyrie *Mark 10:47*



Gloria in Excelsis *Luke 2:14; John 1:29*



Salutation and Collect of the Day



℗ Let us pray. Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness that we may love and serve our neighbor; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Please be seated

Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 19:9b–21

Ⓐ The Old Testament Reading for the Third Sunday after Pentecost is from 1 Kings, chapter 19.

Behold, the word of the LORD came to [Elijah], and he said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" [10]He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." [11]And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD." And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. [12]And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. [13]And when

Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” 14He said, “I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away.” 15And the LORD said to him, “Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. 16And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. 17And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. 18Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.”

19So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. 20And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, “Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you.” And he said to him, “Go back again, for what have I done to you?” 21And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm

Psalm 16; antiphon: v. 11

Antiphon You make known to me the | path of life;*
in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures for- | evermore.

1Preserve me, | O God,*
for in you I take | refuge.
2I say to the LORD, “You | are my Lord;*
I have no good a- | part from you.”

3As for the saints | in the land,*
they are the excellent ones, in whom is all | my delight.

4The sorrows of those who run after another god shall | multiply;*
their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names | on my lips.

5The LORD is my chosen portion | and my cup;*
you | hold my lot.

[6]The lines have fallen for me in pleasant | places;*
indeed, I have a beautiful in- | heritance.

[7]I bless the LORD who gives me | counsel;*
in the night also my heart in- | structs me.
[8]I have set the LORD always be- | fore me;*
because he is at my right hand, I shall not be | shaken.

[9]Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being re- | joices;*
my flesh also | dwells secure.
[10]For you will not abandon my soul | to Sheol,*
or let your holy one see cor- | ruption.

Antiphon **You make known to me the | path of life;***
in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures for- | evermore.

Epistle

Galatians 5:1, 13–25

A The Epistle is from Galatians, chapter 5.

[1]For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. . . .

[13]For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. [14]For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." [15]But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

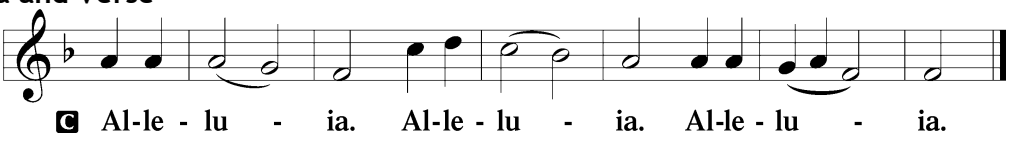
[16]But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. [17]For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. [18]But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. [19]Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, [20]idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, [21]envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. [22]But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, [23]gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. [24]And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

[25]If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

A This is the Word of the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

Please rise

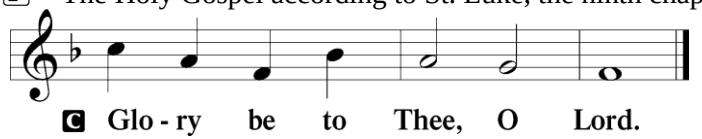
Alleluia and Verse



Holy Gospel

Luke 9:51–62

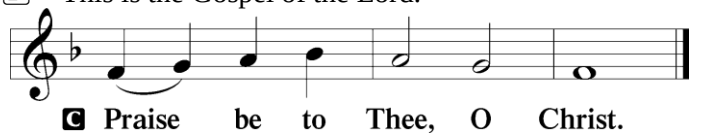
P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.



51When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to
Jerusalem. 52And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the
Samaritans, to make preparations for him. 53But the people did not receive him, because
his face was set toward Jerusalem. 54And when his disciples James and John saw it, they
said, "Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?"
55But he turned and rebuked them. 56And they went on to another village.

57As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever
you go." 58And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but
the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." 59To another he said, "Follow me." But he
said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." 60And Jesus said to him, "Leave the dead
to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." 61Yet
another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home."
62Jesus said to him, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the
kingdom of God."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life ✢ everlasting. Amen.

Please be seated

688 "Come, Follow Me," the Savior Spake

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Sermon

Please rise

652 Father, We Thank Thee

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Please be seated

Offering

Please rise

Prayer of the Church

P In peace, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For boldness in prayer, that the Church would have the zeal of Jesus Christ who set His face to go to Jerusalem and would not be deterred from the way of the cross, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For all pastors and church workers, that their labor of proclaiming God's steadfast love, announcing freedom from the yoke of slavery to sin, and pointing all toward the cross of Christ may never be in vain, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For Christian homes, that they would never become a stumbling block to the kingdom of God, but instead would serve as a place of growth in the fruit of the Spirit, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For our president, governor, legislature and magistrates, that God would grant them insight and wisdom, direct them to punish evildoers, reward the righteous and strive for peace, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For those listed in our bulletin and all who have requested prayer, that God would be to them a refuge in times of trial, granting healing, strength and comfort, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For all who commune this day, that God would thereby graft into our hearts the love of His name and the fruit of the Spirit to express love for God by bearing fruit for our neighbor's good, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For the Church of Jesus Christ, that her eyes may always be fixed on Him and the way of His cross; that she would be spared from hindrance and distraction; and that her freedom in the Gospel would not become an excuse for sin and vice, but an opportunity for love and service, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

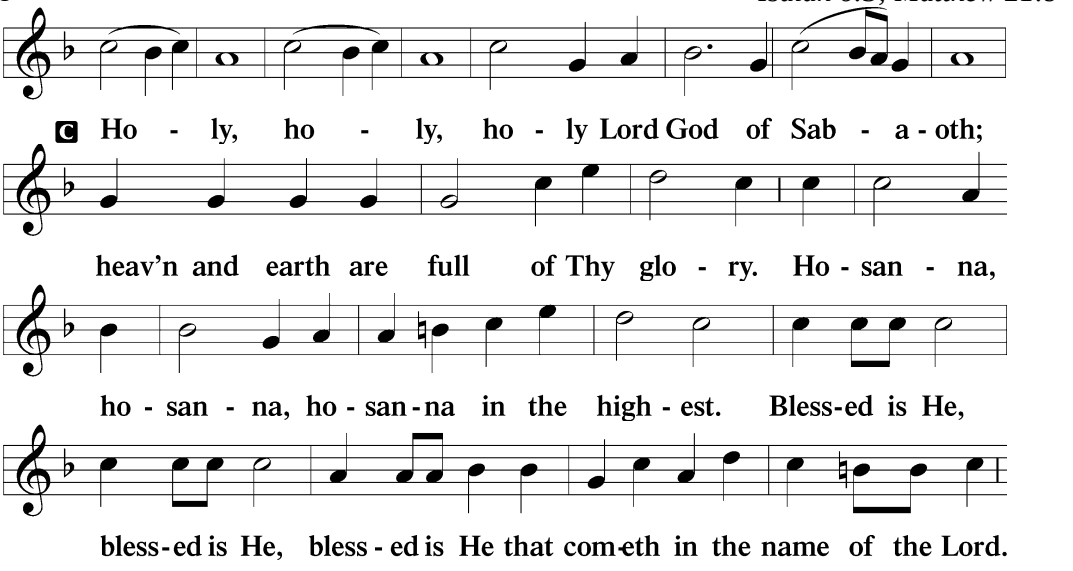
C **Amen.**

Service of the Sacrament

Preface *2 Timothy 4:22; [Colossians 3:1]; [Psalm 136]*

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus *Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



Lord's Prayer *Matthew 6:9–13*

C **Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,**
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

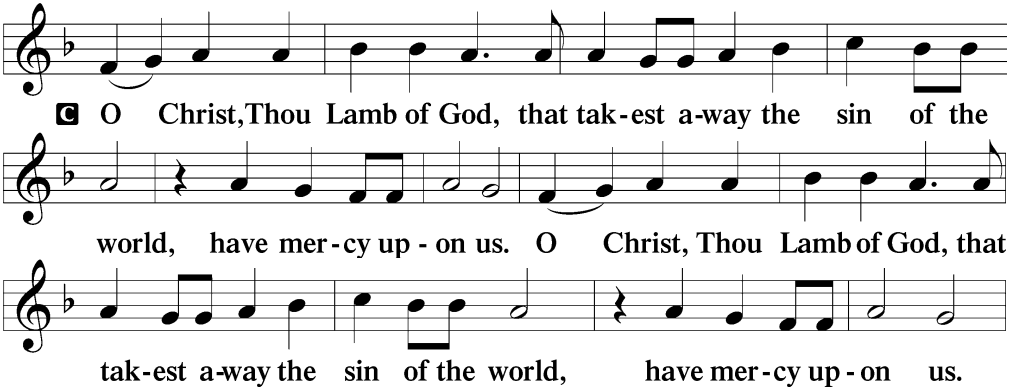
The Words of Our Lord *Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

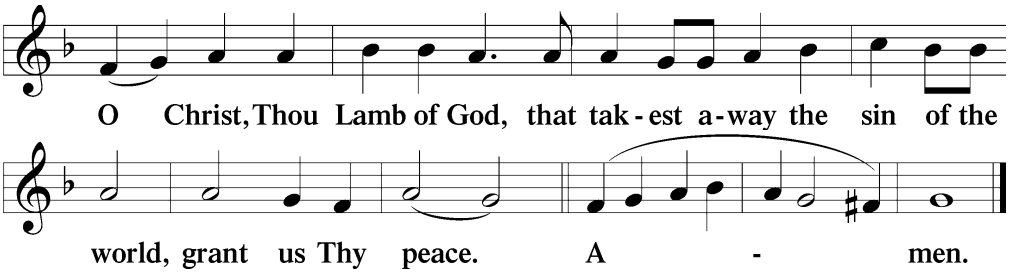
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✝ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✝ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

Agnus Dei





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Distribution

Communing at Faith *Please refer to our Communion Statement on page 2.*

712 Seek Ye First *Copyright not provided, please use hymnal*

802 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

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731 O God, Forsake Me Not

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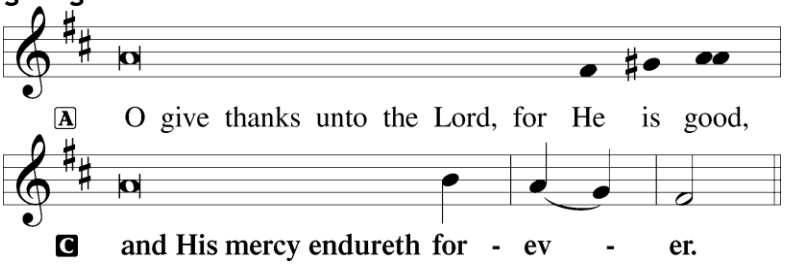
P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✢ in peace.

C **Amen.**

Please rise

Nunc Dimittis *Luke 2:29–32*

Thanksgiving *Psalm 107:1*



A Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Salutation *2 Timothy 4:22*

Benedicamus *Psalm 103:1*

Benediction (Pauline)

P The grace of our Lord ✢ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

854 Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, I Go

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FELC ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK IN PERSON AND THROUGH ZOOM

Sunday	9:15 AM 10:30 AM	Bible Study- Amos Divine Service
Thursday	10:00AM-2:00 PM	Piece Makers
Sunday	9:15 AM 10:30 AM	Bible Study- Amos Divine Service

PIECE MAKERS will meet every month on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Thursdays from 10am-2pm at Elaine Schumacher's house to make some pieces and put them together into something pretty and/or useful. Elaine's downstairs is filed with beautiful, donated fabrics and every tool imaginable for creating items big and small.

Now, don't let this scare you off. If you can't sew a straight seam, I'll bet you are handy with an iron to press a seam. If you're not handy with a scissors or rotary cutter, I'll bet you can turn a crank to cut out the pieces of fabric. Then there is a design wall for putting pieces together in an order that YOU like. Then those who sew will put the pieces together into blocks.

So, what's the point? Really, three:

- Learn a new skill
- enjoy the fellowship
- create items for sale at our Bazaar to support LWML Mites.

Beverages will be provided but please bring a sack lunch.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE "God loves you as His adopted son or daughter--a truth that no virus or civil strife can ever take away. Welcome to the family." Rev. Dr. Anthony (Tony) Cook, guest speaker on The Lutheran Hour -- A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life * lutheransforlife.org

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Requesting Prayers

Pray for Our Servicemen and Missionaries we support

† Franklin LaLonde † Chris MacMurray † Jacob Gan † Anthony Isaac
† Laramie Yancey † Geoff Gronewold †
† Rev. Dr. David Preus & family (Romania) † Nathaniel & Emma Jensen (Kaiserslauten) †

Current Events

† Pray that we and the nations put away false gods, but know, trust, love, and follow Jesus
† Natural disasters recovery
† Prayers for Peace and Justice
† Prayer for Nation's Leaders and illness; prayer for the Lord to do His will through our local, state, and national elections
† Health Workers
† Educators & Students
† All new military visitors and families

Thanksgivings

† Kaison Laroi Boorom
† Al Isaac
† Jeff Malam
† Todd Meyer
† Flori Scheuermann
† Free Women's Center

COVID-19 Thanksgivings

† Maria Candler
† Tom Candler
† Jaroslav Candler
† Thankfulness for Vaccine
† Ollie Schneider

COVID-19 Concerns

† Scott Bryan
† SFC Mike Heib

Immediate Needs

† Rachel Benton
† Ken and Cheryl Bohannon
† Karen Boorom
† Ralph Bush
† Don Colby
† Lexi Crider
† Rodney Drees
† Ethel Duke
† Joe Duke
† Marcia Euren
† Jamie Ann Gan
† Jana Goodard
† Darrel Hinrichs
† Candy Holsten
† Herb and Joan Houser
† Joelle Jones
† Michelle Jones
† Irene Leitgeb
† Marti MacMurray
† Tim Matthews
† JD Mattison
† Clark Mullins
† Marion Munson
† Ingrid Ozee
† Renate Phillips
† Bill Rostad
† Pastor Ben Schumacher
† Elaine Schumacher
† Mike Statton
† Robin Stillwell
† Brian Strong
† Roberta Thornsberry
† Linda Tucker
† John Vaughan
† Brenda Webbink

Long Term Needs

† Marolyn Baxter
† Ann Marie Boerner (Capps)
† The Boettger Family
† Barb BonGiovanni
† Dan Boorom
† Kassy Boorom
† Ray Crosby
† Fulton Dobbs
† Sharon & Duane Green
† Roger Heimsoth
† Finnigan Heine
† Fayetta Hunter
† Doug Isaac
† Mary Jones
† Liz Joyce
† Linda Keener
† Marge Kohl
† Marian Kubinski
† Ken Merrill
† Sydney Merrill
† Jenny Miessler
† Velda Myers
† Anthony Nolting
† Ed Pyatt
† Dwayne Richard
† Susan Rostad
† Melvin and Joan Rust
† Ben Paul Schumacher
† Mary Smith
† Donna Thomas
† Becky Vogel
† Ron Weaver
† Jerome Welliver
† Lisa Weinhold
† Mike Wilson
† Donna Wogan
† Kathy Wortham
† Samantha

Comfort Facing Death

† The Family of Mary Heimsoth
† The Family of Carol Mitchell
† The Family of Doris Schneider