



## **The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

July 20th, 2025

Pastor Tim Heinecke



## *Worship Notes*

- Families with children are warmly welcome! We love to have children participate in worship and offer special bulletins just for kids.
- If you need to step out of the worship service with a child, there are chairs set up in the Family Room at the south end of the narthex/entry with speakers from the sanctuary. However, please do not feel pressure to leave if your child acts up a little bit. We want children to learn how to worship with us!
- If you have difficulty standing during the service, please remain seated.
- We have hearing assistance devices for the Sanctuary. If you are having difficulty hearing during worship, let Pastor or one of the AV volunteers know and they will get you a device.
- Restrooms (with changing tables) are located at the north end of the narthex/entry.
- Please remember to silence your cell phone before worship begins.
- If you are a guest today, we are happy you are here! Please take time after the service to introduce yourself to the pastor. We would like to get to know you better!
- If you are a guest, please do not feel obliged to give an offering. If you belong to another congregation, please continue to support them. If you are new to Christianity, let us help you understand God's gifts to you so that you know why we give offerings. Instead of passing the offering plate, we will worship God by placing our offerings in the "noisy can" in the narthex/entry.

## *Holy Communion*

This morning we will celebrate Holy Communion during worship. This is a very special and important part of our life together as Christians. Jesus promises to give us His own body and blood together with the bread and wine in this meal in a miraculous way. Through this meal He forgives our sins and strengthens our relationship with Him and with one another. God invites all who trust in Christ's Word, repent of all sins, and resolve to forgive others as we have been forgiven.

Because participation in this meal is also a confession of the faith of this congregation (1 Cor. 11:26), and because those who eat and drink Christ's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm (1 Cor. 11:27), it is important that all baptized Christians examine themselves *before* communing (1 Cor. 11:28). If you have not been instructed, are in doubt, or do not share the confession of this congregation and the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, we suggest that you refrain from communing this morning. We invite you to speak with the pastor after the service, however, so that we might celebrate this meal together in the future.

(Gluten-free wafers are available for those who need them. If this would be helpful to you, please inform an usher or the pastor before we celebrate the Lord's Supper.)

### **+ Preparation +**

*Before the service, please use the sanctuary to prepare for worship. We invite you to use this time to prepare by reflecting on the Scripture readings and songs. To help others also prepare for worship, please keep voices low in the sanctuary.*

Each Sunday of the year is marked in the church in relation to Jesus' life and ministry.

During the season of Pentecost we focus on our life together as the body of Christ and the mission God has given us to make disciples of all nations.

In the opening hymn we thank and praise God for gathering us together as His people.

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### Pre-Communion Prayer

Almighty God, thank you for going to the cross to save me.  
As I prepare to receive your Body and Blood, I am sorry for all my sins.  
Please forgive me and strengthen my trust in you. By your grace, help me to live in fellowship with you and my brothers and sisters in Christ. Amen.

### Sharing of the Peace

John 14:27

Pastor: May the peace of the Lord be with you,

**Congregation: And also with you.**

### Opening Hymn

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* LSB 411

1 I want to walk as a child of the light.  
2 I want to see the bright-ness of God.

I want to fol - low at Je - sus.  
I want to look at Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world.  
Clear Sun of Righ - teous - ness, shine on my path,

The star show of my life is Je - sus.  
And show me the way to the Fa - ther.

*Refrain*  
In Him there is no dark - ness at all.  
The night and the day are both a - like.  
The Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.  
Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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3 I'm looking for the coming of Christ.  
I want to be with Jesus.  
When we have run with patience the race,  
We shall know the joy of Jesus.  
In Him there is no darkness at all.  
The night and the day are both alike.  
The Lamb is the light of the city of God.  
Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.

### *Invocation*

*To "invoke" is to call upon. We call on our Triune God because we are baptized into His name.*

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### *Confession of Sins*

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C: who made heaven and earth.**

*(Psalm 124:8)*

P: If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

**C: But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.** *(Psalm 130:3-4)*

*We admit to God and to each other that we have not lived according to God's law. We ask God to forgive us for the sake of Jesus' sacrificial death on the cross.*

P: Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

*(Silence for self-examination and personal confession to God.)*

**C: Almighty God, have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

### *Forgiveness of Sins*

*God completely removes our sin through faith in Christ. These words of forgiveness are from God Himself. (John 20:21-23)*

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

*The Book of Psalms was like a prayer book for the people of God in the Old Testament. It proclaims the promises of God that were fulfilled in Jesus' death and resurrection.*

## ***Responsive Psalm***

*Psalm 18:31-42*

P: For who is God, but the Lord?

**C: And who is a rock, except our God?—**

P: the God who equipped me with strength and made my way blameless.

**C: He made my feet like the feet of a deer**

P: and set me secure on the heights.

**C: He trains my hands for war, so that my arms can bend a bow of bronze.**

P: You have given me the shield of your salvation,

**C: and your right hand supported me,**

P: and your gentleness made me great.

**C: You gave a wide place for my steps under me, and my feet did not slip.**

P: I pursued my enemies and overtook them,

**C: and did not turn back till they were consumed.**

P: I thrust them through, so that they were not able to rise;

**C: they fell under my feet.**

P: For you equipped me with strength for the battle;

**C: you made those who rise against me sink under me.**

P: You made my enemies turn their backs to me,

**C: and those who hated me I destroyed.**

P: They cried for help, but there was none to save;

**C: they cried to the Lord, but he did not answer them.**

P: I beat them fine as dust before the wind;

**C: I cast them out like the mire of the streets.**

**+ Word +**

## ***First Reading***

*Acts 1:4-8*

<sup>4</sup> And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, “you heard from me; <sup>5</sup> for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”

<sup>6</sup> So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?” <sup>7</sup> He said to them, “It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. <sup>8</sup> But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

## *Second Reading*

*Ephesians 6:11-17*

<sup>11</sup> Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. <sup>12</sup> For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. <sup>13</sup> Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm. <sup>14</sup> Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, <sup>15</sup> and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. <sup>16</sup> In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; <sup>17</sup> and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God,

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

## *Gospel Reading*

*Matthew 28:16-20*

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.

**C: Glory be to You, O Lord.**

<sup>16</sup> Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. <sup>17</sup> And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. <sup>18</sup> And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord!

**C: Praise to You, O Christ!**

*During the Sermon Hymn, children are invited to come forward and worship God by placing their offering in the Noisy Can up front, then return to their seats.*

*"Gospel" literally means "good news." The four gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John) tell the good news of Jesus' life, death, resurrection, and promise to return.*

*John writes, "These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, and by believing you may have life in his name." (John 20:31)*

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### *Sermon Hymn*

*Fight the Good Fight LSB 664 v 1-2*

1 Fight the good fight with all your might; Christ is your  
2 Run the straight race through God's good grace; Lift up your  
strength, and Christ your right. Lay hold on life, and  
eyes, and seek His face. Life with its way be -  
it shall be Your joy and crown e - ter - nal - ly,  
fore us lies; Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them."  
(Mark 10:14)

### *Children's Message*

*This brief lesson is designed for children up to sixth grade.  
Parents are welcome to come up with their children.  
We ask that all children under three be accompanied by a parent.*

### *Sermon Hymn*

*Fight the Good Fight LSB 664 v 3-4*

- 3 **Cast care aside, lean on your guide;  
His boundless mercy will provide.  
Trust, and enduring faith shall prove  
Christ is your life and Christ your love.**
- 4 **Faint not nor fear, His arms are near;  
He changes not who holds you dear;  
Only believe, and you will see  
That Christ is all eternally.**

### *Sermon*

**Sermon Title: "Charlie Mike"**  
**Guest Pastor: Reverend Mark Moss of Lutheran Heritage Foundation**

The pastor preaches the Word of God (2 Tim. 4:2). Listen for God's commands (Law) and God's promises in Christ (Gospel).

*Jesus instructs us to confess our faith in Him. (Matt. 10:32). Today we confess our faith with the words of the Nicene Creed, which has been confessed in various forms since the 2<sup>nd</sup> Century AD.*

*God promises to hear our prayers in Jesus' name. (Acts 4:12)*

*Take note of the prayer requests made at this time and incorporate them into your daily prayers.*

*If you would like to add or remove an ongoing prayer request, contact the church by Wednesday afternoon each week.*

## ***Confession of Faith***

P: Christian, what do you believe?

**C: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And he will come again to judge the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## ***The Prayers of the Church***

*After each petition:*

P: Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

## ***Praise and Thanksgiving***

*Birthdays this week:* Ruth Endthoff (7/21), Maxwell Neubauer (7/21),

Mattie Gunderson (7/22)

*Anniversaries this week:* Mark & Tammy Grossklaus (7/23),

Carson & DeVonna Scheuffele (7/23)

## ***Other Concerns***

All those attending the Youth Gathering in New Orleans

Families struggling with addictions

Those who are disconnected from Christ and the church

Pastor Fung Lo, Kalia, and Mercy as they serve as missionaries to Thailand

Amy Formella and her work at Lutheran Bible Translators

Persecuted Christians

Our Nation



Our persecuted Christians we are praying for this week: Nigeria  
 Population: 229.2 million  
 Estimated number of Christians: 106.6 million  
 Despite nearly half of their country identifying as Christian, more Christians die for their faith in Nigeria than in any other country.

When His disciples asked Jesus how to pray, He taught them the "Lord's Prayer."  
 (Matt. 6:9-13)

When combined with the Word and promise of God, the bread and wine are the true body and blood of Christ.  
 Two things happen in the Lord's Supper: God forgives & strengthens us, & we confess our faith as one.

## **Comfort, healing, recovery, and physical strength**

Bryan Carter (cancer)	Desmond
Don Meyer (health issues)	Keith Gartland (melanoma)
Eric Endthoff (back trouble)	Ryan (heart attack recovery)
George Spratt (physical pain)	Harley Hughes (stroke recovery)
Helen Bauer (health issues)	Oleg (digestive issues)
Julie Trippel (health issues)	Brenda (Marten's daughter, lupus)
Leon Williams (health issues)	Gabe (brain tumor)
Marilyn Acker (chronic pain)	Vellenia (Damaris' niece, cancer)
Mary Kemkes (health/memory issues)	Ronan (Gloria's grandson)
Michele Fisher (health issues)	Daniel (stroke recovery)
Robin Wies (cancer)	Kurt (Lisa's brother, cancer)
Al (recovery from surgery after a fall)	Mary Jo Burke (breast cancer)
Kate (Marten's granddaughter, health issues)	

## ***The Lord's Prayer***

**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.**

**+ Sacrament +**

## ***Words of Institution***

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. Do this 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 is My + blood of the new testament, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

*Matt 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:18-20*

## ***Proclamation of Christ***

P: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup,

**C: We proclaim the Lord's death until He comes. 1 Cor. 11:26**

Guests: Please  
see instructions  
for Holy  
Communion on  
page one.

## Distribution

Thoughts for self-examination as you prepare to commune:

We believe that the bread and wine are Jesus' true body and blood.

Christ invites those who repent of their sins and trust Him to forgive.

We are called to forgive another as we have been forgiven.

When we commune together we confess our faith together.

The ushers will invite those who are communing to come forward row by row.

After Communing, please exit the sanctuary out the door to your left (past the piano and AV Booth) and return to your seat.

Grape juice is available for those who are unable to drink wine. Gluten-free wafers are available for those who need them. Please mention either of these needs to an usher or the pastor.

## Communion Hymns

Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior LSB 619

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Christian

Heyder, 1677–  
1754; tr. The  
Lutheran  
Hymnal, 1941,  
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Tune:

Emskirchner  
Choral-Buch,  
1756, Leipzig

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1 Thy bod - y, giv'n for me, O Sav - ior, Thy blood which  
2 With Thee, Lord, I am now u - nit - ed; I live in  
3 Who can con - demn me now? For sure - ly The Lord is  
4 Though death may threat - en with dis - as - ter, It can - not  
5 My heart has now be - come Thy dwell - ing, O bless - ed,



Thou for me didst shed, These are my life and  
Thee and Thou in me. No sor - row fills my  
nigh, who jus - ti - fies. No hell I fear, and  
rob me of my cheer; For He who is of  
ho - ly Trin - i - ty. With an - gels I, Thy



strength for - ev - er, By them my hun - gry soul is fed.  
soul, de - light - ed It finds its on - ly joy in Thee.  
thus se - cure - ly With Je - sus I to heav - en rise.  
death the mas - ter With aid and com - fort e'er is near.  
prais - es tell - ing, Shall live in joy e - ter - nal - ly.



Lord, may Thy bod - y and Thy blood Be for my soul the high - est good!

*The Church's One Foundation LSB 644*

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1900, alt.

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S. Wesley,  
1810–76

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1 The Church's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;  
2 E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, Yet one o'er all the earth;  
3 Though with a scorn - ful won - der The world sees her op - pressed,  
4 Through toil and trib - u - la - tion And tu - mult of her war  
5 Yet she on earth has u - nion With God, the Three in One,



She is His new cre - a - tion By wa - ter and the Word.  
Her char - ter of sal - va - tion: One Lord, one faith, one birth.  
By schisms rent a - sun - der, By her - e - sies dis - tressed,  
She waits the con - sum - ma - tion Of peace for - ev - er - more  
And mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion With those whose rest is won.



From heav'n He came and sought her To be His ho - ly bride;  
One ho - ly name she bless - es, Par - takes one ho - ly food,  
Yet saints their watch are keep - ing; Their cry goes up, "How long?"  
Till with the vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are blest,  
O bless - ed heav'n - ly cho - rus! Lord, save us by Your grace



With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.  
And to one hope she press - es With ev - 'ry grace en - dued.  
And soon the night of weep - ing Shall be the morn of song.  
And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest.  
That we, like saints be - fore us, May see You face to face.

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Franzmann,  
1907–76  
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# Thy Strong Word LSB 578



1 Thy strong word did cleave the dark - ness; At Thy  
2 Lo, on those who dwelt in dark - ness, Dark as  
3 Thy strong Word be - speaks us righ - teous; Bright with  
4 From the cross Thy wis - dom shin - ing Break - eth



speak - ing it was done. For cre - at - ed  
night and deep as death, Broke the light of  
Thine own ho - li - ness, Glo - rious now, we  
forth in con - qu'ring might; From the cross for -



light we thank Thee, While Thine or - dered sea - sons run.  
Thy sal - va - tion, Breathed Thine own life - breath - ing breath.  
press toward glo - ry, And our lives our hopes con - fess.  
ev - er beam - eth All Thy bright re - deem - ing light.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to



Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!

- 5 Give us lips to sing Thy glory,  
 Tongues Thy mercy to proclaim,  
 Throats that shout the hope that fills us,  
 Mouths to speak Thy holy name.  
 Alleluia, alleluia!  
 May the light which Thou dost send  
 Fill our songs with alleluias,  
 Alleluias without end!
- 6 God the Father, light-creator,  
 To Thee laud and honor be.  
 To Thee, Light of Light begotten,  
 Praise be sung eternally.  
 Holy Spirit, light-revealer,  
 Glory, glory be to Thee.  
 Mortals, angels, now and ever  
 Praise the holy Trinity!

### *Dismissal*

P: May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in true faith unto life everlasting. Depart in + peace.

**C: Amen.**

### *Prayer of Thanksgiving*

P: We give thanks to You, Almighty God, for You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come. You have refreshed us through the body and blood of Your beloved Son. We now humbly ask that 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.

**C: Amen.**

### *Announcements*

### *Benediction*

P: The Lord bless you and keep you;  
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
 The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

**C: Amen.**

P: Go in Peace and

**C: Serve the Lord!**

*We thank God  
 for the  
 forgiveness and  
 strength that He  
 gives us  
 through his  
 body and blood.*

*God instructed  
 Aaron to bless  
 His people with  
 these words.  
 (Numbers  
 6:24-26)*

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1677, Münster;  
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## **Serving next week, July 27**

**Greeters:** Lyle & Lynn Nelson

**PowerPoints:** Jessica Aufderhar

**Acolytes:** Parker Minlschmidt, Owen Minlschmidt, Lila Heinecke

**Flowers:** Given by Ric & Kari McDermaid

**Church Cleaners:** Cleaning Authority

**Music:** Soul Purpose

**Reader:** Gloria Dirksen

**Snacks:** Lexy Hanson, Judy Novy

## **Calendar of Events**

You can attend Worship and Adult Bible Study in person, watch the live stream on YouTube, or watch the video on YouTube after the in-person event ends.

Today:                   Worship with Communion 9:00 am  
                              Sunday School, Youth Group, Adult Bible Study 10:30 am

Tuesday:               Narcotics Anonymous 7:00 pm

Wednesday:           Soul Purpose Practice 7:00 pm

Thursday:              Blood Drive 12:30 pm

Friday:                 Ezra and Nehemiah: The Lord is Faithful Bible Study 10:00 am

Next Sunday:          Worship 9:00 am  
                              Sunday School, Youth Group, Voter's Meeting 10:30 am  
                              **SURPRISE** Ordination Anniversary Potluck Party for Pastor Tim 11:45 am

## **Things You Should Know**

### **Lutheran Heritage Foundation**

Today we welcome Reverend Mark Moss, mission engagement associate at the Lutheran Heritage Foundation, as our guest preacher. Join us during the Education Hour, when Rev. Moss will tell about LHF's mission work around the globe, and how God is calling people to faith through the Lutheran literature available in their own languages. To support this important mission effort, you may use the special offering envelope attached to the enclosed LHF brochure.

### **Help Texas Flood Victims Today**

Many people in Texas have been deeply affected by recent storms and flooding. Today, our Men's Group is hosting a door offering to collect funds to help these storm victims. Our Men's Group will match any funds raised up to \$500. The money will be channeled to the victims through the LCMS Disaster Response, so 100% of it will get to those in need. Checks can be made out to "New Life Church" with "Texas Disaster" in the memo line.

### **Blood Drive at New Life**

New Life will be hosting an American Red Cross Blood Drive on July 24th from 12:30 - 6:30 pm. Sign up to donate by going to [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) and entering Hugo, or call 1-800 RED CROSS. Do your Rapid Pass the day of the drive to save time at check-in. Also spread the word with your neighbors and family! Blood supply is always low!

## **Voter's Meeting**

Our quarterly Voter's Meeting will be held next Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, during the Education Hour at 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

## **SURPRISE Ordination Anniversary Potluck Party for Pastor Tim**

This July marks the 15th anniversary of Pastor Tim's ordination into ministry. To celebrate this milestone, we will be having a **SURPRISE** party/potluck at church on July 27th after the Voter's Meeting.

- The Fellowship Board will be ordering BBQ meat from Famous Dave's and we'd like to get a headcount of who will be attending so we can be sure to get enough meat. If you will be attending, please sign up on the sheet in the narthex on July 20th, or contact me by July 23rd via email ([newlifelifehugo@gmail.com](mailto:newlifelifehugo@gmail.com)) or text (218 616 0259).
- During the potluck, we will have some "open mic" time where anyone can share stories about Pastor Tim.
- I will also be collecting memories and notes from people whose lives he has touched. If you'd like to share something, you can send it to me at [newlifelifehugo@gmail.com](mailto:newlifelifehugo@gmail.com) or 218 616 0259, or mail it to New Life Church c/o Lisa Heinecke, 6000 N 148th St, Hugo MN 55038. There are notecards available in the Narthex as well if you'd prefer to handwrite your note.

Again, this will be a **SURPRISE** for Pastor Tim, the goal is for him to not hear anything about this until I make an announcement during worship on the 27th, so please don't say anything to him. Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks! -Lisa Heinecke

## **National Night Out**

2nd Annual Community Night Out at New Life August 5 from 6 - 8 p.m. Bounce house, popcorn, root beer floats and games for all. Volunteers will be needed. Watch for more information and sign-up sheets. Spread the word!

**If you have any changes or additions to the bulletin during the summer, send an email by Tuesday morning to Lisa Heinecke at [newlifelifehugo@gmail.com](mailto:newlifelifehugo@gmail.com).**

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