

July 16, 2017

The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost



Prayer Requests

Healing and Comfort

Ruthann Willard
Barb Westphall
Shirley Nuechterlein

Blessings/Guidance

Marriage of Elizabeth Asefa
to Jonah
Concordia University
Paul & Kristin Humber

Shut in

Vera Schwagel
Heritage Apartments
1440 Midway Parkway,
#214
St. Paul, MN. 55108

The Week Ahead

SUNDAY, July 16
9:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship w/ Communion
8:00 P.M. Softball @ McKnight 1

MONDAY, July 17

TUESDAY, July 18

WEDNESDAY, July 19
7:00 P.M. Open Church

THURSDAY, July 20

FRIDAY, July 21

SATURDAY, July 22

SUNDAY, July 23
9:30 A.M. Traditional Worship
6:00 P.M. Softball @ McKnight 3

Upcoming Birthdays, Feasts & Commemoration

July 16: Sue Kressin, Ruth
July 17: Judy Brinkman
July 18: Cheryl Smith
July 19:
July 20: Elijah
July 21: Ezekiel
July 22: St. Mary Magdalene



July contact person: John & Gayle Schonebaum

Michael & Trica (Schmidt) Bauch, B.J. & Jill Brown, Ernest & Joan Brown,
Michelle Connolly, Bill Johnson, Tami Nissen-Omossowon, Shelly Novotny, John & Gayle
Schonebaum, Jackie & Gerald Spiess, Andrew & Hanna Temme, James & Cindy Westphall, Bill
Willard, Jeremiah & Ruth Willard.

Welcome Visitors

Please sign the attendance register. If you desire a call from the pastor or are interested in membership, please note that on the attendance register.

Our Mission Statement:

To proclaim the gospel through word and sacrament to our membership, our communities and our world.

Our Vision:

Connecting people with Jesus Christ and each other through worship, learning and service.

Connecting Groups & Youth:

Much more than a Bible Study...

come and find true Biblical Relationships.

For more info, contact: Megan Huff
meghuff@gmail.com

About Communion:

Non-alcoholic wine is offered in the center of the communion trays. It is distinctly lighter than the surrounding wine. Children who have not received instruction are invited to the rail to receive a blessing. Visitors are welcomed to the rail if you join us in confessing that the Lord gives not only bread and wine, but His very Body and Blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of our sins and to strengthen our union with Him and one another. Our Lord invites to this table those who (1) trust his words, (2) repent of all sins and (3) set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He has forgiven and loves us.

Sunday Services

Worship 9:30 AM (May 28-Sept. 10)

Education Hour 10:45 AM

Holy Communion services on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday of each month.

Eritrean Service 12 Noon



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July 16 Worship Assistants

Preacher: Rev. Andrew Thompson
Acolytes: (9:30) Amarti Maskalo & Lexi Miller
Caretaker: (9:30) Admasu Mekonen
Video Ministry: Jeff Johnson
Communion Assistants: (9:30) Akbar Muhammad, John Schonebaum, Russ Van Dassar
Elder: (9:30) Wayne Warnest
Greeters: (9:30) Jerry & Jackie Spiess
Lector: (9:30) Anna Miller
Music: (9:30) Worship Band
Soundboard: (9:30) Leonard Miller
Ushers: (9:30) Noah Miller, Tesfaya Maskalo, Latera Admasu, Admasu Mekonen

Today's Altar flowers are given by:



Altar
Flowers

Kathy Fleischhacker and family in memory of Andrew Fleischhacker, Sr. who went to his heavenly home four year ago today.
Flowers are also given by Judy Brinkman

Last Week's Contributions:

July 9 9:30 (123)

Current - \$7,271.00
CLS - \$275.00
Special Thanks - \$5.00

Mission - \$10.00
Bldg. Fund - \$3.00

Total - \$7564.00 **(\$8,200 needed weekly)**

July 23 Worship Assistants

Preacher: Rev. Andrew Thompson
Acolytes: (9:30) Abigail Amare & Emma Pagel
Caretaker: (9:30) Rich Culbert
Video Ministry: Jeff Johnson
Communion Assistants: (9:30)
Elder: (9:30) Gene Heuton
Greeters: (9:30) Marie Benson & Candy Pagel
Lector: (9:30) Katie Miller
Music: (9:30) Organist: Bruce Anderson
Soundboard: (9:30) Leonard Miller
Ushers: (9:30) Dale Trapp, Jon, Rich, Tarrie Culbert

After Service Coffee Time

Help is needed to:

- Set up treats
- Serve treats
- Donate treats (fruit is always welcome!)
- Clean-up after everyone has had their fill

If you are available to help out with any of these tasks. Please talk to Lynn Thompson or email her at goodluna07@gmail.com

Food for Frogtown Update

We distributed 12,000 lbs. of food to over 200 households. Over 25 volunteers from St. Stephanus came to help out! Want to join the fun? Here's how:

Come any Friday to volunteer 1-5:30pm

- o Sort food
- o Help people shop
- o Set up tables and tents
- o Serve meals to kids
- o Check shoppers in
- o Sort, date and check dry goods
- o Clean up and break-down
- o Donate toiletry items such as soap, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste, etc.
- o Clean and organize supplies during the week

Contact Lynn Thompson at goodluna07@gmail.com or Cherie Fleischhacker at ckfle@yahoo.com to find out how you can join the fun!

CHANGE of ADDRESS NEW Address Change for
Norm Heidorn
875 Wayzata Boulevard West
Orono, MN. 55391
952-473-6655

He would love visitors but it is suggested that you call first in case the unit is going on an outing.

Bible Study today in the Fireside room.



On the third Sunday of each month, our church collects your pocket change for “mites for missions” in the big mite box in the narthex. Please remember to bring your mite box from home or take one with you to fill for next month. These mites go towards mission projects as well as provide assistance to those seeking a Lutheran High School education, assisting seminary students with food/clothing, or help expand outreach to ethnic women and families to name just a few ways that your mites help the LWML reach the world. Thank you for your continued support. ~Women’s Ministry~

It’s only July, but not too soon to start planning for the annual School supply giveaway. This outreach impacts over 300 children in our neighborhood. There are many opportunities to volunteer like:



- Give out flyers at National Night Out
- Count supplies Aug. 13 right after church
- Pack supplies Aug. 16
- Do a flyer drop in the neighborhood
- Be at the giveaway on Aug. 19
- Give a financial donation
- Pray for a great giveaway

Contact Tarrie Culbert at 651-603-8847 to volunteer