



# First Evangelical Lutheran Church and School

~ Lutheran Church Missouri Synod ~  
"Sharing Christ, Changing Lives"

## AS WE GATHER

Deceptive prophecies are wicked. God will execute judgment on those whose counsels mitigate God's Word! The refrain for the covenant people of God is faith! They whole-heartedly believe exactly what the Lord says and count on His deliverance generation after generation. Jesus desires to reveal not only judgement, but also grace through His cross. Faith alone comprehends the impact of Law and Gospel. Faith clings to Christ and repels all wickedness and deceit.

**Visitors**, thank you for being here today and please fill out a welcome card found in the cardholder slot in your pew. You may tear off the top portion to keep, and place the bottom in the offering plate. Please stop by the welcome center as you depart today and pick up a gift as our token of appreciation for worshipping with us!

**Members**, please use these cards only to notify the Church Office of any changes or needs. Thank you.  
**Blue Binders in the pews** are for signing in for Communion only.

### Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 | Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

**ORDER OF SERVICE:** Divine Service, Setting 4, Page 203

#### HYMNS

**8:00 AM** #578, 655, 785, [633, 636, 643], 661  
**10:30 AM** #605, 655, 785, 661

**ORGANIST:** Paul Otte

#### ACOLYTES

**8:00 AM** – Aleisha Teubert /  
**10:30 AM** – Hannah Grimm / Ethan Grimm

#### DEACONS

**8:00 AM** – Jon Lemke / Rich Jannusch  
**10:30 AM** – Brian Schuch / Bruce Bergmann

#### BIBLE READINGS

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 23:16-29  
Epistle Reading: Hebrews 11:17-31; 12:1-3  
Gospel Reading: Luke 12:49-56

#### SERMON

"Peace and Division"  
~Pastor Peter Adelsen Luke 12:49-56

**CABLE TV, CHANNEL 10:** Wednesdays 6:30 PM | Fridays 5:30 PM

#### INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- Sheryl Mumm, Roger Montgomery, Marion Ische
- Mark Schmidt as he recovers from surgery.
- Cathy Rettmann and Jordan Barthel as they are united in marriage on Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. We pray God's richest blessings upon their marriage!
- Walter Henry Freberg, son of William & Caitlin Freberg, who we welcome into God's family here at First Lutheran through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 10:30 AM service. May God bless you and keep you in the palm of His hand!
- The family and friends of Kathy Terlinden whose funeral is scheduled for Monday, August 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM here at First Lutheran. Blessed are those that die in the Lord!

## This Week at First Lutheran

- Sun. August 18**  
8:00 AM – Divine Service w/ Communion  
9:00 AM – Fellowship: FLC Quilting Ladies  
9:15 AM – Adult Bible Study  
10:30 AM – Divine Service  
2:00 PM – Grand Meadows  
6:30-8:00 PM – I.M.P.A.C.T.
- Mon. August 19**  
5:30 PM – Finance Committee  
6:30 PM – Flames Booster Club
- Tues. August 20**  
9:15-11:00 AM – TWEENS  
9:30 AM – Bible Study  
6:30 PM – Preschool 3 & 4 Orientation
- Wed. August 21**  
9:00 AM – Staff Meeting  
7:00 PM – Worship Service w/ Communion
- Thurs. August 22**  
3:30-7:00 PM – FLS Back to School  
Information Night (Grades K-8)
- Sun. August 25**  
8:00 AM – Divine Service  
9:00 AM – Fellowship: Deacons  
9:15 AM – Adult Bible Study  
9:30 AM – KDUZ Radio Broadcast  
10:30 AM – Divine Service w/ Communion  
*Blessing of the Backpacks*



**COMMUNION POLICY:** We believe that the Lord's Supper is a Sacrament in which Christ's Body and Blood are given in and with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins (Matt. 26:26-28). When we receive Holy Communion at a church, we show that we agree with the faith that is taught there (1 Cor. 10:14-18). St. Paul cautions us about receiving the Body and Blood of Christ in an unworthy manner (1 Cor. 11:27-29). Therefore, we invite to Holy Communion those who have received instruction in the teachings of the Lutheran Church and who agree with the confession of faith as taught in the LCMS. If you are not a member of an LCMS church, we kindly ask that you speak to one of the pastors.

**HOLY COMMUNION:** GLUTEN-FREE COMMUNION WAFERS are available at all services of Holy Communion for those in need of them. Please see a Pastor or a Deacon before the service to let them know of your request. "NON-ALCOHOLIC" WINE is available at all services of Holy Communion. These are the lighter colored cups in the center of the communion tray.

**SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** Please join us at 9:15 AM today in the Fellowship Center as we continue our study "Nurturing your Faith". Session 3: Prayers of Confession.

**STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE:** Luke 12:51 – "Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division." Jesus has come to divide us out of the world, to carve out a people for Himself redeemed by His Blood and trusting His Word. The world hates this Word, but for us it is life and salvation. We seek to follow Jesus' Word in all things because we know Him who gave us the Word. We know He always seeks to bless us.

**FELLOWSHIP TIME:** There are still dates available for serving fellowship time. Contact the church office if you are interested!  
August 18 – FLC Quilting Ladies  
August 25 – Deacons  
September 1 – OPEN  
September 8 – Day School Board

**Upcoming Events**

**CHURCH DIRECTORY:** More than 100 photos were taken this week! Photo sessions will continue for our new Church Directory August 26th – 30th.....but all spots are booked. We are adding another date which is Monday, Sept 9th. Be sure to book now through our web site ([www.firstglencoe.org](http://www.firstglencoe.org)) or by phoning the church office. Our directory will not be complete without you!

**COMMUNITY PROTECTOR APPRECIATION PICNIC:** Wednesday, September 11th from 5 – 7 PM all community members are invited as we “Thank” and show gratitude to our Community Protectors! There will be food, games, activities and entertainment. A short program will be held at 5:45PM. This will be outdoors at First Lutheran School. Bring a chair or blanket – we will supply limited seating. Parking will be available at church. For those who need to park closer, you may park in back lot of school. Many volunteers are needed – if willing to help, contact the church office or Cindy at 238-2148.

**GIFTING OPPORTUNITIES WORKSHOP:** Our next workshop will take place on Wednesday, September 18th from 6:30-7:30 PM. This free 1-hr session is educational only, sponsored by the Endowment Committee, and presented by Thrivent and InFaith. You'll learn the basics about giving now, giving later, giving and receiving, as well as some tax advantages. As we will serve a light meal, please RSVP to the church office.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CARNIVAL:** The 2019-2020 Sunday School year is about to begin. On Education Sunday, September 8th, from 9:00-10:00 AM, the Christian Education Board and Sunday School teachers welcome children and their parents to attend our annual registration & carnival taking place in the Fellowship Center. Parents will register their children while the children play games, meet their teachers and have a snack. All children ages 2 through grade 8 are encouraged to attend!

**May I have your attention please?**

**AUDIOFETCH:** We have a new option available to more clearly and easily hear/listen at our church services. “Audiofetch” is an app that transmits the audio of our services to your hearing aid or smartphone/tablet via a Bluetooth connection. Pick up a card with barcode info that you can scan or visit your app store. Stop by or call the church office for assistance.

**ALTAR GUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Altar guild is looking for you! Our group welcomes all new volunteers. All members help one month a year. Training is always available. Our next meeting is scheduled for September 9th, 2019. Please consider joining us. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Tessmer or the church office. Thank you!

**ANGEL SEEDS:** The July – September Angel Seeds will be donated to First Lutheran School to be used for students who need assistance in purchasing school supplies for the 2019-2020 school year. Please pray for our youth who attend our Christian school as they prepare for the next school year. Your donation and financial support is greatly appreciated!

**CHECK OUT THE BANNER OUTSIDE FLS:** This year we're CELEBRATING 135 YEARS of educating young Christians!

**CONFIRMATION:** Confirmation Classes are just around the corner! The first day of class is on Wednesday, September 11th. Public School Confirmation Classes for Grades 5 through 8 will be right after school from 3:40-4:55 PM. First Lutheran School Confirmation Classes for Grades 7 and 8 will be from 1:15-2:30 PM. A Mandatory Parent/Student Teacher Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 4th at 7 PM. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please notify the church office.

**FLAMES OF FAITH:** Kids club is the before and after school program at First Lutheran School. The program is designed for children ages 5 – 6th grade. Your child does not have to be a member of FLS to participate. Our program director is Nancy Ahlers. For more information or to register, contact Nancy at [flamesoffaith2015@gmail.com](mailto:flamesoffaith2015@gmail.com) or 320-510-0905.

**FLS IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION:**

Tuesday, August 20th at 6:30 PM FLS staff will host an orientation for Preschool 3 & 4.

Thursday, August 22nd from 3:30 -7:00 PM FLS staff will host an Information night for Kindergarten through 8th.

Sunday, August 25th at the 10:30 AM worship service Pastor will pray a special blessing over all students and their backpacks.

Tuesday, August 27th will be the first day of school with opening chapel beginning at 8:15 AM.

**FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** If anyone is interested in the old speaker from the sanctuary, just say the word. It's yours for the taking. First come first serve. Call Debi at 320-854-1201 between 8:30 AM & 4:00 PM Monday through Friday.

**GARDEN BOUNTY:** If you have extra garden produce to share, or if you would like some, please drop off or pick up at the table located at the south entrance of church. Any leftovers will be donated to the McLeod County Food Shelf. Thank you!

**HELP WANTED:** First Lutheran School is hiring a part-time custodian. This position will require approximately 12 hours per week and will have variable hours during the evenings and weekends (after dismissal and before arrival of students). Qualified candidates must be able to lift up to 50 pounds, have excellent attention to detail, be capable of working independently without supervision and operating cleaning equipment. More information and applications are available at the church office.

**PLEASE REMEMBER SAMANTHA WELCH IN YOUR PRAYERS:** as she prepares to begin two years of mission work this fall at “Stronghold Cambodia” in Kampot, Cambodia. This is part of the Mission of Christ Network. For more information, please visit the web page: [missionofchrist.org/samanthawelch](http://missionofchrist.org/samanthawelch)

**SANDBOX WITH BENCHES & COVER:** The Flames of Faith program is looking to purchase a sandbox with benches and a cover for the before/after school program. We ask that you prayerfully considering contributing funds for this purchase.

**SUPPORT FLS WHEN YOU SHOP:** Whether you're buying gifts or every day essentials, shop for everything on your list at [smile.amazon.com/ch/41-0724073](http://smile.amazon.com/ch/41-0724073) and Amazon donates to FLS! You SHOP. Amazon DONATES. It all adds up!

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED:** We are looking for volunteers to handle registration for Church Directory Photography sessions. We need coverage for Monday (8/26), Wednesday (8/28), Thursday (8/29), and Monday (9/9) from 2 pm - 9 PM. If you are willing to take a shift, or even just a portion of a shift, please contact Becky in the church office. We appreciate your help!

**YOU ARE INVITED TO LISTEN:** Lutheran Hour broadcast is heard each week on KDUZ 1260 AM Radio. This week Guest Speaker Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer will focus on "An Open Mind for the Future" Closing our minds to spiritual fads and embracing the words of Jesus opens up a great future for all who believe. (Acts 17:18-32)

**E-GIVING:** Members and Visitors – We thank all givers for supporting our mission with your gifts. For those who choose to give electronically, in just seconds you can make a weekly offering or pay for events/activities. e-Giving allows you to give anytime and anywhere, donate to your favorite funds, and make your gifts recurring. You can give via a smartphone app, texting, or online.



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**Measure of Our Stewardship:**

**Budgetary Needs = Total budget divided by 52. The General Fund Receipts include Sunday through Friday receipts. These amounts are not reconciled to any bank statement at the time of this publication.**

**GENEAL FUND INCOME 08/11/19-08/17/19**

General Fund Receipts	\$ 12,722.37
Weekly Budgetary Needs	\$ 21,061.00
	( \$ 8,338.63)

**Attendance 08/11/19 – 08/17/19**

Sunday Worship Total:	280
Communed:	84
Visitors:	2
Sunday School Total:	39
Adults:	39
Children:	N/A

**2019-2020 YEAR-TO-DATE TOTALS**

Receipts = \$103,726.96 Disbursements = \$145,660.33

**Total Indebtedness (including prior years) on 8-15-19 is (\$309,241.80)**

**FIRST EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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