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Prelude

HWB

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering Hymn

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Greeting & Prayer of the Day

We Confess Our Sin

C. Lord, we confess our sin. You have promised to provide for all our needs, and yet we mistrust Your promise. We know the futility of our ambitions and our inability to do that which we desire. Today we need to recognize the sin within us, and ask that you would forgive us.

Lord, in your mercy, give us daily bread, not only for our bodies, but as food for our spirits. Forgive our sin and cleanse us so that we can be pleasing in Your sight and ministers in Your service.

P. Our God is a great God, providing for all our needs, giving us daily bread and supplies for every spiritual need. Our sin no longer controls us. Our response to God's love is the focus for our lives. The death of Jesus Christ has paid the cost of our sin and has set us free to live in victory. We are forgiven. We are daughters and sons of God. We are ministers to each other. Praise God for the daily provision for every need.

C. Amen.

Affirmation of Faith (Apostles Creed)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to

the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Message

First Lesson

Isaiah 62:6-12

Second Lesson

Romans 6:19-23

The Holy Gospel

Mark 8:1-9

Sermon

Pr. Carleton

Hymn of the Day

HWB

Prayers of the Church

Passing of the Peace

LITURGY OF THE TABLE

Offering

Mission of the Month NWMN Synod Fund for Leaders Endowment

Communion Invitation

P. Welcome to the celebration! God who supplies our every need has given us this meal to share.

C. Lord, we thank You for the bread of eternal life.

P. We come to the table, acknowledging our shortcomings and our need to experience Your presence in bread and wine.

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Words of Institution

P. As they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke it, gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take and eat it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks, he gave it to them and said, "Drink from it, all of you. For this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. But I tell you, I will not drink from this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."

The Lord's Prayer (Our Father who art in heaven...)

Communion Distribution *Listen, God is calling.*

Table Blessing & Benediction

Sending Song

HWB

Dismissal P. Go in peace. Christ is sending you.

C. Thanks be to God.

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This Week

Greeters Everyone
Ushers Jim & Gloria Thomsen
Acolyte Kiera Andress
Reader Phyllis Deer
Communion Peg Davies

Next Week

Everyone
Jim & Gloria Thomsen
Hayden Rettke

Prayer Concerns: *The family of Scott Lukken, The family of Anneka Davis, The family of Janice Erickson, UCAN Clients, Ralph Paulson (brother of Jan Knutson), Susan (friend of Violet Sundermeyer), Jack Davies (cousin of Peg Davies), Beth Billmow (cousin of Violet Sundermeyer), Paula Tessler (friend of Phyllis Deer), Jon Rich (brother-in-law of Mike Jones), Jeanette Johnson, Dale & Harriet Jones, Ken Everett, Marlys Stainbrook (sister of Carl Anderson), Jeff Edelman (friend of Duane & Cina Pidde), Ken Perrault (friend of Mike Jones), Bev Mitchell (friend of Peg Davies), Robbyn & Samantha Rich (son & daughter-in-law of Jon & Karen Rich and nephew and niece of Mike & Carol Jones), Eric (friend of Violet Sundermeyer), Shawn Karl, Jan Hirsh (friend of Owen and Jan Knutson), Christine Slagle (Carl Anderson's God Daughter), Austin Peet (friend of Debbie Hodapp), Lexi Wheeler (Jim & Gloria Thomsen's granddaughter), Torey Meyer, Tad Trottier (friend of Knutsons), Merub Morris (friend of Synstegards), Dorothy Pohl, Shirley Davies (aunt of Peg Davies), Dennis Sweeney (brother of Linda Anderson), Futz (friend of Tom Synstegard), Chad Jarman (Lorna Cooper's friend), Jennifer Lyons (Carol Jones's niece), Hannah Gass (granddaughter of Larry Gass), Jim & Lorrie Bergquist, Annika Mae Feist (grandniece of Lorna Cooper), Joy & Tim Atwater (Carol Jones's sister & brother-in-law), Judy Gerdts (friend of Peg Davies), Jerry Johnson (Jeanette Johnson's son), Shawn Semmler (Rachelle Krotzer's brother)*

Opportunities This Week

Today	Worship Service – FLC at Coopers	10:30 AM
	Potluck lunch	11:30 AM
	Bible Study - BLC	5:00 PM
Mon	Coffee & conversation with Pastor (Zappy's)	9:00AM
Tues	Fellowship with Pastor (First)	9:00-11:00 AM
	Office open	9:00 AM-noon
	UCAN Office	10:00-noon
Wed	Men's Breakfast & Bible study– BLC	8:00 AM-9:30AM
	Office open	9:00-noon
Sun	BLC worship	9:00 AM
	FLC worship	10:30 AM
	FLC council meeting	11:30 AM
	NO Bible Study - BLC	5:00 PM

Special thanks to Lorna & Tim Cooper for opening their home and yard for our outdoor worship service. God's blessings!

Please help make our sanctuary even more beautiful by providing **flowers for the altar** on the first Sunday of the month. Sign-up sheet is on the table in the narthex.

Thanks to all who helped with the community dinner on July 25.