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## The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 2, 2022

### GATHERING

PRELUDE

Barb Hanson

BELLS

WELCOME HYMN

*God Himself Is Present*

LBW 249

(vs 1,4)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

LBW pg.56

GATHERING HYMN

*Father, We Praise You*

LBW 267

GREETING

LBW pg. 57

KYRIE (please sing response)

LBW pg. 57

HYMN OF PRAISE (please sing)

LBW pg. 58-59

### WORD

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Benevolent, merciful God:

**C: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us.**

**When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

FIRST READING

*Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4*

PSALM

*Psalms 37:1-9*

SECOND READING

*2 Timothy 1:1-14*

GOSPEL

*Luke 17:5-10*

SERMON

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HYMN OF THE DAY

*My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

LBW 479

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION P: God of grace,  
C: hear our prayer.

SHARING THE PEACE

**OFFERING**

MISSION FOCUS: Heartland Animal Shelter

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Merciful Father,

**C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us –  
our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love.  
Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus  
Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**MEAL**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER (please sing)

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COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*LBW pg. 74*

**SENDING**

BLESSING

*LBW pg. 74*

BELLS

SENDING HYMN

*Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart  
(vs 1,3,4)*

*LBW 486*

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace with Christ beside you.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Barb Hanson

## THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

<b>Mon</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 137; Lamentations 1:16-22; James 1:2-11</u></a>
<b>Tue</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 137; Lamentations 2:13-22; 1 John 5:1-5, 13-21</u></a>
<b>Wed</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 137; Lamentations 5:1-22; Mark 11:12-14, 20-24</u></a>
<b>Thu</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 66:1-12; Jeremiah 25:1-14; 2 Timothy 1:13-18</u></a>
<b>Fri</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 66:1-12; Jeremiah 27:1-22; 2 Timothy 2:1-7</u></a>
<b>Sat</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 66:1-12; Jeremiah 28:1-17; Luke 5:12-16</u></a>
<b>Sun</b>	<a href="#"><u>Psalm 111; 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15; 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Luke 17:11-19</u></a>

	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Everyone	Everyone
<b>Ushers</b>	Bernie Beck & Elaina Dascalos	Bernie Beck & Elaina Dascalos
<b>Reader</b>	Mel Stover	Bernie Beck

*Prayer Concerns: All people impacted by Covid-19 in the world. The ARCC Emergency Shelter, The people of the Ukraine, The Heartland Animal Shelter; Marlys Stainbrook (Carl Anderson's sister), Dorothy Pohl, Tim & Lorna Cooper, Bev & Lance Mitchell (friends of Peg Davies), Amanda Semmler, Kristine Schlagel (Carl Anderson's niece), Carl & Linda Anderson, Sharon Arvik, Billie Marie Larson, Phyllis Carlson, Deloris Lamb, Tim Atwater (brother-in-law of Carol Jones), Susan K. (friend of Violet Sundermeyer), Johanna Jones, (niece of Mike Jones), Mark Hanson, Jean (cousin of Vi Sundermeyer), Emily (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Elaine Kelsey (friend of Peg Davies), Lori, Rose & Don (Vi Sundermeyer's sister and brother-in-law), Jerry Johnson (brother of Jay Johnson), Ryan Lau, De Carlson, Debbie Wells (daughter of Phyllis Deer & sister to Mel Stover), Suzanne Dock (friend of Carol Lenander & Larry Gass), Larry Gass, Vi Sundermeyer, Steve & Deb Britton (friends of Duane & Cina Pidde)*

### Opportunities This Week

<b>Today</b>	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:00 AM
<b>Sun</b>	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee fellowship	11:00 AM

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Bible Study began today at 9. You're welcome to join us with or without a study guide, however if you'd like a study guide, please contact Bernie Beck.

## October Mission of the Month

Headwaters Animal Shelter is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life for abandoned, surrendered, neglected, abused and stray animals. The organization relies on donations, memberships and adoption fees to fund nearly 100% of its operations.

- The average cost to place a Shelter pet in a permanent home is \$200(including vaccinations, spay/neuter surgery, medical treatment, food and general care)
- \$10 will feed a dog for a week.
- \$15 will feed a litter of kittens for a week.
- \$40 will provide grooming for a neglected dog entering care.
- \$47 will provide or flea treatment and heartworm protection for one dog.
- \$75 pays for one spay or neuter surgery.

At the Headwaters Animal Shelter, volunteer opportunities exist in every field of animal welfare. From physically caring for pets(exercising, bathing, feeding, and grooming), to opening your home as a Foster Family, to fundraising events and publicity. Memberships are \$35 annually for a family.

The Shelter is in constant need of Pet supplies, Cleaning Supplies, Office supplies,etc.

The Headwaters Animal Shelter is located at 901 Western Avenue. S. Park Rapids, MN. They are closed MTW. Website is [www.headwatersanimalshelter.org](http://www.headwatersanimalshelter.org) for online donations. Donations of both goods and money can be put in with your offering at First Lutheran Church during the month of October. (There will be a collection box for food etc.)

You can write a check to First Lutheran Church with Animal Shelter on the memo line. Use an envelope (provided in pews)

