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Pr. Maribeth McGoven

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 9, 2022

GATHERING

PRELUDE		Barb Hanson
BELLS		
WELCOME HYMN	<i>Surely the Presence</i>	screen
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		
CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS		screen
GATHERING HYMN	<i>Breathe on Me, Breath of God</i>	LBW 488
GREETING		screen

WORD

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Almighty and most merciful God,

C: your bountiful goodness fills all creation. Keep us safe from all that may hurt us, that, whole and well in body and spirit, we may with grateful hearts accomplish all that you would have us do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

FIRST READING

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15

PSALM

Psalm 111

SECOND READING

2 Timothy 2:8-15

GOSPEL

Luke 17:11-19

SERMON

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HYMN OF THE DAY

Healer of Our Every Ill

WOV 738*

APOSTLES' CREED

screen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION P: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

SHARING THE PEACE

OFFERING

MISSION FOCUS: Headwaters Animal Shelter

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Gracious God,

C: in your great love you richly provide for our needs. Make of these gifts a banquet of blessing, and make us ready to share with all in need; through Jesus Christ, who sets a table for all. Amen.

MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

screen

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

screen

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

screen

SENDING

BLESSING

screen

BELLS

SENDING HYMN

On Our Way Rejoicing

*LBW 260**

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace with Christ beside you.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Barb Hanson

THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

Mon	Psalm 102:1-17; Jeremiah 29:8-23; Acts 26:24-29
Tue	Psalm 102:1-17; Jeremiah 29:24-32; Ephesians 6:10-20
Wed	Psalm 102:1-17; Jeremiah 25:15-32; Matthew 10:5-15
Thu	Psalm 119:97-104; Jeremiah 26:1-15; Acts 17:22-34
Fri	Psalm 119:97-104; Jeremiah 26:16-24; 2 Timothy 2:14-26
Sat	Psalm 119:97-104; Jeremiah 31:15-26; Mark 10:46-52
Sun	Psalm 121; Genesis 32:22-31; 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5; Luke 18:1-8

	This Week	Next Week
Greeters	Everyone	Everyone
Ushers	Bernie Beck & Elaina Dascalos	Bernie Beck & Elaina Dascalos
Reader	Wayne Lenander Communion Assistants Wayne & Heather Lenander	Elaina Dascalos Communion Assistants Elaina D. & Bernie B.

Prayer Concerns: All people impacted by Covid-19 in the world. The ARCC Emergency Shelter, The people of the Ukraine, The Headwaters Animal Shelter, The people affected by Hurricane Ian; 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), Don (Corina Bronczyk's brother-in-law), Carla (friend of Corina Bronczyk), Ryan Wood (Darrin & Corina Bronczyk's nephew), Ron Neppi (friend of Peg Davies)

Opportunities This Week

Today	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:00 AM
	Church council meeting	11:30 AM
Sun	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service – Blessing of the Animals	10:00 AM
	Coffee fellowship	11:00 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next Sunday our pets will be blessed either by being present during the church service or via photographs.
- The Park Rapids Theater will be showing a Christian movie from UP2U Films called [Running the Bases](#) from October 7th-11th.

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 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 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)

