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Pr. Maribeth McGoven

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

August 13, 2023

GATHERING

PRELUDE		Barb Hanson
BELLS		
CALL TO WORSHIP		screen
GATHERING HYMN	<i>Shall We Gather at the River</i> (vs. 1,2,3)	WOV #690*
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		
LITANY OF ASSURANCE	(based on <i>Matthew 14:22-33</i>)	screen
OPENING HYMN	<i>Eternal Father, Strong to Save</i>	LBW #467
PRAYER OF THE DAY		screen

WORD

PSALM 85:8-13		
GOSPEL		<i>Matthew 14:22-33</i>
SERMON		Pr. Maribeth McGoven
HYMN OF THE DAY	<i>Precious Lord, Take My Hand</i>	WOV #731*
APOSTLES' CREED		screen
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION		
P: Lord, in your mercy,		
C: hear our prayer.		
SHARING THE PEACE		
P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.		
C: And also with you.		

OFFERING

MISSION FOCUS: Backpacks for the ARCC Emergency Shelter

OFFERTORY PRAYER

screen

MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMNS *Amazing Grace*

*LBW #448**

I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

*WOV #752**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

SENDING

BENEDICTION (based on *Matthew 14:22-33*)

screen

BELLS

CLOSING HYMN *My Life Flows On in Endless Song*

*WOV #781**

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Barb Hanson

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THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

Mon [Psalm 28; Genesis 37:29-36; 2 Peter 2:4-10](#)

Tue [Psalm 28; Genesis 39:1-23; Romans 9:14-29](#)

Wed [Psalm 28; Genesis 40:1-23; Matthew 8:23-27](#)

Thu [Psalm 133; Genesis 41:14-36; Revelation 15:1-4](#)

Fri [Psalm 133; Genesis 41:37-57; Acts 14:19-28](#)

Sat [Psalm 133; Genesis 42:1-28; Matthew 14:34-36](#)

Sun [Psalm 67; Isaiah 56:1,6-8; Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32; Matthew 15:10-28](#)

SERVICE ASSISTANTS

	This Week	Next Week
Greeters	Everyone	Everyone
Ushers	Wayne & Heather Lenander	Tom & Shane Synstegard
Reader	Bernie Beck & others Communion Assistants: Bernie Beck & Luca Majors	Corina Bronczyk Communion Assistants: Darrin Bronczyk & Raylan Stanley

*Prayer Concerns: **The people of the Ukraine, The ARCC Emergency Shelter, Akeley-Nevis Food Shelf; The family of Stan Pidde; Marlys Stainbrook, Dorothy Pohl, Amanda Semmler, Kristine Schlagel (Carl Anderson's niece), Carl & Linda Anderson, Sharon Arvik, Billie Marie Larson, Phyllis Carlson, Tim Atwater (brother-in-law of Carol Jones), Susan K. (friend of Violet Sundermeyer), Johanna Jones, (niece of Mike Jones), 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, Suzanne Dock (friend of Carol Lenander & Larry Gass), Larry Gass, Vi Sundermeyer, Don (Corina Bronczyk's brother-in-law), Carla & Scott (friends of Corina Bronczyk), Ryan Wood (Darrin & Corina Bronczyk's nephew), Ron Neppl (friend of Peg Davies), Mike O'Rourke (friend of Peg Davies), Karen Rich (sister of Mike Jones, The Evenson family), Bonnie & George Lueck, Peggy Lindstrom (friend of Cina Pidde), Kelly Wosika (Bobbie Wosika's sister-in-law), Carole Olafson (friend of Peg Davies & Aunt of Wayne Lenander), Tina Riggs (friend of Bobbie Wosika), Susan Nyhusmoen, Jerry Leverson (Resurrection Band singer), Jim Thomsen, Sylvan Gerdts (friend of Jay & Heather Johnson), Lee Johnson (husband of Denice Johnson), Deb Britton (friend of Cina Pidde), Gail Buck, Mark Hiene (Linda Anderson's brother-in-law), Boyd Nelson (son of the late Catherine Nelson), Danny Husby (friend of Cindy Lecy), Mike Husby (friend of Peg Davies)***

Opportunities This Week

Today	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:00 AM
	Church Council meeting	11:30 AM
Sun	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:00 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The term of our treasurer, Bernie Beck, concludes Dec. 31. We're hoping someone will be led by God to take this position. Contact someone from the council if you're interested or have questions.
- All supplies for backpacks need to be at church by August 20th.
- Bethany Lutheran of Nevis is open to the community on Tuesday mornings from 6:30 – 8:00 and Thursday afternoons from 3:30 – 5:00 for silent prayer and meditation. No commitment, sign-in or time limit.
- Women of the ELCA – NWMN Synod - 35th Annual Convention Saturday, September 9, 2023. If you'd like to attend, please contact Peg.

August Mission of the Month

Back packs filled with school supplies for the ARCC
Emergency Shelter

Supply list is in the narthex.

Supplies need to be in by August 20.

Everyone was so generous during our July mission of providing staples for the Akeley/Nevis Food shelf ! Thank you for providing the following:

26 jars Peanut Butter

9 jars Jelly

43 pkg. Spaghetti

22 jars Spaghetti Sauce

3 Juice

42 boxes Kids' Cereal

14 cans Canned Fruit

62 Canned Vegetables

7- 5# Sugar

1 laundry soap

2 cake mixes

2 jello

4 cans tuna

1 corn bread mix

PLUS: \$400