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REFORMATION SUNDAY
October 25, 2026

GATHERING

PRELUDE — Christie Semmler

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

LUTHER'S MORNING PRAYER — screen

GATHERING HYMN *"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"* — *LBW #229*

LUTHER'S SERVICE OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS — screen

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Come, Jesus, Come"*
De Carlson, Jay & Heather Johnson

REFORMATION PRAYER OF THE DAY — screen

WORD

FIRST READING — *Psalm 46*

SECOND READING — *Romans 3:19-28*

HYMN *"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"* *LBW #230 (vs. 1)*

CHILDREN'S TIME

HYMN *"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"* *LBW #230 (vs. 2-3)*

GOSPEL READING — *John 8:31-36*

SERMON — *Pr. Maribeth McGoven*

HYMN OF THE DAY *"The Church's One Foundation"* *LBW #369 (vs. 1,2,4)*

APOSTLES' CREED

LUTHER'S PRAYER *"Look Upon Our Needs"* — screen

OFFERING Lutheran Disaster Response: US Wildfires

OFFERTORY PRAYER *Luther's Prayer of Thanks* screen

MEAL

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER screen

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION SONGS

"Amazing Grace" *LBW #448*

"This Is My Father's World" *LBW #554*

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" *LBW #294*

LUTHER'S POST-COMMUNION PRAYER screen

SENDING

BENEDICTION

BELLS

CLOSING HYMN *"God's Word Is Our Great Heritage"* *LBW #239*

POSTLUDE Christie Semmler

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THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

Mon	Psalm 119:41-48 ; Numbers 33:38-39; James 2:8-13
Tue	Psalm 119:41-48; Exodus 34:29-35; James 2:14-26
Wed	Psalm 119:41-48; Deuteronomy 26:16-27:7; Matthew 19:16-22
Thu	Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37; Joshua 1:1-11; Romans 2:17-29
Fri	Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37; Joshua 2:1-14; 2 Peter 2:1-3
Sat	Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37; Joshua 2:15-24; Matthew 23:13-28
Sun	Psalm 34:1-10, 22; Revelation 7:9-17; 1John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12

SERVICE ASSISTANTS

	This Week	Next Week
Greeters	Denice Johnson	Denice Johnson
Ushers	Dave & De Carlson	J. & L. Kolar, Shannah Geimer
Reader	Jay Johnson	Tom Synstegard
Communion	Charlotte Negen & Brady Weckwerth	Jessica Lecy & Addie Weckwerth

Prayer Concerns: Peace in the Middle East, Ukraine, and Venezuela; Lutheran Disaster Response: US Wildfires; The family and friends of Melissa Tibbetts, The family and friends of Bernice Seward, Marlys Stainbrook, Linda Anderson, Phyllis Carlson, Tim Atwater *(brother-in-law of Carol Jones),* ***Jean*** *(cousin of Vi Sundermeyer),* ***Emily*** *(friend of Vi Sundermeyer),* ***Elaine Kelsey*** *(friend of Peg Davies),* ***Rose & Don*** *(Vi Sundermeyer's sister and brother-in-law),* ***Jerry Johnson*** *(brother of Jay Johnson),* ***Ryan Lau, Carla & Scott*** *(friends of Corina Bronczyk),* ***Karen Rich*** *(sister of Mike Jones),* ***Bonnie & George Lueck, Tina Riggs*** *(friend of Bobbie Wosika),* ***Jim Thomsen***, ***Gail Buck***, ***Erika W.*** *(friend of Vi Sundermeyer),* ***Jennifer Lyons*** *(niece of Carol Jones),* ***Joyce Lecy*** *(Charlotte Negen, Danny Lecy & Cindy Lecy's aunt),* ***Dr. Brian Bratloff, Phyllis Deer, Georgia Alexander*** *(Pat Tinklenberg's granddaughter),* ***Bruce Dahl*** *(friend of Jay Johnson),* ***Pat Tinklenberg*** *(Heather Lenander's mom),* ***Kent Stover*** *(Kirk Stover's brother),* ***Paul Benson*** *(Betty Lecy's brother),* ***David VanEye, Jana Dunham, Bill T.*** *(Shannah Geimer's cousin),* ***Pr. Jim & Ann Davis, Steve Olafson, Jane Andress*** *(friend of Bobbie Wosicka)*, ***Coralyn Lempola*** *(friend of Peg Davies),* ***TK Flynn*** *(friend of Greyson Goehring),* ***Cherie*** *(niece of Carol Jones),* ***Leslie Neppl, Roger Geimer*** *(Shannah Geimer's father-in-law),* ***Joan Engels*** *(friend of Shannah Geimer),* ***Nellie Parrish*** *(great niece of Cina Pidde & Denice Johnson),* ***Kyrsten Larson*** *(cousin of Vi Sundermeyer),* ***Carole Ann Morris, Judy Reeve*** *(friend of Leslie Neppl),* ***Brittany Lenander*** *(Wayne & Heather Lenander's daughter)*

Opportunities This Week

Today	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:15 AM
Sun	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:15 AM
	FLCW meeting	11:30 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ➔ Gear up for Halloween on the 31st! Let's fill the parking lot!
- ➔ FLCW meeting November 1 at 11:30 in the meeting room. All women are welcome.

October Mission of the Month
Lutheran Disaster Response – US Wildfires

Devastating wildfires across the estern US are threatening lives, homes, and entire communities. When wildfires force evacuations and leave devastation behind, your gifts to Lutheran Disaster Response help sustain relief and recovery ministries long after media attention fades.

As you know, Lutheran Disaster Response is present in moments like these not only at the outset of an emergency, but in the months and years that follow. We are listening closely to local leaders and walking alongside synods, congregations and trusted community partners who know their neighbors best. Together with these local partners, we are helping coordinate responses to immediate needs while also preparing for the long road ahead - debris removal, repair and rebuilding, disaster case management, and the on going emotional and spiritual care so many survivors need.

Gifts to Lutheran Disaster Response equip us to respond to this and other disasters, whenever and wherever they strike. Gifts designated for US Wildfires will be restricted to and used in full (100%) for those affected by disasters across the country.

If you wish to donate, make your check to FLC with Wildfires on the memo line.