### The Congregation at Prayer

How to use this bulletin for daily prayer all week long:

Reading God’s Word and offering up our prayers to God should be part of our daily routine. Below is an outline for a simple daily devotion.

Also included is a portion of the Small Catechism for the week and the prayers of our parish.

**Invocation:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

**Introit:** Bulletin Insert

**Learn by Heart:**

**Learn by Heart Bible Verses:** Psalm 116:3-4; Hebrews 12:7

**Catechism:** Christian Questions w/Their Answers: Questions 15 & 16

**Daily Readings:**

- **Sunday:** Prov. 13:1-25; John 14:18-31
- **Monday:** Prov. 14:1-27; John 15:1-11
- **Tuesday:** Prov. 15:1-29; John 15:12-27
- **Wednesday:** Prov. 16:1-24; John 16:1-16
- **Thursday:** Prov. 17:1-28; Prov. 18:1-20:4; John 16:17-33
- **Friday:** Prov. 20:5-25; Prov. 21:1-31; John 17:1-26
- **Saturday:** Prov. 22:1-21; John 18:1-14

**Readings for next Sunday:** Micah 7:17-20; 1 Tim. 1:12-17 or 1 Peter 5:6-11; Luke 15:1-10 or Luke 15:11-32

### IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Orla Timm 6/13; Charles Filter 6/15; Morgan Radel 6/17
- **Anniversaries:** Tom & Rhoda Schmidt 6/15; David & Rachel Berner 6/16;
  Jeff & Dana Davis 6/19
- **Sickness/illness/recovery:** Joanne Christoffer; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Jon Gullickson; Lorraine Gullickson; Caitlyn Ramey; Orla Timm; David Sturrock; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Shirlene Schwab; Carol Nienkirk; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Bob Meffert; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunk; Karen Geske; Phyllis, sister-in-law of Bob Meffert; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Del Determan, friend of the Pratts; Larry Pratt; Joshua Grau, godson of Bob Meffert; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **With Child:** Monique Konrad; Tyler Nelson

**HYMN OF THE WEEK:** “O God, My Faithful God” LSB #696

**COLLECT (Bulletin Insert)**

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**LORD’S PRAYER**

**BLESSING:** The almighty and most merciful God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.
Pastor, what is the purpose of the Prayer of Thanksgiving?
Just as we offer thanks after meat, we here express our gratitude to God for the refreshment of His heavenly food. Read John 6:30-34 47-58.


ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Stefanic will be on vacation from June 14-23. In the event of a pastoral emergency please contact one of the elders.

Beginning the first Sunday of July, Good Shepherd will return to a single weekend service. Our final Saturday service will be offered on June 26.

Coffee and treats will resume on July 4th. If you are interested in signing up to serve, please do so in the fellowship hall.

*New Reading Material Available* - The Lutheran Life is on the table closest to the doors in Narthex.

The Youth Group is selling HyVee gift cards. Please contact Cory Brockman if you would like to purchase a card and we can have those prepared and ready for either service on Saturday evening or on Sunday morning. Thank you for supporting the Youth!!

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If you missed being here last Sunday and would like a bulletin, they are available in the foyer on the free materials table.

Pastor: James J. Stefanic

We, the members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, believing the Bible To be God’s inspired and inerrant Word, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is Lord, and affirming that we are saved by grace through faith in Him alone, offer the following as our statement of mission:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit and loving our neighbors as ourselves, we, as ambassadors for Christ, must strive to make disciples of all nations; Using the gifts the Lord has given to each of us, we must help the saints to grow in unity of faith through regular worship attendance, the partaking of the Sacraments, the study of God’s Word, and by ministering to the spiritual needs of others; We will persevere in prayer and thanksgiving for all the opportunities and blessings which God places before us.

Second Sunday after Trinity
June 12-13, 2021