

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Activity	Location
Sunday 09/01/2024	
10:00 a.m. Worship	Sanctuary & Online
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Monday 09/02/2024	Office Closed All Day
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Tuesday 09/03/2024	Bulletin Deadline
9:00 a.m. Pickleball	Family Life Center
11:30 a.m. MARSP Meeting	Fellowship Hall
3:00 p.m. Burnished Brass Rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m. Lion's Club Meeting	Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. Worship & Music Ministry Picnic	Borushko's House
9:30 p.m. Compline	On-line
Wednesday 09/04/2024	
9:00 a.m. Pickleball	Family Life Center
9:00 a.m. SHOP Group	Gallery
12:00 p.m. Staff Meeting	Gallery
6:15 p.m. 160th Anniv. Play Practice	Family Life Center
Thursday 09/05/2024	Chimes Deadline
12:00 p.m. Bible Study	Zoom & Gallery
6:00 p.m. Worship	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Cardio Drum Class	Family Life Center or Outside
7:15 p.m. Council Meeting	Gallery
Friday 09/06/2024	
10:00 a.m. Lions Club	Gallery
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Saturday 09/07/2024	
8:30 a.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting	Family Life Center
9:00 a.m. Play Practice	Sanctuary
10:00 a.m. Lion's Club	Library
1:30 p.m. Tom Kanaar Memorial Service	Sytsema



15 Pentecost
Thursday, August 29, 2024
6:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 01, 2024
10:00 a.m.

WELCOME

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH – Muskegon, Michigan

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Welcome to this time of worship. We are especially grateful for those of you who are visitors. You make us more whole. First Lutheran is a part of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, a church body committed to the welcome of the stranger and to the questions and doubts of all seekers.

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The flowers on the altar are given by Diane Madej in memory of Justin Farkas. .

THOSE WHO SERVE 09/01

Assisting Minister Joel Westerholm
Lector Sun 10:00 a.m. Lisa Ferski
Servers Sun.10:00 a.m. Mary Schoonover, Kim Westerholm
Acolytes Sun.10:00 a.m. Open
Ushers Sun.10:00 a.m. Donn and Ben Werling
Steve Byrd
Emma Johnston
Summer Bible Adventure Mike Sweet, Phil Sielski
Song Leaders Karl Ziemelis
Sound System Ruth Basch, Lisa Le
Information Stations Sandy Hutchins, Val Barnes
Counters Anne Schalow
Communion Bread Anne Schalow
Communion Set-Up Anne Schalow
Clean-Up Sun.10:00 a.m. Anne Schalow
Coffee Hour Hosts Pat Robinson, Jean Becker
Bus Driver Mike Sweet

THOSE WHO SERVE 09/08

Assisting Minister Paula Dusseljee
Lector Sun 10:00 a.m. Sandy Young
Servers Sun.10:00 a.m. Elizabeth, Laura Lucht
Acolytes Sun.10:00 a.m. Open
Ushers Sun.10:00 a.m. Matthew Badley, Stan Daszko
Jeff Lucht
Emma Johnston
Summer Bible Adventure Sande Borushko, Barb Elliott
Song Leaders Karl Ziemelis
Sound System Joanne Johnson, Amy Badley
Information Stations Diane Kroll, Jenny Lindell
Counters Kim Westerholm
Communion Bread Kim Westerholm
Communion Set-Up Kim Westerholm
Clean-Up Sun.10:00 a.m. Kim Westerholm
Coffee Hour Hosts Barb Bonifield, Carol Parker
Bus Driver Kevin McClurken

The eternal candle is given by Barb Pellerin in memory of her husband Phil's birthday.

"All You Works of God"

(vv. 1,3,4,7)

Refrain

All you works of God, ev-'ry moun-tain, star and tree, bless the One
 who shapes your beau-ty, who has caused you all to be one great
 song of love and grace, ev-er an-cient, ev-er new. Raise your
 voic-es, all you works of God!

Verses

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| 1. Sun and moon: | Stars of heav-en: |
| 2. Winds of God: | Cold and win-ter: |
| 3. Night and day: | Light and dark-ness: |
| 4. All the earth: | Hills and moun-tains: |
| 5. Wells and springs: | Seas and riv-ers: |
| 6. Fly-ing birds: | Beasts and cat-tle: |
| 7. All who live: | Men and wom-en: |

Chant your praise!

Show - ers	and	dew:
Snow - storms	and	ice:
Light - nings	and	clouds:
Green things	that	grow:
Whales in	the	deep:
Chil - dren	at	play:
Ser - vants	of	God:

Raise up your joy-ful song. D.C.

Text: Marty Haugen, b.1950
 Tune: Marty Haugen, b.1950
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Announcements

Our **marriage retreat** has been scheduled for the weekend of October 11-13 in Grand Rapids. Sign up today at the information stations.

A **new member class** will be held on Wednesdays September 25, October 2, 9, and 16 from 6:10 to 8:00 p.m. Speak to Pastor Bill if you are interested.

Our adult **Faith Formation class** will consider, "The Narcissism Epidemic: Following Jesus and Building a Healthy Self-Esteem" and will start on September 8 at 9:30 in the gym.

The **SHOP Group** will now be **meeting on Wednesdays** at 9:00 a.m. instead of Tuesdays at least until the end of this year.

Sunday morning worship will **resume to a 10:30** start time beginning on Sunday, September 8th.

Please sign up for brunch and a **special dialogue** with Pastor El-Yateem on Saturday, Sept. 14. Serving Debby Jaquith's famous French toast!!!

A **Blessing of the Backpacks** will take place on Sunday, September 8th during the 10:30 worship service. Children should bring their backpacks to the service.

Church Picnic and Celebration of 160th Anniversary

September 8th, after worship.
 (Wear Your First Lutheran Apparel!)

Join us for a catered picnic, games for kids and adults, and inflatables.

Sign up by **September 1st** at either information station.

Please sign up to bring a dessert

Order of Service

“Doing the Faith”

Prelude

Song “God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens”
#771 (red)

Greeting (screen)

Kyrie pp. 184
(vv. 1,4)

Hymn of Praise pp. 185-186

Salutation

Prayer of the Day

Special Music “Amazing Grace My Chains Are Gone”
Sung by Barb, Eva, and Joel

First Reading Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

Psalms 15 (screen)

Second Reading James 1:17-27

Gospel Verse (screen)

Gospel Reading Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Children’s Message/Dollar-A-Day/Summer Bible Adventure
*Dollar-A-Day monies will be used to upgrade technology in the
Family Life Center.*

Hymn “I Will Delight” #72 (purple)

Sermon

Hymn “Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil” #512 (red)

Apostles’ Creed (screen)

Announcements

Prayers

Peace

Offering

Offertory Prayer

Great Thanksgiving (screen)

Holy, Holy (screen)

The Lord’s Prayer (screen)

Communion

“All are Welcome” (screen)

“Come to the Table” #481 (red)

“Lord of All Hopefulness” #765 (red)

“Here I Am, Lord” #574 (red)

Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Song “All You Works of God” (page 6) ⇌
(vv. 1,3,4,7)

Benediction

Dismissal

Postlude

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading Isaiah 35:4-7a

Psalms Psalm 146

Second Reading James 2:1-10, 14-17

Gospel Reading Mark 7:24-37