

July 29, 2018 Pentecost 10

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PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: Heavenly Father, how blessed I am this morning to be able to go to Your house of prayer to worship with my fellow believers! Your Word is the lamp for my feet and the light for my path. You light up my life with Your truth and give me understanding with Your wisdom. Bless my worship today so that I grow in wisdom and faith and help me to be a blessing for others. I ask You this in the name of Your Son, Jesus. Amen.

Come Let Us Worship

Hymns: Morning Hymn (page 45), 492, 523
Psalm 84 – page 96
Gospel Reading: John 6:1-15
Message: Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-16

Unity in God's Church

THOSE WHO ARE SERVING YOU THIS MORNING:
USHERS: Eric Metz, John Kritzman, & Zach Kritzman
GREETERS: The Moore Family
POWER POINT ASSISTANT: Joe Hoppe
COUNTERS: Moore & Neuwirth
CLEANER FOR AUGUST 5: Himm

THOSE WHO WILL SERVE ON AUGUST 5:
USHERS: Jim Luisier, Tom Furnner, & Allen Mortimer
GREETERS: Jim & Penny Sharich
COMMUNION SET UP: Sharich
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Gary Richmond & Joe King
POWER POINT ASSISTANT: Garrett Edgett
COUNTERS: Mortimer & Metz
CLEANER FOR AUGUST 12: Hoppe

OUR LOVE FOR GOD'S WORD & WORK

<u>July 22</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Offering</u>
Worship	103	General	\$2,825.99
Thursday Morning ABC	18	Piano	625.00
Youth Group – Family Night	19	Flowers	20.00
		Missions*	10.00
Weekly General Fund Budget \$4,488.46			
<i>Quarterly Mission Project *Crown of Life Lutheran Church, Cadillac, MI</i>			

Daily Bible Reading				
Date	Old Test.	Psalms	Proverbs	New Test.
29-Jul	2 Kings 11,12	26	29	Mark 6
30-Jul	2 Kings 13,14	27	30	Mark 7
31-Jul	2 Kings 15,16	28	31	Mark 8
1-Aug	2 Kings 17	29	1	Mark 9
2-Aug	2 Kings 18,19	30	2	Mark 10
3-Aug	2 Kings 20,21	31	3	Mark 11
4-Aug	2 Kings 22,23	32	4	Mark 12
5-Aug	2 Kings 24,25	33	5	Mark 13



THIS WEEK AT GLORIA DEI

Monday	7:00 p.m.	Softball Game
Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	Golf League
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Board of Elders Meeting
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Class
	7:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting

FELLOWSHIP HOUR: Join us following the service this morning for a taste of fellowship, along with refreshments! We would like to thank the Gloria Dei Youth Group for serving us this morning. All monies received from the Free Will Offering will go towards their Ga-ga Pit Fundraiser. Wondering what Ga-ga Ball is? Ask one of the kids, they'd be happy to explain it to you!

DONATION SUNDAY: Next Sunday, August 5, is Donation Sunday. The Ladies Guild asks that you bring in donations of commonly used items, such as: coffee, coffee filters, coffee creamers, paper products, plastic silverware, Kleenex, toilet paper, paper towel, hand soap, dish soap, batteries (AA & AAA), etc. If you do not wish to bring in something you can also make a monetary donation that will be used to purchase those needed items.

ANNUAL GLORIA DEI CHURCH PICNIC: Join us next Sunday, August 5 for our annual church picnic. We will have our regular worship service at Gloria Dei, then head to Holly Township Beach for a pot-luck lunch and an afternoon of fun in the sun! Please plan on bringing a dish or two to pass, and your favorite yard/beach games. **Also, since the pot-luck will not be taking place at church please remember to bring (and label) serving ware for your dish(es), and drinks for your family.** There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

POP CAN DRIVE: Our Youth Group is collecting returnable cans to help raise money for their Ga-ga Pit. If you have any cans you would like to donate there is a bin near the Cry Room.

YOUTH GROUP: For the summer, meet us on the 4th Thursday of the month at Gloria Dei! There is a new time (starts at 6:30pm) and format: your family is invited!! Summer is a great time to make memories as a family and we want ALL AGES to come! As always, we'll have a devotion, but now we can play outdoor games (weather permitted). Bring a snack to share! If we have enough interest, we can stay afterwards for a bonfire. Invite your FAMILY and FRIENDS! **Our next meeting is Thursday, August 23. Hope to see you there!**

PIANO FUND: At the Voters' Meeting in June a Piano Fund was established to purchase a new Yamaha Clavinova CVP705 to replace our present Clavinova since the key striking pressure and technology is greatly challenged. The cost of the CVP705 is \$9,000.00 **If you would like to contribute to this fund please mark SPECIAL on your envelope and write PIANO.** Remember, these gifts should not replace your regular, generous GENERAL FUND offering. Our goal is to have the new Clavinova here this September for the new choir season. **Currently we have collected \$1,357.99 in generous donations.**

"Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord,
implore you to walk
in a manner **WORTHY** of the calling
with which you have been called,
with all **humility** and **gentleness**,
with **patience**, showing **tolerance**
for one another in **LOVE**,
being **diligent** to preserve the **UNITY**
of the **Spirit** in the bond of peace."

EPHESIANS 4:1-3