

September 9, 2018

Pentecost 16

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PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: Owner of all things, everything I have or possess is from You. You created this universe and everything in it. All, including me, belong to You. Keep this truth uppermost in my mind whenever I consider how to use my time, talents, or treasures, so I willingly and cheerfully return a generous portion to You. Remind me when I give to You, that Your Son gave everything for me. Amen.

Come Let Us Worship

Liturgy: page 38 in *Christian Worship*

Hymns: 226, 253, 469, 458

First Lesson: Isaiah 35:4-7a

Psalms 146: page 120

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

Message: James 1:17-27

God's Kind of Religion

THOSE WHO ARE SERVING YOU THIS MORNING:

USHERS: Mark Moore, Logan Moore, & Reagan Moore

GREETER: SueAnn Callahan

POWER POINT ASSISTANT: Tobias Edgett

COUNTERS: Mortimer & Major

CLEANER FOR SEPTEMBER 16: Sharich

THOSE WHO WILL SERVE YOU ON SEPTEMBER 16:

USHERS: John Kritzman, Zach Kritzman, & Jim Luisier

GREETERS: The Edgett Family

COMMUNION SET UP: Edgett

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Joe King & Pete Straub

POWER POINT ASSISTANT: Joe Hoppe

COUNTERS: Hoppe & Luisier

CLEANER FOR SEPTEMBER 23: Moore

OUR LOVE FOR GOD'S WORD & WORK

<u>September 2</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Offering</u>
Worship	74	General	\$3,550.00
Communed	49	Piano Fund	633.00
		Flowers	20.00
		Missions	10.00
		Ladies Guild	5.00

Weekly General Fund Budget \$4,488.46

*Quarterly Mission Project *Crown of Life Lutheran Church, Cadillac, MI*

Daily Bible Reading

Date	Old Test.	Psalms	Proverbs	New Test.
9-Sep	Isaiah 62-64	65	9	John 8
10-Sep	Isaiah 65	66	10	John 9
11-Sep	Isaiah 66	67	11	John 10
12-Sep	Micah 1-4	68:1-18	12	John 11
13-Sep	Micah 5-7	68: 19-35	13	John 12
14-Sep	Habakkuk	69: 1-15	14	John 13
15-Sep	Zephaniah	69: 16-36	15	John 14,15
16-Sep	Jer. 1,2	70	16	John 16,17

*Every GOOD
and PERFECT gift
is from above.
JAMES 1:17*

THIS WEEK AT GLORIA DEI

Monday	7:00 p.m.	WELS Night at Ford Field
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Circuit Pastors Meeting
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Class
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group
	7:00 p.m.	Board of Education Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Board of Trustees Meeting
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study

ALTAR FLOWERS: Today's flowers are given by Ralph & Tammy Dudley in celebration on their son-in-law Justin, and grandson Norman's birthdays. Happy Birthday Justin & Norman!

POTLUCK BRUNCH: Today Gloria Dei will be having a potluck brunch to kick off our Fall activities, such as Bible classes for all ages, Pioneers, and Youth Group. Please stay and enjoy a wonderful meal.

THANK YOU: We would like to thank Nathan Cort for playing the organ for us this morning while Kay is out of town.

PERFUMES & COLOGNES: Thank you for not wearing perfumes or colognes to services and events. We have members and frequent guests who are highly allergic to perfumes and colognes and they truly appreciate it!

DONATION SUNDAY: Thank you to all who donated last Sunday. Our next Donation Sunday will be **October 7**.

PIONEERS: Registration for Pioneers is open. All children, grades K-8, are encouraged to join. Please see Mike Hoppe for more information. The first meeting is today after the pot-luck.

YOUTH GROUP: Our Gloria Dei Youth Group will be meeting this Thursday at 6:00pm. There is a sign-up sheet for snacks on the bulletin board by the choir room.

LWMS: The Lutheran Women's Missionary Society is currently selling 2019 calendars. We will also be having a free-will offering today & on September 16 for the LWMS Rally, which is September 23, at Grace Lutheran in Durand. If you have any questions or would like to purchase a calendar, please see Barb Lambert.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 10 WELS night at Ford Field. There is more information about this on the bulletin board.
- September 16 Sunday School Classes begin after worship.
- September 17 Confirmation Class begins. Class starts at 6:30pm.
- September 17 Choir practice at 7:00pm.
- September 22 Susanna Kost will be teaching a Pebble/River Rock Art Class. There is a sign-up sheet and supply list in the Fellowship Hall. **Please note: you must bring your own supplies.**
- September 23 LWMS Rally at Grace in Durand.
- October 6 Progressive Dinner. ***A Progressive Dinner is a dinner party with successive courses prepared and eaten at the residences of different hosts.*** Join us for a night of fun, food, and fellowship as we celebrate Pastor's 35 years in Ministry. There are sign-up sheets on the bulletin board. We are looking for people to host and serve a course, who is planning on attending, and also who will need babysitting. **We are still looking for someone to host the main course. (We have someone willing to cook.)**
- October 12-14 Pioneer Archery Camp at Camp Killarney in Onsted. For more information please see Mike Hoppe.
- November 3 Tim Hawkins at the Capitol Theater. We have 30 tickets reserved. Tickets are \$37.00 and **must be paid for by October 1**. There is more information and a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.