# PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE EXPERIENCING CANCER

Beth Hyytinen
Sharon Lindberg
Maria Koslosky
Jan Werner
Sandra Kilde
Bill Hakes
Betty Monroe
Elaine Nordberg
Bob Morris
Terry Mehr
Diane Newstrom

Susan Simons Shelly Watson

#### <u>PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE</u> <u>WITH OTHER HEALTH</u> CONCERNS

David Meyer
Dean Kolodji
Camden Visnovec
Becky Lidfors Jungas
Diane Landstad
Violet Sundermeyer
Julie Haar Klatt

Nancy Laquet
Kindrid Sandberg
Paul Martinsen
Dorothy Smeltzer

Carol Femling
Leah Bridger
Allyn Kolodji
Elaine Palthe
Jan Kolodji
Mary Peterson
Bob Monroe
Linda Peterson
Mary Webster
Erik Svenkerud
Lloyd Henke

**Beverly Rueger** 

**Bob Kolodji** 

## MAKE A JOYFOL WOLLE OWTO THE LORD!

DO YOU SING? PLAY AN INSTRUMENT? SING AND PLAY GUITAR OR PIANO? PLAY THE HARMONICA? THIS SUMMER WE WOULD LIKE TO FILL EACH SUNDAY WITH SOME SPECIAL MUSIC. IF YOU HAVE SOME MUSICAL ABILITY, DON'T BE SHY. SHARE IT WITH OUR VERY APPRECIATIVE CONGREGATION. CALL REBECCA MAY AT 218-927-3481 TO

SCHEDULE A SUNDAY OR TWO
ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOMED!

## Looking for POWERPOINT OPERATORS

**Urgent Need Now** 

## Join the team!

3 people run the technology portion of worship each week.



Students in 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> gr.

Adults welcome too

Reach out to FLC office for more info. office@flc-aitkin.com



#### **Serving in the Military:**



Silas Berg, Nicholas Bruesewitz,
Austin Burton, Nathan Hagestuen,
Josh Hagestuen, Luke Oaks, Logan
Lueck, Kurt Hagestuen, Wyatt Carlson,
Landon Todd, Gregory Wenzel

#### **Nursing Home Residents**

#### **Assisted Living Residents**

Marty Thompson, Carol Proctor John Fossen Joanne Hagman; Marlene Tholen; Ken & Shirley Hakes; Elaine Palthe; Deloris Kosbau,



## Next Week's Readings



Ezekiel 2:1-5. Psalm 123

2 Corinthians 12:2-10, Mark 6:1-13



# First Lutheran Church of Aitkin

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Pastor Reggie Denton

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 7:30 AM-4:00 PM;
Fridays 7:30 AM-12:00 Noon



### Weekly Worship Schedule:

Sunday 9:00 am & 10:30 am



Mission Statement: With God's love we embrace one another, our neighbors and all creation.

<u>Welcome!</u> If you are looking for a church home or would like to know more about First Lutheran, please stop by the church office, call, or visit our website.

\*We are glad you are here! We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, LBGTQ, filthy rich, black and proud, y no habla ingles. We extend a special welcome to those who are newborns, poor as dirt, skinny as a rail, got a hitch in their git-along, or just plain can't sing. You're welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up, or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Lutheran than Luther, or more Catholic than the pope, or haven't been to church since little Maria's confirmation. We extend a special welcome to those who are over 40 but not grown up yet, and to teenagers who are growing up too fast. We welcome soccer moms, NASCAR dads, starving artists, tree-huggers, latte-sippers, vegetarians, junk-food eaters, and people who stay up too late at night. If you're having problems, or you're down in the dumps, or you don't like "organized religion," we've been there, too. We offer a special welcome to those who could lose a few pounds, think the earth is flat, work too hard, can't spell, or came because grandma's in town and wanted to go to church. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, are three-times divorced, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid, or got lost in traffic and wound up here by mistake. We welcome tourists, seekers, doubters, bleeding hearts... and you!

\*You do not need to be a member of First to receive Communion. All who believe that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine are welcome. We believe it is our Lord's invitation to which we respond, our Lord's meal at which we gather, our Lord's gifts which we receive. Children not yet communing are welcome – they may come forward for a goldfish and a blessing, but we do ask parents to have them keep their hands down, so that the communion assistant knows. All those who are communing are asked to extend both hands to receive. If you would like to receive communion but are not able to come forward, please let an usher know so that communion can be brought to you.

\*Parents with Young Children: When you are here, the church is filled with a joyful noise. When you are here, the Body of Christ is more fully present. When you are here, we are reminded that this worship thing we do isn't just about Bible Study or personal, quiet contemplation, but about coming together to worship as a community where all are welcome, where all share in Word and Sacrament together. When you are here, we know that your little ones are learning how and why we worship.

#### "Let everything that has breath praise the LORD!"

- \*Nursery is available during the 9:00 AM service on Sunday mornings (8:45-10:15). The nursery is located off of the Fellowship Hall. An usher will be happy to assist you in finding the nursery. Parents who need to leave the service with children can still see the Sunday service on a TV in the nursery.
- \*Children are always welcome in worship. "Busy bags" with activities, a book, crayons and scratch paper are available on the wall across from the sanctuary. There is also a pray ground at the back of the sanctuary.
- \*You're invited to coffee & goodies on Sunday morning in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 AM.
- \*Assisted hearing devices are available. An usher can assist you.



#### Sunday, June 30, 2024

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost
9:00 AM Worship Service w/
Communion (Also available via
Livestream on YouTube)

10:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

10:00 AM Radio Broadcast of the 9 am Worship Service on KKIN 94.3 FM

10:30 AM Worship Service w/Communion

#### Monday, July 1, 2024

8:15 AM King's Men

4:00 PM Mission Endowment Meeting

5:00 PM Community Meal—Take out only Tuesday, July 2, 2024

9:30 AM Renewal Group Meeting

11:00 AM Adult Bible Study

12:00 PM Community Lunch—Take out only

1:00 PM Staff Meeting

#### Wednesday, July 3, 2024

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study & Breakfast

#### Thursday, July 4, 2024

Office Closed—Holiday

12:00 PM **NO** Men's Bible Study

5:00 PM **NO** Community Meal —Take out only

Friday, July 5, 2024

Saturday, July 6, 2024

#### Sunday, July 7, 2024

Seventh Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 AM NYG Send Off

9:00 AM Worship Service w/ Communion (Also available via

Livestream on YouTube)

10:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

10:00 AM Radio Broadcast of the 9 am Worship Service on KKIN 94.3 FM

10:30 AM Worship Service w/Communion





The church office will be closed for the July 4th holiday.

May God bless you and keep you safe.

Radio Ministry—We invite you to consider sponsoring our weekly Sunday broadcast. FLC's Sunday worship is aired at 10 am on KKIN FM Radio Station 94.3. The cost is \$40 per week, but any amount will help.

Envelopes are available in the narthex.

A very special Thank You to Wendy & Reggie Denton for sponsoring the month of June in celebration of their 30th Wedding Anniversary.

**KUWAA Mission** — The KUWAA Mission in Liberia is a mission focus for 2024. Weekly sponsorship is \$25. Please consider supporting this important mission for a week or more. Information is in the narthex.

A very special Thank You to Dick & Marty Swanson for sponsoring the remaining weeks in June.

# Worship On the Water

with First Lutheran Church

Sunday, July 28th - Cedar Lake Sunday, August 25th - Spirit Lake All Services at 11 am

#### All are welcome!

Cancellation possible if there is inclement weather.

See our Facebook page on the date of each service
for exact location on the lake.









#### ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, 6/23 9:00 am.... 10:30 am....



#### **TOTAL OFFERINGS**

#### Week of June 23—General Fund

 Offering:
 \$ 13,356.00

 Offering YTD:
 \$ 174,224.00

 Offering YTD Budget
 \$ N/A

 Building Fund: (June):
 \$ 2,575.00

Extra Mile Mission (June): \$ 146.00

(Salem West)

# July's Services July 7: American Voices

July 14: Hymn Sing

July 21: Northwood Service

July 28: Christmas in July

WORSHIP SERVICES SUNDAYS 9:00 & 10:30 AM

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP IMMEDIATELY AFTER 9 AM SERVICE PLEASE JOIN US! ALL AGES WELCOME!



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Using your smart phone or device, scan this code and it will take you directly to our online giving.

