



NORTHDALE LUTHERAN CHURCH TAMPA, FL AUGUST 18, 2019

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"WE GROW IN GOD'S WORD SO THAT WE CAN GO WITH GOD'S WORD"

THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Welcome to Northdale Lutheran! We are so glad you are joining us to proclaim what God has done and to sing his praises. Here the Lord also comes to us and strengthens us with his mighty Word. Take a moment to meet and greet those around you! Also:

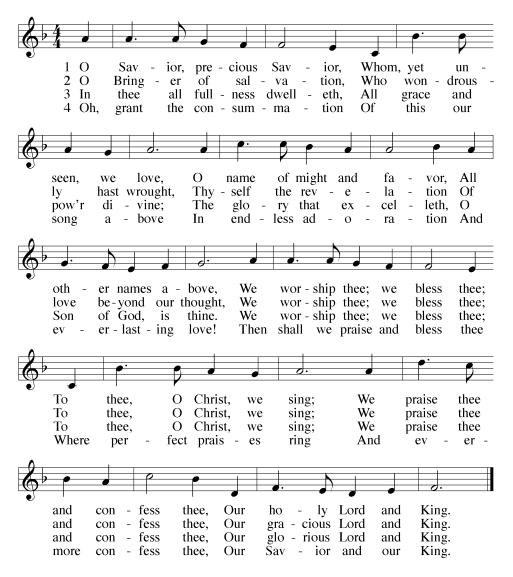
- Restrooms are in the entrance and through the nursery hallway.
- ♣ Help us be more welcoming by signing the guest registers in each row.
- ❖ To help keep the sanctuary as a quiet place of worship and meditation and for your convenience, a Quiet Room is available for the whole service for young children in the back of the sanctuary. Please make use of this room if your child becomes loud in worship. Please do not leave children unattended in the Quiet Room. We ask that at least one adult be present while children are in this room.
- Everything you need for worship will be printed in the worship folder.

WORSHIP THEME

The believer prays boldly. God's ears are open; let us then boldly ask for the blessings he promises.

CALL TO WORSHIP—DIVINE SERVICE I

OPENING HYMN, CW #368, "O SAVIOR, PRECIOUS SAVIOR"



Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836-79, alt.

Tune: ANGEL'S STORY (76 76 D) Arthur H. Mann, 1850–1929.

INVOCATION

M: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

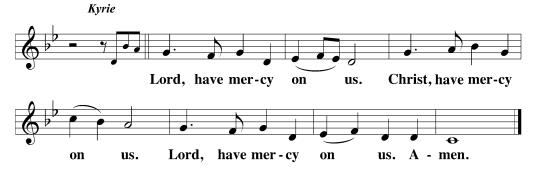
C: Amen

CONFESSION OF SINS

M: Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

C: Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.

LORD, HAVE MERCY



M: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: (spoken) Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

M: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

GLORY TO GOD

Gloria in Excelsis





PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

M: Let us pray.

O Lord, your ears are always open to the prayers of your humble servants, who come to you in Jesus' name. Teach us always to ask according to your will that we may never fail to obtain the blessings you have promised; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

BE SEATED

THE WORD OF GOD



THE FIRST LESSON: GENESIS 18:20-32

Abraham was bold when talking to God! Our confidence is the same as we boldly come before our heavenly Father's throne seeking his free and faithful grace. We come, then, knowing that our dear Father will answer our prayer in the day that is best for us.

Then the Lord said, "The outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah is so great and their sin so grievous ²¹that I will go down and see if what they have done is as bad as the outcry that has reached me. If not, I will know."

²²The men turned away and went toward Sodom, but Abraham remained standing before the Lord. ²³Then Abraham approached him and said: "Will you sweep away the righteous with the wicked? ²⁴What if there are fifty righteous people in the city? Will you really sweep it away and not spare the place for the sake of the fifty righteous people in it? ²⁵Far be it from you to do such a thing—to kill the righteous with the wicked, treating the righteous and the wicked alike. Far be it from you! Will not the Judge of all the earth do right?"

²⁶The Lord said, "If I find fifty righteous people in the city of Sodom, I will spare the whole place for their sake."

²⁷Then Abraham spoke up again: "Now that I have been so bold as to speak to the Lord, though I am nothing but dust and ashes, ²⁸what if the number of the righteous is five less than fifty? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five people?"

"If I find forty-five there," he said, "I will not destroy it."

²⁹Once again he spoke to him, "What if only forty are found there?"

He said, "For the sake of forty, I will not do it."

³⁰Then he said, "May the Lord not be angry, but let me speak. What if only thirty can be found there?"

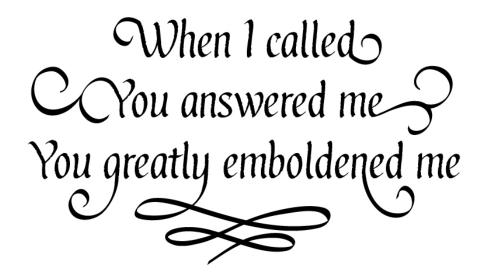
He answered, "I will not do it if I find thirty there."

³¹Abraham said, "Now that I have been so bold as to speak to the Lord, what if only twenty can be found there?"

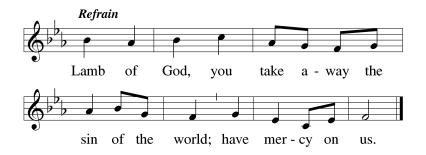
He said, "For the sake of twenty, I will not destroy it."

³²Then he said, "May the Lord not be angry, but let me speak just once more. What if only ten can be found there?"

He answered, "For the sake of ten, I will not destroy it."



PSALM OF THE DAY, PSALM 6





Refrain

O LORD, do not rebuke me in your <u>anger*</u> or discipline me <u>in</u> your wrath.

Be merciful to me, LORD, for <u>I</u> am faint;*
O LORD, heal me, for my soul is in <u>anguish</u>.

Turn, O LORD, and deliver me;* save me because of your unfailing love.

Refrain

I am worn out from groaning.*

My eyes grow weak with sorrow.

Away from me, all you who do evil,* for the LORD has heard my weeping.

The LORD has heard my cry for <u>mer</u>cy;* the LORD accepts my prayer.

Glory be to the Father and <u>to</u> the Son* and to the Holy <u>Spir</u>it, as it was in the beg<u>inning</u>,* is now, and will be forever. <u>A</u>men.

Refrain

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SECOND LESSON: COLOSSIANS 2:6-15

We can be so bold in prayer, because God has given us the fullness of Christ. In him we were circumcised, buried, and raised to life. Forgiven, we have been made children of God who have every right and encouragement ask of God as a child would ask his dear father.

So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, ⁷rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.

⁸See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the elemental spiritual forces of this world rather than on Christ.

⁹For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form, ¹⁰and in Christ you have been brought to fullness. He is the head over every power and authority. ¹¹In him you were also circumcised with a circumcision not performed by human hands. Your whole self ruled by the flesh was put off when you were circumcised by Christ, ¹²having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through your faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead.

¹³When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, ¹⁴having canceled the charge of our legal indebtedness, which stood against us and condemned us; he has taken it away, nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

THE VERSE OF THE DAY

M: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words eternal life. Alleluia. (John 6:68 cf. NV)

PLEASE STAND

THE GOSPEL LESSON: LUKE 11:1-13

Our confidence is this; we can come again and again before our Father's throne of grace knowing that every good and perfect gift comes from our dear Father to his dear children.

M: The Gospel according to Luke, chapter 11.



One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples."

²He said to them, "When you pray, say:

" 'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.

³ Give us each day our daily bread.

⁴ Forgive us our sins,

for we also forgive everyone who sins against us.

And lead us not into temptation. '"

⁵Then Jesus said to them, "Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.' ⁷And suppose the one inside answers, 'Don't bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can't get up and give you anything.' ⁸I tell you, even though he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet because of your shameless audacity he will surely get up and give you as much as you need.

⁹ "So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. ¹⁰For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

¹¹ "Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? ¹²Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? ¹³If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

M: This is the Gospel of our Lord.



Praise be to you, O Christ! Praise be to you, O Christ!

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,

who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church.

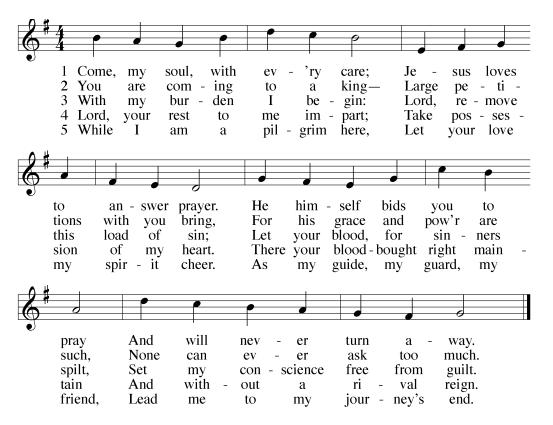
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

BE SEATED

SERMON HYMN, CW #409, "COME, MY SOUL, WITH EVERY CARE"



6 Show me what I am to do; Ev'ry hour my strength renew. Let me live a life of faith; Let me die your people's death.

Text: John Newton, 1725–1807, abr., alt.

Tune: VIENNA (77 77) Justin H. Knecht, 1752-1817.

SERMON TEXT: LUKE 11:1-13

SERMON THEME:

Lord, Teach Us To Pray

THANKSGIVING

PLEASE STAND



BE SEATED

OFFERING

Please sign the Friendship Register in each of the pews and pass it to those next to you.

Jesus said, "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Luke 12:34) The members of Northdale Lutheran joyfully give our offerings to the LORD in response to His Word and in thanks for the many ways he has blessed us. We have joined together as a congregation to use these offerings to do the Lord's work in this community and around the world through the work of our Synod. Your gifts moved by the Holy Spirit out love for God and his blessings are welcome.

Online giving is now set up and available through our membership software entitled Breeze. You can give through Breeze two ways: 1) You can give by texting "Give" to (813) 652-0408. 2). You can go to https://northdale.breezechms.com/give/online. You can certainly ask if you have any questions.

PLEASE STAND (8:00 AM SERVICE ONLY)

INSTALLATION OF JOANNE MATTES (10:30 A.M. SERVICE)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

M: We give thanks to you, O Lord, with our whole heart.

C: Because you have answered our prayers and delivered us from the midst of trouble, we know, O Lord, that your steadfast love endures forever.

M: Therefore, we are bold to come before You through the merits of Jesus Christ, Your Son, with these petitions.

C: We regret, O Lord, that in spite of Your loving kindnesses we have often repaid you with our sins.

M: Our sinful selves have been buried with Christ in Baptism, but we often fail to rise to newness of life.

C: You have given us ample assurance in your Word that in Christ all of our sins are forgiven, yet we often fail to accept this forgiveness with our whole heart.

M: Yo have assured us that when we ask, you will give, when we seek, we will find and when we knock, the door will be opened to us. Yet we have prayed with less then wholehearted faith in your promises.

C: You assure us again and again that You will give the Holy Spirit to those who ask, yet we fail to ask.

M: We have often abused the Lord's Prayer by saying it without thinking or doubting when we pray.

C: For these and all our transgressions, forgive us, Lord.

M: Empower us with Your Holy Spirit. Help us to pray with meaning, trusting that

we have been redeemed through Christ.

C: Bless our leadership in church and state with wisdom, understanding

and dedication to service.

Special prayers of thanksgiving or intercession may be spoken here

M: Be our source of help to the helpless and a source of hope to the hopeless.

C: In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
 now and forever. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Northdale Lutheran practices Close Communion. We ask that only members of Northdale Lutheran or another WELS/ELS congregation partake of the sacrament today. If you have questions about becoming a member to partake of the sacrament, please speak to pastor after worship.



PREFACE

(The words of the Preface mark the beginning of the Sacrament section of the service and lift the worshipers' hearts in praise. The opening sentences are among the oldest in the Christian liturgy.)

M: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

M: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

M: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is good and right so to do.

M:

It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who promised that wherever two or three come together in his name, there he is with them to shepherd his flock till he comes again in glory. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

(As he speaks the Words of Institution, the minister both proclaims the words of Jesus to the congregation and sets apart the bread and wine for the Lord's use. The sign of the cross reminds us of Christ's death.)

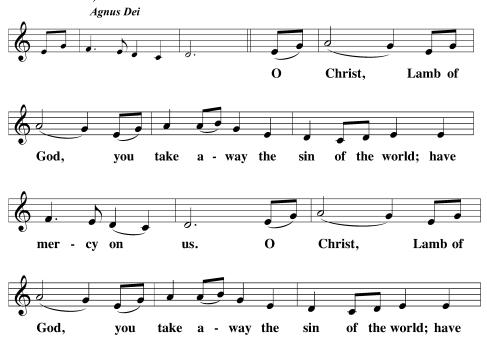
M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my (+) body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

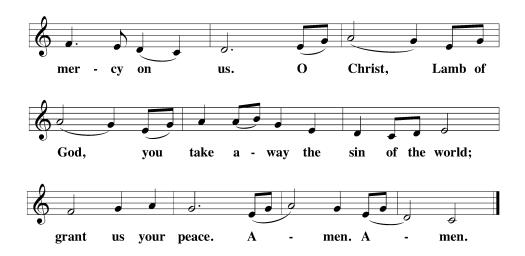
Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my (+) blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen

O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD





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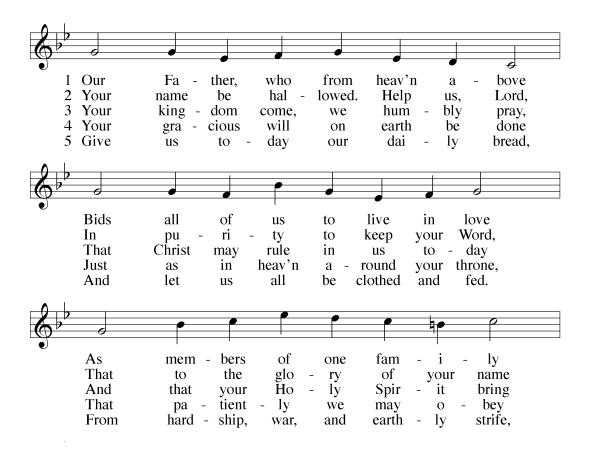
(The Scriptures teach that the celebration of the Lord's Supper connects us intimately with Christ and with one another as Christians who are united around a common confession of faith.)

GUESTS: SO THAT THERE IS NO MISUNDERSTANDING, WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE SPEAK WITH THE PASTOR BEFORE COMMUNING WITH US.

MEMBERS: WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO USE "PERSONAL PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION" ON PAGE 156 IN THE FRONT OF THE HYMNAL.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN

CW #410, "OUR FATHER, WHO FROM HEAV'N ABOVE"





- 6 Forgive our sins, Lord, we implore,
 That they may trouble us no more;
 We, too, will gladly those forgive
 Who hurt us by the way they live.
 Help us in our community
 To serve each other willingly.
- 7 Into temptation lead us not.
 When evil foes against us plot
 And vex our souls on ev'ry hand,
 Oh, give us strength that we may stand
 Firm in the faith, a mighty host,
 Through comfort of the Holy Ghost.
- 8 From evil, Lord, deliver us;
 The times and days are perilous.
 Redeem us from eternal death,
 And, when we yield our dying breath,
 Console us, grant us calm release,
 And take our souls to you in peace.
- 9 Amen, that is, it shall be so. Make strong our faith that we may know That we may doubt not but believe What here we ask we shall receive. Thus in your name and at your Word We say, "Amen. Oh, hear us, Lord!"

Text: Martin Luther, 1483–1546; tr. composite.

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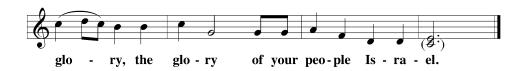




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PLEASE STAND

M: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.

C: And his mercy endures forever.

M: We give thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us with this Holy Supper. We pray that through it you will strengthen our faith in you and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: (spoken) Amen.

BLESSING

M: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

C: (spoken) Amen.

BF SFATED

Copies of today's sermon and last week's sermon can be found on the table in the narthex on the way out of church. You can also find them on our website at www.northdalelutheran.org. In addition, all of our services are live streamed & can be viewed through the live streaming link located on our church website. We also e-mail out daily devotions. If you would like to receive these daily devotions, please e-mail Pastor Vann at pastor@northdalelutheran.com and let him know. You can also become a friend on Facebook.

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Announcements:

Sunday Morning Bible Study: Today we continue our Sunday morning Bible Study entitled, "*Agents of Grace*." David was the greatest king of God's Old Testament people, the Israelites. Throughout his life, God used many people to mold David into the man and leader he came to be. This Bible study looks closely at those people, but also helps us focus on the people God brings into our lives for the same purpose. Join us at 9:25 for this interesting study.

<u>Installation:</u> This morning we are installing, Joanne Mattes, into her position as part time Preschool/Early Childhood Learning Center Director and teacher. We thank the Lord for leading Joanne to join our staff and are excited for to join us. May we lift her up in our prayers and support her as best we are able as she undertakes the work to which she has been called.

Next Bible Information Class: Pastor Vann will be starting up the next Bible Information Class on Tuesday, August 27. The class will meet for 13 weeks from 6:30-8:00 p.m. This class is required for anyone who wishes to become a communicant member. This is a great review of the foundational truths of God's Word for those who are many years removed from Catechism Class. It is also a great way to invite a friend or neighbor to learn more about what the Bible says. If you are interested in attending this class or if you know of someone who is, just let Pastor Vann know.

<u>Catechism Classes:</u> It is that time of year for Catechism classes to start up again. At Northdale Lutheran, Catechism instruction is for all students in 6-8th grade and is required for a young person to be confirmed and become a communicant member of our congregation. Those students who attend our Lutheran School receive their instruction during the school day. For all

those children who do not attend our school, Catechism will be offered on Wednesdays from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. These classes will begin on Wednesday, August 28. If your child will be attending this class, please speak to Pastor Vann to let him know so that he knows how many books to order for the class.

<u>Call Extended:</u> Last Sunday, August 11 the congregation extended a part time, 1 year call to Joanne Mattes to serve as our Preschool/Childcare director. Because of the timing of the call, Joanne both acknowledged and accepted the call on Sunday evening.

Pastor Vann Gone This Week: Pastor Vann will be gone to Wisconsin and Minnesota this week to help Tabitha register and get settled for college. He will leave Wednesday and return on Saturday. If you need to reach him, you may contact him by his cell phone number below.

Audio Visual Help: We are looking for some people who are interested in helping us in worship by running the Livestream. We will be doing some training and putting a schedule together in the near future. If you are interested in helping, please talk with Chris Teeples or me. Starting this summer, we will also have to reintroduce Hymnsoft into our worship services. We will be looking for people willing to help with this as well.

Youth Group: There will be a carwash fundraiser October 13th after the second service. Youth fifth grade and up (and parents) should plan to bring a change of clothes and buckets/rags. Proceeds will benefit upcoming events/rallies. November 15th is a S'mores/Campfire/Movie Night at church. Please contact Amy Vann if you would like to contribute. Also, youth Bible Study will be studying Creation through the Flood. If you are interested in helping lead this course in a rotation once a month or every other month, please contact Chris Haring or Amy Vann.

Called Staff

Pastor Charlie Vannieuwenhoven: 813-787-4854

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Aimee Hardman: 813-464-5113 Christopher Haring: 517-202-7283

Joanne Mattes: 920-588-7596 Bethany Schwartz: 920-222-9279

Amy Vannieuwenhoven: 813-787-5025

This Week:

Monday (8/19) 6:30pm - School Ministry Board

Sunday (8/25): 8:00 & 10:30am - Worship

9:25am - Adult Bible Study

Serving Today

Music: Amy Vannieuwenhoven Ushers: 8:00—Brian Busch

10:30 — Dave/Barb Hartwig Acolyte: 8:00 — Mateo Amaya

10:30—Jack Hill

Elder: David Mosakowski

Serving Next Week

Music: Dane Mattes

Ushers: 8:00—Mike Kutsch

10:30—Dave/Barb Hartwig

Acolyte: 8:00—Daniel Busch

10:30—Grace Mosakowski

Elder: David Mosakowski

Attendance Last Week

8:00 a.m.—21 10:30 a.m.—90

Total: 111

Yearly Average: 103

% of Members in Worship: 45%

Financial Information

Contributions for 8/11: \$1,973.00

Online Contributions through 8/11: \$755.00

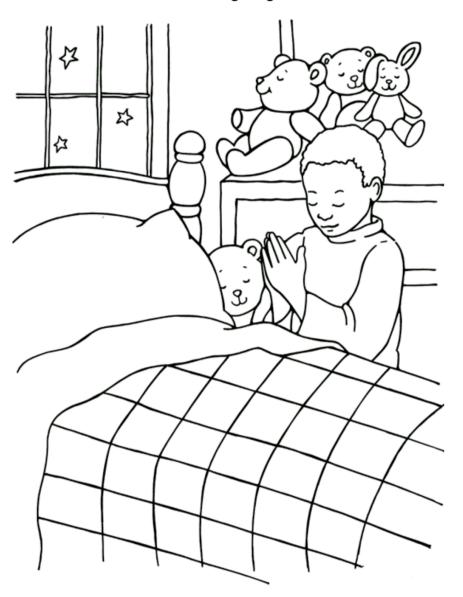
Contributions budgeted: \$4,423.08

Contributions budgeted to date: \$26,538.48 Contributions received to date: \$18,460.00 Ahead or (Short) through 8/11/19: (\$8,078.48)

Kids Page

God Hears My Prayers

Coloring Page



Jesus Teaches About Prayer

For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. Luke 11:10 (NIV) The puzzle is based on Luke 11:1-9 (NIV).



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