



PO Box 427 - 500 S Penn Ave **Pastor Dave Martin** 9:30 AM Worship 8 Pentecost – July 31, 2022

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song "Praise Him! Praise Him!"

GHF 442

Confession & Forgiveness

Pastor: Confident in the assurance of forgiveness through Jesus Christ, let us confess our sin in the presence of God. *Silence for reflection*

C: Heavenly Father, we confess to you that we choose to walk in places far from your light. We neglect opportunities to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with you. We hide the light that is your gift to us. Forgive us and guide us in our way, that we may shine before others and give you the glory. Amen.

P: Arise, shine, your light has come. God forgives us all our sins through the wisdom and power of the cross and sends the Holy Spirit to rest upon us. People of God, no longer live in darkness, but in the light of Christ.

All: Amen.

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Scripture Lessons:	
Psalm 34:19-22	Page 589
Romans 12:9-13	Page 1205
Children's Sermon	
Song "This Is My Father's World"	LBW 554
Gospel Lesson: Matthew 25:31-46	Page 1056
Sermon "Living for the Least of These"	
Give Thanks to God	
Song "Trust & Obey"	GHF 261

Apostles Creed Offering** Prayers of the Church The Lord's Prayer

GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song **"Victory in Jesus"** Benediction GHF 496

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www.tlcplattesd.org tlcplattesd@gmail.com (605) 337-3881 email bulletin info by Thursdays 8 AM

Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning for worship our God together! We will continue the sermon series "Lessons from Jesus." We will be having fellowship time following worship! Please join us for coffee and cookies in the fellowship hall.

**The offering plate will be in the narthex so please place your donations in as you enter or exit. You can now give online at <u>https://tlcplattesd.breezechms.com/give/online</u> or text-to-give (605) 741-4118.

July 24 General Offering: \$3809.00 Attendance: 118 MFO designated towards building fund: \$300 Musician: Shirley Johnson Ushers July 31: Mike Gilbertz & Jeff Engebretson Aug 7 & 14: Jerry Dykstra & Morries Rommen Aug 21 & 28: Scott Vanden Berge & Steve Spawn Coffee/Cookie Servers July 31: Carey Hoffman, Sarah Hoffman Aug 7: Susan Holter, Casey Holter Aug 14: Estelle Konechne, Dawn Konstanz Aug 21: Darla Johnson, Katie Johnson Aug 28: Melissa Johnson, Lisa Johnson

To GIVE ONLINE through Breeze, go to our website <u>www.tlcplattesd.org</u>. Click on "GIVING" button on our homepage and you will be directed to our online giving platform Breeze. It is a convenient, safe and simple way for our members to make automated payments through bank ACH directly or credit/debit cards. We are going to start to meet to **pray at 9:30 AM on Tuesdays** in the Fireside Room.

You Are Invited to participate in the **Awana CONNECT Gathering** on August 4th at Calvary Baptist from 7-9pm. Topics include: Introducing Kids to Jesus; The Discipleship Factor; & Where Have All The Children Gone! The evening will be informational, interactive, inspirational, and insightful. We hope you will come to grow in your faith and gain great knowledge! Everyone is Welcome!! Contact Pastor Dave Anderson or Junior VanDusseldorp with questions.

Alpha is coming to Trinity Lutheran Church in August. On

Sunday, August 7th, we will offer a sneak peek at what the course has to offer as we view the video "Is There More to Life than This?" We will show the video at 10:50 AM in the Fireside Room.

Madison Nachtigal's Senior Project: Youth Girl's Bible Study for all upcoming 6-8th grade girls in the community!

Dates: August 7th, 14th, and 21st from 6:00 p.m.-7:30p.m. Meeting Place: Trinity Lutheran Church, in Fireside room. Things to Bring: Writing Utensils, Paper, and BIBLE!

*There will be snacks and drinks! Let me know if there are any allergies, my phone number is (605) 680-5883

Talking about: Hardships in Junior High/High School and how to have Jesus help lead you through them, we will also be studying 3 verses over the course of the 3 weeks! You will also hear my testimony and how big of a role Jesus Christ has played in it! Verses Discussed: "Deut 31:8" "Matthew 11:28" "Isiah 41:10" I hope to see you there!

Hello, I am Natalie Severson and for my senior project I am doing **chemo care packages**. I wanted to give to those battling cancer in memory of my grandma, who lost her battle after 2+ years of fighting. The items that I am looking for, but not limited to are lotion, Chapstick, hats, scarfs, blankets, travel-sized Kleenex, water bottles, and entertainment option such as Sudoku or Word Searches. There are totes placed in the church where you can donate. Any monetary donations will go towards items put into the packages. My goal is to deliver 75 packages to the Prairie Center at Avera McKennan in Sioux Falls by August 8. Thank you! *The Vine's Bountiful Table*: The menu for **Thursday Aug 11 (serving from 5:30-6p.m.)** is <u>SPAGHETTI</u>. It is also Bring Your Pastor and his family night! Let us know if your Pastor and family can join us. Deadline for sign up is **Sunday AUG 7!** Sign-up sheet is in the Narthex of Platte CRC or call Norma's cell phone 605-680-1691. If you haven't ever joined us, Please sign up and come!

WOW Mission Project: For July and August, we will be collecting paper products for the Helping Hands Food Pantry. Please place your donations in the blue tote in the fellowship hall. Thank you!

If you are interested in **becoming a member of Trinity Lutheran Church**, please be aware we will be holding a New Member's Class Sunday, Aug 28 at 11 AM in the Fireside Room. The class will last about 2-1/2 hours. We will serve a light lunch, most likely a tossed salad, pizza, cookies, and drinks. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you plan to attend and let us know the names of family members who will be attending with you. We want to make sure we have plenty of food for everyone. Attending the meeting does not obligate you to join.

Men, **please join us Saturday, September 10th at 7 AM** in the Fellowship Hall as we kick off our **weekly Men's Breakfast**. After eating, we will adjourn to the Fireside Room, where we will watch a video from the Authentic Manhood 33 Series. The 33 in the title refers to Jesus' age, when He was crucified and raised to new life. It is a reminder to us that Christ is to be our model in living out our lives. Following the video, we will break into small groups, discuss the video, and pray with and for one another. If you plan on attending, please sign up on the bulletin board so we can have an idea of how much food to prepare.

Bible Instruction for all third graders will begin Thursday, Sept 15 and meet weekly on Thursdays through October 6. Classes will be held in the North Overflow Room and will run from 3:45 to 5:00 PM. If possible, we would like to have a parent or grandparent accompany each child and help them in this journey through God's Word. A light snack will be served each session. Please let Pastor Dave know if your child has any dietary restrictions. Also, please confirm with the office that your child will be attending and who will accompany them.

PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

Those in nursing and assisted living homes or home-bound:

Mary Lee Erickson, Mike Erickson, Laura Johnson, Kathy Lubinus, LaDene Nelson

Those with health concerns:

Joel Olson, Clayton & Terri Fischer, Larry & Evelyn Tucker, Brady Sprik, Harold Pavlis, Rod Berg, Julie Pepper, Mike Erickson, Bud Bakken, Jill DeWet, LeRoy Severson, Addie Walstad, Marissa Olson, Cate Fite, Joan Hoversten, Dee Rasmussen, Jennifer Keane

Our Partner Ministries:

Mazahua Valley Ministries, *Directors Tacho & Sally Dominguez* Wanblee Native American Ministry, *Directors Gus & Terry Craven* Gideon's International & our local Platte Gideon's Camp East Europeans Missions Network Steve Walters with the Navigators-Africa Partners Victor & Lori Selemani with YWAM

Those serving in the military:

Duncan Anderson, Jared Anderson, Mitch Antonsen, Jacob Daum, Tanner Johnson, Jedidiah Konechne, Bailey Lanners, Evin Millar, Zane Nightengale, Amanda Eilers, Cooper Stanforth, Tate Wagner & Matt Warejcka

Others:

- Please keep Dee & amp; John Rasmussen in your prayers as Dee recovers from the surgery she had on Tuesday. Please pray they feel God's presence, know God's peace, and walk in His love. Pray for Christ's hand of healing, protection, and provision to be upon Dee, and for John to have a double portion of God's grace as he cares for Dee. Pray also for John's older brother, Dick, who is battling lung cancer.
- Thank you for all the prayers for Peggy Martin's mother, Phyllis Olesen. Your prayers have helped bring her A-fib under control. Please continue to pray God would heal her gall bladder and shoulder, and that she would feel a resurgence of strength and energy.