

PRAYER LIST

For global and national concerns: For an end to oppression, violence, and terrorism and for peace throughout the world, especially for the Middle East Region; for all the students and workers at the Marafiki AIDS Orphanage in Kenya; and for people everywhere in the midst of this pandemic.

For our companion Synods in Honduras, Papua New Guinea, and Latvia.

For those who serve our nation: Soldiers and workers Christian Engle, Frank Langston, Shane McGowan, Dalton Ramey, Austin Robb, Travis Robb, Davin Schultz and Allie Vanous; for those in the military and all our veterans; and for police and government officials working for peace and safety in our nation.

For Strength and Healing:

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| Sheryl Burke | Norma Ludlow | Dave Skiver |
| Winnie Fish | Mary Mandrick | Lois Slade |
| Dave & Patti Gier | Tanya Mattison | Geneva Slade |
| Sandra Hallock | Lucas McCoy | Vonda Slade |
| Louise Heath | Larry "Ted" Minton | Rev. Dr. Richard Stewart |
| Marsha Howell | Sue Minton | Ron Sweinhagen |
| Terry Howell | Mary Roberts | Butch Tanner |
| Carol Knoch | Bev Schultz-Herman | Barb Warbiany |
| Rick Langston | Shawn Shively | Lynn & Bill Zoller |

For those grieving: especially the families of Pamela Donnelly, Mike Mercer, Warren Broadstreet, ELCA Vice President Bill Horne, and all those around the world that have died of COVID-19.

For those seeking guidance and discernment:

Especially for the ministry of King's Kupboard Food Pantry and those we serve, for our Bishop Craig Satterlee and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and for their staffs, for missionaries Shan and Lindsey Mahawon, Cathy Shively, and for those who don't yet know Christ.

Prayer Partners:

Pastor Linn Otto, Lifesong Community Church, Osseo
Rev. Kevin Sullivan, Faith Lutheran Church, Grand Rapids



TLC HAPPENINGS
Week of
August 22, 2021

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS: We continue to request that, out of respect for the safety of others in the community, if you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask at all times in the buildings. For those that are fully vaccinated, masks are optional as long as the county's test positivity rate remains below 10%. If the rate is 10% or above, masks will be required for everyone. Pastor will continually monitor the situation.

COVID-19 NOTIFICATION: In the event that you develop symptoms of COVID-19 or test positive and you have attended worship or worked at the pantry, please contact Pastor Hahn (517-607-9429) as soon as possible. If Pastor Hahn is not available, please contact Christine McNamara (517-416-4713) or Tom Stockford-Shively (517-398-0773) instead.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE: We plan to continue holding two worship services each Sunday through the summer at 8:30 am and 11:00 am.

GREETING CARDS: We received a large donation of greeting cards. They have been sorted and are available in the narthex for you to take what you would like. Please take all that you think you could use! Once the collection has been out for a little while, we will consolidate the remainder into a more manageable storage solution for access in the narthex.

BIRTHDAY CARDS: Rev. Ray Bartels, Warren's father, will celebrate his 100th birthday on Sept. 6th. Our council has suggested celebrating with a card shower. You are encouraged to select a card from the collection in the narthex, sign it, and give it to Pastor Hahn by Sunday, August 29th to be sent with the Bartels when they visit for his birthday.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

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| SUNDAY August 22 | Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost Worship video available at tlchillsdale.org 8:30 am: Worship with Holy Communion 11:00 am: Worship with Holy Communion 12:00 noon: Finance Committee |
| MONDAY August 23 | 9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open |
| TUESDAY August 24 | 9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging 6:00 pm: Book Club Potluck at the Otterbein's |
| WEDNESDAY August 25 | 6:00-7:50 pm: King's Kupboard Open |
| THURSDAY August 26 | 9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging |
| FRIDAY August 27 | 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open |
| SUNDAY August 29 | Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost Worship video available at tlchillsdale.org 8:30 am: Worship with Holy Communion 11:00 am: Worship with Holy Communion |

PASTOR'S CORNER

As we have resumed in-person worship, please know that your health and safety come first. If you are uncertain about attending in-person worship at this time and prefer to remain home, I support your decision and encourage you to continue taking care when interacting with others.

We are still providing videos of our worship online weekly. Sunday services will post later in the day on Sunday afternoons.

My office hours right now are:

Mondays from 8:30am-12:30 noon

Tuesdays from 8:30am- 3:00pm

Wednesdays from 8:30am- 3:00pm

Thursdays from 8:30am-3:00pm

At other work times, I am working from home, but available on my cell phone.

Office Hours for Church Secretary: Mondays 8am-1pm, Tuesdays 8am-1pm, Wednesdays 8-10am, and Thursdays 8-10am.

Pastor Hahn's hours: Monday—Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. She can be reached on her cell phone at 517-607-9429.

August Birthdays: Lauren Hayne (8/5), Extra Bertakis (8/7), Mason Hahn (8/7), Claire Walton (8/10), James Bertakis (8/13), Lucy Booth (8/13), Patti Weber (8/22), Susan Miller (8/25)

August Anniversaries: Greg & Kim Watson (8/8), Michael & Karen Koldie (8/12), Lucy & Casey Booth (8/26)

Consider signing up for Simply Giving. Contact the church office if you are interested in automatic giving from your bank account.

Financial Stewardship (based on a projected \$23,620 deficit)

| General Fund (6/30/21) | Y-T-D Budget | Actual |
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| Pledged Income | \$48,822 | \$57,611 |
| Other Income | \$7,973* | \$9,658* |
| Total Income | \$56,795* | \$67,269* |
| Total Expenses | \$67,127 | \$67,072 |
| Net Income | -\$10,332* | \$197* |

These figures do not include King's Kupboard.

*These figures reflect \$1,000 transferred from the Edward Jones account.

Building Fund: Jan.-Dec. 2021 Pledged: \$2,520 YTD Received \$379

YTD Given Barnyard Boxes Animal Project: \$43

YTD Given for ELCA World Hunger: \$92

YTD Given Third Sunday of Month for Marafiki Scholarship: \$78

Daily Bible Readings

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| Su | Ps. 34:15-22 | Ephesians 6:10-20 | Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 | John 6:56-69 |
| M | Ps. 119:97-104 | Nehemiah 9:1-15 | Ephesians 5:21—6:9 | |
| Tu | Ps. 119:97-104 | Nehemiah 9:16-31 | Ephesians 6:21-24 | |
| W | Ps. 119:97-104 | Isaiah 33:10-16 | John 15:16-25 | |
| Th | Psalm 15 | Exodus 32:1-14 | James 1:1-8 | |
| Fr | Psalm 15 | Exodus 32:15-35 | James 1:9-16 | |
| S | Psalm 15 | Exodus 34:8-28 | John 18:28-32 | |

Fragrance: Some people in worship are allergic to perfumes. Please keep your fragrance use to a minimum at worship on Sunday.

Reminder: If you are the last to leave one of our buildings, please be sure the lights are off and all doors are closed and locked behind you.