

THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

Today June 11
Parish Nurse Here today
9:30am – Worship - Sanctuary

Monday June 12
9:00am – Counters – Conference Room
1:00pm – Visitation Team – Conference Room
3:00pm – Global Missions – Conference Room
6:30pm - Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
7:30pm - B.P. STEP Group – Conference Room

Tuesday June 13
9:00am – Parish Nurse here – Office
10:00am – Bonfire Health & Wellness Team – Community Room
1:00pm – Staff Meeting – Conference Room
6:30pm – Council Meeting – Community Room
7:00pm – Investment Club – Conference Room
7:00pm – Gospel Christmas Rehearsal @ FLW

Wednesday June 14
1:00pm – O.A. Group – Community Room
6:30pm – Garden Club - Courtyard

Thursday June 15 Newsletter Articles Due
10:00am – Seven Continents of Fun & Food – Youth Room & Fellowship Hall
11:00am – Parish Nurse @ HOH

Friday June 16
5:00pm - 9:00pm – SDA
6:00pm – Pr. Enock Meeting - Sanctuary

Saturday June 17
9:00am – SDA
2:00pm – Pr. Enock Meeting – Sanctuary

PRAYER AND CARE CONCERNS

Please pray for:

Linda Van Ryn	Doris Efteland	Myrtle Keniston	Bea Tamminen
Steph Johnson	Dottie Viar	Bruce Vratisovsky	Ken Weis
Lauretta Welter	Father of Pr. Nirmala Reinschmidt		
Brett Remme (<i>friend of Dr. Klempay & Martha Otto</i>)			

Please Pray for the grieving families of:

Norvella Almer
William Babine, father of Pr. Dan Babine

**Have you remembered First Lutheran Church in your will? Do you have living will or health care directive?
Consider discussing these questions with your family and family attorney.**

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FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH OF CRYSTAL

7708 – 62nd Ave. N., Brooklyn Park, MN 55428

June 11, 2017 9:30 a.m.

Holy Trinity

A NOTE OF WELCOME TO VISITORS

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Visitors, we are happy you are here today!
If you are a first time visitor, please visit the Welcome Center in the entry way of the church. Pastor Folkerts or another member would be happy to follow-up with you on any questions you have about First Lutheran Church of Crystal. You may also find us on the web at: www.firstluc.org

ASL (American Sign Language) translation is available two Sundays each month. Please call the church office for more information.

Today's theme:

Scientists are agreeing in ever increasing numbers that the climate is being changed by human industrialization. We need to take responsibility for our role in caring for what God has created. The creation story we hear from Genesis today was not passed down over the centuries to tell us 'how' God made the world, but rather 'why' human beings are here. You and I have been given this creation so that we can share it with God, care for it with God, and renew it with God. God is still active in creating ... are we?

PRELUDE

Dr. Klempay

WELCOME / CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING HYMN "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!" ELW # 413

A READING FROM GENESIS Genesis 1:1-5
"A little light on the subject of darkness"
Prayer: For Truth

A HYMN "God, Whose Almighty Word" (Vs. 1 – 4) ELW # 673

A READING FROM GENESIS Genesis 1:6-8
"Every spirit builds itself a house..."
Prayer: For Refuge

A HYMN "God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens" ELW # 771
(Vs. 1 – 3)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE "This Little Light of Mine" ELW # 677
(Vs. 1 & 2 before message and Vs. 3 & 4 after message)

A READING FROM GENESIS Genesis 1:9-13
"The meaning of a garden"
Prayer: For Abundance

A HYMN "This Is My Father's World" (Vs. 1 - 3) ELW # 824

A READING FROM GENESIS

Genesis 1:14-19

*"Signs and Seasons; Horoscopes and Hopes"**Prayer: For Reason***A HYMN** "Earth and All Stars" (Vs. 1 & 5)

ELW # 731

MISSION MINUTE

Deacon Kirsten Kessel

A READING FROM GENESIS

Genesis 1:20-23

*"There IS an 'I' in diversity! (In fact, there's two!)"**Prayer: For Wisdom***A HYMN** "Morning Has Broken" (Vs. 1 - 3)

ELW # 556

A READING FROM GENESIS

Genesis 1:24-31

*"The meaning of being 'late to the party'."**Prayer: For Grace***A HYMN** "Let All Things Now Living" (Vs. 1 & 2)

ELW # 881

OFFERING**A READING FROM GENESIS**

Genesis 2:1-4a

*"Sunday, in a Monday-world."**Prayer: For Peace***A HYMN** "When Peace like a River" (Vs. 1 - 4)

ELW # 785

BENEDICTION**ANNOUNCEMENTS****CLOSING HYMN** "Beautiful Savior"

ELW # 838

DISMISSAL

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Thank you to Today's Worship Assistants

Music Director	Martha Otto Honer, M.S.
Organist	Dr. Desiderius Klempay
Lector	Ellie Funk, Deacon Kirsten Kessel
Ushers	Bob Johnson, Cindy Oswald Pat Beltz, Mark Beltz
Jr. Usher / Greeter	Robinson Funk
Sound	Chip Taft
Projectionist	Karen Hogenson
Announcer	Debbie Haney

First Lutheran Church of Crystal and the Minneapolis Area Synod
work together so that all experience:
Gracious invitation into life-giving Christian community
and live in just and healthy neighborhoods.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:**ALTAR FLOWERS**

Altar flowers are given today by newlyweds Ben & Paaj Teskey in celebration of their wedding yesterday.

2017 MISSION TRIP

The Youth Mission Trippers will be in the Narthex each Sunday in June selling Stock for \$5 per share as a fundraiser for the 2017 Youth Mission Trip to Niagara Falls, NY. **Prayer Partners are also needed.** The mission trip is scheduled for July 28 - August 6. If you would like to purchase stock or sign up to be a prayer partner, please see the Youth at the table in the Narthex. Thank you for your continued support of our Youth.

A FORUM NEXT SUNDAY

There will be a short forum after worship next **Sunday, June 18th**. Pastor Dave is our presenter for this forum and will update us on conversations with Faith Church International Seventh-Day Adventist Church. Please join us in the Sanctuary next Sunday to learn more.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR KITS

FLCW is now collecting items for Baby Care Kits for Lutheran World Relief including money. If you can't go shopping, we will be happy to do that for you. Just mark your offering for Baby Care Kits, FLCW. There are lists near the elevator

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS ARE NEEDED

We are in need of worship assistants to help with reading the lessons, ushering, sound techs and projectionists on Sunday mornings. The need is even greater in the summer when so many people are out of town. If you are able to help in any of these areas, please call the church office. Your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

YOU'RE INVITED

Mark your calendars for a special party! Our very own Marcy Beck will be celebrating a milestone birthday at the end of this month. Her family invites you to join Marcy for cake, coffee & punch following the worship service on Sunday, June 25th in the Community Room. Hope to see you there!

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE

For those who have articles for the July newsletter, please submit them to the church office by Thursday, June 15th. Thank you.

A June Newsletter Correction

Donated books from Pr. Dave are on the bookshelf in the Chapel and not in the Community Room. Sorry for any confusion.

SUMMERTIME SAFETY TIP

Be safe in the heat this summer! Anyone can be at risk for a heat-related illness such as heat stroke, heat exhaustion and heat cramps. Remember to take extra breaks, wear lightweight loose-fitting clothing, apply sunscreen and drink plenty of water. If you have any elderly neighbors or are aware of folks who might be at risk, please remember to check on them frequently. It may save someone's life!