

Sixteenth Sunday After Trinity

September 16, 2018

THE LUTHERAN HOUR BROADCAST was sponsored this morning by Gary & Dorothy Brinkley in thanksgiving for their anniversary. Thank you.

THANK YOU to Rev. Dr. Tilahun Mendedo for delivering the message this morning. He is the Executive Development officer with Lutheran Bible Translators. He is a native of Ethiopia and has served in multiple capacities with the Ethiopian Evangelical Church Mekane Yesus. He has served as Pastor of Mobile Faith Lutheran church and has been professor of philosophy at the University of South Alabama & Spring Hill College. He is past president of Concordia College in Alabama. He lives in Mobile, Alabama with his wife and children.

SUNDAY SCHOOL starts today. Children meet right after church in the sanctuary.

MONDAY BIBLE STUDY at 9:00 A.M. We are studying the book of Colossians. Come and join us.

TUESDAY 6:30 AM BIBLE CLASS. Come and join us.

SPECIAL NEEDS COMMUNION This Wednesday at 1:00 PM. This is for any member that cannot come to the Lord's Supper on Sundays.

CONFIRMATION this Wednesday from 4 – 5:15 PM.

LWML LADIES singing for LWML Sunday! We will practice this **Wednesday, Sept. 19** at **6:30 PM.** before our regularly scheduled LWML general meeting at 7:00.

LWML MEETING this Wednesday at 7:00 PM.

CHOIR PRACTICE: Wednesday at 7:30 PM. Come and join us. We will be singing next Sunday.

REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS: Jamie Fink +Melba Muhlenbruch +Duane Schmitt +James Bollhagen +Jennie Dellinger +Jerry Meyer +Lillian Green +George Abbas

Rev Phillip Callahan will be here next Sunday to preach and lead Bible class.

BOARD DIRECTORS – Please turn in your budget report to Dick Miller or the office by October 1. There is a budget in your mailbox.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Amber Bushbaum needs rides to Trinity on Sunday mornings. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the entryway if you can give her a ride.

“Oh, how the believer in Christ needs to remember that Christ lives within. This is no longer my life, it is Christ's. Yes, you live in the midst of a battle between the culture of death and the culture of life. Stand firm in Christ, where the abundant life has always been and always will be!” *Rev. Lyndon Korhonen, president of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

In both the Old Testament and Gospel readings we see the ultimate miracle, sons raised from the dead (1 Kings 17:17-24, Luke 7:11-17). Yet they present but a tiny picture of what will happen because God raised His Son from the dead! All the dead in Christ will be raised to eternal life. Death is a defeated enemy! *Prayer: Lord, may Your defeat of death give us courage as we confront a culture of death. Amen.*

Building Healthy Families: “Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit . . . therefore honor God with your body.” ([1 Corinthians 6:19-20](http://www.bible.com/bible/1/1co/6/19-20)). Here's another question: Do you not know that this Biblical instruction isn't written just for young people? No matter your age, take time this week to do something that will make your body stronger or healthier. Fix a healthy snack, go for a walk, and invite a friend or neighbor to join you. Shared activity

makes it more fun, and creates an open door for conversation about wellbeing, including the importance of faith, and spiritual wellness. Honor God with your body, no matter how many years it's been around! **Lutheran Family Service** (515) 573-3138 LFSiowa.org.

Experience The Holy Land -10 day Biblical Tour of Israel - Hosted by Pastor Chris Gorshe (from Riceville) - January 8 – 17, 2019. See the brochure on the table across from mailboxes.

GRACE, FAITH, SCRIPTURE & CHRIST ALONE...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken and produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL. This week's teachings include: The History of Celibacy & the Priesthood, Marriage Vows, Jesus the Catechist, The Book of Lamentations and more. You can listen live or on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the LPR mobile app.

FRUITS OF OUR FAITH: September 9: 133; Visitors 5; Pastor 21; Monday 15; Tuesday 8.

Acolyte: Grant Subbert **Organist:** Karen Tripp
Pianist: Jo Ellen Arends

Greeters: Chuck & Sharon Akers
Bob Heilskov
Gareld & Lois Johnson
Laverne Rodemeyer

Ushers: Lynn Arends, Del Berghoefer, Gary Brinkley, Rory Fender, Marvin Rodemeyer, Ryan Tripp

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Today – 10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

Monday, Sept. 17 9:00 AM Bible Class

Tuesday, Sept. 18 6:30 AM Bible Class

Wed. Sept. 19 1:00 PM Special Needs
Communion
4:00-5:15 PM Confirmation
6:30 PM LWML Ladies Choir
7:00 PM LWML Meeting
7:30 PM Choir Practice

Sunday, Sept. 23 7:30 AM Lutheran Hour on
KLMJ.104.9 **"Come, Lord Jesus"**
Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer
In a classic message from 1998, Dr. Dale Meyer explains
how a common table prayer reminds us of our dependence
upon God and His gifts.
(Exodus 16)
9:00 AM Worship Service – Rev. Callahan
here
10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School
10:15 AM Radio Broadcast on KLMJ
7:30 PM Spanish Lutheran Hour on KLMJ

MARK THESE DATES:



Sept. 19 –LWML Ladies sing - 6:30 PM
LWML Meeting - 7 PM
Sept. 23 – Rev. Phil Callahan here
Sept. 30 – LYF Meeting_– 6 PM
Oct. 1- Budget Reports due
School Kit items – last day

LYF MEETING Sunday, **September 30th at 6:00 PM.**
This will be an organization meeting for the year. We will
have pizza and plan for the year. Please plan to attend.
The eighth graders are invited to join us.

PASTOR VISITS – Pastor would like to visit families of
Sunday School children. If you know of a time that would
work for you, please call the church office. 456-4816

HELP – We need counselors for the LYF group for next
year. Contact Pastor if you are interested in helping with
the LYF.



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9:00 AM Worship
10:15 AM Bible Study
Pastor: Rev. Karl C. Bollhagen
Vicar Pat Baldwin

Welcome to all who worship with us today. It is our
prayer that you will grow through your experience with
the Lord and His Word. Join us for fellowship after the
worship service. Please fill out the card in the worship
insert. Thank you.

Communion- *St. Paul reminds us to examine ourselves
before taking the Lord's Supper. Communicants are
required to be members of a Lutheran Church-
Missouri Synod Congregation. We do this out of
pastoral concern and in Christian love. If you have
any questions, please see Pastor before worship.
Thank you.*