What's Happening This Week?

- *September 22nd Congregational Meeting @ 10:15AM
- *September 23rd Happy Birthday Bobbi Andres-Paine
- *September 23rd Happy Anniversary John & Millie Morrison
- *September 25th Happy Birthday Sophia Millican
- *September 27th Happy Birthday Mount Olive Lutheran Church!
- *September 28th Happy Birthday Linda Betts
- *September 28th Happy Anniversary Jerry & Diana Kohls

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September 22, 2024

+ Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost +

Welcome to worship in the name of God — Father, Son and Holy Spirit — who created you, saved you and makes you holy. Amen.

"Hear my prayer, O God; listen to the words of my mouth. ... I will praise your name, Lord, for it is good" (Psalm 54:2, 6, NIV).



Welcome to all our guests and visitors! Please share your contact information with us by signing our guest book, fellowship pad or a connection card. We don't share your information with anyone outside the church. Pastor Mike looks forward to meeting you and answering any questions you may have.

Sunday 9/15/24 Attendance: 60 **Sunday 9/15/24 Offerings** \$5,072.03

Sunday 9/22/24 Counters: Shelley Frederickson & Leona Shore

Altar Duty for September: Darryl & Shelley Frederickson

Faith, which receives the "true riches" of heaven, exhibits itself in the conscientious use of worldly goods. "So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches?" (Luke 16:11)

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Gathering for Worship

Ringing of the Bells and Opening Prayer

Lord of Glory, You Have Brought Us Hymn 851

Salutation and Collect of the Day

Worshipping Together

Sharing the Scriptures

We All Believe In One True God

Sermon

Shelley Frederickson

Hymn 953

Hymn 960

Hymn 637

Hymn 617

Pastor Michael Michalk

Proclaiming The Word

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord / Communion

Isaiah, Mighty Seer in Days of Old

Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord

O Lord, We Praise Thee

Benediction

Announcements

All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name

Hymn 549 sts. 1, 5-6

Sharing The Scriptures

Shelley Frederickson

Old Testament

Jeremiah 11:18-20

¹⁸The LORD made it known to me and I knew; then you showed me their deeds. ¹⁹But I was like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter. I did not know it was against me they devised schemes, saying, "Let us destroy the tree with its fruit, let us cut him off from the land of the living, that his name be remembered no more." ²⁰But, O LORD of hosts, who judges righteously, who tests the heart and the mind, let me see your vengeance upon them, for to you have I committed my cause.

Epistle James 3:13-4:10

¹³Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. ¹⁴But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. ¹⁵This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. ¹⁷But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. ¹What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ²You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. ³You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. ⁴You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble." ⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

Holy Gospel Mark 9:30-37

³⁰The disciples went on from there and passed through Galilee. And Jesus did not want anyone to know, ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." ³²But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him. ³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷"Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."