

THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

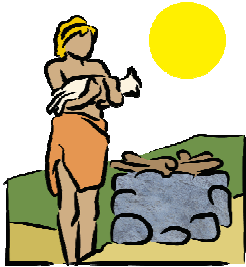
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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,
Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*

In the course of time Cain brought to the LORD an offering of the fruit of the ground, and Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat portions. And the LORD had regard for Abel and his offering. *Genesis 4:3–4*



AS WE GATHER “Look unto Him. . . . Look and be saved through faith alone, Be justified by grace” (*LSB 528:5*). The words of this well-loved hymn remind us that our justification—our being made right with God—comes as a gift from His storehouse of mercy. Even when sin is as its worst, the mercy of God is more powerful. Knowing that we are justified by His triumphant grace shapes our prayers and enlivens our praises. The song of our lives is one of triumphant joy in Jesus, the justifier.

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the blue information card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.
“The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.” James 5:16b

DIVINE SERVICE-SETTING FOUR

THE OPENING HYMN “*Lord Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word*” *LSB 655*

THE INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Matthew 28:19b; [18:20]

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN SING *11:00 service*

THE OPENING SENTENCES *Titus 3:4-7*

P When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us,
C **not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy,**
P by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,
C **so that being justified by His grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.**

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

C **To Thee, omniscient Lord of all, In grief and shame I humbly call;
I see my sins against Thee, Lord, The sins of thought and deed and word.
They press me sore; I cry to Thee: O God, be merciful to me!**
P God loved the world so that He gave His only Son the lost to save,
That all who would in Him believe Should everlasting life receive.
C **O Lord, my God, to Thee I pray: O cast me not in wrath away!
Let Thy good Spirit ne'er depart, But let Him draw to Thee my heart
That truly penitent I be: O God, be merciful to me!**
P God would not have the sinner die; His Son with saving grace is nigh;
His Spirit in the Word declares How we in Christ are heaven's heirs.
C **O Jesus, let Thy precious blood Be to my soul a cleansing flood.
Turn not, O Lord, Thy guest away, But grant that justified I may
Go to my house at peace with Thee: O God, be merciful to me!**
P Be of good cheer, for God's own Son Forgives all sins which you have done;
And, justified by Jesus' blood, Your Baptism grants the highest good.
C **Glory to God the Father, Son, And Holy Spirit, Three in One!
To You, O blessed Trinity, Be praise now and eternally!**
P As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

THE HYMN OF PRAISE *"This is the Feast"*

Refrain



© This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.

The musical notation is a single staff in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It begins with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The next measure contains a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, and a quarter note A4. The final measure contains a quarter note G4, a quarter note F#4, and a quarter note E4. The lyrics are placed below the notes.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

1 — Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and
 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and
 4 Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to
 5 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. *Refrain*
 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are His. *Refrain*
 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: *Stanza 4*
 God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*
 gun His reign. Al - le - lu - ia. *Final Refrain*

Final Refrain

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

THE COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, You are always more ready to hear than we are to pray and always ready to give more than we either desire or deserve. Pour down on us the abundance of Your mercy, forgive us, and give us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask except by the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING *Genesis 4:1–15 (Abel is killed by his brother, Cain.)*

THE SPECIAL MUSIC *“Spirituals for Four Pianos & Eight Hands...arr. Joel Raney
“Deep Rover”, “Swing Low, Sweet Chariot”, “In That Great Getting’ Up Morning”, I Want
Jesus to Walk with Me”, “Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child”, “Joshua Fit the Battle of
Jericho”*

Jodi Hartmann, Annette Hill, Karen Lindbloom, Jeanne Schweigert, piano quartet

THE EPISTLE LESSON *2 Timothy 4:6–8, 16–18 (Paul reflects on his life and ministry.)*

(Please stand)

THE RESPONSE

THE GOSPEL *St. Luke 18:9–17 (A teaching parable and a loving action of Jesus)*

(Please be seated)

THE SERMON HYMN *“God Has Spoken by His Prophets” LSB 583*

THE SERMON *“The 10 Commandments: The Close of the Commandments”
Exodus 20:5-6
Pastor Joshua Baumann*

(Please stand)

THE CREED *8:20 Apostles’ Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book
11:00 Nicene Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*

(Please be seated)

THE OFFERING *We gather our tithes, gifts of love, and our “Building Together in Faith” gifts.*

(Please stand)

THE OFFERTORY *“Sanctuary”... by John Thompson and Randy Scruggs*

*Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for You. (repeat)
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THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

We pray for the whole Church, that through it, the goodness of God may be shared. We pray for those who lead the Church that they may do so with devotion and humility. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P We pray for the nations of the world, asking that voices that call for peace may be heard and that the rich bounty of creation may be carefully developed and thoughtfully shared. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer**

P We pray for our families and everyone in them. Especially we ask that there may be relationships between and among siblings that are marked with kindness. Remove any sense of envy from all of us, Lord, that we may rejoice in the gifts You have given to each of us. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P We pray for those whose work is dangerous and for those who feel that what they are doing is not noticed by others. Grant a sense of satisfaction to all people in their various vocations, that together we may rejoice in times of prosperity and in times of adversity may support one another. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P We pray for those whose lives know burdens and challenges. This day we commend to Your benediction [*names*] and all of Your children who are in need of the prayers here offered. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P We pray that our offerings are sacrifices acceptable to You, O Lord, and that, with Your blessing, they be used to Your glory. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P With gratitude, we remember those who have completed their earthly journeys and who by faith now rejoice in the wonder that is the eternal home You have prepared for all who love You and all who await Your return with joyful anticipation. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P These things and whatsoever else we should have asked of You, grant us by Your mercy, O God, for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray.



C **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The 8:20 continues on page 7 with
The Benediction.

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT 11:00 Service

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

THE PAX DOMINI ~ *The Peace of the Lord*

John 20:19

P The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

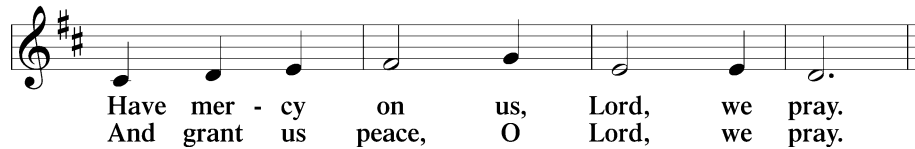
C **And also with you.**

AGNUS DEI

1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,

You take the sin of the world a - way;
You take the sin of the world a - way;

O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,



Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

(Please be seated)

Crossed Hands – The Board of Elders would find it helpful that when you desire to receive the communion wafer in your hand that you extend your hands in front of you. It is a nice tradition that you cross your hands simply placing your top hand crossed in the palm of the lower hand.

THE DISTRIBUTION

THE COMMUNION HYMNS

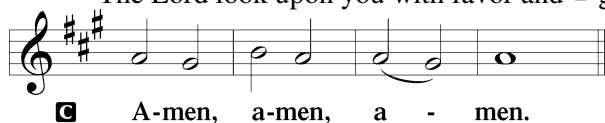
- “Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” LSB 528
- “Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior” LSB 627
- “Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior” LSB 619
- “Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness” LSB 563



(Please Stand)

THE BENEDICTION *(With Sung Amens)*

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.



A A-men, a-men, a - men.

THE CLOSING HYMN “We Praise You, O God” LSB 785

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Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost! We are delighted to have you in worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we bid you welcome and God-speed on your journey. Should you be from our community, and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home. Greeting you this morning:

Before Early Service

Terry & Clareen James
Dale & Mary Heidelberger

After Early Service

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Ryan & Ann Noyes



Before Late Service

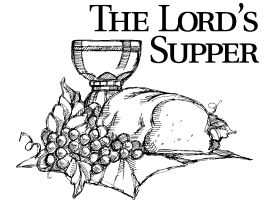
Jim & Char Russell
Paul & Lurene Denke

After Late Service

Mike & Angela Roman
Tony & Melissa Neyhart

Preaching this morning is Reverend Joshua Baumann, our Associate Pastor. Reverend Daniel Barbey, our Intentional Interim Senior Pastor is our Liturgist.

Holy Communion is celebrated at our 11:00 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord brings us strength and forgiveness to be about His vision and mission. Those confirmed Lutherans who come to the Sacrament of the Altar today are asked to read the communion side of our information card found in the pew rack and to sign the bottom of the reverse side so that our communion records might be complete.



Adult Bible Study Join us today as we continue our Bible study in 2 Samuel. We are meeting at the front of the Sanctuary.

Sunday School Sunday School resumes next Sunday, September 11. Sunday School is for all children age 3 by September 1, 2016. Green registration sheets are located on the information table in the Narthex. If you have previously registered your child, you are all set for this year.

Nursery Nursery is available during the 11:00 service. Nursery is located in the **F/G Room downstairs**. It is for children ages infant through 5 year olds.

Nursing Moms can find a comfortable rocker in the Daycare. This is NOT a Nursery for young children, just a quiet, private place for nursing moms.

God Be With You!

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Our Broadcasts Our Sonrise and Cable Broadcasts are made possible this week by our Faith congregation.

Did you know that "Sonrise" is streamed on KCCR live? If you are away, log on to www.TodaysKCCR.com. The Broadcast schedules are on the traveling Bulletin board, which is in the Narthex. Our Cable Broadcast is also on our Website. Take a look at www.faithluth.com.

COST: You may sponsor the radio broadcast of Sonrise for \$30.00. This radio broadcast is on 1240 AM KCCR at 6:40 a.m. on Sunday morning. The cost of sponsoring the cable broadcast of

our worship service is \$35.00. This cable access broadcast is televised on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. on Channel 8. If you choose to sponsor both, the cost is \$60.00.

Sun., Oct. 16 Att. 321; General Fund \$8,027.55; Building Fund \$798.00 (Debt Retirement \$488.00, Debt Challenge \$310.00); Sunday School \$6.65; Love Fund \$100.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; Thrivent Automatic Withdrawal \$3,428.00 (General \$3,143.00, Debt Retirement \$95.00, Building \$180.00, Love Fund \$10.00); Bible Study \$17.00; Flower Reimbursement (LWML) \$65.00; LWML Price Sheets Reimbursement \$52.72; Daycare Debt Repayment \$1,000.00; Lifetouch Pics Contribution \$1,345.00.

This Week at Faith Lutheran

Today: Oct. 23

8:20 am Worship
9:45 am Sunday School/Adult Study
11:00 am Communion
6:30 pm "Daniel" Bible Study
7:00 pm Board of Stewardship

Mon: Oct. 24

6:30 pm Christ Care
7:00 pm Capitolians
7:00 pm Priscilla Circle

Tues: Oct. 25

8:25 am Staff Devotions
10:15 am SOUL SPA Women's Study
6:00-7:00 "The Gospel of Mark" Women's Study
6:30 pm Choir
7:00-9:00 pm Pickleball

Wed: Oct. 26

6:30 pm Midweek

6:30 pm 1 Corinthians Study at Tom & Cindy Deadrick's, 2211 Duluth Ave.

7:00 pm Church Council
8:00 pm LYF Youth meeting

Thurs: Oct. 27

7:00 am Men's Bible Study
8:25 am Staff Devotions
6:00 pm "The Gospel of Mark" Women's Study
7:00 pm Mary/Martha Circle
7:00 pm Adult Inquirers Class

Sat: Oct. 29

4H Leadership Training

Sun: Oct. 30

8:20 am Worship
9:45 am Sunday School/Adult Study
11:00 am Communion
6:30 pm "Daniel" Bible Study



BUILDING NEWS

Thank you for your continued gifts to our Building Fund – We thank you for your gifts last Sunday to the Building Fund of \$1,073.00. The gifts were designated as follows:

The Debt Retirement Account: \$583.00
Debt Challenge \$310.00
The Building Account: \$180.00

Debt Retirement Challenge A generous family of our Faith congregation has graciously offered to match up to \$10,000.00 for Debt Retirement. The challenge will last the final quarter of our year from October 1 through December 31. Would you please consider joining the *Debt Retirement Challenge*? **In the memo line just indicate Debt Retirement Challenge or “DRC” for short.** What an opportunity, for which we say, “*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow,*” and “*Thank you!*”

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October is Pastor Appreciation Month. Let your pastors know that you appreciate all they do in Christ’s service.



Trunk ‘N’ Treat Next Monday, October 31st, 2016 from 6:00-7:15 p.m.

We need about 30 families or units to volunteer to be “Trunks”, maybe two or three families can join together. We ask that you start with 500 pieces of candy. Our Board of Missions will supplement your supply if you run out with donations so graciously given throughout this month. If anyone is interested in helping supplement the candy supply, you may bring candy and put it in the orange box in the office or in the box in the Narthex dedicated for this purpose. Thanks so much!

Berea Circle To avoid the Election Day activities Berea Circle will meet on **Tuesday, November 1** instead of November 8, their regularly scheduled second Tuesday of the month.

Prayer Before Election The Sanctuary will be open from 6:30 am to 6:45 pm for anyone who wishes to pray prior to voting on Election Day, November 8.

Greeters Once again it is time to start the new Greeters Schedule. There are a number of openings to be filled. Every 16 weeks you will come up on rotation. If you would be willing to volunteer let the office know. Also if you no longer wish to participate, please let the office know so we can make changes BEFORE we print the new schedules. Thank you.



Faith Circle members are assembling goodie boxes today and will send them out tomorrow. The Circle sends goodie boxes twice a year (Halloween and Valentine’s Day) to their school mailing address. With some assistance from Wal-mart, and LWML we are able to provide them with home baked goodies, store treats, an inspirational message and postage. Thank you parents, Wal-mart, and LWML. The members of Faith Circle.

Foster Parents Needed Be the one to open your home and your heart! FOSTER PARENTS are needed in our community to help keep siblings together and keep children in their home community. PRIDE (Parents Resource for Information Development and Education) foster parenting classes begin on **October 25, 2016**. If you would like more information, please contact the Department of Social Services at 773.3612 or go to FosterOneSD.org.

Faith Lutheran Youth - F.L.Y.

Here's what happening with the youth of Faith Lutheran....



Acolytes for October

October 23

Early: Savannah Loesch, Wyatt Loesch
Late: James Fuerst, Brooke Kampfe

October 30

Early: Pacen Banuat, Cassandra Ryckman
Late: Damon Hofteizer, Brady Hofteizer

*An acolyting schedule has been sent to each high school family for 2016/2017. If your high schooler did not receive one, please let Pastor Baumann know! This list is complete through the end of June 2017. A sub list with contact information was also included in a golden rod packet of paper. If acolytes are not able to be present for their assigned day, it is their responsibility to call someone else to find a replacement and then notify the church office. Thank you so very much!

Verse(s) of the Week: (NIV)

“For it is by grace you have been saved through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works so that no one can boast. For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.”

Ephesians 2:8-10

→ PRAYERS of all types and sorts...:

As you pray this week, remember in prayer those outside the Church, those outside the Faith, those outside the hope of eternal life in Christ. We pray that God would move and transform hearts by the power of the Holy Spirit, that the world may know that power of Jesus’ death and resurrection.

Lord in Your mercy...Hear our prayer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:45.

MIDWEEK CLASS ON WEDNESDAYS IS AT 6:30.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

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Sunday School and Midweek Children's Christmas programs are going to be Sunday, December 11th with the Nursery – 3rd grade program taking place at 9:30 and the 4-8th grade program at 11 o'clock. Christmas program dress rehearsals will be Saturday, Dec. 10th at 9:30 a.m. for Nursery – 3rd grade, and 11:00 for 4-8th grades.



→ **Trunk 'N' Treat!** All youth of the community are invited to attend a family friendly Trunk n' Treat activity at Faith Lutheran Church Parking Lot from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m. on Monday, October 31st. Dress up as your favorite Biblical character or best Angry Bird costume and we hope to see you there in this safe, fun, and welcoming environment!

→ **The LYF High School Group** is raising funds for youth group activities as they will be selling 200 Kuchen on Sat. Dec. 10th and Sun. Dec. 11th. Some possible flavors that might be available include: peach, apricot, plum, or blueberry. The LYF high school youth group would like to thank you for your support in advance.

→ **Advent Services and Midweek Class:** This year, the Advent Worship services leading up to Christmas will take a different start time than in years past. On Wed. Nov. 30th, Dec: 7th, 14th, and the 21st Advent Services will begin at 6:30 p.m. instead of 7:55 pm and end in roughly 45 minutes or less. For 2 of those 4 Wednesdays leading up to the Children's Christmas program, Midweek class will go from 6:30-7:30 pm only. At 7:30 children will be done with class and should be picked up/ taken home. This will occur for Wed. Nov. 30 and Dec. 7th. We would hope that all parents would take advantage of worship opportunities while their child is in class and then when you're done, you both would go home at 7:30. For parents who aren't able to attend Advent Service we ask that you still pick your child up at 7:30 on Nov. 30th and Dec 7th. Aquatic Center pool party will be Dec 14th at the Y from 6:45 until 7:45. No Midweek classes on Dec. 21st.

Youth in 1st through 5th grade... Pastor Baumann invites you to join him on Friday, January 27th from 6 to 8 p.m. in the gym at Faith Lutheran. We will be having Root Beer Floats, Games, and Tie-dying t-shirts. It's a fun opportunity to get together for some activity and fellowship with those our own age. The only thing you can bring besides yourself... is a white t-shirt to tie-dye, oh...and bring a friend too! The rest will be provided. Parents are certainly welcome to come, help out, and stay for the two hours. Can't wait to see you!

Today in Sunday School students learned how God used Ruth to accomplish His purposes for our salvation. Through her family God brought forth His Son, the Savior of all people including

Jews and Gentiles, men and women. Parents could ask, “*How did Ruth demonstrate her trust in God? How does God help us to trust in Him?*”

→ **Got something to share in the youth announcement section?** Please e-mail it to: joshua@faithluthcom Thanks!

→ **Need to talk?** Need prayers and encouragement? Pastor Baumann would love to pray for you, and if possible even with you for anything big or small that may be on your heart or mind. Find him for a special opportunity for prayer and conversation as we cast our cares on the Lord.

Upcoming Youth Dates to Keep In Mind:

Oct. 23rd → S.S. sings at late service

Oct. 31st → Trunk N’ Treat from 6:00-7:15 p.m. in Faith parking lot (L.Y.F. Serves Drinks)

November 13th → N-4th grade S.S. children sing at the 11 o’clock service

November 20th → Mission Festival with Rev. Dr. James Lamb

Dec. 10th & 11th → L.Y.F. Kuchen Bake Sale!

December 10th → Children’s Christmas Program Dress Rehearsal 9:30-11 am N-3rd grade; and 11:00-12:30 for 4th -8th grade

December 11th → Children’s Christmas Programs **9:45 service: N-3rd grade; 11 o’clock: 4-8th grade**

June 4-8th → VBS 2017 “A MIGHTY FORTRESS!”

On the Lighter Side...Puns for Fun

Q: What do you call a cow that won't give milk?

A: A milk dud!

Q: What fish only swims at night?

A: A starfish!



Congregational Prayers

Dottie Bossman
Martha Vance
Ben Shoup
Richard Zoller
Julian Olson
Elaine Phillips
Gene Schlichenmayer
Mike Youngberg
Barb Newman
Zoe Jones
Signe Gaasch (Susan Urbach)
Elaine Wagner
Greg Iversen
Jeannette Protexter
David Peterson
Ripley Olson (Alberta Olson)
Doyle Charron (Jochim)
Ron Lawrence
Jim Steele
Red Westall
Rhonda & Dane Steffens (Elaine Wagner)
Lynette Lohan (Lurene Denke)
Arnold Horner (Cindy Fredrich)
Jennifer Moser (Darline Fuoss)
Logan Krause (Kenefick-Aschoff)
Steve Ramquist (Daryl's Brother)
Kami Bush (Dee Koch)
Richard Penrod (Marilyn Penrod)
Phil Baker
Myrna Hartmann
Jodi Williams

Missionaries

Pastor Andrew Utecht & Pastor Albert Sutton and their families on the Rosebud and Pine Ridge Reservations.

Pastor Matthew Nix – Sioux Falls

Pastor Alan Ludwig – Siberia, Russia

Janet Borchard – Papua New Guinea

Pastor Daniel Jastram – Japan

Comfort *Deut. 34:8*

Charles Marquardt and family upon the death of his father-in-law Alvin Dass.
09/25/16

The Family of Helen Beckwith as they mourn her loss. 09/28/16

Paul Lepisto and family upon the death of his sister Lou Larson.

The Christian Church on Earth that it may grow and prosper and especially for the safety of Christians in China Lebanon, Syria, Turkey, Russia and North Korea.

For the people of Haiti as they rebuild following hurricane Matthew.