

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.

WE GATHER AS A COMMUNITY OF FAITH

PRELUDE *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* arr. Bradbury

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* CALL TO WORSHIP

JOHN 1:1, 14

One: In the beginning was the Word,

All: And the Word was with God,

One: And the Word was God.

All: And the Word became flesh and lived among us.

One: Praise the Lord.

All: The Lord's name be praised.

* PRAYER FOR THE DAY

* HYMN *Blessed Assurance* Hymnal 341

* CONFESSION

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin.

(Silent prayers of confession may be made)

* ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

* RESPONSE *Glory to God*

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

Glory to God, Glory to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you. *(People may greet one another)*

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

RESPONSE *Jesus Loves Me!* (verse 1) Hymnal 304

A TIME FOR CHILDREN Blessing of the Backpacks

RESPONSE *Spirit of the Living God* Hymnal 322

MINUTE FOR MISSION T.A.P. (Food Pantry) Kathy Jones

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Prayer for Illumination

Psalm 84

Pew Bible p. 442

John 6:56-69

Pew Bible p. 756

MESSAGE

"Where Else Can We Turn?"

Pastor Jennifer

WE RESPOND AS GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERTORY SPECIAL MUSIC *Lamb of God* arr. Larson

The Philipp Clan - Dori Gimondo, DeNae Cramer, Denise Philipp, vocalists

*DOXOLOGY Hymnal 592

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

WE TAKE GOD'S LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN *The Church's One Foundation* (verses 1,2, 5) Hymnal 442

*BLESSING

POSTLUDE *Praise Ye the Triune God* Flemming

GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **MOVIE NIGHT** On Sun. Sept. 2 at 7:00 pm, the Christian Ed Committee will be showing the funny movie, Cool Runnings. All ages are welcome – bring a friend and share the popcorn!
- **PRESBYTERIAN CALENDAR FOR \$15** If you'd like to have one, the office will be ordering them, so let Barb know.
- **MISSION COMMITTEE MEETING** on Sun. Sept. 2 after worship.
- **RALLY DAY POTLUCK SUN. SEPT. 9** To kick off the beginning of Sunday School, we'll be providing hot dogs and chips and drinks for a meal after worship. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

THIS WEEK AT UPC

Today	9:30 am	Worship Service with Blessing of the Backpacks followed by Coffee Hour hosted by Donna Kuenhold
Thurs. Aug. 30	10:00 am	Bible Study "What's So Amazing about Grace?"

COMING UP AT UPC

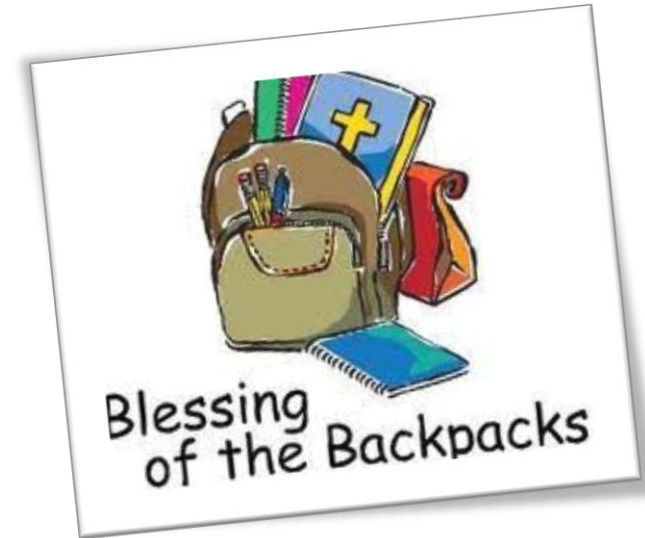
Sun. Sept. 2	9:30 am	Worship Service followed by Coffee Hour hosted by Shar Hulstein and Mary Goettsch Movie Night at the church 7:00 pm
Mon. Sept. 3		Labor Day – Church Office Closed
Tues. Sept. 4	6:30 pm	Deacons Meeting
Thurs. Sept. 5	10:00 am	Bible Study "What's So Amazing about Grace?"
Sun. Sept. 9	10:30 am	Worship Service time change Rally Day – Sunday School begins Potluck after worship

Today's Liturgy Resources:

Prayer for the Day – homiletics.com; Prayer of Confession and Illumination – *Book of Common Worship*

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14th Sunday after Pentecost August 26, 2018

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Denise Philipp, Deacon of the Month
Robin and Dave Adams, Greeters
Denise Philipp, Sound and Slide Technician