

## Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

MY  
GRACE  
IS SUFFICIENT  
FOR YOU,  
FOR MY  
POWER  
IS MADE  
PERFECT IN WEAKNESS

2 CORINTHIANS 12:9



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**Prayer Before Worship:** O Lord, you bring your Spirit to speak words of warning and grace to all people. Bless us in this work: proclaiming the Gospel, calling all people to repentance, faith, and redemption in Christ Jesus. Amen.

**This Week's Prayer List:** We pray for a portion of Zion's family, Juliene Klaustermeier; Jayne Klaustermeier; Thomas Klaustermeier, Maia Klaustermeier; Mark & Nissa Klausterneier, Abigail, Sam, and Hannah Klaustermeier; Alex & Katie Klaustermeier. We pray for those under a physician's care, in treatment or therapy, enduring hardships, for a strong faith.. We pray for those under a physician's care, in treatment or therapy, enduring hardships, for a strong faith.

**Council Meeting and Voters Meeting Tomorrow, 7:30 PM**

**Voters meeting will be next Sunday, July 15th after church.**

**Thanks!** to all those who came in to "deep clean" Zion's kitchen. Fifteen came out to help--and the work went fast.

**TEAM JESUS! Vacation Bible School \*This Wednesday 9:00 - 1:30 PM**  
Zion will be abuzz with fun and learning, as kids ascend Zion's holy hill for this year's VBS, with the theme: TEAM JESUS! Kids can come, even if they had not been registered. All are welcome.

**Mayer Market and More! Wednesday, July 10 from 4:30-7:30 pm**  
Join Mayer Lutheran for another fun-filled memory making market! Grab dinner from the Squeaky Cow Food Truck, dessert from Mike's Mini Donuts or the Float Mobile, and browse the 20+ vendors. The kids will enjoy the bounce house, face painter and crafts! Plus, tap your toes to Eric & Polly Rapp's live music. There is fun for everyone!

**Christian Media \* Good Lutheran teaching, on radio & online**

**LUTHERAN HOUR (on radio & internet)** Hear the Good News of the Gospel on the Lutheran Hour each Sunday; 6:05 on WCCO-830 at 9:00 am on KDUZ-1260 AM Radio. (Or view online: [lhm.org](http://lhm.org))

**Main Street Living \* Sunday Morning: July 7, 2024 on FOX 5.2**  
9:00am - No Laughing Matter! A woman must learn to deal with her past in order to help someone else in her present.  
9:30 AM - Rev. Robert Moeller, pastor at Our Saviour's, Trinity & Trosky Lutheran Churches near Pipestone, MN, presents a message titled "A Prophet Has Come," based on Ezekiel 2:1-5.  
Visit [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com) for more information.

### This Week

**Monday, July 8th**  
**Wednesday, July 10th**  
**Thursday, July 11th**

**Council Meeting 7:30 PM**  
**Team Jesus 1-Day VBS 9:30 AM**  
**LWML Meeting 9:30 AM**

### Next Week

**Sunday, July 14th**

**Church Service - Communion 9:30 AM**  
**Voters Meeting - following church service**

**Opening Hymn # 966****“Before You, Lord, We Bow”**

P: In the Name of the Father + Son + Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: The Lord reigns, let the nations tremble;

C: He sits enthroned between the cherubim, let the earth shake.

P: Great is the Lord in Zion; he is exalted over all the nations.

C: Let them praise your great and awesome name—he is holy.

**Holy God, We Praise Thy Name; Hymn # 940**

Lord of all, we bow before Thee.

All on earth Thy scepter claim, All in heav'n above adore Thee.

Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign.

Hark! The glad celestial hymn Angel choirs above are raising;

Cherubim and seraphim, In unceasing chorus praising,

Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy Lord!

P: The King is mighty, he loves justice—you have established equity;

C: In Jacob you have done what is just and right.

P: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his footstool—he is holy.

Lo, the apostles' holy train Join Thy sacred name to hallow;  
Prophets swell the glad refrain, And the white-robed martyrs follow,  
And from morn to set of sun Through the Church the song goes on.

P: Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel was among those  
who called on his name;

C: They called on the Lord and he answered them.

P: He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud;

C: They kept his statutes and the decrees he gave them.

P: O Lord our God, you answered them;

C: You were to Israel a forgiving God, though you punished their  
misdeeds.

P: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his holy mountain,

C: For the Lord our God is holy.

Thou art King of Glory, Christ; Son of God, yet born of Mary.  
For us sinners sacrificed, As to death a Tributary,  
First to break the bars of death, Thou hast opened heav'n to faith.

**Collect of the Day** \*O God, Your almighty power is made known chiefly  
in showing mercy. Grant us the fullness of Your grace that we may be  
called to repentance and made partakers of Your heavenly treasures;  
through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with  
You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Old Testament Reading**

P: This is the Word of our Lord.

**Ezekiel 2:1–5**

C: Thanks be to God!

**Epistle Reading**

P: This is the Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God!

**2 Corinthians 12:1–10**

Holy Father, holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name Thee;  
Though in essence only one, Undivided God we claim Thee  
And, adoring, bend the knee While we own the mystery.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, chapter six.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

**Gospel Reading**

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Mark 6:1–13**

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

**Children's Message**

*Sunday School in Mr. M's Room*

**Sermon Hymn # 836 vv 1-3 (Tune: O Perfect Love)****“O God of Light”****Sermon****Power that Moves Hearts & Minds****Mark 6:1-6**

*Jesus does not compel us to believe--but he does give us opportunity!*

To all the world Your summons You are sending,  
Through all the earth, to every land and race,  
That myriad tongues, in one great anthem blending,  
May praise and celebrate Your gift of grace.

**Prayers and Lord's Prayer**

P: The Lord bless you + shine upon you + grant you peace!

C: Amen!

**Closing Hymn****Tune # 752 (Finlandia: "Be Still My Soul")**

**This is my song**, O God of all the nations,  
A song of peace for lands afar and mine.  
This is my home, the country where my heart is;  
Here are my hopes, my dreams, my holy shrine;  
But other hearts in other lands are beating  
With hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.

My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,  
And sunlight beams on cloverleaf and pine.  
But other lands have sunlight too and clover,  
And skies are everywhere as blue as mine.  
Oh, hear my song, O God of all the nations,  
A song of peace for their land and for mine.

**Finances**

**Salary:**

Beginning Balance(1/1/24):	\$58,368.48
YTD Income:	\$170,390.59
YTD Expenses:	\$225,749.18
Current Balance (6/13/24):	<b>\$3,009.89</b>

**Missions:**

Year to date total (3/31/24):	\$655.00
Budgeted:	\$9,830.00
Non-budgeted:	\$0.00
2024 Pledged:	\$6,500.00
2023 Goal:	\$15,000.00

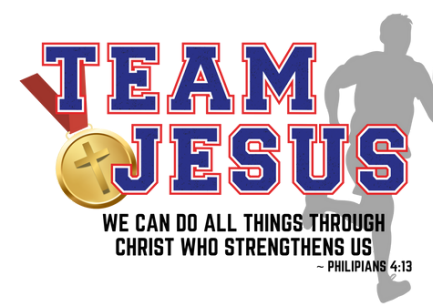
**LHS:**

Year to date total (3/31/24):	\$12,537.66
2024 Commitment:	\$21,945.00
Per communicant member:	\$55.00

**Building/Repair Fund:**

Account Balance (7/5/24):	\$29,101.47
Suggested household contribution:	\$750.00

**Attendance: Sunday June 30th: 95**



**LACE UP YOUR RUNNING SHOES,  
THE OLYMPIC VBS GAMES ARE ABOUT TO BEGIN!**

In the sporting world we are surrounded by great athletes and champions of every kind. In our **Team Jesus** Olympic One-Day VBS, children meet Caleb who ran with his faith, and trained more athletes. We will sing songs, play games, do crafts, and have lunch!



**Where:** Zion Lutheran Church and School  
**When:** Wednesday, July 10, 2024 - 9:00 to 1:30 PM  
**For:** Ages 3 (potty trained) - entering 6th grade  
**Cost:** FREE

**TO REGISTER  
YOUR CHILD(REN)**



**TO VOLUNTEER**



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<https://forms.gle/4kPaKzvi0r2GrPso9>

**TO VOLUNTEER**  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080949A5A92FA0FE3-49835958-2024#/>  
**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**  
We are still in need of a couple of 7th-12th grade helpers and a couple of volunteers to help clean up! To register please visit the above link, scan the QR code, or contact Anne Traver 952-465-8146

**Agnus Day - Jesus is the obedient son who leads us.**



**God said to Ezekiel,** “Son of man, I send you to the people of Israel, to nations of rebels, who have rebelled against me. They and their fathers have transgressed against me to this very day. The descendants also are impudent and stubborn: I send you to them, and you shall say to them, ‘Thus says the Lord God.’ And whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house) they will know that a prophet has been among them.”