

Prayer List For The Week:

1. God's Servant: Pastor Razafy Razafindrakoto of Centre de Documentation et d'Etude Chretienne-CDEC Sherbrooke, Quebec & Eglise Evang. Luth. De la Sainte Trinite of Quebec City, Quebec.

2. Pray for our Missionaries Around the World: Rev. Ted & Rebecca Krey, Rev. Sergio Maita, Rev. Joel Fritsche, Danelle Putnam, Rev. Willi Gaspar; Rev. David Preus, Jamie-Lynn Tinkey, Rev. Dr. Jonathan & Cheryl Nauman, Tirzah Krey, Dominican Republic; James Krey, Puerto Rico; Rev. Eric & Johanna Stinnett, Ethopia. All Haitian Pastors & people in Haiti & the Dominican Republic.
Our Lutheran Church in Nicaragua, and other Missionaries who serve for us in foreign lands.

3. For God's People: Ted & Jennifer Kempffer, Alexa, Theo, Ellie

4. For Those Who Need Prayers:

Joan Nelson	Phil Ochs	Ed Tracy
Alice Elvy	Clarissa Wolf-Menna	Kevin Johnson Jr.
Family of Emily	Those affected by COVID -19	

Scott Vanraes: Keep Scott in your prayers as he continues his study at Seminary. He continues his study as well as works part time to support his family.

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**The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost
July 5, 2020**

SERVICE: LSB Divine Service 3, pg. 184

HYMNS: LSB 752, LSB 763

TEXT: Matthew 11:25-30

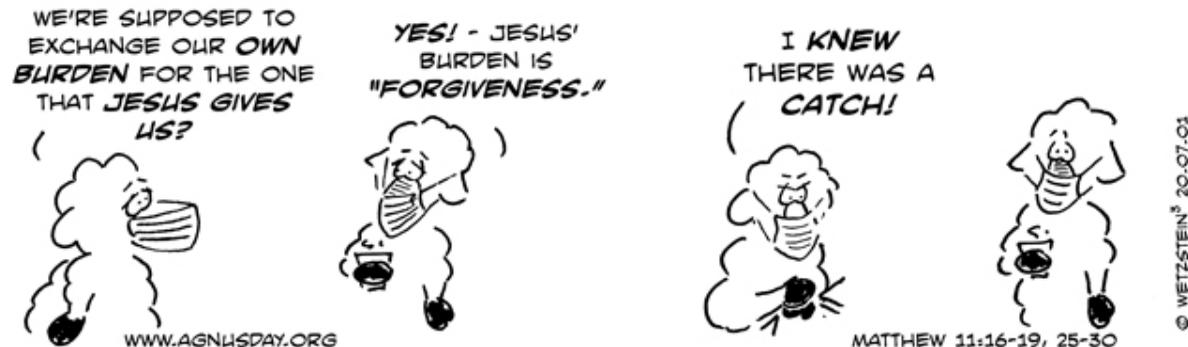
PSALMS: 145:1-14

We welcome you to our Service of Worship and Praise this morning. We pray that the Word of God spoken to us this morning will give us comfort, peace, joy and the strength to face whatever the devil, the world and our own sinful flesh may tempt us with throughout the coming week. If you are a visitor with us this morning, we ask that you kindly sign the guest register located in the back of the church and do come and worship with us again soon.

COLLECT OF THE DAY: Gracious God, our heavenly Father, Your mercy attends us all our days. Be our strength and support amid the wearisome changes of this world, and at life's end grant us Your promised rest and the full joys of Your salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

	Those Serving Us Today	Those Serving Us Next Week
Organist	Kristin Schneider.....	Yvette Schneider
Counters	Barb Tracy & Suzan Struhar.....	Barb Tracy & Suzan Struhar

Holy Communion: Close communion has been practiced since the early Christian Church. We maintain this practice. We welcome communicant members of Good Shepherd and fellow Lutherans from churches in fellowship with Lutheran Church-Canada to receive Holy Communion. All wishing to commune that are not yet communicant members are cordially invited to speak to the Pastor before the Worship Service.



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This Week:

Sun. 10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/ Fellowship
Wed. 7:00 p.m. Devotion live stream online
Sun. 10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/fellowship

OFFERING: June 28, 2020

	Received	Budget
Budget:	\$ 565.00	\$ 2412.23
LCC:	\$ 60.00	\$ 76.92
WECLO:	\$ 75.00	\$ 57.69

Other: \$ 100.00

NOTES DURING CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK: We rejoice that we are able to join together again in God’s house to receive the gifts of His grace in the Word of God and in the Sacrament. During this time, it is encouraged that you follow the directions of the ushers in the service, pay attention to the signs and try to limit the use of the bathrooms to one person at a time. Please maintain a social distance of 6 feet. Even if you find some of these measures to be extreme, we ask for your patience and mercy. This isn’t about you, it’s about the safety of your neighbour and trying to reduce the risk of spreading this illness. Please see the letter inserted into the bulletin for an explanation about congregational singing. For those who are unable to come, for whatever reason, a short liturgy, readings, the prayer of the day, and a recording of the sermon will be posted to our Facebook page shortly after the Divine Service. Join us even if you don’t have a Facebook account at <https://www.facebook.com/Good-Shepherd-Lutheran-Church-102466321395763>.

WEDNESDAY DEVOTION: The Wednesday devotion continues to be live streamed on our Facebook page at 7:00 p.m. every Wednesday. It takes the Bible study that would usually happen on Sunday morning and we do it online, looking through the Gospel reading the Sunday. Following that we spend some time in prayer and in singing a hymn. Take time out of the crazy COVID schedule and rest in the Word of God.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: “Unhelmed” Are you living in the reality of life as it is right now, life as it will be, or somewhere in between? (Matt. 6:1-18) Hear this inspirational message on WDFN 1130 AM at 6:30 a.m. and WRDT 560 at 7:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. Streaming audio and pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

GOOD SHEPHERD FOOD HAMPER: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church has started a food hamper to help those in need in our community of amherstburg. We are offering \$ 50 gift cards,

or groceries up to \$50 for those who are unable to leave their homes, such a seniors and those with compromised immune systems. If our members know of anyone who is in need, whether they live in Windsor or Amherstburg, advise them to call our church and leave a message with their name and number. Pastor Schneider will get back to them within 24 hours and discuss what they need. So far we have given out seven gift cards for either No Frills or Sobeys. Thanks be to God.

SEMINARY GUILD: Due to the church closing in March we were unable to collect for the Seminary Guild. In the Bulletin you will find an envelope where you may put your \$ 5 donation. Please consider helping out our Seminarians as this has been a very stressful time. Thank you.

ON-LINE VBS: See the insert included in your bulletin for information on the on-line VBS programs going on throughout LCC. This past week was the first on-line VBS out of Winnipeg.

Note: If you wish to have information printed in the bulletin please submit to my email b52ycart@gmail.com or call 519-945-2753 by Monday noon. The bulletin is printed on Friday afternoon and submitted to Pastor for proof reading. If something comes up after that you must contact Pastor Schneider

BOOK OF CONCORD: The Smalcald Articles, Third Part, Article II, The Law:

Here we hold that the Law was given by God, first, to restrain sin by threats and the dread of punishment and by the promise and offer of grace and benefit. All this failed because of the evil that sin has worked in humanity. For by the Law some people were made worse sinners, those who are hostile to the Law because it forbids what they like to do and commands what they do not like to do. Wherever they can escape punishment, they do more against the Law than they did before. Those are the unrestrained and wicked, who do evil wherever they have the opportunity.

The rest become blind and arrogant. The scholastic theologians conceive the opinion that they are able to keep the Law by their own powers. From this come the hypocrites and false saints.

The chief office of the Law is to reveal original sin with all its fruit. It shows us how very low our nature has fallen, how we have become utterly corrupted. The Law must tell us that we have no God, that we do not care for God, and that we worship other gods —something we would not have believed without the Law. In this way, we become terrified, humbled, depressed. We despair and anxiously want help, but see no escape [Romans 7:21-24]. We begin to be an enemy of God and to complain, and so on. Paul says, "The law brings wrath" (Romans 4:15). (paragraphs 1-5)

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