



Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

Pilgrim Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)

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Forgiveness Is For Me

Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” We know that keeping little children occupied for an entire church service can be a challenge. Don’t worry; most of those worshipping around you have been in your shoes at one time. If you feel that you need to take your child out of church at any time, we have a Children’s Room to the right as you exit the worship area. The first parking space in front of church is designated for **expectant mothers and families with small children**.

Restrooms are located to your left as you exit the worship area. There are **changing tables in both restrooms**.

LARGE PRINT copies of worship materials are available from the ushers. If you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to ask an usher.

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**Presiding & Preaching
Organist**

Pastor Aaron Winkelman
David Porth

Thy Strong Word

CW 630

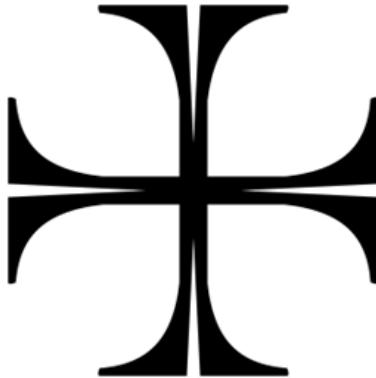
1:all, 2:men, 3-4:women, 5:men, 6:all

- 1 Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;
at thy speaking it was done.
For created light we thank thee
while thine ordered seasons run.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!
- 2 Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness,
dark as night and deep as death,
broke the light of thy salvation,
breathed thine own life-giving breath.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!
- 3 Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous;
bright with thine own holiness,
glorious now, we press toward glory,
and our lives our hopes confess.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!
- 4 From the cross thy wisdom shining
breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;
from the cross forever beameth
all thy bright redeeming light.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia without end!

- 5 Give us lips to sing thy glory,
tongues thy mercy to proclaim,
throats to shout the hope that fills us,
mouths to speak thy holy name.
Alleluia, alleluia!
May the light which thou dost send
fill our songs with alleluias,
alleluias without end!
- 6 God the Father, light-creator,
to thee laud and honor be.
To thee, Light from Light begotten,
praise be sung eternally.
Holy Spirit, light-revealer,
glory, glory be to thee.
Mortals, angels, now and ever
praise the holy Trinity!

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Invocation

The grace of our Lord † Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

And also with you.

Confession of Sins

We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

Amen.

Anthem

Sung by PreK - 8

Father Welcomes

Ref Father welcomes all his children
to his fam'ly through his Son.
Father giving his salvation,
life forever has been won.

1 Little children, come to me,
for my kingdom is of these.
Life and love I have to give,
mercy for your sin. (Refrain)

2 In the water, in the Word,
in his promise, be assured:
those who are baptized and believe
shall be born again. (Refrain)

3 Let us daily die to sin;
let us daily rise with him,
walk in the love of Christ our Lord,
live in the peace of God. (Refrain)

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8:00am, the service continues on page nine.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism

10:30AM, Niema Vaghar Mikkelson, Son of James Mikkelson and Daisy Vaghar

Our Savior Jesus Christ commanded Baptism when he said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

All of us are born into this world with a deep need for Baptism. From our parents we inherit a sinful nature; we are without true fear of God and true faith in God and are condemned to eternal death. But while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. He took away our sin by giving his life on the cross. In Baptism, he clothes us with the robe of his righteousness and gives us a new life. We recall what Baptism means for our daily lives:

**Baptism means that the sinful nature in us
should be drowned by daily sorrow and repentance,
and that all its evil deeds and desires be put to death.
It also means that a new person should daily arise
to live before God in righteousness and purity forever.**

As baptized children of God, we confess our sins:

**Holy God, gracious Father,
I am sinful by nature
and have sinned against you in my thoughts, words, and actions.
I have not loved you with my whole heart;
I have not loved others as I should.
I deserve your punishment both now and forever.
But Jesus, my Savior, paid for my sins
with his innocent suffering and death.
Trusting in him, I pray: God, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

God saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit and united us to the death and resurrection of Jesus. Every day God forgives your sins, removes your guilt, and strengthens you to defeat Satan’s power. His promise is for you and your children, and he will never forsake you. Your sins are forgiven. You are clothed with Christ. You are at peace with God now and forever.

Amen.

The rite continues with the family at the font.

The Gospel according to St. Mark:

People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it." And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.

Niema, I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Receive the sign of the cross on the head and heart ✙ to mark you as one redeemed by Christ the crucified.

The almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has given you the new birth of water and the Spirit and has forgiven all your sins. May he strengthen you with his grace all the days of your life. Peace be with you.

Exhortations

Let us pray.

Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father, through your stern judgment, the unbelieving world was destroyed by the flood, but according to your great mercy, you saved Noah and his family. You engulfed stubborn Pharaoh and his army in the waters of the Red Sea but led your people through those same waters to safety on dry land. In the waters of the Jordan, your own Son was baptized and anointed with the Spirit. By these signs you foreshadowed the washing that you give us in Holy Baptism.

Holding firmly to your command and promise, we ask that you would look with favor on Niema. Through this water of Baptism, drown in him all sin inherited from Adam and any other evil he may do. Set him apart from the unbelieving world, and hold him safe and secure in the holy ark of the Church. Keep him always fervent in spirit and joyful in hope so that he may honor your holy name and at last receive, together with all your people, the promised inheritance of eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Stand

Prayer and Praise

In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

C: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are
they who take ref - uge in him. Your Word, O Lord, is e -
ter - nal; it stands firm in the heav -
ens. Your faith - ful - ness con - tin - ues for -
ev - er. Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good.
Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him.

The musical score is written for a single voice part in treble clef, with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#) and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "C: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him. Your Word, O Lord, is e - ter - nal; it stands firm in the heav - ens. Your faith - ful - ness con - tin - ues for - ev - er. Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him." The score consists of six lines of music, each with a corresponding line of lyrics. The first line starts with a C-clef and a key signature of two sharps. The lyrics are written in a simple, sans-serif font. The music is written in a single staff with a treble clef. The notes are mostly quarter and eighth notes, with some rests. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across notes. The score ends with a double bar line.

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

Lord God, heavenly Father, you graciously forgive us all our sins and abundantly provide for all our needs of body and soul. Give us confidence in your mercy, and teach us also to be merciful to our neighbor, that we willingly forgive all people, and judging only ourselves, lead blessed lives to your glory; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Be seated

First Reading

Genesis 50:15–21

¹⁵When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "What if Joseph holds a grudge against us and pays us back for all the wrongs we did to him?" ¹⁶So they sent word to Joseph, saying, "Your father left these instructions before he died: ¹⁷'This is what you are to say to Joseph: I ask you to forgive your brothers the sins and the wrongs they committed in treating you so badly.' Now please forgive the sins of the servants of the God of your father." When their message came to him, Joseph wept.

¹⁸His brothers then came and threw themselves down before him. "We are your slaves," they said.

¹⁹But Joseph said to them, "Don't be afraid. Am I in the place of God? ²⁰You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. ²¹So then, don't be afraid. I will provide for you and your children." And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.

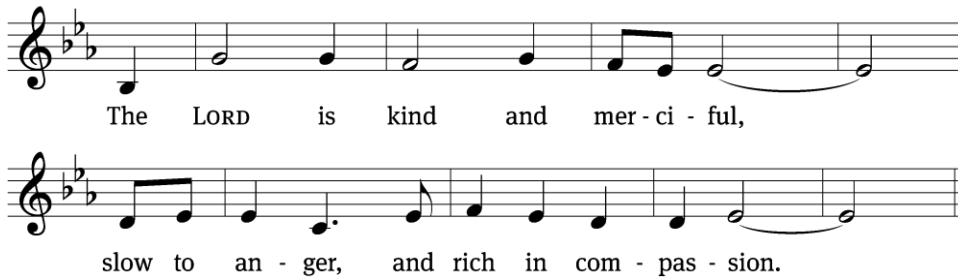
The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The LORD Is Kind and Merciful

Psalm 103A

Refrain



Tone



Praise the LORD, / my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his / holy name—
who forgives / all your sins
and heals all your dis- / eases,
who redeems your life / from the pit
and crowns you with love and com- / passion,
who satisfies your desires / with good things
so that your youth is renewed like the / eagle's. *Refrain*

The LORD is compassionate and / gracious,
slow to anger, abound- / ing in love.
He does not treat us as our / sins deserve
or repay us according to our in- / iquities.
For as high as the heavens are a- / bove the earth,
so great is his love for those who / fear him;
as far as the east is / from the west,
so far has he removed our transgressions / from us.
Glory be to the Father and / to the Son
and to the Holy / Spirit,
as it was in the be- / ginning,
is now, and will be forever. / Amen. *Refrain*

Second Reading

Ephesians 4:29—5:2

²⁹Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. ³⁰And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. ³¹Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. ³²Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

¹Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children ²and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

The Word of the Lord.

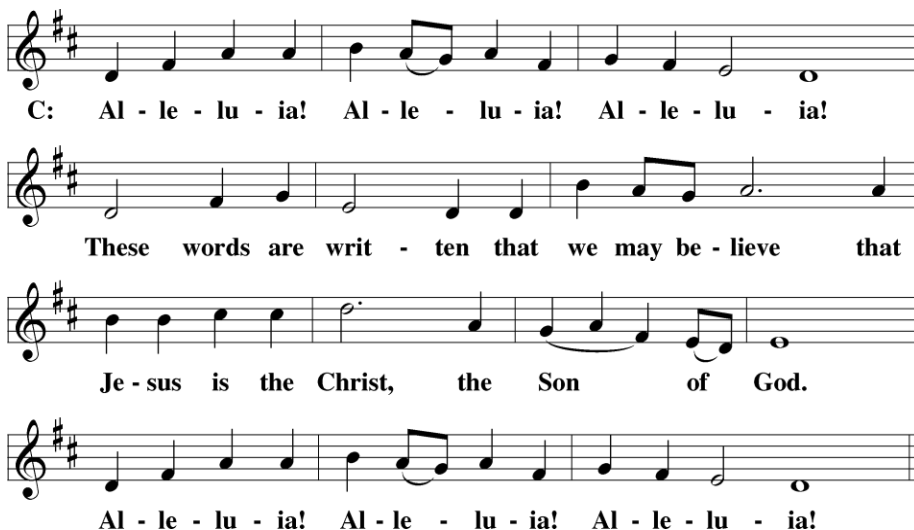
Thanks be to God.

Stand

Verse of the Day

Colossians 3:13

Alleluia. Bear with each other and forgive one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. Alleluia.



C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Gospel Reading

Matthew 18:21–35

²¹Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, “Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?”

²²Jesus answered, “I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times.

²³“Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. ²⁴As he began the settlement, a man who owed him ten thousand bags of gold was brought to him. ²⁵Since he was not able to pay, the master ordered that he and his wife and his children and all that he had be sold to repay the debt.

²⁶“At this the servant fell on his knees before him. ‘Be patient with me,’ he begged, ‘and I will pay back everything.’ ²⁷The servant’s master took pity on him, canceled the debt and let him go.

²⁸“But when that servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred silver coins. He grabbed him and began to choke him. ‘Pay back what you owe me!’ he demanded.

²⁹“His fellow servant fell to his knees and begged him, ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay it back.’

³⁰“But he refused. Instead, he went off and had the man thrown into prison until he could pay the debt. ³¹When the other servants saw what had happened, they were outraged and went and told their master everything that had happened.

³²“Then the master called the servant in. ‘You wicked servant,’ he said, ‘I canceled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. ³³Shouldn’t you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you?’ ³⁴In anger his master handed him over to the jailers to be tortured, until he should pay back all he owed.

³⁵“This is how my heavenly Father will treat each of you unless you forgive your brother or sister from your heart.”

The Gospel of the Lord.



Be seated

Come Down, O Love Divine

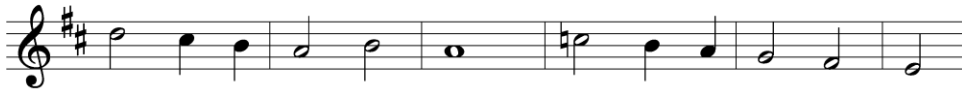
CW 587



1 Come down, O Love di - vine, seek thou this soul of mine,
 2 O let it free - ly burn, till earth - ly pas - sions turn
 3 Let ho - ly char - i - ty mine out - ward ves - ture be,
 4 And so the yearn - ing strong, with which the soul will long,



and vis - it it with thine own ar - dor glow - ing.
 to dust and ash - es in its heat con - sum - ing;
 and low - li - ness be - come mine in - ner cloth - ing—
 shall far out - pass the pow'r of hu - man tell - ing;



O Com - fort - er, draw near; with - in my heart ap - pear,
 and let thy glo - rious light shine ev - er on my sight,
 true low - li - ness of heart, which takes the hum - bler part,
 no soul can guess his grace till it be - come the place



and kin - dle it, thy ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.
 and clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.
 and o'er its own short - com - ings weeps with loath - ing.
 where - in the Ho - ly Spir - it makes his dwell - ing.

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Sermon

Stand

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

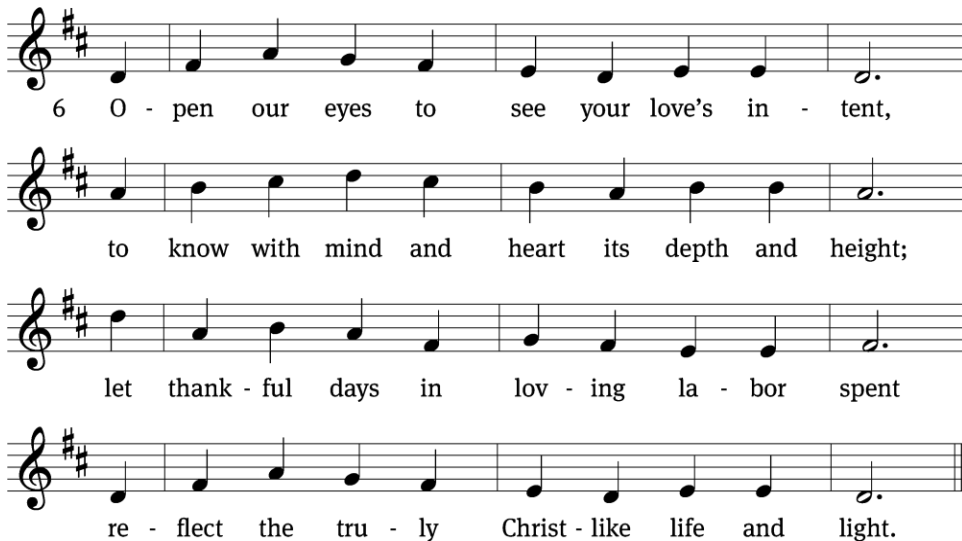
Be seated

Offering

Offering boxes are available in the back of church. If you wish to give an electronic offering, you may use the QR code located at the end of the bulletin or you may go to pilgrimcares.org/giving. We present the offerings before the altar as a reminder that our giving overflows out of the Gospel and is itself an act of worship.

Offering Hymn

CW 754 st. 6



6 O - pen our eyes to see your love's in - tent,
to know with mind and heart its depth and height;
let thank - ful days in lov - ing la - bor spent
re - flect the tru - ly Christ - like life and light.

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Installation of Sunday School Teachers

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

CW 624 sts. 1-4



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly
3 Praise to the Lord, who has fear - ful - ly, won - drous - ly,
4 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -



a - tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is your
reign - ing and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up -
made you, health has be - stowed and, when heed - less - ly
fend you; sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall



health and sal - va - tion! Let all who hear now to his
lift - ing, sus - tain - ing. Have you not seen how all that's
fall - ing, has stayed you. What need or grief ev - er has
dai - ly at - tend you. Pon - der a - new what the Al -



tem - ple draw near, join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
need - ful has been sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
failed of re - lief? Wings of his mer - cy did shade you.
might - y can do as with his love he be - friends you.

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Stand

Closing Prayer

O Lord God, our heavenly Father, pour out the Holy Spirit on your faithful people.
Keep us strong in your grace and truth, protect and comfort us in all temptation, and
bestow on us your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



The Benediction

Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord
with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and + give you peace.



Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

CW 624 st. 5

5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -
dore him! All that has life and breath, come now with
prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his
peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below each staff. The first staff begins with a '5' indicating a fifth measure rest. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

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News & Notes

Flowers are given to the glory of God by Barbara Januzzi in celebration of her birthday. Happy anniversary Barb!

Today is Kickoff Sunday! Welcome back! Today we launch into our fall schedule with a morning full of fellowship, worship, and time in the Word.

Here is what you can look forward to:

- Classes Resume: Sunday School (for ages 3k through eighth grade) and Adult Bible Class are officially back in session!
- All-School Sing: We will be blessed with a special anthem as our PreK–8th grade students raise their voices together.
- New Adult Bible Class Topic: Dive deep into our new study, *"The Earth Is the Lord's: Stewardship as Faith, Vocation, and Worship."*



Sunday School begins today! What is Sunday School? Sunday School is on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:15am for kids ages 3-8th grade to enjoy music, Bible lessons, and activities based on God's Word. Please register via the QR code or you can register today at school.

Welcome, Pilgrim moms! Let's meet for Bible study on Wednesdays at 9:30am this year. Little ones are welcome to join as we gather to study God's Word and leave feeling built up by a group of sisters in Jesus. Please see the qr code for information about where the group will meet throughout the month of September.



Hello! As we kick off our Fall Worship and Bible Study/Sunday School schedule, let's also kick off the Helping \$5!!! Please bring a box of granola bars (or 2!!) to church on Sunday and throughout the month of September. Items collected will be taken to the Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Food Pantry. Thank you for your generosity!

Pilgrim will be hosting a Versiti Blood Drive on Thursday, October 8 from 1:30pm – 6:00pm. To schedule your appointment use the QR code on the included flyer. Spread the word and encourage your friends and family to come too!

CONNECT GROUP SURVEY We're looking for ways to help our members connect, grow, serve, and build relationships at Pilgrim. Please take a few minutes to complete our Connect Group Survey and share your interests and preferences. Your feedback will help us develop opportunities that are meaningful and engaging for our church family.



The Open Table, another concept in our Third Thursday series, is a space where curiosity meets faith. Friends and members of Pilgrim are able to ask any questions, big or small, and engage in thoughtful and open conversations with pastor. Whether seeking clarity on scripture or everyday life challenges, this is a welcoming environment structured by you for learning, growth, and deeper understanding of God and his word. We will meet in the Gathering Space on Thursday, September 17 from 7:00 – 9:00pm. Bring your favorite snack/dish/beverage to share with your table.

Treasure Life Luncheon & Dinner Join WELS Lutherans for Life for an unforgettable Treasure Life Event, "I Am Our Client." This powerful night will bring you face to face with the heart of our mission through the voices of three remarkable women. Be inspired by stories of courage, connection, and transformation and see firsthand how your support makes this life-changing work possible. Treasure Life events support APS Medical, a life-saving pregnancy clinic operated by WELS Lutheran for Life, bringing hope, care and life-changing support to those in need. Join us Friday, September 25 at the Brookfield Conference Center for a noon luncheon or 6:30pm dinner. RSVP to www.treasure-life.org or 414-727-8176. These events (luncheon and dinner) are fundraisers. There is no cost to attend, but guests will be invited to support the ministry with a financial investment.

WLHS Fall Work Days - Do you have yard work or fall cleaning that needs to get done such as raking, hedge trimming, or window washing? Consider hiring hard-working members of WLHS Student Council for 2-3 hours for a free-will donation. All money raised will go to the 2026-27 WLHS mission project to Nepal and Lighthouse Youth Ministry to aid in their mission work. Work days will be held on the following Saturday and Sundays October 17, 18, 24 and 25. To request a team, email workdays@wlhs.org and include your name, address, phone number, the work you need accomplished, and the day(s) this work could be completed.

Save the Date 2027 Christian Leadership Experience—Be the Difference April 16 & 17, 2027 in La Crosse, WI God doesn't send us out empty-handed. He equips every one of his children with gifts meant to impact others, to shape families, workplaces, churches, and communities for this life and the life to come. In his Sermon on the Mount, Jesus calls believers to be "salt and light." That's exactly what the 2027 Christian Leadership Experience is built around. This year's theme, "Be the Difference," is an invitation to discover how God has equipped you, to develop practical skills for leading and serving, and to connect with like-minded Christians who share your passion for making a difference in God's kingdom. We have an outstanding lineup of speakers and breakout sessions coming together that we can't wait to share with you. Stay tuned for announcements in the weeks ahead. **Registration opens October 15 at christlead.com.**

The Bargain Center continues to be blessed! We still have road construction on our corner (84th and Lisbon). So please be patient. The only way to our store currently is Townsend and 84th St. We continue to be open and are in need of donations! The Point of Grace, WLIM and Lighthouse Youth Centers benefit from our efforts. We are open Tuesday through Saturday 9:30am to 3:30pm.

You are invited to our annual Friends of the Seminary Day on Saturday, October 10! Arrival and refreshments run from 8:00–9:00 am followed by worship in the chapel, a faculty speaker, student panel discussion, lunch, and an optional seminary tour. As we begin our school year, we are excited to share the ways God is blessing your gifts and using them to prepare pastors. After worship, attendees will hear from Professor E. Allen Sorum sharing his reflections on over 40 years of pastoral ministry. Following his presentation, a panel of seminary students will provide insights on their paths to becoming pastors and their experiences as seminary students. We hope you will encourage your friends and relatives—all ages are welcome—to attend with you. It's one of our favorite days on campus because we get to enjoy fellowship and encouragement with others who share the same faith, hope, and purpose. Reserve your seat, by September 25, by calling Mrs. Leah Leyrer at [262.242.8100](tel:262.242.8100).

	<u>8:00am</u>	<u>10:30am</u>
Ushers		
9-13	Phill Lepple Glen Kuphall	Dave Chmielewski Paul Arnhold
9-20	Glen Kuphall Karl Osterman	Jim Prekop Collin Mayer

Wednesday Ushers are Pat Renner and Jason Marten

Worship Hosts

9-13	Bryan & Samantha O’Connell	Delores Tessmer & June Bitney
9-20	Josh & Sarah Bauer	Peggy Haas & Carol Bradtke

Attendance

9-2	35
9-6	66 + 122 = 188



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PILGRIM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

WHEN & WHERE

**THURS, OCT 8
1:30-6PM**

W158N5436 BETTE
DR
MENOMONEE FALLS

PROMOTION

GIVE BLOOD, GO TO CHINA! GIGITS 2026
LEGENDS COME ALIVE AND RECEIVE
\$5.00 OFF GENERAL ADMISSION.

Use code **VST26** in appointment notes



◀ Schedule your appointment
*Appointments preferred.
Walk-ins welcome!*



Weekly Parish Calendar

September 13 - September 20

Day	Time	Event
TODAY (13)	8:00 & 10:30 AM	Divine Services (Kickoff Sunday: All-School Sing)
	9:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School Resume
MONDAY (14)	6:00 PM	Building Committee Meeting
	4:00 PM	Cross Country Meet - Christ the Lord
TUESDAY (15)	4-8:00 PM	QDOBA Fundraiser (Menomonee Falls location)
WEDNESDAY (16)	6:30 PM	Divine Service w/ Holy Communion
	7:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
THURSDAY (17)	4:00 PM	Home Volleyball Games vs. Salem
	7:00 PM	Third Thursday Series - Open Table (Gathering Space)
SUNDAY (20)	8:00 & 10:30 AM	Divine Services w/ Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School

Readings for Next Sunday, September 20

First: **Jonah 3:10-4:11**

Second : **Romans 9:6-16**

Gospel: **Matthew 20:1-16**

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