

# West Prairie Free Lutheran Church

Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Tenth Sunday After Pentecost – August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020

## Prelude

## Welcome – Announcements

**Call to Worship** Psalm 134:1-3  
*I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth. My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad. Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together!*

**Hymn** Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise 184

## Praises and Prayer Requests

**Confession of Sin**  
*Holy God, we come before You in humility for we do not live as we ought. We do not love You with our whole heart and mind and strength. We do not love our neighbor as ourselves. So we pray, in all humility, That You will change our hearts and minds, that You will show us again how to love others the way You love us, and that You will put power and courage in our hearts to do your will. This we pray in Jesus' name and for His sake. Amen.*

## Declaration of Grace

**Worship in Song** 10,000 Reasons Projected

**Scripture Readings** Romans 10:5-17 Pew Bible 946  
Matthew 14:22-33 Pew Bible 820

**Confession of Faith** Apostles' Creed Hymnal p. 32

## Offering

**Hymn** O Word of God Incarnate 263

**Message** Despise Yourself Job 38-42  
Pew Bible 443

**Hymn** My Faith Has Found a Resting Place 565

## Prayer of the Church

**Benediction & Doxology** Hymn 390

*Visiting today? We are delighted you are here!  
Please sign our guest book in the church entryway. If you have any questions or needs, please call or text Pastor Ryan at 701-429-7101.*

## THIS WEEK at West Prairie (August 2 – August 9)

Thu: 10:00 a.m. W.M.F.  
Sat: 9:00 a.m. Rummage Sale  
Sun: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**RUMMAGE SALE** The W.M.F. is hosting a church rummage sale August 15, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All items EXCEPT CLOTHING are accepted. It is finally time to clean out your closets! Bring donations to the church basement. Also, invite your friends and family to come!

**MEN'S BREAKFAST** Beginning this fall (September), men will gather for breakfast, Bible study, and fellowship on the first and third Saturdays of the month. Mark your calendars! Breakfast will be served at 9:00 a.m. If you would be willing to bring/prepare some of the food, please call Pastor Ryan.

**ANNUAL CONFERENCE** A shortened AFLC Annual Conference will be taking week Monday – Wednesday. Please pray for the Lord's direction and protection for the AFLC and for the health and safety of all who attend. On a related note, Pastor Ryan will be out of town. Contact Mark Larsen if you have ministerial needs.

**FALL PLANS** The ever-changing nature of Covid-19 makes planning difficult. Rally Sunday is scheduled for 9/27 with Sunday School beginning on 10/4. Plans for other regularly scheduled activities are still being developed.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO**  
12<sup>th</sup> – Rayna Larsen

Wi-Fi password: Judges12:6  
Reader next Sunday: Stephanie Patenaude  
Ushers next Sunday: Stephanie & Thor Patenaude  
Custodians for August: Senster & Lucas Vangsness families

"[W]hen a child is adopted into a family, there is a real family formed there. Our entire Gospel is at stake in that recognition because there is no such thing as an 'adopted child,' only children who were adopted. Adopted in the New Testament is a past-tense verb, not an adjective." *Dr. Russell D. Moore, author of "Adopted for Life: The Priority of Adoption for Christian Families" and chair of the Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life •*  
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