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# **Birthdays in August**

Jean Pajunen - August 9 Linnea Larson - August 16 Judy Linden - August 19 Linda Pogorelec - August 30

## **Ushers for the month of August:**

August 4 - Brian and Julie Hill
August 11 - Roger and Gail Johnston
August 18 - Bernie Christiansen
August 25 - Bob and Mary Nelson

## **Caretakers for the month of August:**

August 4 - Bernie Christiansen

August 11 - Linda and Ken Pogorelec

August 18 - Shirley Koski and Barb Knapper

August 25 - Linda Skogman, Russ & Steph Carlson

The mission of First Covenant Church is to WORSHIP God, EQUIP people to live in faith, SHARE God's love, SERVE the community around us.



# **First**

# Covenant

# Church

Welcome to our church! May you know the joy of salvation, which is ours through Jesus Christ, and that through the warmth of our fellowship you may grow in God's grace and love.

# **Worship Celebration**

August 4, 2024

9:30 a.m.

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost "True Nourishment Sunday"

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 78 2b-4, 5b-7a, NIV

"I will utter things hidden from of old – things we have heard and known, things our fathers have told us.

We will not hide them from our children.

We will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord.

His power and the wonders he has done.

He commanded our forefathers to teach their children,

So the next generation would know them,

Even the children yet to be born,

And they in turn would tell their children.

Then they would put their trust in the God.

Hymn #85

"There is a Place of Quiet Rest"

**Opening Prayer** 

Reading of God's Word:

First Lesson: Psalm 51:1-12 page 430 Second Lesson: John 6:24-35 page 814

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology #48

**Morning Prayer** 

Hymn #331 "Just As I Am"

Message: "The Last Supper-Remember-Feast"

#### "In Remembrance of Me"

The Invitation

The Preparation: Joshua 24:15b,d

Choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve;

But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord

Hymn #572 (not singing) "Let Us Break Bread Together"

The Participation

Sharing together in unity with all true believers

The Celebration

\*Hymn #83 "What a Fellowship"

\*Challenge...Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you,

The Lord make his face to shine upon you

And be gracious, gracious to you.

The Lord lift up his countenance upon you

And give you, give you peace.

Postlude

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\*Congregation is invited to stand

Scripture Reader: Barb Knapper Ushers: Brian and Julie Hill Accompanist: Digital Hymnal

#### Today

10:30 a.m. Coffee & Conversation

#### Next Sunday, August 11th

11:00 a.m. – Church Picnic Kline-Cuppoletti Building on Silver Lake Noon – Potluck Picnic

#### **This Week**

Ladies' Lunch has been rescheduled to August 13.

#### **Coming Events:**

Tuesday, August 13, noon, Take Out from Kunnari's - Ladies' Lunch Wednesday, August 14, 6:30 p.m. - Church Council Saturday, August 24 – Service for Judy Linden, Biwabik Covenant Church

School supplies are now on sale - time to be thinking of Operation Christmas Child. Needs: composition books, crayons, pencils, pens, erasers, glue sticks, scissors (blunt end), solar calculators, etc. See Bernie for questions or details.

Caretaker this week: Bernie Christiansen Caretakers next week: Ken & Linda Pogorelec Ushers Next Week: Roger & Gail Johnston

# "Our Community" Prayer Needs:

Area (current and retired) public service personnel: (military, law enforcement, First Responders, health care, teachers, chaplains, social workers, etc.).

# Special Missionary Focus for this week:

Julio & Katie Isaza, Columbia: Theological Education and Leadership Development; Christian Formation and Discipleship. "Pray for us as we teach classes in the Covenant's theological education program."

## **Covenant Park Bible Camp:**

Adventure Camp 2 - August 6-8