

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The nursery is not staffed today. Parents are still welcome to stay with their children in the nursery should a need arise.
- This morning we welcome David Robertson who is a choral music educator. He has taught in the Sevastopol and Sturgeon Bay School Districts. In his current position with the Algoma School District, he teaches choral music as well as serves as the school's athletic director.
- We are blessed. Through a "quiet" fundraising effort, we have now raised the full amount, \$4,944, to purchase the Clavinova for the choir practice room. Thanks to all who donated so generously. Your gifts will support our music ministry for many years to come.
- It is time again for "Back to School" for Tank School. In the Narthex, you will find a table and information sheets that identify requested school supplies. In addition to what is listed on the sheets, they need lip gloss, socks, extra tissues and underwear; anything to help the children begin a new school year. We will be collecting through **September 2**.
- Story Hour will be held on Mondays, **August 20** and **August 27**, from 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Each Monday we will have a story, a snack, a craft and time for children to read on their own. Volunteers are needed for each Monday to pick a book and read it to the children, provide a simple snack, and choose and lead a simple craft. There is a sign up sheet distinguished by a butterfly on the bulletin board. Questions? Contact Nancy Siewert 609-2051 or dennis1829@att.net.
- Once again this summer, area churches are hosting a summer organ concert. The concerts start at 6:30 p.m. A free-will offering will be taken at each recital to benefit food pantries associated with each of the churches. The remaining schedule is:

August 21	First Presbyterian Church
August 28	St. Paul's Methodist
- Following Worship on Sunday, **August 26**, the FMSC Committee will be holding a fundraiser for Feed My Starving Children - the best kind of fundraising - ice cream sundaes! Enjoy a one (generous) scoop sundae for \$3.00, which will provide 13 meals for a starving child or have two (generous) scoops and the \$5.00 you spend will provide 23 meals. Plus, you'll be able to add as many toppings as you'd like! Invite a friend for worship and a treat!
- Are you interested in joining Chancel Choir? If so, there will be an organizational meeting and rehearsal at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, **August 30**, in the Choir Room. Regular rehearsals will begin at 8:45 a.m. on Sunday, **September 9**. Please email Bob Nickel for more information or to let him know your interest in the group. Bob's email address is roberthnickel@gmail.com.
- Sunday school will begin **September 9**. We are going to have Sunday School September - April. The first Sunday of every month the children will stay in church for Communion. This is adding the months of September and January back into our Sunday School curriculum. The Building and Grounds Committee will be serving coffee in the Sunday School room upstairs so the congregation can see their rooms. The kids will serve the snacks.

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 21	Bob Nickel Organ Recital
September 5	Youth Group Begins
September 8	Feed My Starving Children Run/Walk
September 9	Sunday School Begins

NEW CONCERNS

Jim Weise, Colleen Fisher, friend of Stephanie Fahringer, **Mackenna Altman and her family, Ron Van Pay**, brother of Gary Van Pay
Pantry Prayer Concerns: Jaime and Casey Duda; Maria Ramirez; a son's addiction; Beverly Luckert; Ross family; Nibardo Ramirez; Tracie Davis; Preston, heart problems; Jason, drugs and rehab.

ONGOING CONCERNS

Henry Akerboom, Autumns Promise; **Ginney Amen**, Woodside Oaks; **Kim Bouchard**, friend of Donna Jansen; **Allen Collins**, Manor One; **Marje Cowl**, home; **Johnny Davis**; **Loren Dunn**, home; **Marjorie Holmes**; **Meredith Ingram**; **Lauren**, Connie's friend; **Irma Lyon**, home; **Ben and Rita Mach**; **Rosemary Minehart**; **Derek Morrissey**, great grandson of a friend of Donna Jansen; **Theda Nero**, home; **Ginny Nixon**, home; **Bob Olsen**, former member; **Iner Osgood**, home; **Kathryn P.**, friend of Donna Jansen; **Richard Parkinson**, home; **Pat Piaskowski**, home; **Cathy Rennells**, home; **Gene and Joan Reynolds**, home; **Rosa**, Connie Greenawald's cousin; **Thongdy Sisavath**, home; **Tom**, friend of Connie Greenawald; **Marian Turk**, Verona; **John and Marilyn Van Langendon**, Grancare Nursing Center; **Karen Walker**, home; **Keith Wallace**; **Vivian Wallace**, home; **Peggy Wolfe**, Renaissance; Uraba Presbytery and churches in Colombia, South America; the churches in Gnozdovo and Yartsevo, Russia.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Today	
Registration opens for FMSC mobilepack (see insert)	
Hispanic Pentecostal Church	1:00 p.m.
Monday, August 20	
Story Hour	10:00-11:00 a.m.
Communication and Marketing Committee	5:45 p.m.
Finance and Administration Committee	6:00 p.m.
Stewardship Committee	6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 21	
Staff Meeting	9:45 a.m.
Early Headstart/Afternoon	3:00-7:00 p.m.
Organ Recital First Presbyterian Church	6:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 23	
Deacons	6:30 p.m.
Sunday, August 26	
Worship	10:00 a.m.
Ice Cream Social	11:15 a.m.
Hispanic Pentecostal Church	1:00 p.m.

Our Vision
God Nourishes All to Grow

Our Mission
Inspiring All to Love and Serve with Christ



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 19, 2018

10:00 A.M.

Bold indicates congregational participation

*Indicates congregation standing, as you are able.

WELCOMING

GATHERING MUSIC

“Prelude on *Holy Manna*” – Lani Smith
“In My Life, Lord, Be Glorified” – arr. Fred Bock
“Prelude on *Beach Spring*” – Dale Wood

WELCOME

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

“God Is My Shepherd” – Antonin Dvorák
David Robertson, baritone

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

Katie Gauthier

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Katie Gauthier

The God of wisdom sent Jesus Christ, the bread of life,
to teach us his ways, feed us with his flesh and blood,
and fill us with the Holy Spirit.
Thanks be to God!

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Katie Gauthier

Eternal God, your Son Jesus Christ is the true bread from heaven. Help those who receive his body and blood to be the body of Christ for the world, sharing the riches of his grace with all who hunger and thirst for eternal life; through Christ who dwells with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

***HYMN #396**....."Brethren, We Have Met to Worship"

CALL TO CONFESSION.....Katie Gauthier

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison).....Katie Gauthier

All-knowing God, we are your children, but we have turned away from your wisdom and walked in our own ways. We have lived carelessly and squandered time. We have been foolish and failed to understand your will. We have been drunk with the wine of this world and debauched in our desires. Purge us from evil and fill us with your Spirit. Clear our minds from clutter that we may discern what is right and walk in your ways. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

***RESPONSE IN SONG #627**

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you; O my soul, rejoice. Take joy, my King, in what you hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.

***THE PEACE**

Jesus said: “As the Lord has forgiven us, let us also forgive one another.”

The peace of the Lord Jesus be with you.

And also with you.

We exchange signs of peace.

NOURISHING

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Alleluia!” – G. O’Conner-Morris
David Robertson, baritone

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison).....Katie Gauthier
Almighty God, through the reading of holy Scripture, feed us with your living Word and reveal to us the way of everlasting life. Amen.

GOSPEL.....John 6:51-58 (pg. 98)

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

“What the Eucharist Does”
Pastor Randy Argall

***THE NICENE CREED**, pg. 34

HYMN #498....."Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken"

HOLY COMMUNION

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right and our great delight to praise you, O God...
...and with all the faithful of every time and place,
who forever sing to the glory of your name:
Hymn #572 Holy, Holy, Holy

You are holy, O God of power and might, and blessed is Jesus Christ...
...we proclaim together the mystery of faith:
Hymn #573 Christ has died; Christ Is Risen

Come, then, life-giving Spirit...
...blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.
Hymn #574 Amen

THE LORD’S PRAYER, pg. 35

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE (It is our custom to eat the bread when served and partake of the cup together. Gluten-free bread is available in each tray. The cup contains grape juice.)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING.....Katie Gauthier

OFFERTORY MUSIC

“Siciliana” – George Frideric Handel

***RESPONSE #717**

For the life that you have given, for the love in Christ made known, with these fruits of time and labor, with these gifts that are your own: here we offer, Lord, our praises; heart and mind and strength we bring; give us grace to love and serve you, living what we pray and sing.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION.....Katie Gauthier

SENDING

HYMN #755....."Alleluia! Laud and Blessing"

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE "Festive Trumpet Tune" – David German

WORSHIP LEADERS

Reader: Katie Gauthier
Audio: Kyle Thomas
Lock Up: Deacons #2
Ushers: Bill Klass and Harland Merrell
Nursery: Judy Exl
Organist: Bob Nickel
Greeter: Vicki Klass

WELCOME

- We welcome families with children and infants to worship. Worship bags with activities are available for children in the narthex. If your child becomes uncomfortable during worship, please feel free to leave the sanctuary and return at an appropriate time. Our nursery is room 207.
- Assistive Listening Devices are available for the hearing impaired. We have two kinds: ear speakers and neck loops (for T-coil compatible hearing aids). Speak to the audio person for help.
- Pastor Randy can be reached after hours either by phone at 309-2761 or by email at rargall@firstpresgreenbay.org. You can also leave a confidential voicemail at the church’s number, 437-8121, ext. 113.
- We ask guests (and members) to sign our friendship pad. Guests please include your address and phone number. If you are sitting at the end of your pew, please tear off the sheet and place it in the collection plate. We greatly appreciate your assistance.

Stewardship Notes

The Pantry requests boxes of cereal in the month of August. Please place the items in the shopping cart in the back of the church.

It’s vacation time! If you travel and stay in a motel or hotel and do not use your shampoo, conditioner, lotion or bar soap, please bring them back and give them to the Pantry. They will be gift wrapped for distribution.

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