

Order of Worship for Sunday, September 5, 2021
15th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

**Indicates to stand if you are able*

Prelude and Bell

Welcome & Announcements

Confession & Forgiveness **pg. 94**

“Lift High the Cross” #660

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Word

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 (*page 566 OT in pew Bible*)

Psalms 125 (*page 535 OT in pew Bible and on screen*)

James 2:1-17 (*page 202 NT in pew Bible*)

* Gospel Acclamation **pg. 142**

* Gospel: Mark 7:24-37 (*page 37 NT in pew Bible*)

(after announcement of Gospel: Glory to you, O Lord)

(response after reading of Gospel: Praise to you, O Christ)

Children’s Message

Message: *“You Really Want to be Rich?”*

“A Time to Serve” (sung to the tune of “Children of the Heavenly Father”)

* Statement of Faith—Apostles’ Creed **pg. 105**

Meal

* Prayers

* Sharing the Peace

Offering/Offertory

Words of Institution

Lord’s Prayer

Communion

* Post Communion Prayer

Sending

Benediction

“Take My Life, That I May Be” #685

Dismissal and Bell

*Thank you to Pastor Darrell Golnitz with Food for the Poor,
and Ward Voorhees for leading us in worship today.*

In today’s service:

*Ushers: Al Harris, Tim Grove,
Lindy Ekola*

Communion: Elizabeth Harris

*Acolyte: Madelyn Grove
& Madelyn Siegel*

Lector: Allyn Plattner

Nursery: Vicki Dalager

Video: Dave Jungst

TV slides: Judy Buro

Next Week’s service—Sept 12:

*Ushers: Barry & Nancy Erdahl
Acolyte: Tyler Schneider*

& Jason Christians

Lector: Ward Voorhees

Nursery: Jone Anderson

Video: Mike Odello

TV slides: Steve Just

Remember in your prayers

Mick Rose, those affected by COVID-19, those who serve in the military, families of victims of war, terrorism and violence, those in our nursing homes and those who are homebound. Continue to pray for the overseas missionary we support, Pastor Alex LaChappelle serving as a pastor of Nairobi International Lutheran in Kenya, Africa. Note: you may honor a loved one and support Pastor LaChappelle in Kenya. Contact the church office for information.

Upcoming Events and Announcements

Food for the Poor Adult Forum TODAY in the Gathering Room. Come and listen to Rev. Darrell Golnitz speak about Food for the Poor's ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean.

Coffee Hour will be serving each Sunday in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service. If you can help out, please sign up on the bulletin board across from the church office.

Pie Making Day for Luther's Eatery is Friday, September 10th starting at 8:00am. All are welcome to come and help!

Luther's Eatery is in need of volunteers to make our booth a success! Sign up in the Narthex. Be sure to stop by the booth on Saturday, September 12 from 10:00am till 6:00pm and enjoy a delicious meal!

Element for Youth 6-8 Grade Parent/Student Meeting on Wednesday, September 15 at 6:00pm at First. Youth and at least one parent must attend! Class begin Wednesday, September 22 from 6:00-7:30pm at First.

Mark Your Calendar for Sunday, September 19th!

- Sunday school begins! Classes run from 10:00-11:00am. Check out the schedule on our September newsletter or on our website.
- Bibles will be given to Preschool, 4th Grade and Confirmation Students (grades 6,7,8) during the worship service.
- Acolyte Training for all 6th, 7th and 8th grader will be held at 10:30am in the church sanctuary.

School Supplies for Lutheran World Relief are being collected. Donations can be dropped off in the collection box located in the Narthex. Monetary donations can be dropped off at the church office.

Burgers, Beverages and Blessings meets each Wednesday at 6:30pm at the Fireside in Morris. Join us....all are welcome!

Donate with Venmo! You can quickly and easily make donations to First Lutheran through Venmo. Check out and download the app on your smart phone (available for Android and Apple) and then search for "FirstLutheranChurch MorrisMN".

Stevens County Food Shelf supplies a 5-day emergency or supplemental food package to residents of Stevens County. There is no fee for this service, but clients must provide proof of residency. The food shelf welcomes people's donations of food to support our community. Monetary donations are also very helpful. The Food Shelf is located on the corner of 7th Street and Iowa Ave. and their hours are: Mondays: 2:30-3:30pm, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays: 10:30-11:30am, Thursdays: 5:30-6:30pm. You can reach the food shelf at 320.589.7436.

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this week at First

TODAY, Sept 5	9:30am Worship with Holy Communion 10:30am Food for the Poor Forum (Gathering Room) 10:30am Coffee Hour in Fellowship Hall
Mon., Sept 6	— No events scheduled
Tues., Sept 7	11:00am Pastor's Text Study 7:00pm Church Council Meeting
Wed., Sept 8	6:30pm Burgers, Beverages & Blessings at Fireside 6:30pm Fusion Leaders Meeting
Thurs., Sept 9	8:30am Share & Care (quilting group) 10:00am Pastor at Skyview Court Worship 10:45am Pastor at Skyview Plaza Worship
Fri., Sept 10	8:00am Pie Making for Luther's Eatery 1:30pm Mission & Evangelism Meeting
Sat., Sept 11	8:00am Men's Bible Study at Faith Lutheran 10:00-6:00pm Luther's Eatery at Prairie Pioneer Days
Sun., Sept 12	9:30am Worship 10:30am Coffee Hour in Fellowship Hall