

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar flowers are given by Dean and Doris Hoffart.

Congratulations to those elected to our new Congregational Council last Sunday, July 1. The following are being installed today:

President: Steve Jessen
Vice President: Richard Hillrichs
Secretary: Emily Svitak
Treasurer: Jan Puls
Council Members: Warren Bennett, Al Boelman,
Steve Freese, Steve Morton, Deb Olson, Doug Witte

Next Sunday, July 15, we will be commissioning members of Christ the Servant who will be traveling to our partnership parish in Tanzania (Msaranga Mandaka):

Brian and Michelle Anderson
Tara Bahnfleth
Amanda Cyboron
Charlie and Louise Skoglund
Lonnie, Margaret and Emily Svitak
Mary Weich

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVANTS

Pastor Steve Lund
Charlie Skoglund, assisting minister
Emily Svitak and Brad Rogers, guitar
BJ and Sharon Koeppe, coffee
Lonnie and Margaret Svitak, communion assistants
Connie Atkinson, greeter
Warren Bennett and Danita Broders, ushers
Linda Cyboron, lector
Delilah Broders, acolyte

CHRIST THE SERVANT LUTHERAN CHURCH, LCMC
Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ
"CALLED" "TRANSFORMED" "SENT"
Stephen J. Lund, pastor

July 8, 2018 — *Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*

10:00 Worship with communion
Installation of Congregation Council members
11:00 Second Sunday potluck

Monday

5:30 Welcome & Hospitality meeting
6:00 Ultreya (at CTS)

Wednesday

6:30 W.O.W. worship
7:30 Youth group

Thursday

9:00 Agape Circle

Next Sunday, July 15

10:00 Worship with communion
Commissioning of Tanzania travel team
11:00 Coffee & Fellowship
12:00 Fellowship hall reserved

(No adult Sunday school in July. "Life-Changing Prayer" begins in August at 8:30 a.m.)

Opening Medley: *"Your Grace is Enough"*
 "Crowns"

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All: Gracious God, who is the source of all love, we have been called to share not only our lives but our livelihood and have found it difficult. We have been called to respond in total love to the needs that surround us but have found that kind of commitment unattractive. The need is great and our hearts are hard. Help us today to discover the great joy of sharing the adventure of giving and the wonder of Your spirit at work in us. We desire a new beginning. Forgive our sin and give us a new start.

P: Hear the word of the Gospel! The God of all the universe has loved you with an everlasting love that forgets our sin and makes all things new. Hear the word of the Gospel! Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died on the cross so that our relationship with God would be made right. Hear the word of the Gospel! "For the love of Christ controls us, because we are convinced that one has died for all. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live but Christ who lives in me; and the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Praise God for the good news of the Gospel!

Song of Praise: *"Overcome"*

Opening Prayer

Sharing of the Peace

Scriptures

Ezekiel 2:1-5 Old Testament, p. 770
2 Corinthians 12:2-10 New Testament, p. 185

Gospel

Mark 6:1-13 New Testament, p. 40

Message: "The Danger of Familiarity" Pastor Steve Lund

Installation of Congregation Council members

Apostles' Creed

The Prayers

Offering

The Lord's Supper

Post-Communion Blessing

Sending Song: *"You Are My Strength"*

Blessing and Dismissal

"Alleluia"

Please join us in the fellowship hall for potluck.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Health and Healing

Jim Ruge (Al and Sharon Boelman's neighbor), diagnosed with cancer; Audrey Polenske, Lexi Vaipae, Leonard Zechmann

Assisted living/Skilled care

Cherlyn Hillrichs, **Lakeside Hospital**, Omaha; Myron Falter, Heritage of Bel Air; Harold Dunlap, Norfolk Veterans Home; Phyllis Raschke, Valhaven Care Center, Valley; Kay Skovsende and Mona Jean Roberts, The Homestead; Dorothy Schiermeier, St. Joseph Care Center

Other

Tanzania travel team (July 17-Aug. 1)
Msaranga Mandaka Lutheran Parish in Tanzania