

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to my CTS family for their visits and cards while I was hospitalized. I am blessed with caring friends.

I am also blessed with the gift of life and I thank God with all praise and thanksgiving.

Cherlyn Hillrichs

Holiday Boutique: Volunteers are needed to provide baked goods and to serve in various areas for our 23rd annual Holiday Boutique on October 27. Sign-up sheets are available for you to participate, as well as flyers to share with others.

Volunteers needed for the Membership Care Team. Contact Doris Hoffart (379-0771) to sign up or for more information.

Happy Birthday to Matt Morton on Wednesday.

Altar flowers are from Kathy Rogers in memory of her dad.

Thank you for your donation of \$239.42 to Mercy Meals. Your kindness will feed almost 2,000 people. May God bless you.

Rhonda Wrenholt, director

Kitchen Remodel Fundraiser

Village Piemaker pies will be available for ordering Oct. 1-31. If you wish to order pies for the Holiday Boutique, they will be available for pickup after church Sunday, Oct. 21. All other orders will be available to pick up after church on Nov. 11. Our cost has remained the same so pies will be sold at \$12.50 each. Order signup sheets are on the cart.

3-year update follow-up meeting will be Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. at the church, open to the congregation. Contact information Joan Falke, 402-664-3057.

Help is needed at our booth before, during, and after the Holiday Boutique. Cookie bakers are still needed for the cookie fundraiser.



SEPTEMBER 23, 2018
18th Sunday after Pentecost

Called	Transformed	Sent
Today		
8:30	Adult study	
9:00	Sunday school for all ages	
10:00	Worship with communion	
11:00	Coffee & fellowship	
Monday		
6:00	Ultreya	
Tuesday		
7:00	Worship committee meeting	
7:00	Kitchen remodel meeting	
Wednesday Night Alive!		
5:30	Confirmation class	
6:15	WNA meal	
7:00	WNA worship	
Next Sunday, Sept. 30		
9:00	Sunday school (no Adult class—The Truth Project begins Oct. 7)	
10:00	Worship with communion	
11:00	Coffee & fellowship	
11:00	Youth Group	

Opening Medley “Your Grace is Enough”
 “Holy Is The Lord”

Confession and Forgiveness

All: Lord, we have heard your call to discipleship but have listened to other lords. We have felt the pull of your Spirit, but have turned to other pursuits. We have seen our own lack of meaning, yet have looked in places that are empty. Lord, forgive our sin and cleanse us from the thoughts that destroy us and the actions that betray us. Amen.

L: Our God is a great God and knows our every need. God has forgiven our sin and cleansed us from the thoughts and actions which pull us apart. Jesus, in His death on the cross, has paid the eternal price for our daily relationship with God. Through the Holy Spirit, we are called and enlightened so that we can truly be disciples living in the power and victory of the grace of God.

Song of Praise “I Surrender All”

Opening Prayer

Sharing of the Peace

Children’s Message

Scriptures

Jeremiah 11:18-20 Old Testament, p. 713

James 3:13--4:3, 7-8a New Testament, p. 230

Gospel

Mark 9:30-37

New Testament, p. 45

Pastor Steve’s Message:
“But They Did Not Understand”

Apostles’ Creed

The Prayers

Offering

The Lord’s Supper

Post-Communion Blessing

Sending Song “Come Thou Fount”

Blessing and Dismissal

“Alleluia”

IN OUR PRAYERS

Bereavement: Jeanne and Chuck Nicholson and family
Health/healing: Chuck Nicholson, Mick Kullbom, Margaret Svitak, Cherlyn Hillrichs, Audrey Polenske, Jim Ruge, Lexi Vaipae, Fern and Leonard Zechmann
Assisted living/skilled care: Harold Dunlap, Myron Falter, Mona Jean Roberts, Dorothy Schiermeier, Kay Skovsende
Other: Kitchen Remodel Fundraiser