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Our mission is to know, love, and follow Jesus that His Kingdom will be advanced.

Prelude

Tracy Scherf

Ring of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 16:8-10, 23-29

Worship Songs:

Raise a Hallelujah

Light of the World

Confession of Sins:

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Declaration of Grace

Old Testament Lesson: Proverbs 4:10-23 Hear, my son, and accept my words, that the years of your life may be many. **11** I have taught you the way of wisdom; I have led you in the paths of uprightness. **12** When you walk, your step will not be hampered, and if you run, you will not stumble. **13** Keep hold of instruction; do not let go; guard her, for she is your life. **14** Do not enter the path of the wicked, and do not walk in the way of the evil. **15** Avoid it; do not go on it; turn away from it and pass on. **16** For they cannot sleep unless they have done wrong; they are robbed of sleep unless they have made someone stumble. **17** For they eat the bread of wickedness and drink the wine of violence. **18** But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, which shines brighter and brighter until full day. **19** The way of the wicked is like deep darkness; they do not know over what they stumble. **20** My son, be attentive to my words; incline your ear to my sayings. **21** Let them not escape from your sight; keep them within your heart. **22** For they are life to those who find them, and healing to all their flesh. **23** Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life.

Epistle Lesson: Galatians 5:16-24 But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. **17** For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. **18** But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. **19** Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, **20** idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, **21** envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. **22** But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, **23** gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. **24** And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

Gospel Lesson: Luke 17:11-19 On the way to Jerusalem he was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. **12** And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance **13** and lifted up their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." **14** When he saw them he said to them, "**Go and show yourselves to the priests.**" And as they went they were cleansed. **15** Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; **16** and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. **17** Then Jesus answered, "**Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine?**" **18** Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" **19** And he said to him, "**Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.**"

Confession of Faith

Apostles Creed

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Children's Message

Song:

The Potters Hand

Message Title:

What A Picture

Message Text: Genesis 29:1-20

Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Closing Song:

Blessed be Your Name

Go in peace and serve the Lord

Thanks be to God!

This Week's Prayer Guide

Shut-ins:

Those in need of Healing: Bill & Hildegard Adsit, Bob Buhr, Alan Carley, Pamela Breymeyer, Juanita Geiken, Phyllis Gibson, Norm Hansen, Pastor Steve Jensen, Ron Knapp, Matt Kreeb, Viola Lucht, Diane Nehls, Elaine Reiners, Eunice Reiners, Michael Schaumburg, Tim Schaumburg, Ty Schaumburg and Delbert Weaver

Cradle Roll: Braxton Grabow, Elle Heeren, Alana Jensen, Kennedy Pickett, Jameson Rogers, Charlotte and JoyAnna Steiner, Vivian Swalls, Riley Summer, and Austin Wilson

Church Council: Keith Roth, Quentin Schaumburg, Darrin Kregel, Steve Lehmann and Lynn Reiners

Pray for our Government

Pray for World leaders and those in authority

Pray for our US Military and their families

Pray for teachers (and everyone else in the education system) parents and especially the students

Announcements

9-13-2020

--Mission Festival is next Sunday. Pastor Jim Johnson will be the speaker this year. Morning Worship with communion will begin at 10 am. Lunch will be provided at 11:30 am. Afternoon service will begin at 1 pm. offering for the day will be divided between Home/World Missions.

--Thank you to everyone who helped with the cemetery and grounds cleanup yesterday. Thank you to Diane Van Hovel for serving coffee and donuts.

--Today offering is for the general fund

What is Happening This Week at Schwer

Today	Jr. Youth group & FLY 6:30 pm
Monday	Charity Circle 1:30 pm Hope Circle 7 pm Council 7 pm
Tuesday	Men's Bible Study 6:30 am Lehmann Shepherding 7:30 pm
Wednesday	Adult Bible study on Live-feed & Facebook 7 pm
Sunday	Mission Festival S/S 9 am Worship w/ communion 10 am Lunch provided at 11:30. Afternoon service at 1 pm \$ Home/World Missions Jr. Youth group & FLY 6:30 pm

-- Attendance on September 6 was 71

--The Water Improvement Project: Water jug (missions) in the entryway has plenty of room for monetary donations.