

**THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER**

Today: 9:00am Worship  
Monday: 3:45pm WELCA Council  
Friday: 12:00 noon Ask the Pastor  
5:00pm Centering Prayer  
Saturday: 8:30am Prairie Parish Event with Bishop Gonia at Bethlehem  
Next Sunday: 9:00am Worship  
12:00pm Marian Robertson's 80th Birthday Celebration  
3:00pm Rummage Sale Set Up

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

A VERY HAPPY 4TH OF JULY WITH PEACE, COMFORT AND JOY!

**LCOR Rummage Sale**

**Friday, July 14 and Saturday, July 15, 2023**

**Your help would be greatly appreciated to help set-up Radloff Hall on Sunday, July 9 at 3:00 p.m. along with the organization and pricing of donations on July 10-13. Please plan to come be a part of the LCOR sale on Friday and Saturday. Hope to see you there! Thank you!**

*LCOR Men's Group BBQ Lunch*

*The LCOR Men's Group will host a BBQ Lunch on Friday, July 14 and Saturday, July 15 at lunch time. The funds raised for the meal will benefit the Men's Group with the projects and to Rising Up. Please plan to be a part of this church project. Thank you!*

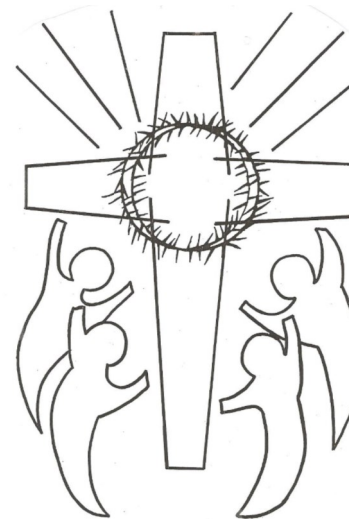
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5th Sunday  
of Pentecost

**FAMILY**  
**SUNDAY**

*July 2, 2023*



Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer  
1100 West Platte Avenue  
Fort Morgan, CO 80701

Pastor Liliana Stahlberg

9:00 a.m.

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5TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 2, 2023

**WORSHIP**

PRELUDE

Diane Nicklas

**+GATHERING+**

WELCOME TO FAMILY SUNDAY

GATHERING HYMN: *“Do Lord, O Do Lord, Do Remember Me” Sing along*

APOSTOLIC GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who greets us every day, whose word never fails, whose promise of grace is sure.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our brokenness in the presence of God and of our neighbors. Righteous God,

**C: we confess that we are broken and do not understand You and Your purpose for us. We create You in our image. We live in fear instead of love. We have failed to be honest and authentic. We have lacked the courage to speak for justice and peace for all of Your beloved children. We judge, and hope that You judge those with whom we don't agree. We have spoken falsely, listening to people who have an interest in manipulating us. Help us discern what is Your Will, not ours. In the name of Jesus, forgive us and grant us Your understanding and unconditional Love for all.**

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

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**In Our Prayers**

Prayers for Atlas James Andronescu, Randi Warbasse, Dayle Neddo, Sue & Norman Kenitzer, Jessa & Taylor Pickering, Cory Eikenberg, Ed Dorn, Andrei & Joanna, Pastor Andrea, Pastor Caitlin, Pastor Doris, Jodi Brown, Christine Reedy, Callie Sidor, Mikaela Martinez-Harman, Pam Dorn, Luke Lay, Braxton Speicher, Luke Makings, and Zach Griffith

**THIS WEEK'S MINISTERS**

Lector: Teresa Lauck

Usher/Greeter: Shelly Bristol

Council Steward: Bob Dorn

Media Center: Bruce Buehner

Teller: Shelly Bristol

Fellowship Host: Teresa Lauck

Organist: Diane Nicklas

**NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS**

Lector:

Usher/Greeter:

Altar Guild: Karen Temple

Communion Assistant: Dave Jorgensen

Council Steward: Karen Temple

Media Center: Bruce Buehner

Teller: Carri Brown

Fellowship Host: Roxie Larson

Organist: Diane Nicklas

**C: God of field and forest, sea and sky, you are the giver of all good things. Sustain us with these gifts of your creation, and multiply your graciousness in us, that the world may be fed with your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P: Remember us into your kingdom, and teach us to pray.

**C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

BENEDICTION

P: The God who calls across the cosmos and speaks in the smallest seed

✠ bless, keep, and sustain you now and to the end of the age.

**C: Amen.**

SENDING HYMN "*Shout to The Lord*" ..... # 821

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Share the harvest.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

SONG OF PEACE (*You may join hands.*)

**C: My peace I give unto you. It's a peace that the world cannot give. It's a peace that the world cannot understand. Peace to know, peace to live. My peace I give unto you.**

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***Thank You for worshipping with us today!***

*Please sign the guest book in the entryway if you are visiting. Coffee and snacks will be served in the fellowship hall following worship and we hope you can join us.*

P: God is a cup of cold water when we thirst. God offers boundless grace when we fail. Claim the gift of God's mercy: you are freed and forgiven in the name of ✠ Jesus Christ.

**C: Amen.**

MORNING PRAYER

P: Please join with me in the prayer of the day:

**C: O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

+WORD+

FIRST READING: JEREMIAH 28: 5-9

The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD; and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD, and all the exiles. But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet."

L: Holy wisdom, Holy word.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 25

O my God, in you I trust;

**do not let me be put to shame; do not let my enemies exult over me.**

Do not let those who wait for you be put to shame;

let them be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

**Make me to know your ways, O LORD; teach me your paths.**

Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation;

for you I wait all day long.

**Be mindful of your mercy, O LORD, and of your steadfast love,  
for they have been from of old.**

Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;  
according to your steadfast love remember me,  
for your goodness' sake, O LORD!

**Good and upright is the LORD;  
therefore he instructs sinners in the way.**

He leads the humble in what is right, and teaches the humble his way.

**All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness,  
for those who keep his covenant and his decrees.**

SECOND READING: ROMANS 12:1-3

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect. For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgement, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

L: Holy wisdom, Holy word.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW 10:40-42

P: The holy Gospel according to Matthew

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

[Jesus said to the twelve:] “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

P: The gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN’S SERMON & “*Peace Like a River*” Sing along

SERMON “*Do Not Think of Yourself More Highly*”

Pastor Stahlberg

HYMN OF THE DAY “*Shine Jesus Shine*”.....# 671

APOSTLES CREED

**C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD

P: Trusting in God’s abundant mercy, let us offer our prayers for a world in need... God, in your compassion,

**C: hear our prayer.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let’s share Christ’s peace with one another.

OFFERING *We are now invited to praise God with our offering!*

*Please stand to receive the Holy Gifts of God for the people of God!*

OFFERTORY SONG “*GIVE THANKS*”

**C: Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the holy one, give thanks because he’s given Jesus Christ, his son. And now let the weak say, I am strong, let the poor say, I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us. Give thanks. Give thanks.**

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray: