

Announcements

This week's **Noisy Offering** will go to Lutheran Disaster Response to aid in relief efforts for recent regional flooding. All offering in envelopes and checks will go to the appropriate congregation.

A **New Women's Bible Study** will explore what Scripture has to say about fear and anxiety—and how the good news of Jesus gives us strength in the midst of life's struggles. Studies continue on September 2nd at 1:00pm at Cathy Badenhop's home. If you have any questions please call Cathy at 419-571-5948.

FLC Rummage and Bake Sale will be held on October 2nd and 3rd this year. Hours will be Friday at 10am to 4pm and Saturday 10am to 2pm. We are accepting donations for the rummage sale until September 19th. Please drop donated items in the church social hall in designated area. We will accept household items, knickknacks, etc. and good, clean clothing. No large furniture items (no pianos!) See Cathy Badenhop, Becky Voorheis or Marti Smith with questions.

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Sunday's lessons and sermon are recorded each week and can be streamed or downloaded from our website.

Lutheran Partnership

August 30, 2026
14th Sunday after Pentecost

*Stand as you are able

ELW = Cranberry hymnal,
Evangelical Lutheran Worship



Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God

Prelude

* Call to Worship

* Confession and Forgiveness

* Gathering Hymn *"Lift High the Cross"* **ELW 660**

* Kyrie and Cantic of Praise p. 138-140

* Prayer of the Day

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song

First Reading Jeremiah 15:15-21

Psalm (psalms begin on p. 339 at front of ELW) Psalm 26:1-8

Second Reading Romans 12:1-8

* Gospel Acclamation p. 174

* Gospel Matthew 16:21-28

Sermon Pastor Shawn Schneider

* Hymn of the Day *"Will You Come and Follow Me"* **ELW 798**

Apostles Creed

Prayers of Intercession

*Peace

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

Offering

* Offertory Hymn “Create in Me a Clean Heart” **ELW 186**

* Offering Prayer

* Preface

* Holy, Holy, Holy p. 144

* Thanksgiving at the Table

* Lord's Prayer

Communion Hymn *"Lamb of God"* p. 146

Distribution

Communion Hymns “Bind Us Together” **WOV 748**

“Will You Let Me Be Your Servant” **ELW 659**

* Prayer after Communion

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

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Blessing

*Sending Hymn *"For the Beauty of the Earth"* **ELW 879**

Dismissal
Go, now, as the body of Christ into the world,
Offering our lives to God as a living sacrifice,
And using our varied gifts, as God has given them, to serve one another in love.

We will! Thanks be to God!

*Postlude

We are praying for:

Family and friends of Scott, Donald and Judy Smith, Jim and Donna Lust, Margaret Sand, Rachel Smith, Joan Winch, Barry Smith, Charles and Norma Corns, Patty Owens, Chuck Robinson, Karen Furrey, Tyler McMillan, Rhonda Breit, Clint and Barb Howe, and Doug May

Long Term Prayer List: Rick Stone, Pastor Tim Keeler, Joe Beaty, Marlene Leme, Chloe, Kaden Allarding, Haylee Lilly, Jean Henry, Tina Fuson, Ed Smith, Linda Kahler, and Bobbie Jo Seighman

Homebound, Assisted Living, or Limited Mobility: Betty Sargel, Jay DeNise, Jack Harpst, Jr., Millie Haas, Brenda Haas, Janet Hammermiller, Phyllis Straka, Fred Watkins, and Joyce Shearer

To add someone to our prayer list or prayer chain, call the church office or email us at pastor@flcgalion.com

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

Judy Smith - August 31
 Brian Shifley - September 1
 Steve Smith - September 5

Tim & Patty Rice Groth - September 4
 Joe & Danielle Clime - September 5
 Randy & Terri Lady - September 5

Helping Hands Today and next Sunday

	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Accompanist	Adam Jarvis	Adam Jarvis
Assisting Minister	Kevin McNeal	Dennis Long
Lay Reader	Beth Sinden	Andrea Schneider
Greeters	Open	Open
Communion Prep	Tracy Kokiko	Roni Halberg
Audio/Visual	Randy Lady	Jeff Dinkel
Coffee Cart	Open	Matt & Cherie Weidman

This Week at First

Today	10:00am	Worship - 14th Sunday after Pentecost
Tuesday	3:15pm	Prayer Shawl Outreach
Friday	9:00am	“Men’s Breakfast” at Lulu’s in Bucyrus