

LUTHERAN CHAPEL



LUKE 17:11-19

"KYRIE ELESION"

**Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.
This is the prayer for all who recognize their
dependence and hope in the LORD.**

18th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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SERVICE OF WORD AND PRAYER FROM WITH ONE VOICE

GATHER

**Indicates that all who are able should stand to honor God.
BOLD indicates congregational responses.*

WELCOME

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PARISH NEWS

GREETING

WOV pg. 46

P: You are the treasured people of the LORD,

C: a people holy to the Lord our God.

P: Keep the words of the Lord in your heart; teach them to your children.

C: Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise.

P: One does not live by bread alone,

C: but by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.

HYMN

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

ELW #858

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

(prayed together)

P: The Lord be with you.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019—SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2019

- Sun-13** 8:30 am Early Service (Communion) (Memorial Chapel)
9:00 am Coffee Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)
9:15 am Opening for Children's Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Announcements and Late Service (Sanctuary)
5:00 pm NO Youth Group or Youth Choirs tonight!
6:00 pm Chancel Choir
8:00 pm Faith Group (AA) (Fellowship Hall)
- Mon-14** 8:30 am Preschool
9:00 am Dirty Collar Workers
- Tue-15** 8:30 am Preschool
10:30 am Clothing Closet Work Day (Parsonage)
4:00 pm Family Life Center Reserved
7:00 pm Worship & Music Committee
- Wed-16** 8:30 am Preschool
10:00 am Advent Crafts (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 pm Sprouts with Amy
6:30 pm Hand Bells
7:30 pm Chapel Voices
- Thur-17** 8:30 am Preschool
10:00 am Prayer Ministry
11:00 am Christianity and World Religions (Church Library)
- Fri-18** **6:30 pm Confirmation Seminar (Youth Room)**
7:00 pm Adult Movie Night (Picnic Pavilion)
- Sat-19** 10:00 am Clothing Closet Open (Parsonage)

BOLD means not a weekly event or a change of some importance

DAILY PRAYER

EACH MORNING AND EVENING, PRAY TO THE LORD (Psalm 1:2). A prayer list, daily lessons to read the Bible together each year, and a song of praise are below. The "Our Daily Bread" devotional is available as a booklet, an app in eBook format, daily e-mail, or podcast. Visit odb.org/subscribe. Fill out a prayer card to share or notify the church office with concerns.

PARISH LIST FOR FELLOWSHIP: Braylon Beam, Donna Carpenter, Jerry Carpenter, **Sharon Carpenter**, Hunter Clark, **Tonya Dowdy**, Kathy Finch, Jerry Fogle, **Bettie Hicks**, Cathy Lloyd, Robert Park, Betty Petty, and Bill Robinson.

FRIENDS OF THE FELLOWSHIP: Ruth Benoy, Jeff Coffey, Amelia Edwards, Heath Hasket, Michael Hobbs, Travis Hogue, Robin Shealy McMillian, Pam Myers, Harry Nicholson, Sam & Lara Raisanen, Martin Salois, Emmalyn Reeder, Pastor Peter Setzer, Mary Ann Sheridan, Sharon Slessman, Charlene Sorenson, Dana Williams, Hannah Wilson, and Lulu Zizak.

WEEK 41: OCTOBER 13, 2019—OCTOBER 20, 2019

Sun-13 Morning Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1—Evening Reading: Isaiah 41, 42
Mon-14 Morning Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2—Evening Reading: Isaiah 43, 44
Tue-15 Morning Reading: 1 Thessalonians 3—Evening Reading: Isaiah 45, 46
Wed-16 Morning Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4—Evening Reading: Isaiah 47, 48, 49
Thur-17 Morning Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5—Evening Reading: Isaiah 50, 51, 52
Fri-18 Morning Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1—Evening Reading: Isaiah 53, 54, 55
Sat-19 Morning Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2—Evening Reading: Isaiah 56, 57, 58
Sun-20 Morning Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3—Evening Reading: Isaiah 59, 60, 61

Song of Praise "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" ELW #632

Lessons for Next Sunday, OCTOBER 20, 2019:

8:30 Early Service: Romans 3:10-26
"Justification by Faith through Grace in Jesus Christ"

Children's Message: "The Present" The Jesus Storybook Bible (Genesis 22)

10:30 Service: Luke 18:1-8 "Will There Be Faith on Earth?"

This QR code goes straight to the Daily prayers page on the website that list the commemorations for the week.



C: And also with you.

C: Almighty and most merciful God, your bountiful goodness fills all creation. Keep us safe from all that may hurt us, that, whole and well in body and spirit, we may with grateful hearts accomplish all that you would have us do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
The Jesus Storybook Bible

Son of Laughter
(pass prayer cards to the ushers)

ANTHEM
"Oh, That I Had A Thousand Voices"

CHAPEL VOICES
Johann B. König

FIRST READING

2 KINGS 5:1-3, 7-15C

Naaman, a Syrian general, suffers from leprosy. In this passage Elisha miraculously cures his illness, but only after Naaman realizes, with the help of his servants, that he also needs healing for his pride. This foreign general then acknowledges the sovereignty of the God of Israel.

¹Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favor with his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. ²Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. ³She said to her mistress, "If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy." ⁷When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, "Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me."

⁸But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, "Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel." ⁹So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. ¹⁰Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean." ¹¹But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, "I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! ¹²Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?" He turned and went away in a rage. ¹³But his servants approached and said to him, "Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, 'Wash, and be clean?'" ¹⁴So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

^{15a-c}Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; he came and stood before him and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel."

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 111

Larry J. Long

Congregational refrain

The fear of the Lord is the be-gin-ning of wis-dom.

Congregational refrain

¹Hallelujah! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

²Great are your works, O LORD, pondered by all who delight in them.

³Majesty and splendor mark your deeds, and your righteousness endures forever.

⁴You cause your wonders to be remembered; you are gracious and full of compassion.

Refrain

⁵You give food to those who fear you, remembering forever your covenant.

⁶You have shown your people the power of your works in giving them the lands of the nations.

⁷The works of your hands are faithfulness and justice; all of your precepts are sure.

⁸They stand fast forever and ever, because they are done in truth and equity.

Refrain

⁹You sent redemption to your people and commanded your covenant forever; holy and awesome is your name.

¹⁰The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who practice this have a good understanding. God's praise endures forever.

Refrain

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COLLEGE STUDENT TREATS: As we move into fall the Women of the ELCA will be collecting treats for Halloween treat boxes for our college students. Examples of items for our treat boxes: cheese crackers, microwave popcorn, granola bars, Pop Tarts, individually wrapped candy etc. We plan to mail the treat boxes on **Wednesday, October 23rd**. There is a box outside the church office for your donations. Your help is very much appreciated.

PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS: Parents please make sure the church office has the correct mailing address for your college student. We want to include everyone and it is necessary to have the correct/updated address. Please let the church office know of the address change. Thank you for your help.

FALL OUTING: Members of all ages, please join us for a day of apples and fun at the Windy Hill Apple Orchard on **Saturday, October 26th**. If you are interested in car-pooling or riding the church bus, please be at the church at 9:15 am so we can be at the orchard by 10 am. They offer apple picking, hayrides, apple cider and most importantly...APPLE DONUTS! Please let Amy know if you are interested in reserving a seat on the bus.

FALL WORK DAY: **Saturday, November 2nd** from 9:00 am to noon, please join us for our annual fall work day at the church. We will begin with donuts, sausage biscuits, coffee, etc. and continue through the morning and schedule completing our work by sometime around noon. We have an ambitious number of projects identified. The completion of these projects will be determined by the number of people that can help us. For those of you who feel like you would like to help but would like something less strenuous, we would appreciate small limbs and trash being removed from our campus. Thank you in advance for your consideration to help. Fred Ward

COAT AND JACKET DONATIONS NEEDED: Both the Roots and Sprouts Youth Ministries are collecting jackets and coats for those in need. If you have any old or unused coats and jackets of any size (including children sizes) you would like to donate, please see Amy Carpenter or Chris Clark or bring them to the church office. These donations are needed by **Sunday, November 3rd**.

WELCA: All the women of the church are invited to attend the WELCA annual meeting for fellowship and a light supper **Monday, November 4 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall**. Please RSVP to Trish Ratchford at pdratchford@hotmail.com or 704-689-1872. Following our meal, there will be a very brief business meeting. Hope to see you there!

SAVE THE DATE!!! The Ladies Night Christmas Banquet has been scheduled. Please mark your calendar now!!! **Saturday, December 14th**, starting at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center. Hope to see you there!

PARISH NEWS

NEW ADDRESS: Mr. Jerry Carpenter, Carillon Assisted Living, 500 Cramer Mountain Rd., D14, Cramerton, NC 28032

PARENTS: There are crayons, coloring sheets and activity pages for the children to use during the service if needed. All materials are located in the Narthex near the balcony stairs.

YOUTH PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: After the middle and high school youth group meets from 5-6 pm in the Youth Room on Sunday nights, we are in need of youth parent volunteers to supervise open gym and dinner from 6-7 pm. Please contact Amy Carpenter at amy@lutheranchapelchurch.org if you are willing to help.

FAMILY ADVENT: Anyone interested in helping get items ready for the Family Advent event are welcome to come to the Fellowship Hall on **October 9th** and again on **October 16th** from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. If you can cut popsicle sticks, paint popsicle sticks, cut from a pattern, or do simple origami (which you will be taught to do from a video), feel free to join us. Bring a sandwich for lunch or just stay a couple hours. It should be a time of fun, fellowship and accomplishment.

ADULT OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT: Come join us on **Friday, October 18th** at 7 pm for a movie and treats at the church picnic pavilion. We will be showing a classic fall film under the stars and adults of all ages are invited. Be sure to bring a lawn chair and a blanket!

THE CLOTHING CLOSET WILL BE OPEN ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19th, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. If you know of anyone in need of clothing please let them know.

CONFIRMATION SEMINAR: Our confirmation seminar, for students in 6th-8th grade, will be on **Friday, October 18th** from 6:30 pm in the Youth Room. A light supper will be provided. Please contact Pastor Comer with any questions.

OVER 60 BANQUET: The WELCA sponsored *“Over 60 Banquet”* is scheduled for **Sunday, October 20th** immediately following the 10:30 worship service in the Family Life Center. Please mark your calendars to join us for delicious food, great entertainment and fun fellowship!

SAVE THE DATE: Young women of the church, please join Amy for a night of food and fellowship on **Tuesday, October 22nd** at 6 pm at the Spruced Goose in McAdenville. Please let her know if you are available to come by **Monday, October 21st**. Hope to see you there!

THE SECOND LESSON

2 TIMOTHY 2:8-15

Though Paul is chained as a prisoner, he reminds Timothy that the word of God is never shackled or confined. He encourages his young friend to proclaim that word of freedom in an honest and upright life as well as in his teaching and preaching.

⁸Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David—that is my gospel, ⁹for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. ¹⁰Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory.

¹¹The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;

¹²if we endure, we will also reign with him;

if we deny him, he will also deny us;

¹³if we are faithless, he remains faithful—

for he cannot deny himself.

¹⁴Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. ¹⁵Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 1:1, Luke 24:32

WOV pg. 48



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all glo - ry to you!



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all praise to you!



Our hearts burn with - in us while you o - pen to us the Scrip- tures.



SENDING

***THE BLESSING**

WOV pg. 53

***RECESSIONAL HYMN**

ELW #886

"Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

***THE DISMISSAL—LUTHERAN CHAPEL CHILDREN AND POSTLUDE**

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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OUR ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN by Amy and Josh Carpenter in honor of their 6th Wedding Anniversary.

THOSE WHO SERVE AT LUTHERAN CHAPEL ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

- Ministers People of Lutheran Chapel Church
- Pastor (P) Michael Comer
- Administrative Assistant..... Kim Rundzieher
- Interim Director of Youth & Family Ministry Amy Carpenter
- Nursery Attendant..... Charlie Jones
- Organist..... Lisa Burch
- Music Director..... Roger Myers
- Music Director..... Jeanette Myers
- Acolyte..... Olivia Berghello
- Crucifer..... Mary Scott Robinson
- Assistant Minister (AM).....
- Lector Norman Overcash
- Ushers..... Chris Angstadt, Ken Obenauf & Rick Peak
- Council Members..... Wendy Robinson & Sherrie Angstadt
- Altar Guild..... Sylvia Fogle & Ann Edwards
- Helping Hands..... Katie Potter

***GOSPEL**

LUKE 17:11-19

Response after the announcement.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

Jesus' mission includes making the unclean clean again. Unexpectedly, a cleansed Samaritan leper becomes a model for those who would praise and worship God and give thanks for God's mercy.

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they?" ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

MESSAGE

"Kyrie Eleison"

The Zika Virus and a Genetic Bomb?

Disease

The Breath Prayer

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

1 Timothy 2:1-4

AM: Knowing the one in whom we trust, and with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all in need.

A brief silence.

AM: O God, you promise your church: if we die with you, we will also live with you; if we endure, we will also reign with you; even when we are faithless, you remain faithful. Strengthen us to believe your gracious promises. Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

Prayers conclude:

P: Trusting and delighting in you, we commend all our lives into your loving hands. We offer these prayers in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

P: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

Matthew 6:9-13

**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.**

THE LAW is an aspect of God's Word that shows sin and brokenness: I don't need anything. I make my own reality to do things my way, right?

THE GOSPEL is an aspect of God's Word that comforts and saves in Christ: Only Jesus Christ is perfect. He is merciful to lepers, to you and me.

ON DISCIPLESHIP - Learning of and from Jesus: Use breath prayers in your daily life. Support medical research to help cure diseases. What is your take away for your walk with Christ?

***HYMN OF THE DAY**

"Baptized and Set Free"

ELW #453

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

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AM: In Christ, you have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation.

C: We believe in Him and are marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.

AM: Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

All are invited to confess our faith in God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If you have not received the gift of baptism or would like to affirm your faith in Jesus and join His mission here, please indicate this on the prayer card and talk to an usher or the pastor.

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

AM: Build yourselves up on your most holy faith:

C: pray in the Holy Spirit.

AM: Keep yourselves in the love of God;

C: look forward to the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ.

AM: If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation:

C: Everything old has passed away; behold, everything has become new!

P: God has given us the ministry of reconciliation. Therefore, let us be reconciled to God and to one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Gracious God,

C: have mercy on us. In Your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by Your Spirit so that we may live and serve You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

P: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

C: Amen.

***THE SHARING OF THE PEACE**

Matthew 5:22-24: Ephesians 4:1-3

P: Sisters and brothers, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace.

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

PRAYER

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Malachi 3:10, 2 Corinthians 9:7-8

ANTHEM

"We Cannot Measure How You Heal"

CHANCEL CHOIR

Malcolm Archer

*CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART

Psalm 51

ELW #186

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re-new a right
spir-it with-in me. Cast me not a-way from your pres-ence, and take
not your Ho-ly Spir-it from me. Re-store to me the joy of
your sal-va-tion, and up-hold me with your free Spir-it.

AM: Let us pray. Merciful God,

C: blessed are You, O God, maker of all things. Through Your goodness You have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered in feeding the world with Your love, through the one who gave Himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.