EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 30, 2007

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PRAYER

Loving Father,
Use us as vessels for Your love, so that many may receive Your truth and enter into eternal life. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen

GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. We will sing the "Hymn of Praise" on page 154. There is no Holy Communion today, so please turn to page 162 after the offertory hymn to continue.

The Hymns are: 908 – 832 – 781 – 839
Sermon Text: Luke 16:19-31
Sermon Theme: "Focusing on the Big Picture"

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Church Attendance:	Saturday, September 23:	11
	Sunday, September 24:	114
	Sunday School:	38

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visitors to our worship service are always welcome. May this time of praising God and learning of his plan for our lives be helpful to one and all. If you are visiting, please introduce yourself to Pastor Kurt and join us for coffee in the fellowship hall following worship.

Coffee and fellowship will follow the worship service this morning.

Due to the Guild meeting being cancelled last Monday, the Guild will meet tomorrow evening, October 1st, with the Executive Board meeting at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Guild meeting at 7:30 p.m. There will be a short Bible study followed by the business meeting. All ladies are welcome to attend.

"Peace Passages" for October has been printed and placed in the distribution boxes.

The Bell Choir will meet on Wednesday evening, October 3rd at 6:00 p.m. Any student, grade 4 and up, is welcome to join.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Mountville, will be having a "Fall Harvest Pork Chop Dinner", on Sunday, October 7th, at the American Legion Club, Gaylord, with serving from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Check the poster on the bulletin board for the menu and prices.

Emanuel Lutheran L.W.M.L., Hamburg, will be holding their annual "Fall Barbecue" on Sunday, October 7th with serving from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Ladies – you are invited to the LWML Rally on Tuesday, October 16th at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Brownton. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. with the Rally starting at 7:00 p.m. The cost is $3.00. "Gifts From The Heart" is baby items. A box is in the narthex for these items if you wish to participate. The invitation and more information is on the bulletin board.

"Understanding Grief", a supportive gathering for those grieving the loss of a loved one, will be held on Thursday, October 11th, from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Winthrop Covenant Church, 107 W. 3rd St., Winthrop. Pre-registration is required. For more information or to register, call 800-327-3721, ext. 2989

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Known to be hospitalized this week: Elaine Brockhoff – Hanna Soeffker – Arlys Willis

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: **Romans 12:1** – In view of God's mercy, offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God - this is your spiritual act of worship.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee and fellowship
	7:30 p.m.	Adult Inquirer's Class
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Guild Executive Board Meeting
	7:30 p.m.	Guild Meeting
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Bible Class at Highland Commons
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism Class
Saturday		Fellowship Hall Reserved – Juanita Kube
	5:00 p.m.	Worship Service
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	8:15 a.m.	Video Presentation – "Creation"
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	7:30 p.m.	Adult Inquirer's Class

A nursery is available for parents with small children while attending our worship service. If you need to use it, please ask one of the ushers and they will direct you to it.