The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
September 4, 2011
Organist: Arlys Willis

PRAYER

Father,

Show us how to restore relationships with our Christian brothers and sisters, so that we may all be more effective in our service. 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 166 after the offertory hymn to continue.

Hymns: 573, 820 (v. 1), 707
Text: Matthew 18:15-20
Theme: "Extreme Love"

Church Attendance:

Sunday, August 28, 2011	82
Monday, August 29, 2011	27

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: Acts 2:38 – "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."

We are looking for volunteers to help with fellowship. If you would like to bring something or help serve, please let Elia know at 964-5861.

Next week the Special Projects offering is designated for the Somalian people through LCMS World Relief.

You are invited to participate in a "mass choir" consisting of people from our circuit, to help celebrate the commemoration event for Rev. Walther, our first national president (October 23, 2011).

Dr Paul Maier, the nationally recognized scholar of our church, will lead a seminar at Mayer Lutheran High on Saturday, October 8, 2011, from 9:30 a.m. – 3:15 p.m. Attend! Dr. Maier is a great presenter!

Would it be easier to read through the Bible if it would be in the form of a novel? We are committed to such an approach for the coming "program year". Each family is being asked to purchase appropriate materials, but if this is a hardship, the materials will be provided free of charge.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Courtland is hosting an Ice Cream Social September 7, 2011 from 4:30 – 7:30 p.m. Please see the bulletin board for more information.

Habitat for Humanity will be building a house this year. Contact the church office if you are interested in donating your time and talent to this project.

Mayer Lutheran High School is seeking a qualified individual to serve the next generation of Christian leaders as Director of Online learning. Please see the bulletin board for a complete job description.

The 14th Annual Crusader Golf Classic will be held at Island View Golf in Waconia on Sat. September 10th, with a 1:00 p.m. shotgun start. If you are interested in participating or would like to be a sponsor this year, please call Renae Johnson at 952-657-2251 x222 or e-mail at rjohnson@lhsmayer.org.

The Fall Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekends in Minnesota are October 14-16 in Duluth and November 18-20 in Brooklyn Center. Please register several weeks in advance. For more information, contact Dick & Judy Dehnel at 952-432-3105, Pete & Phyllis McMahon at 763-561-1575 or visit www.godlovesmarriage.org.

Mayer Lutheran High School is accepting applications for a director for the winter drama. Please send resumes to Tim Bierbaum @ tbierbaum@lhsmayer.org or contact him at 952-406-0100.

On Sunday, September 18, 2011 a Free Community Gospel Concert to benefit the McLeod Emergency Food Shelf will be held at First Ev. Lutheran Church, 925 13th St. E, Glencoe, MN. The outdoor concert will feature "The Chancellors Quartet". Bring lawn chairs and an appetite for uplifting music. In the event of bad weather the concert will be moved inside the church. Donations of food and money for the MEFS will be collected.

First Lutheran LWML, 914 13th St. E, Glencoe will host a salad luncheon on Friday, September 23, from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Prices are as follows Adults $8.00, children 4-11 $4.00 under 4 free.

Mayo Clinic Health System Hospice sponsors: UNDERSTAND GRIEF, a supportive gathering for those grieving the loss of a love one. The gathering will take place on Monday, September 19, 2011 from 1-2:30 p.m. at Oak Terrace Health Care Center, 640 3rd St., Gaylord, MN There is no charge for this seminar, but [pre-registration is required. For more information or to register, please contact Jeanne Atkinson at 507-385-2989 or 800-327-3721,ext.2989.

Please join us in the fellowship hall after worship service for food & fellowship.

THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today		
	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:00 a.m.	Fellowship
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Worship Service
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism
	5:00 p.m.	Bell Choir
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship

Money is one of God's good and perfect gifts

"Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly Lights…."(James 1:17).