October 16, 2016
The Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost
Music: Janice Lehmkuhl

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Loving Father,
Help us continue to bring our concerns to You, even when nothing good seems to be happenings. Give us confidence that You will finally bring justice. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen

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The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. Holy Communion will be celebrated today, so the Hymn of Praise is "This is the Feast". After the offertory and prayer, we begin the communion liturgy with the Prayer of Thanksgiving on page 161.
White grape juice for communion is available for those who wish to avoid alcohol.

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Hymns: 816, 770, 918
Text: Luke 18:1-8
Theme: "Keep on Praying"

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CHURCH ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, October 9, 2016	158
Holy Communion	96
Sunday School	63

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week: Philippians 4:4 – "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!

Members of Peace who have had special care this past week: Viola St. John, Reigh Ferguson in hospital.

Thank you to all the members of Peace Lutheran that came out yesterday to help with our "work day".

Bible study will begin today at 8:30 am. The group will be discussing 2 Timothy 3. Next week's discussion will be on Numbers 12. Everyone is welcome to join us every Sunday morning at this time.

The Usher/Acolyte schedule for November is finished. Please check your distribution box for a copy.

Please join us tomorrow at 11:30am for "Feeding of the 500 club". The soup of the day is Vegetable beef.

Caregivers Discussion Group will resume their meeting this coming Thursday, October 20, 2016 from 1 – 2 pm at the Gaylord Library. Please see the bulletin board for the details.

Zion Harvest Celebration Supper will take place on Friday, October 28th from 4 pm to 7 pm. at Zion Lutheran Church in Arlington. Please see the bulletin board for all the details.

Please join the Good Samaritan Auxiliary for Fall Fun at the Good Samaritan Assisted Living front room lobby, on Saturday, November 5, 2016. The Annual Bake Sale is from 9 am – noon. Yummy treats and coffee will be served in the dining room. All proceeds will be used for Good Samaritan needs.

Prayer Partner Pondering: What Biblical character (besides Jesus) is your favorite or that you would most like to resemble? What trait about that character is one you'd like to see in your life? Ask your Prayer Partner to pray for you. i.e. Abraham trusted God completely even when he was asked to sacrifice that which was most precious to him. (Genesis.22).

"Martin Luther Art and the Reformation" is a unique exhibit making only one appearance in the U.S. The Minneapolis Art Institute from October 30. 2016 – January 15, 2017. Part of the Thrivent Financial collection of Religious Art is included in this exhibit.
If you are interested in seeing this exhibit, contact the church office (964-2959). If there is enough interest, free or discounted tickets are available through Thrivent.

Ridgeview Medical Center Hospice program is in need of volunteers. If this is something you would be interested in doing, please call Sharon Schreiner at 952-442-2191, ext. 5786 or contact her at Sharon.schreiner@ridgeviewmedical.org.
Ridgeview Hospice offers Free CEU training that can be scheduled per your interest and availability. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board for all the pertinent information.

Friday, November 11th marks the 9th annual Celebrate His Harvest Dinner & Auction event benefitting the tuition assistance fund for Mayer Lutheran High School. This event will once again be held at the beautiful Lafayette Club along the shores of Lake Minnetonka. We are in need of a variety of gift card donations. In addition, Mayer Lutheran boldly asks that you become a "Crusader Congregation" sponsor and supporter. Please visit www.celebratehisharvest.org for more information.

The reading from "The Story" for today and this week is chapter 26.

In 2017 we will celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation. It is time to start building our awareness of this celebration. The Art exhibit mentioned above is part of the emphasis.

Please join us today for fellowship following worship service.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship
	11:30 a.m.	Worship Service at Highland Commons with Holy Communion
Monday	11:30 a.m.	"Feeding of the 500 club"
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Voters' meeting & Fellowship

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