

What to Expect in Worship Today

WE GATHER AS A COMMUNITY IN FAITH

Welcome
Gathering Song
Opening Prayer
Song of Praise
Children's Time

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Reading: 2 Chronicles 20:10-12, 15-19, 22-26
Gospel: Matthew 6:25-34
Sermon: Pastor Jana Schofield
Song of the Day

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD OF GOD

Apostles' Creed
Prayers of the People
Exchange of Peace
Announcements
Offering
Offering Song
Offering Prayer

WE SHARE THE LORD'S SUPPER

Confession of Sin
Assurance of Forgiveness
The Words of Jesus Over the Bread and Wine
The Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion: All Are Welcome
Communion Song
Communion Blessing

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

Closing Prayer
Blessing
Closing Song
Dismissal

THANK YOU WORSHIP LEADERS

Altar Flowers: Given by Suzanne Gorter in honor of her mother Rosie, on the anniversary of her birthday.

Acolyte: Sarah Kinsey

Band: Dave Becker, Amber Sanborn, Martha Reck, Ryan Reck

Children's Church: Jackie Kinsey

Coffee Host: Vicky Tway

Communion Assistant: Dorothy McCoid, Diane Mansell

Greeter:s Russ & Kay Jensen

Lector: Gerda Culwell

PowerPoint: Jamie Strampe

Ushers: Len & Diane Mansell, Dean & Kathy Meyer

Nursery: Karen Weber

Sound Board: Keith Tracy

Beyond Sunday Morning Worship

YOU'RE INVITED! Our own Tony Huffaker will be speaking at our next Stephen Ministry meeting. Tony is a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist and the Clinical Supervisor for Hospice of SLO County. He will be discussing the ups and downs of life (okay, mostly the downs), and how they serve us and facilitate growth. It will be informative, interesting, and we promise it won't be depressing! Thursday, August 12, 6:30-8:00.

DEBT REDUCTION CHALLENGE: We are currently at \$30,018, which is 68% of our goal. Many thanks to the special someone (or someones) who made a \$3,200 donation last week. What a huge help to our cause!

MAKE YOUR SUPPORT FOR MT. CARMEL SIMPLE by giving your offering through *Simply Giving* electronic funds transfer. When you fill out a *Simply Giving* form, your offering can be made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account either weekly, semi-monthly, or monthly and deposited at Mt. Carmel the same day. Forms are available in the narthex/lobby or call the church office. This is true "first fruits" giving!

CALLING ALL MEN: Please plan to join us for the Men's Advance at El Camino Pines, scheduled for September 24-26. Flyers and registration forms are in the narthex/lobby. To experience the 3 Fs of the Men's Advance — fellowship, fun, and food — contact John Keisler at 543.4259.

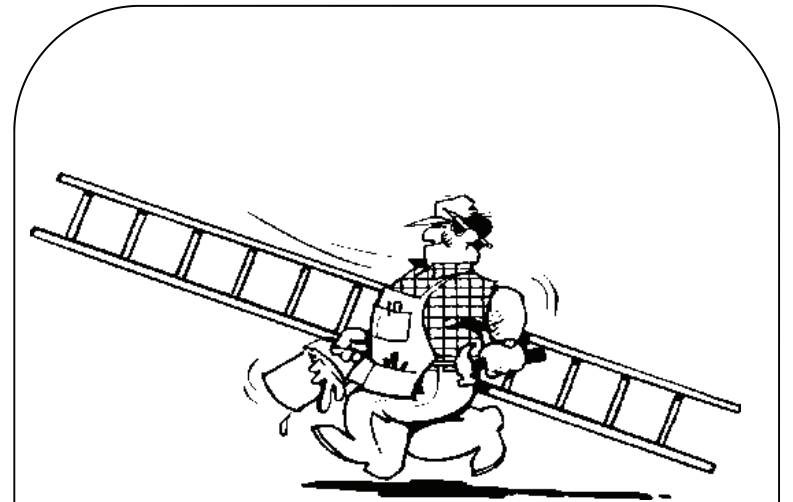
DID YOU KNOW? A printable copy of the August/September volunteer schedule is on our website: www.mtcarmelslo.org. Just click on "Volunteer Schedule" in the left-hand sidebar.

PASTOR MARJ IS ON VACATION through August 8.

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Gust & Glenadene Anderson; Russ & LaVanne Anderson; Doris Curtis; Don & Sally Eggen; Artha Fellows; Julie Finley; Charlotte Lejonhud. We ask that you be with the family of John Sexton as they mourn the death of John's mother, Ruth Sexton. We also ask that you be with the family of Lillian Lorenz as they mourn her passing, and with the family of Ralph Hohenstein as they mourn his death. Healing God, we pray for the continued recovery of Catherine Oster;

Treva Thornton; Jesse Almas; Tracy; and Gary Schultz. We also ask that you free Janis Sexton's mother, Teenie Andersen, from anxiety and depression. Give her strength, health, and peace in the days ahead. We pray for the people of Canada and the United States of America: for young and old; for the hungry, the poor, the broken and unloved, and for those who live with plenty; we ask that your mercy and lovingkindness may abound.

CHURCH FAMILY CYCLE OF PRAYER: David Quist; Stephen Quist, Ann; Warren & Betty Ann Quist; Stu & Pat Ramsay; Ryan & Martha Reck; Sally Reck.



In order to accommodate the construction of the new LCM "home" and the remodeling of the Sunday School facilities, Adult Forum and Friday Bible study have been suspended during the month of August through early September. Other groups using the Fellowship Hall should call the office to determine whether finding an alternate meeting place would be appropriate during this time. Thanks for your understanding!

All Are Welcome!

You don't have to be Lutheran, and you don't have to have faith all figured out. No matter who you are or where you've been on your faith journey, you are welcome here. You will find all sorts of ways to make your worship more comfortable.

Holy Communion is a sacrament in which we believe Jesus is truly present. All who feel called by the Spirit are welcome to Christ's table. The ushers will direct you forward via the center aisle. You will receive the bread and can dip it in either the porcelain cup of wine or the crystal glass of juice. If you or your child would rather receive a blessing than communion, simply come forward and cross your hands over your chest.

For Students of Cal Poly and Cuesta:

A special welcome to you! Check out events designed just for you in the *Lutheran Campus Ministry* section of this bulletin.

For Little Ones:

Children's time is a part of our worship together. Kids, ages 3-9, will be invited to the front of the sanctuary for a brief message led by one of the pastors or the youth director. After the message, the children will be escorted to the fellowship hall for a longer lesson with our Children's Church volunteers. They will be brought back to the sanctuary in time to share in the Lord's Supper.

Goody bags hang on a small rack in the lobby. They contain toys and other things to keep children engaged during worship. Grab one and enjoy!

The Cry Room is available if you'd like a private place to be with your infant or toddler. It is in the back of the sanctuary and accessed through the lobby.

Nursery is open during both services as well as during Sunday School between services. Karen Weber, our nursery teacher, is a licensed child care provider. Ask the usher for directions.

For the not so little:

Hearing aids are available behind the sound board on the wall.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to ask an usher.

May God bless us all as we worship together!

SENIOR PASTOR: Rev. Marjorie Funk-Pihl

PASTOR OF CAMPUS AND PARISH MINISTRY:
Rev. Jana Schofield

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN AND TEEN MINISTRY:
Ingrid Moersdorf

DIRECTOR OF CONTEMPORARY MUSIC: Dave Becker

MCLC Weekly Calendar Join In!

TODAY, Sunday, August 1

8:45 AM Traditional Worship
11:00 AM Contemporary Worship

Monday, August 2—OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, August 3

Wednesday, August 4

11:00 AM Staff Meeting ~ Office Meeting Room
7:00 PM Praise Team ~ Sanctuary

Thursday, August 5

Friday, August 6—OFFICE CLOSED

8:30 AM Friday Morning Garden Club
9-10:30 AM Mommy & Me ~ CAT Office
9AM-12 PM Koinonia Kids ~ Nursery
11:00 AM People's Kitchen

Saturday, August 7

8:00 AM Men's Ministry Breakfast/I and II Peter
2:00 PM Memorial Service for Sandra Gardebring Ogren

For a more complete calendar, please visit our website at www.mtcarmelslo.org.

As Christians committed to the belief that we are saved by grace through faith, the congregation of Mount Carmel exists to GATHER in worship and fellowship, to GROW in the knowledge and love of Christ, and to GO in service to a world in need."



Mt. Carmel
LUTHERAN CHURCH

August 1, 2010
11:00 AM Worship
Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

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