



**Emmanuel
Lutheran**
CHURCH & SCHOOL
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

11:00am Service
Sunday, June 7, 2026



Matthew 9:9-13



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JUNE 7, 2026

AS WE GATHER

We do not deserve the attention God lavishes on us! As He calls us to Himself, we are on the receiving end of boundless love and mercy from Him, shown especially in the death and resurrection of our Lord, to whom we have been united. We share faith with Abraham, though the future may not be clear. Our sins brought Jesus to the cross, but the empty tomb invites us to eternal life. When the Pharisees questioned Jesus for eating with tax collectors and sinners, He admonished them in saying, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick” (Matthew 9:12). God calls those who need to be saved—sinners like us—with the gracious Good News proclaimed to us in worship this day.

CALL TO WORSHIP “His Glory and My Good”

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG “Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly”

VERSE 1

It all comes down to this
What you require of me
Love my neighbor as myself
And You above all things

CHORUS

**Act justly love mercy walk humbly
With You God
In all things in all ways walk humbly
With You God**

VERSE 2

It all comes down to this
To be Your hands and feet
Good news to all the world
We'll follow where You lead

CHORUS

BRIDGE 2X

Your word is my pathway
You help us forgive them
It's Your will not my way
On Earth as in heaven

VERSE 3

Years from now we'll see
The fruit our hands have sown
Faith just like a seed
The only way it grows

CHORUS

**In all things in all ways
Walk humbly with You God**

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INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People: **Amen.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

People: **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

PRAISE SONG "Jesus Is My Healer"

VERSE 1

Oh that rugged cross
the selfless pain He bore
He breathed His final breath
That I would be restored
By His body that was broken
Precious blood freely shed
The spotless Lamb of heaven
Has forever conquered death

CHORUS

**Jesus is my healer
He's everything I need
He alone has triumphed
over sickness and disease
Fear where is your power
The cross is your defeat
Jesus is my healer
He has won the victory**

VERSE 2

Oh how great a love
I'm held by perfect peace
He walks with me through valleys
Understands my suffering
Every joy and every sorrow,
every triumph, every loss

I know everything is covered
By the shadow of the cross
Everything is covered
by the shadow of the cross

CHORUS

**Jesus is my healer
He's everything I need
He alone has triumphed
over sickness and disease
Fear where is your power
The cross is your defeat
Jesus is my healer
He has won the victory
Jesus is my healer
He has won the victory**

BRIDGE 2X

Everything bows at His name
Everything bows at His name
Sickness, darkness, chains
break at the name of Jesus

CHORUS 2X

ENDING

Jesus is my healer He has won the victory

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SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty and most merciful God, You sent Your Son, Jesus Christ, to seek and to save the lost. Graciously open our ears and our hearts to hear His call and to follow Him by faith that we may feast with Him forever in His kingdom; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING Hosea 5:15–6:6

¹⁵I will return again to my place,
until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face,
and in their distress earnestly seek me.

6 ¹“Come, let us return to the LORD;
for he has torn us, that he may heal us;
he has struck us down, and he will bind us up.

²After two days he will revive us;
on the third day he will raise us up,
that we may live before him.

³Let us know; let us press on to know the LORD;
his going out is sure as the dawn;
he will come to us as the showers,
as the spring rains that water the earth.”

⁴What shall I do with you, O Ephraim?
What shall I do with you, O Judah?
Your love is like a morning cloud,
like the dew that goes early away.

⁵Therefore I have hewn them by the prophets;
I have slain them by the words of my mouth,
and my judgment goes forth as the light.

⁶For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice,
the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE Romans 4:13–25

¹³The promise to Abraham and his offspring that he would be heir of the world did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law there is no transgression.

¹⁶That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his offspring—not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, ¹⁷as it is written, “I have made you the father of many nations”—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. ¹⁸In hope he believed against hope, that he should become the father of many nations, as he had been told, “So shall your offspring be.” ¹⁹He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was as good as dead (since he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah’s womb. ²⁰No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, ²¹fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. ²²That is why his faith was “counted to him as righteousness.” ²³But the words “it was counted to him” were not written for his sake alone, ²⁴but for ours also. It will be counted to us who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord, ²⁵who was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 9:9–13

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth chapter.

People: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

⁹As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, “Follow me.” And he rose and followed him.

¹⁰And as Jesus reclined at table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were reclining with Jesus and his disciples. ¹¹And when the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?” ¹²But when he heard it, he said, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. ¹³Go and learn what this means, ‘I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.’ For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Kay Thorp

SERMON SONG “Follow”

VERSE 1

I give my life to follow Jesus
Captive to Christ I know true freedom
I count it all joy to take up my cross
I’ll follow

VERSE 2

These earthly wells have left me thirsty
All worldly wisdom comes up empty
Only Your word and only Your ways
I’ll follow

CHORUS

What a joy it is to follow You Jesus
What a gift it is to bear Your name
What an honor to choose to worship
And make You my everything

VERSE 3

When the darkness brings its questions
When trusting You becomes a wrestle
I have resolved no matter the cost
I’ll follow

CHORUS 2X

BRIDGE

Yes to surrender
Yes to the altar
Yes to Your plans for me
Yes to correction
Yes to confession
Yes to refining me
Yes to Your blessing
Yes to anointing
Your Spirit alive in me
Yes to direction
And resurrection
Yes to eternity

CHORUS

ENDING

And make You my everything
Lord You are my everything

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SERMON “Come Follow Me”

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People: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life ☩ of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

People: 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.

OFFERING

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, O Lord our God, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve but promised salvation by a Second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. We give thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessing of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

People: Amen.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ☩ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ☩ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST

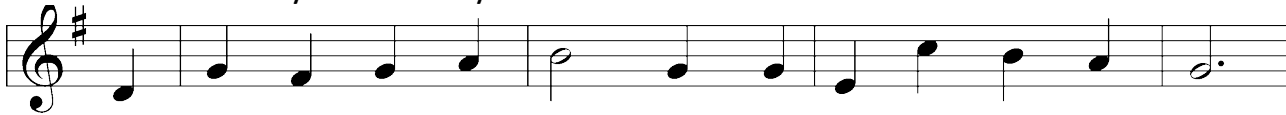
Pastor: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

People: **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

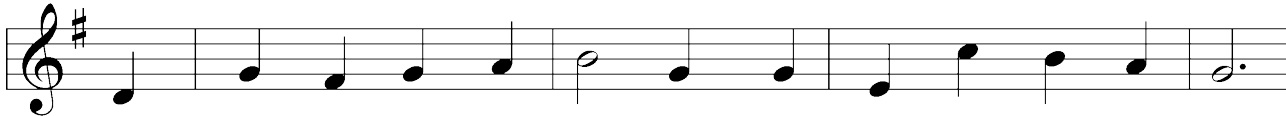
Pastor: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 915 "Today Your Mercy Calls Us"



1 To - day Your mer - cy calls us To wash a - way our sin.
2 To - day Your gate is o - pen, And all who en - ter in
3 To - day our Fa - ther calls us; His Ho - ly Spir - it waits;
4 O all - em - brac - ing Mer - cy, O ev - er - o - pen Door,



How - ev - er great our tres - pass, What - ev - er we have been,
Shall find a Fa - ther's wel - come And par - don for their sin.
His bless - ed an - gels gath - er A - round the heav'n - ly gates.
What should we do with - out You When heart and eye run o'er?



How - ev - er long from mer - cy Our hearts have turned a - way,
The past shall be for - got - ten, A pres - ent joy be giv'n,
No ques - tion will be asked us How of - ten we have come;
When all things seem a - gainst us, To drive us to de - spair,

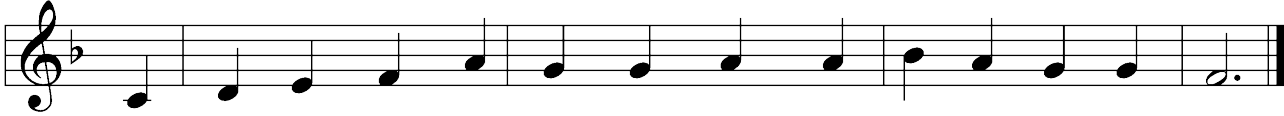


Your pre - cious blood can wash us And make us clean to - day.
A fu - ture grace be prom - ised, A glo - rious crown in heav'n.
Al - though we oft have wan - dered, It is our Fa - ther's home.
We know one gate is o - pen, One ear will hear our prayer.

LSB 567 "Not What These Hands Have Done"



1 Not what these hands have done Can save this guilt - y soul;
2 Not what I feel or do Can give me peace with God;
3 Thy work a - lone, O Christ, Can ease this weight of sin;
4 Thy love to me, O God, Not mine, O Lord, to Thee,



Not what this toil - ing flesh has borne Can make my spir - it whole.
Not all my prayers and sighs and tears Can bear my aw - ful load.
Thy blood a - lone, O Lamb of God, Can give me peace with - in.
Can rid me of this dark un - rest And set my spir - it free.

- 5 Thy grace alone, O God,
To me can pardon speak;
Thy pow'r alone, O Son of God,
Can this sore bondage break.
- 6 I bless the Christ of God,
I rest on love divine,
And with unfalt'ring lip and heart
I call this Savior mine.

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POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Let us pray.
O God the Father, who sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake we have received pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake us but to rule our hearts and minds so that we may serve You in confident joy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

BENEDICTION Numbers 6:24–26

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People: Amen.

CLOSING SONG “This Is Amazing Grace”

VERSE 1

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory the King above all kings

VERSE 2

Who shakes the whole earth with holy
thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory the King above all kings

CHORUS

**This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love
That You would take my place, that You
would bear my cross
You laid down Your life, that I would be set
free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You’ve done for
me**

VERSE 3

Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory the King of Glory

DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go in peace as you serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

VERSE 4

Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory the King above all kings

SING CHORUS

BRIDGE

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy worthy worthy Oh!

SING CHORUS TWICE

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	8:30 am	11:00 am	Prayer Support Team Pastor Art and Kathy G. Sound & Tech Crew 1 st : Heather M. & Peter L. 2 nd : Justin P. & Rachel S. June Altar Guild 1 st : Martha G. & Kathryn W. 2 nd : Sherry R Offering Counters Stephanie & Lori A.
Children's Message	Kay Thorp	Kay Thorp	
Elder	Susan Roby	Rich Baldwin	
Greeters/Ushers	Stephanie Hanson Mike Rush	Rich Baldwin Lisa Baldwin	
Communion	David Meyer Debbie Reiling	Joel Helms Peter Renner	
Lector	Charles Ude	Jeanine Helms	

**Today's Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by:
Neil Pursley in celebration of:**



Beth's Birthday

Wednesday Services

The noon service on Wednesdays has been moved to the Art room in the ACE building.

Annual Voter's Meetings

The Board of Directors have set the Annual Voters' Assembly meeting for

Sunday, June 7, 2026 at 12:30pm

in the gym to elect new board officers and look at ministry reports.

Sunday, June 14, 2026 at 9:45 am

A shorter meeting to consider the budget between services to consider the budget

New Member Class with Pastor Skopak

June 10, June 17, July 8, & July 29th at 6 pm in the Narthex

Contact Pastor Skopak for more information

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Sanctuary Renovation

HVAC installation began this past week.

Sacred Communion Values

As baptized Christians, having received instruction in the Holy Sacrament; our precious Savior and Lord Jesus Christ invites us to His Holy Meal in which we receive the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of our faith.

Before we receive the Holy Sacrament, we should:

- a) Examine our relationship with God & others according to the Ten Commandments;
- b) Truly repent of our sins and seek forgiveness in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord;
- c) Faithfully believe God's Word which teaches us that in, with, and under the bread and wine we receive the true body and blood of our Savior and Lord Jesus Christ;
- d) By the working of the Holy Spirit through Word and Sacrament, commit our life as a redeemed disciple of Jesus Christ through thought, word, and deed.



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BOARD of DIRECTORS:

Rich Bair (Chair Rep.), Rojeanous Rush (V-Chair/Music & Worship)
Neil Pursley (Outreach & Family), Ed Lopez (Secretary & Youth)
Steve Ude (Parish), Deb DeBerry (School)
Peter Renner (EMT), Eugene Edwards

Weekly Calendar

Monday, June 8:
7:00pm Southside Bible Study
Tuesday, June 9:
Wednesday, June 10:
12:00pm Midweek Worship Service (Art rm/ACE bldg)
1:30pm Women's Bible Study (Art rm/ACE bldg)
Thursday, June 11:
Friday, June 12:
6:00pm Pickleball (Gym)
Saturday, June 13:
Sunday, June 14:
8:30 am Traditional Worship Service
9:50am 1Peter Bible Study (school music room)
10:00am Children's Sunday School (rm off cafeteria)
11:00am Blended Worship Service in gym
!:00pm The Food Pantry is OPEN
5:00pm High School Youth Group (ACE)

CHURCH STAFF:

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Skopak
Parish Administrator: Dirk Wilmoth
Business Administrator: Gail Thomas
Finance Asst.: Leigh Horsley
ECE Asst. & ELCS Benefits Mgr: Amy Skopak
Admin. Asst.: Anitta Charlson
ELC Music and Sound Director/ECE Music: Heather Meulenberg
Organist: Lula Meulenberg
Digital Media : Peter Linton
Hospitality Ministry: Shirley Parker
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CHURCH ELDERS:

John Jennejahn (Head), Marni Jennejahn, Susan Roby,
Kevin Lorenz, Rich Baldwin, Lisa Baldwin, Joel Helms,
Doug Piercy, Heather Renner, Wayne Samuel

SCHOOL K-8:

Principal/STEAM: Mark Edmiston
Admin. Assistant: Shari Reaves
Asst. Principal/MS English: Denise Ball
Director of Admissions: Emily Leatherwood
Kindergarten: Kim Noel & Jamie Wertham
First Grade: Kerry Stead & Mackenzie Knapp
Second Grade: Leigh Weaver & Annie Jacobsen
Third Grade/Curriculum Coordinator: Kiara Studer
Fourth Grade: Chelsey Towery
Fifth Grade: Emily Lundquist
MS Science: Leigh Conner
MS Math: Jenelle Lanham
MS Social Studies: Mindy Stackhouse
PE/Athletic Director: Jennifer Jenkins "Coach J"
Art: Tammy Reilly
Music & Spanish: A.L. Brown

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION:

Director: Nicole Loria
Younger Infants: Paula Jones and Rachel Bishop
Older Infants: Becky Swatzell & Hydeia Beck
Toddlers 1: Lindsey Smathers & Kayla Greene
Toddler2: Neesie Castillo & Heather Hensley
PS2: Veronica Milner & Melissa Kucin
PS-2/3: Amy Bair & Jules Chambers
PS3: Maranda Rice & Lea Par Wise
PS3/4: Robin Rutherford
PreK-1: Madison Peach & Cleo Green
PreK-2: Faith Noell & Crystal McCormick
Floating Aid: Felicia Norton
Cafeteria: Kristen Warren and Mikaela Bennett

Upcoming Member Celebrations

BIRTHDAYS

6/7 Deb Reiling
6/9 Beth Pursley
6/9 Gloria Spude
6/11 Phil McCarthy
6/13 Gene McIntire

ANNIVERSARIES

6/7 Jay and Marta Keller
6/10 Eugene and Shelia Edwards
6/11 Robert and Lori Allen
6/13 John and Marni Jennejahn

Last Sunday's Attendance & Stats

In-person Services: 10:00am - 100
Online: Website: 14 FB: 1

Wednesday:
Noon: 20

ELC Grab-N-Go Food Pantry

April 26, 2026
162 Households, 657 Individuals served
God Provided!

Previous Week's Offerings

General Offering Received: \$ 5656.48
Building Funds Received: \$
*Weekly Offering Budget: \$ (13173.00)

June 7, 2026 Sermon Notes "Come Follow Me" Matthew 9:9-13

Sometimes we might be confused as to
how we might _____ and _____ Jesus

I. Not Your Typical _____

- A. _____ doesn't fit the profile for a ministry recruit
1. _____ was probably not well liked
 2. He collected taxes for the _____ Government
 3. The _____ behavior of tax collectors was questionable
- B. He was a tax collector in the small town of _____
1. This was a fishing _____
 2. Matthew's job would be to meet the fishermen coming in with their _____ so that he could tax them
 - a. The tax collector would _____ by taxing more than the Roman Government required so as to line his own pockets
 - b. Simply put: Tax collectors were _____
 - c. And yet, Jesus calls to Matthew and says:
" _____ Me"

II. The _____

- A. "Why does your _____ eat with tax collectors and sinners?"
1. This is not how good and proper _____ of the Law behave
 2. The pharisees did not like anything less than the very _____ they believed they personified
- B. Pharisees _____ themselves from the common folk
1. That meant not hanging around tax collectors and _____
 2. Are you guilty of avoiding _____ who might fall into the category of "sinners" or "tax collectors?"
 3. Consider for a moment how you might act like a _____

III. Why Eat with _____ and Tax Collectors?

- A. So why does _____ eat with those who were social outcasts?
1. Mathew _____
 2. The fact of the matter: We are _____ sinners
 - a. Romans _____
 - b. Paul says _____ have sinned and that **means** everyone
- B. The pharisees couldn't understand that nobody - including themselves - could be made right before God by their _____ efforts
1. They were so full of themselves that they believed God was in _____ to them!
 2. With that in mind, there was no place in their world for a person like _____
- C. But Jesus _____ to Matthew...he sought him out
1. The same holds true for _____ and me
 2. Jesus seeks _____
 - a. Jesus doesn't call the "righteous" - He calls _____ unto Himself
 - b. Jesus takes those sins upon Himself - takes them to the cross - and _____ us



God loves us and calls each of us
into a loving _____
with Himself through
His Word and Sacraments;
He blesses us with the
fellowship of the Church;
and reminds us daily that
we are His own



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Prayer List

June 7, 2026

These are people in need of prayers this week. "Lord Jesus we commend into Your hands the needs of people that go through challenges of many kinds. You know their joys, troubles, illnesses, and fears. We now commend them to You."

PRAYERS FOR GOOD HEALTH, SWIFT HEALING, & FAVOR:

- * **Ken Treadway and family - Ken was admitted to Mission Hospital 6/1**
- * **Martha Price - healing after shoulder surgery**
- * **John Jennejahn - healing after knee surgery 6/1**
- * **Barbara Peterson - Healing from double pneumonia**
- **Rick Allen (J.Jennejahn's cousin) Healing from heart attack and bypass last week**
- **Ed Bagwell - friend of CJ Reece - quick recovery**
- * **JoEllen McIntire - Save travels to Chicago and inspirational Top Dog Training!**
- * **George Banjak - safe travels to be with his daughter during her surgery and healing prayers for her**
- * Barbara Sullivan - Healing after knee replacement surgery 5/26
- * Gloria Spude has an infection/concerned about shoulder MRI scheduled soon
- * CJ Reece - healing
- Anthony Sumner (D.Meyer friend) heart issues - arrhythmia and ablation
- John Wiechmann - (G.Spude uncle) struggling with Alzheimer's
- Alex - (R&A Bair's niece) young mom recently diagnosed with Lupus
- * Elliot Lipe (S&B Parker's son) health and well-being
- Ralph Ector Jr.(S.Edwards' brother)in the ER with stomach issues
- Aleksander (Anastaiia Talbot's father) cancer challenges
- Adrian (E.Lopez's brother) between domiciles, may he have peace and be safe
- Todd Robel (K.Nobles' SIL) Cancer, heart, pain, mobility
- Amy Lewis (Daxton Edward's mom) having thyroid issues
- Christine Lee Graham (Renner's Niece) for strength and healing
- * Judy Clark healing prayers
- Leslie (friend R.Baldwin) healing from Leukemia
- Lee Simons (C.Cline's cousin) quadruple bypass
- Bob Lichtenberg (Friend of S&T Taylor) He has a severe knee infection
- Ashley Rodriguez (family of C.Cline) recovering from surgery
- Leon Dejournet (friend of D.Meyer) Leon has head trauma from a skiing accident
- Martha Papp (Rush's close friend) Recovering from fall and hospitalization
- Joanne Fritch (close friend of SPruett) liver mass
- Joyce Meyer (DMeyer mother) Continue prayers for healing
- Carol Hausman (S.Hausman's mom) Pray for her ongoing recovery/heart attack
- Ruthie O'Brien (Friend of B.Allen)Please pray for Ruthie's full recovery
- Ann Bolinsky (Bair's BIL's mom) 85yo in rehab
- Gary Pursley (N.Pursley's brother)God, soften his heart for Jesus & for salvation
- Sarah Nix (Hufnagle's daughter) - prayers as she continues to heal from 2 strokes
- Linda & Ken Tilley - (DGordon's parents) mom cancer and dad is losing sight
- Camille Sawyer (friend of S.Edwards) autoimmune deficiency issues
- * McKenzie (S&B Parker's daughter) for health & well-being

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WITH LONGTERM ILLNESSES & CONDITIONS:

- * Harold Neuenkirchen
- * Ken Treadway
- * Lorenzo Lopez
- * Peg Hardesty
- * Jim Clark
- * Steve Taylor
- * Mary Hufnagle
- * Sharon Pruet
- * Emily Nieting
- * Cynthia Cline
- * Helen Cline
- * Marjorie Locke
- * Julia Kearley
- * C.J. Reece
- * Mike Fastenau
- * Ray Bailey
- Linda Poppenhagen
- Rev. Mark Spelzhausen (J. Gibney, friend)
- Donna Logeman (E.Lundquist, mother)
- Ann Downs (K. Emory, mother)
- Ann Melious (McCarthy family)
- Carol Harris (S.Ude's friend)
- Robin Worley (J.Kearley's friend)
- Chris Alstrin (L.Schulhof, friend)
- Ron Riddle (B. King, friend)
- Erin Y. (J. Thomas, friend)
- Ralph Ector, Jr & Sr (S.Edwards, family)
- Tyrone Ayres (S. Edwards, friend)
- Lynn White (S. Edwards, cousin)
- Randy Rooker (J. Kearley, brother-in-law)
- Mary Walker (D. Meyer, aunt)
- Brandon Talofuse, Newton Crave (E.Bailey)
- Cynthia Bright - (C.Brucker's friend)
- Barbara Haseley - (Lopez mom/grandmom) Cancer
- Alice & Dawn -(J.Kearley friends) both w/cancer
- Ron Gill - (D.Meyer friend) Cancer
- Nicole - (S. Rauschenplat fam) cancer
- Mac O'Shields - Cancer
- Jennie Buckner - (C.Cline friend) cancer & COPD
- Patty & Newt Etheridge (D.Meyer friends) cancer
- Zeb Dowdle (N. Black (friend) Needs kidney transplant
- Jonah Lewis - healing after stroke
- Craig Dayton (Parker's fam)stroke & 2y battle w/cancer
- Eugene Edwards - Gout and kidney issues

PRAYERS FOR OUR HOMEBOUND MEMBER BROTHERS & SISTERS

K. Ray Bailey	Marjorie Locke	Isabelle Hempel
Teenie Smathers	Helen Cline	Andre & Lori Benson
Ken & Carol Treadway	Cleta McCall	Gerry & Peg Hardesty
Jim & Judy Clark		

HEALING SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER FOR THIS WEEK:

"Be joyful always, pray at all times, be thankful in all circumstances. This is what God wants from you in your life in union with Christ Jesus." (1 Thessalonians 5:1618)

Dear Jesus, You are the great physician of body and soul. Come to those who are experiencing cancer and bring healing to their bodies. Use the gifts of medicine and doctors to work Your healing power. Lift their spirits and enable them to trust in You during this difficult time. Let them cast all their cares upon You for You care for them. For their families and caregivers, be their Encourager and Helper. Thank you, Jesus, Amen.