



- CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE -  
September 18, 2022 • 15th Sunday after Pentecost

OPENING

**GATHERING SONGS**

*My Liberty*  
*Your Grace Is Enough*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BIBLE READING Luke 16:1-13** Pew Bible pg. 955

<sup>1</sup>Then Jesus said to the disciples, "There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. <sup>2</sup>So he summoned him and said to him, 'What is this that I hear about you? Give me an accounting of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer.' <sup>3</sup>Then the manager said to himself, 'What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. <sup>4</sup>I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes.' <sup>5</sup>So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, 'How much do you owe my master?' <sup>6</sup>He answered, 'A hundred jugs of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.' <sup>7</sup>Then he asked another, 'And how much do you owe?' He replied, 'A hundred containers of wheat.' He said to him, 'Take your bill and make it eighty.' <sup>8</sup>And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. <sup>9</sup>And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

<sup>10</sup>Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. <sup>11</sup>If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? <sup>12</sup>And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? <sup>13</sup>No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

**SERMON**

*Dirty Rotten Scoundrels*

Pastor Bob Stelter

**SERMON SONG**

*Leonie's Song*

Leonie Youth Band

**SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE**

WORD

THANKSGIVING

**OFFERINGS FOR MISSION & MINISTRY**

**OFFERING SONG**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION / LORD'S PRAYER / HOLY COMMUNION**

**DISTRIBUTION SONG**

*Just a Closer Walk with Thee*

**COMMUNION BLESSING**

Pastor: May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,  
strengthen you and keep you in His grace.

**Congregation Amen.**

*OUR VISION*  
To be an inspired body of Christ.



*OUR MISSION*  
Love God. Love Others. Serve.

**THE CHARGE**

Pastor: The worship has ended, now the service begins. Go in peace as the forgiven people of God.

**Congregation: We have heard the Good News. We will share the Good News. We will celebrate forgiveness in the week ahead through acts of kindness, by listening with love and in deeds of generosity. We pledge to love God, love others, serve.**

**BENEDICTION**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.

**Congregation: Amen.**

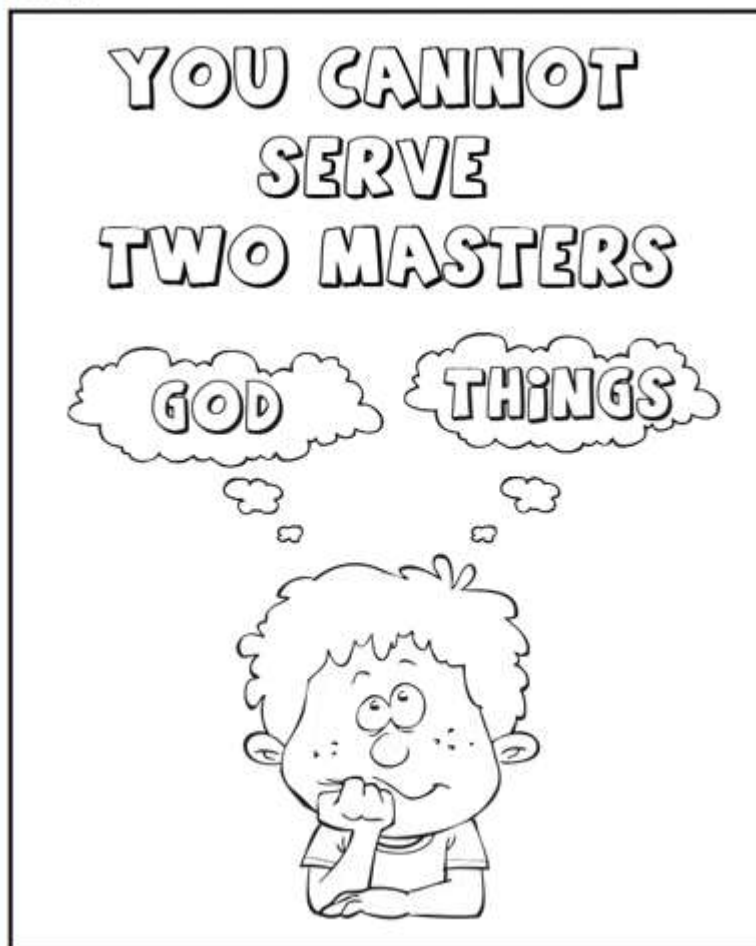
**SENDING SONG**

*Let the Praises Ring*

**SENDING**

Praise Band: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God!**



*Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.*

# FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Evangelical Lutheran Churches in America

Founding Congregation of Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church, Tellico Village

Founding Congregation of Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry ▪ Stephen Ministry Congregation

**Traditional Worship, 9am ♦ Contemporary Worship, 11:11am**

**((( ))) Faith Guest WiFi Password: beblessed**

**Dr. Bob Stelter** — Pastor  
**Lynn Rognsvoog** — Organist  
**Collin Kasefang** — Choir Director  
**Trace Taylor** — Sound Technician

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**WELCOME!** As followers of Jesus, we rejoice in God's plan for a just, loving and peaceful world. We commit ourselves to making it a reality for all people everywhere. Just as all are welcome at the Lord's table during holy communion, all are welcome to this family of faith. People of all races, ages, social status, sexual orientations and gender identity are united here in our mission to love God, love others and serve. Please sign a Worship Card and place it in the offering plate.

### NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

Want to know more about Lutheranism and our ministries? Contact Pastor Bob, [pastorbob@faithloves.org](mailto:pastorbob@faithloves.org).

### Sunday Worship 9 & 11:11am

Live or online at [Facebook.com/FaithLutheranKnoxville](https://www.facebook.com/FaithLutheranKnoxville)

Recorded Sermons & Services at [Faithloves.org](http://Faithloves.org)

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS, 10:15am** the study of Genesis, led by John Woods in *The Cup*.

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10:15am.**

**CONFIRMATION CLASS, 10:15am** in the library.

**TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY, 1:30pm** led by John Woods.

**HANDBELL PLAYERS REHEARSAL Wednesdays, 5:30pm.** Come join us! Lynn Rognsvoog, 503-819-0118 or email [rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com](mailto:rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com).

**COLUMBARIUM NICHES** are available to our members for \$1,800 & to non-members at \$2,500. Application forms are found in our **Columbarium Booklet** in the narthex.

**PIANO LESSONS** Contact our organist, Lynn Rognsvoog at [rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com](mailto:rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com) or 503-819-0118.

**2022 ALTAR FLOWERS** Sign up on the chart by the library for honorariums or memorials. One date left for 2022 is October 30, Reformation Sunday. Donation: \$50. Your flowers may be taken home after the 11:11am service.

### SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY Open: tomorrow, September 19, 3-6:30pm

#### Items needed:

Vegetable Oil ▪ Boxed Meals (Hamburger Helper, etc.)  
 Large Soup (Larger than 15oz.) ▪ Syrup

**Contact our Pantry Coordinator to volunteer at:**  
[shephopepantry@gmail.com](mailto:shephopepantry@gmail.com)

### UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

**PROPERTY TEAM Monday, September 19, 6:30pm.**

**WELCA ANNA ESTHER CIRCLE Wednesday, September 21 10am.** Ladies of the church, come join us for study, fellowship & fun. Contact Pat Lyman, 865-675-2189.

**THE ART OF WORSHIP YOUTH GROUP Wednesday, September 21, 6-7:30pm.** All ages are welcome to bring a snack to share and to join us for a big activity!

**CHURCH COUNCIL Thursday, September 22.**  
**Executive Team meets 6pm, Council, 6:30pm.**

**FAITH SERVES KARM Saturday, September 24, noon.**  
 Please sign up to cook or serve.

**SALVATION ARMY MEN'S & WOMEN'S SHELTER VISITS Tuesday, September 27, 5:30pm.** We'll take your gifts of snacks and goodies, along with needed items of men's boxer briefs m, l, xl, and women's underwear sizes 6-11.

**BLESSING OF THE PETS SATURDAY, October 1, 10am.**  
 Meet us in the Angel Garden with your favorite furry, finny or fuzzy little friend to receive an individual blessing!

### WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

#### 11:11am Contemporary

<b>Altar Guild</b>	Connie Rist
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Lisa Stelter, Cortlyn Titsworth, Cadence Titsworth, Scarlett Parrott, Jack Parrott
<b>Greeter</b>	Jamie Daut
<b>Ushers</b>	Nelson Titsworth, David Wyatt
<b>Offering Stewards</b>	Gary Dakolios, George Herbold

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Offerings last Sunday: \$ 8,822  
 Offerings Year to Date \$ 418,704  
 Walk by Faith through 8/31 \$ 727,120



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## PRAYER CONCERNS

**MEMBERS:** Shaun Allred, Arlene Aring, Doug Bales, Barbara Barass, Peggy Beckwith, Mary Blackburn, Dee Bumpers, Amy Canapa, Mac Curtis, Patsy Elmore, Kim Fransch, Pat & Nick Gary, Mary Beth & Alex Greene, Mary Beth Hallahan, Maret & Leo Hebert, Joan Howard, Tami Jansen, Larry Koran, Jr., Carmen Larsen, Diane Lee, Roger Legako, Kris Lehman, Foster Loyacano, Bill Lucas, Heather McDonald, Joe Morelli, Judy Morris, Walter Paquet, Scarlett Parrott, Harold Peters, Loni Peters, Lois Simmons, Donnie & Lisa Smith & family, Bobbie Steele, Paul Turner, Jim Van Deusen, Danny Willis.

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**WELCOMING JOY:** Mac Curtis to church membership.

**SALVATION ARMY FRIENDS:** Shamus, Dwayne, Daniel, D.J., Bill, Jake, Eddie, Jay, Mike, Darryl, John, Leo, John, Kevin, Ronnie.

**COMFORT IN THE MIDST OF DEATH:** Teresa Snyder, Frank Monteagudo, William A. "Dewey" Beard, Patricia Ellis, Dorothy Paquet, Jaqueline Kreider

**CONCERN & ASSISTANCE:** The people of Ukraine. Flood Victims.

**PARTNERSHIPS:** Bishop Eaton & the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Bishop Strickland & the Southeastern Synod; Alicia & David Brondos, Missionaries in Mexico; Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry; Quiet Music Ministry; Tyson House; Deacon Ministry; Knox Area Rescue Ministry; Via de Cristo Ministry; Salvation Army Women's & Men's Homeless Shelters; Community Coalition Against Human Trafficking; Cole Center Caregivers and Parkinson Band, RAISE Jamaica; Mercy Ships, AL-ANON, Narcotics Anonymous.

**PEACE:** Protection for all armed forces, especially: Jacob Cole, Andrew Chovancek, Adam Di Giovanni, Tyler Hitter, H.M., Anthony Hu, Julianne LeFevre-Kerr, Chase Linell, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Alex Serrano, Sam Thompson, Mitchell Yount, Greg Zager.



## COMMUNITY OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

**NO COST BEDS & BEDDING FOR CHILDREN** [www.shpbeds.org/chapter/tn-knoxville-nw](http://www.shpbeds.org/chapter/tn-knoxville-nw)

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT RECOVERY GROUP & MEAL** Magnolia Ave UMC, 6-8pm. Pastor Jackson, 865-300-9021.

**FREE LEGAL ADVICE FOR VETERANS** Legal Aid of East TN, 865-637-0484, call to register.

## 2022 COUNCIL MEMBERS

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## WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 18-25, 2022

### Sunday, September 18 15th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00am Traditional Worship  
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*  
10:15am Confirmation  
Adult Sunday School *The Cup*  
Children's Sunday School  
Praise Team Rehearsal  
11:11am Contemporary Worship  
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*

### Monday, September 19

3-6pm Food Pantry open  
6:30pm Property Team Meeting

### Tuesday, September 20

1:30pm Bible Study Small Group *The Cup*  
6:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
6:30pm Spirituality Book Group *library*  
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

### Wednesday, September 21

9am-noon Food Pantry Stocking *The Cup*  
10:00am WELCA Anna Esther Circle  
11:00am AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
3:00pm Staff Meeting  
5:15pm Bell Choir Rehearsal  
6-7:30pm The Art of Worship Youth Group  
6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 22

6:00pm Executive Council Team meeting  
6:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
6:30pm Church Council meeting  
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

### Friday, September 23

9am-noon Food Pantry Stocking *The Cup*  
9:30am Cole Center Caregiver Community  
*Cryroom & Library*

### Saturday, September 24

11:00am AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
Noon Faith Serves KARM

### Sunday, September 25 16th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00am Traditional Worship  
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*  
10:15am Confirmation  
Adult Sunday School *The Cup*  
Children's Sunday School  
Praise Team Rehearsal  
11:11am Contemporary Worship  
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*

## PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK

**Monday** Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 9:12-26; Acts 4:1-12. ▪ **Tuesday** Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 10:1-16; 1 Corinthians 9:19-23.

**Wednesday** Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 10:17-25; Luke 20:45-21:4.

**Thursday** Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 23:9-22; 2 Corinthians 8:8-15.

**Friday** Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 23:23-32; Ephesians 2:1-10. ▪ **Saturday** Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 24:1-10; Luke 9:43b-48.

**16th Sunday after Pentecost** Amos 6:1a,4-7; Psalm 146; 1 Timothy 6:6-19; Luke 16:19-31.