# At Cross of Calvary - Week of June 29

PRATERS OF HEALING & STRENGTH				
<b>Prayer for</b>	Submitted by	Prayer for	Submitted by	
Leslie Sagedahl	D Sagedahl	Diana Adkins	B Hennen	
Vonna Ledeboer	M Hausken	Athena Serbus-Kruger	S Grasmon	
Jean Stadtherr	A Boen	Alex Jacobs	B Nelson	
Ginny Faiman	E Julius	Maddie Travers	K Barta	
Wayne Harguth	S Bratsch	Joyce Lindgren	S Alton	
Kathy Miller	L Blem	Charlie Scheider	family	
Bethel Fahse	M Hausken	Alvina Beckman	S Grasmon	
Jeff Jansen	N Johnson			
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#### **PRAYERS OF HEALING & STRENGTH**

Paraguay Missionaries – The Kevin and Rebekah Howell family

#### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

For the ladies who fold, seal and label the Follower.

Sun Mon	Worship Library reserved	<b>9am</b> 6-8pm	SAVE THE DATE
Tues Thurs	Men's Bible Study Office is closed	6:15, 7:00am	COMING
Fri	NO Evening Worship Holiday – Building and office are closed		
Sun	Worship	9:am	

#### Communion - July 6, 17, 20

July 12 and 19	Showers / FH
July 14	Kitchen reserved
July 15	Stingers game
July 23	Ecumenical Worship in the park
July 24	No Thurs worship
August 2	Pastor returns

### Sabbatical

Pastor's sabbatical runs through August 1. For emergencies, please contact

- Laurie cell 320-522-1199
- Chelsey cell 320-522-3279



# Your Church Mailbox may have MOVED!!

Your box is above your name.

**The Prayer Garden** is in need of two 5 or 6 foot metal trellises. And pulling weeds is backbreaking...a donation of a gallon of generic "Round Up" would be greatly appreciated.

Today's VOLUNTEERS Communion 9:00—A Thompson Ushers 9:00 — B Miller, M/E Iverson, C Hanson Altar Guild N Hague, J Wogen, B Hennen

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July VOLUNTEERS Communion 9:00—N Johnson Ushers 9:00 — J Jandl, W Stucke, D Revier Altar Guild S Larson, A Dietrich, S Iverson

**Note to all Sunday volunteers:** As a courtesy to all those who volunteer alongside you, please try to find a fill-in whenever you are unable to be at church to serve as an usher, reader, acolyte or to serve communion.

## Commandments to Honor Others June 29, 2014, Exodus 20:12-16

**Key Verse:** "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor." Ex 20:16

Time: 1289 BCE

**Background:** Commandments four through eight teach people how to behave toward one another so that people can live in community. If these commandments were followed, by treating each other ethically, with kindness, respect, and mercy, people could live their daily lives safely, and free of fear.

By honoring others, specifically father and mother, God indicates the result may be lengthening of days. It seems as though honoring others is good for us, too.

These commandments ask people to honor many aspects of relationships including family, life itself, sexuality, possessions, and reputation. The

breaking of any of these commandments would damage the livelihood or living conditions of the people who depend upon these things for survival. If a providing family member is murdered, possessions stolen, or reputation ruined, one's livelihood might be destroyed. These commandments, if followed, ensure that all people are provided for.

**Community:** How are the social systems in your community designed to support the livelihoods of all the people within your community? Where are there gaps? How could you work to fill some of those gaps?

At Home: Who in your life is in need of your attention or care? Is the need physical or emotional? Does it involve reconciliation? What could you do this week to reach out to the person/people who need your attention?

## **Read This Week:**

Monday, Jun 30, Exodus 21:1-11, *The Law concerning Slaves* Tuesday, Jul 1, Exodus 21:12-27, *The Law concerning Violence* Wednesday, Jul 2, Exodus 21:28-36, *Laws concerning Property* Thursday, Jul 3, Exodus 22:1-15, *Laws of Restitution* Friday, Jul 4, Exodus 22:16-31, *Social and Religious Laws* Saturday, Jul 5, Exodus 23:1-9, *Justice for All* 



Deadline for the bulletin is Wednesday by noon.

## Welcome to Worship at Cross of Calvary

Cross of Calvary is the ELCA church in town. We are an intergenerational (fancy word for young and old) community that follows Jesus out the building to where we live. We are all learners (disciples) here. This is a safe place to practice worship. And, believe us, it takes practice. Your questions, critical thinking, doubts and imperfect lives are welcome here. No matter your status in society (young, old, never-been-to-church, conservative, liberal, married, divorced, single, cranky, questioning, allergic-to-church...) you'll fit right in. Welcome!

Participation -

- Bold type means all of us read or pray together. Out loud.
- Regular type means the pastor or leader reads. Out loud.
- Italic type is meant to highlight helpful instructions.

Announcements – Prior to worship, please hand a note to Pastor with any announcements, including prayer requests.

Prayer requests for the Bulletin – Please fill out a request card and drop it in the offering plate to ensure your request gets to the office.

Bathrooms – They are located in the hallway to the left of the stairs.

Exit Strategy – Nervous to stand in line and talk to the pastor? Just introverted enough that you'd like to slip away? Ok. Slip out the side door. No one will be offended, really. We hope you met someone today, but not at the risk of fleeing in fright from too much attention.

Who to see, ask, share -

- Matt Hausken, Pastor
- Chelsey Plumley, Minister of Faith Formation
- Laurie Schultze, Office Administrator



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Today's musician – Casey Berg