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TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 11 - 10:00 AM

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Please silence all mobile devices in order to maintain reverence.
Before the service, talk to God. During the service, listen as God talks to you.
After the service, talk to one another.

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Holy Communion is celebrated in the confession and confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his true body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor.

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HYMN 510

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INTROIT *Sing in unison* *Isaiah 61:10; antiphon: Psalm 146:2*



I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;*
I will sing praises to my God while I have my | being.
I will greatly rejoice | in the LORD;*
my soul shall exult | in my God,
for he has clothed me with the garments of sal- | vation;*
he has covered me with the robe of | righteousness,
as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful | headdress,*
and as a bride adorns herself | with her jewels.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;*
I will sing praises to my God while I have my | being.

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HYMN OF PRAISE *This is the Feast* P. 155

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Almighty God, You invite us to trust in You for our salvation. Deal with us not in the severity of Your judgment but by the greatness of Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Isaiah 25:6-9*

He will command his angels con- | cerning you*
to guard you in | all your ways.
Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*
and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

EPISTLE READING		Philippians 4:4-13
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PRAYERS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers for the Homebound: Brenda Bell, Patricia Bodi, Theresa Burch, Marilyn Collier, Paul DeGarmo, Jackie Eichelberger, Judy Evans, Larry Pohlada, Elaine Rubke

Sick: Mandy Goeglein

Medical Treatment: Beryl Cotter, Sherri Hardy, Diana Hendy, Cathy Leinhos, Lowell Mark, Hank Perez, Pastor Roberts, Louise Urness

Medical Testing: Kathy Barton

Recovery: Mike Barton, Tim Bee, Andy Brown, Toni Lange, Robin Somers, Carol Varley, The Youngblood family

Expecting: Pastor & Abby DeForest and their unborn child.

Those Who Mourn: The death of David Bunting, who fell asleep in Jesus.

Useful Employment: Aaron Ashworth

Seminary Students: Vicar Nathan Demlow, Paul Mroczenski

Altar Flower chart has multiple openings.

Altar Candle for October is placed to the glory of God by Jacy Krogh in memory of Dian Krogh.

Sunday Bible Class, 8:45 a.m., *Reading Ramblings*

Thursday Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. *Genesis*

Q3 Missions: Luther Classical College, Lutheran Heritage Foundation, Rev. Jonathan Anderson, Panama.

Sign up in the Parish Hall for the congregational dinner.

Rally for Life: Stand up for the unborn, October 17, 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. in front of Enloe Hospital, 1531 Esplanade, Chico, CA 959286. All are welcome! Peaceful & Respectful.

Roofing project will be complete Friday, October 16.
Pastor will be away at the District Pastors' Conference October 12 & 13 in Rocklin, CA.
We appreciate the ongoing work of our handyman, Les Vandervelden, who has worked on several projects including window replacements, door and exterior trim. Thanks, Les.
HVAC replacement in the main church was completed by Alternative Heating and Air, Tom Vierra. The new system is quiet and efficient as it maintains a comfortable temperature. A job well done.
The Funeral for David Bunting will be Friday, October 16th at 12:00 noon. Reception and Committal will follow.

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Today	TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - PHILIP THE DEACON	
	8:45 AM	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
	10:00 AM	Divine Service
	11:00 AM	Fellowship
12 Mon	Pastor @ District Conference - Rocklin, CA	
13 Tue	Pastor @ District Conference - Rocklin, CA	
14 Wed		
15 Thu	9:30 AM	Bible Class
16 Fri	Pastor's Day Off	
17 Sat	IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, PASTOR AND MARTYR	
18 Sun	TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - ST. LUKE	
	8:45 AM	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
	10:00 AM	Divine Service
	11:00 AM	Fellowship

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Acolytes:	Aaron Ashworth, Yuhuan Wenslaff	
Altar Preparation:	Bonnie Hunt, Theisa Martin, Linda Rean, Louise Urness	
Deacon of the Month	Fred Sherman	
Counter	Pat Lillie	
Organists	David Bunting, Jay Erwin	
Attendance:	73	
Income:	(through September 30 Inc. 101,000 from RLC)	255,476.47
Expenses:	(through September 30)	238,104.37
Net Income:	(through September 30)	17,372.10
Available Balance:	(through September 30)	91,452.23