

Sunday, May 1, 2022
Second Sunday after Easter

Sing to the Lord a new song: sing to the Lord, all the earth. Ascribe to the Lord the glory of His name; bring an offering, and come into His courts. Worship the Lord in holy attire; tremble before Him, all the earth.
Psalm 96:1,8,9

Prelude

Welcome

Communion (in seats)

Hymn #181 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Scripture Readings: I Timothy 1:3-7 Hebrews 10:19-25

Confession of Faith- Nicene Creed

Pastoral Prayer

"Confidence" "Burdens" "I Surrender All"

Children dismissed for Children's Church

Sermon- "A Warning Concerning Teachers"
James 3:1-2

Benediction

Hymn #248 "On Our Way Rejoicing"

Postlude

There are offering boxes as you enter/exit the sanctuary for your tithes and offerings.

Helmar Lutheran Church

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***Standing on the Word of God,
Lifting Up Jesus Christ, Ministering to One Another***

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This Week at Helmar...

- Wed. 6:30am Men's Bible Study @ Southern Belle's
2pm Afternoon Bible Study
4-6:30pm After School Youth Group
6:30pm Prayer Meeting
6:30pm H.S. Bible Study, JAM & BLAST
- Fri. 9:00am Ladies Prayer Hour
- Sat. 8:00am Men's Bible Study
- Sun. 8:30am Fellowship Time
9:00am Sunday School
10am Worship

Please keep the following Confirmation students in your prayers as they confess their faith in Jesus on May 15th. Hannah Greven and Sam Niles.



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A WARNING CONCERNING TEACHERS
James 3:1-2

In this section, we hear the cry of James’ heart expressing concern about people wanting to teach. He provides more than advice. He issues a command in the form of a warning.

I. The Strong _____ v. 1a

II. The Strong _____
vv. 1b-2

1. It is needed because of the _____
_____ v. 1b

2. It is needed because of the _____
_____ v. 2a

3. It is needed because of the _____
_____ v. 2b

Announcements

Helmar Palooza—There has been \$10,000 offered in matching funds for the 2022 Helmar Palooza. This was a great outreach last year and Lord willing this year as well. If you would like to give, please write any checks out to Helmar Lutheran Church and put “Palooza” in the memo, or give on-line at helmarpalooza.com.

Graduates- If anyone knows of someone from Helmar graduating from high school or college, please let the office know ASAP. An email to the church would be best. Thanks!

In observance of **National Day of Prayer**, we will be having a Prayer Meeting on Wednesday, May 4th at 6:30 in the basement.

Spring Clean Up- There is a sign up at the Welcome Center for anyone interested in having the youth come help you with spring clean up.

CARE PACKAGES - We are gathering together a small military Bible (arriving soon) to send to our service persons listed in our bulletin. Feedback has been that the servicepersons enjoy the SS kids artwork, coloring pictures and/or written Bible verses as truly special and appreciate when it is included. Adults, please stop in the FLC lobby to sign your words of encouragement and support at the table for each serviceperson. Please do so within the next couple Sundays. Thank You!

Worship Choir News- For the 175th Anniversary celebration we plan to sing “Wonderful Grace of Jesus” on June 12, during the Sunday morning service in the sanctuary. Rehearsals will be Sunday, May 29 at 4pm in the basement and Sunday, June 5 at 4pm in the sanctuary. Bring a friend and let’s have a big turnout!

Family & Youth Bible Camp

July 24-28

Registration deadline for a free t-shirt is May 1st! \$10 late fee after May 1st.

Theme— Strength, Psalm 73:26

Speakers:

Evening— Tim Badal

Adults— Marshall Johnson

Steve Lombardo, Jr.

High School— Micah Fesdall

Phil Chapman

Middle School— Tyler Wiesbrook

Matt Gauss

Remember— Our church council has once again approved helping with camp expenses. Your out-of-pocket cost will be \$75 per camper for the week with a cap of \$150 per family. This is a significant savings. Contact Kristen M. or Tyler W. so they can coordinate payment through the church.

COOKBOOKS have arrived and will be on sale after church in the FLC lobby. These cookbooks have some tasty recipes. We have prepared a few meals with delicious results. Included in the cookbooks are the church history, a few special photos and over 300+ recipes. Give a cookbook as a gift to family and friends and remember to purchase one for yourself. **The cookbooks are \$10 each.** If issuing a check, please write the check to HLC and in the memo indicate "cookbook". If you are purchasing a group of cookbooks, we can have them ready for you for pick up. Please contact either Linda M. or Tina C. with any large orders or questions.

Softball-Now up to bat you! This summer there will be Sunday afternoon slow pitch softball starting at 11. Sign up in the family life center if you are interested!

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