

Adult Bible Study Invitation ~ "Meeting the Spirit"
Learn how the Spirit works in our lives. A guide will be provided to each person at **no cost**. Please contact the church office by October 12th if you would like to join this study.

If you have any extra produce from your gardens this summer, share your donation(s) with a family in need. Fresh produce should be dropped off a half hour prior to pantry hours to ensure fresh quality to local families. Mondays: 5-7 pm and Thursdays: 2-4 pm
Thank you!



OCTOBER REQUESTS

Soup

Pasta

Pasta sauce

Monetary donations accepted always



Music 10:15 am
Class 10:30 to 11:15 am



CHILDREN'S MESSAGE/LESSON

Seeking members second Sunday of each month to share God's message with our children. See clipboard in entryway.

TRANSITION PRAYER GROUP/TEAM

All members can join the prayer group/team following worship every Sunday morning in the sanctuary praying for the call committee, council, staff and Pastor Phil Jorgensen as he provides pulpit supply.

WAYNE ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

October 4, 2026

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Pastor: Phil Jorgensen

Ministers: All Members

INTRODUCTION

In today's gospel reading, Jesus tells a vineyard parable, which serves as an image of Israel, the prophets' mission, and Christ's death. For Christians, the vineyard also speaks of God's love poured out in the blood of Christ, given to us for the forgiveness of sin. Grafted onto Christ the vine at baptism, we are nourished with wine and bread so that we may share Christ's sufferings and know the power of his resurrection.

** Denotes the invitation to stand as you are able*

GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP Congregation Choice

Pete Temple, accompanist
, acolyte

*** CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

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GREETING and Kyrie

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Canticle of Praise

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Today's Readings Insert

WORD

FIRST READING Isaiah 5:1-7

Annette Smith, lector

Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 80:7-15 the congregation will speak the bold verses

SECOND READING Philippians 3:4b-14

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*** GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

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*** GOSPEL Matthew 21: 33-49**

Glory to You, O Lord.

Praise to You, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Christ, the Life of All the Living PD

ELW 339

APOSTLES' CREED

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PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

PEACE

MEAL

NOISY COIN OFFERING

* OFFERTORY *We Are an Offering*

ELW 692

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

* GREAT THANKSGIVING

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* *Holy, Holy, Holy*

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* WORDS OF INSTITUTION

* LORD'S PRAYER

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INVITATION & DISTRIBUTION *All who are baptized and believe Jesus is present in this meal and God nourishes our faith, forgives our sin, and calls us to be witnesses to the Gospel are invited to come forward to receive the bread and the wine. Gluten free wafers and white grape juice are available. Those who wish to receive a blessing may also come forward with arms folded.*

LAMB OF GOD

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

*BLESSING

SENDING SONG

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross PD

ELW 803

DISMISSAL

Go out in joy. Be led forth in peace.

Thanks be to God.

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**Today's radio broadcast, heard on KMCH 94.7 at 10:30 am,
is given by Rhonda Michels in memory of Ron Borkgren.**

Prayer Requests

Family of Janet Monk, who died Friday morning, Bill Wagner, who died Sept. 27, relative of Doug Adams family, Judy Freese, JJ Pauli, extended family member of Kraig Dirks, John Blessman, friend of John Lacock's, Ivan Eden, Ron Andreesen, Merwyn Scheckel, Carlene Sievertsen's husband, Junelle Benter, Mark Hein, Carol and Glenn Hein, John Leytem, Shawn's dad, Sharon Hall, Kay Kuhns, Linda Siebels, Kalinda Stadtmueller, Sandy Jensen, Stephen Ministers and their care receivers and others we name in our hearts and known to our Lord who suffer.

Military: Zach Yates and Dalton Holub

HAPPENINGS AT WAYNE ZION

October 5	1:00 pm Staff Meeting
October 6	12:00 pm Senior Dining
October 7	9:00 am Days for Girls 6:00 pm Confirmation and Youth Group 6:45 pm Bell Choir
October 8	9:00 am Jones County Moms 6:30 pm Table Talk @ Lubben's Winery
October 11	8:00 am Bible Study 9:00 am Communion Service 10:15 am Children's Music 10:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Adult Choir
October 12	1:00 pm Staff Meeting
October 13	7:00 pm Council Meeting
October 14	6:00 pm Confirmation and Youth Group 6:45 pm Bell Choir
October 15	9:00 am Useful Hands

Items needed

- bars/cookies
- Breads
- jams/jellies
- Snack mix
- Or whatever your speciality might be!

