Peace Ev. Lutheran Church

Central Avenue at 171st Place
Oak Forest, Illinois 60452
Rev. David T. Mensing, Pastor

Seventh Sunday after Trinity

July 14, 2024

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Hymn 369: "All Mankind Fell in Adam's Fall

Opening Liturgy – Order of Service, Hymnal, p. 5ff.

The Epistle Lesson: Romans 6:19-23

The Gospel Lesson: Mark 8:1-9

The Apostles' Creed (Hymnal, p. 12)

Hymn 295: "The Law of God Is Good and Wise"

The Sermon – Portion of the Epistle: Romans 6:23

Theme: The Knowledge of Sin and Its Wages
Is Indispensable for the True Appreciation of the Gospel.
I. Man's sin merits death!
II. God's grace gives life!

The Offering "to prove the sincerity of your love." *(II Corinthians 8:8)*

The General Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn 293: "O Holy Spirit, Grant Us Grace!"

Collect for the Church *Congregation: "Amen."*

The Benediction of the Lord *Congregation: "Amen, Amen, Amen!"*

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Announcements for the Week

*For spiritual care during the week, particularly in case of serious illness or emergency, please call Pastor Mensing at his **study**, **(708) 532-4288**, at **home** at the parsonage, **(708) 532-9035**, or on his **cell phone**, **(708) 601-3943**.*

***VISITORS** are always welcome to attend our services. Please register in our Guest Book, and leave also your address and telephone number if you would like our Pastor to contact you further. And please come again!*

TODAY, July 14th — Following the service, our **Fellowship Potluck Luncheon** served by our dear ladies, and thereafter (at 2:00 p.m.) our **Regular Voters' Meeting** for July. All our men should be present, please. (*Constitution* Article 3, Section 2; and Article 7, Section 3)

— 3:30 p.m., **Sunday School Teachers' Meeting**

Our Pastor's Schedule this week:

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. are the Pastor's regular **"Office Hours"** in Oak Forest. Unless he is running an errand, attending a meeting elsewhere, making a pastoral call at a hospital or nursing home, or is out to lunch, he will normally be "on site." However, if you need to see him in person, it always pays to call first. His **cell phone** is always on.

In addition…

All Confirmation Classes are in their summer *hiatus* until the middle of August (approximately). Look for an announcement about their resumption.

Saturday, July 20th **Pastor's Preparation Time for Sunday**

Next Sunday, July 21st **Eighth Sunday after Trinity**

— 9:30 a.m., **Sunday School** and **Adult Bible Class** for ALL.

—11:00 a.m., **The Divine Worship Service** also for all.

—Following the service, **Adult Instruction** w. Eric Klawitter

— 3:30 p.m., **Sunday School Teachers' Meeting**

A Blessed Week to All of You!