# Think About It

"The dearest idol I have known, whate're that idol be, Help me to tear it from Thy throne and worship only Thee." Hymn: "Walking with God" by William Cowper

# **Meaning of Communion**

Today we come together to receive the body and blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. As the apostle Paul taught his church, whoever eats the bread and drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. (1 Corinthians 11:17-34)

\*Why do we say the <u>words of institution</u> regarding communion? To institute something is to start or establish something. The Words of Institution are words by which Jesus started and established His Supper. This is also when the real presence of Christ comes into the elements of bread and wine.

A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself. May we prepare through forgiveness and repentance to receive communion in a worthy and God honoring manner.

\*<u>Challenge</u>: Pray and give to the Lord 9% or more and experience the goodness and faithfulness of God. ~100% of what we have is the Lord's~

# I Have Hidden Your Word Psalm 119:11

As for God, his way is perfect; the word of the Lord is flawless. He is a shield for all who take refuge in him. Psalm 18:30

If you would like to send Ruth Sunne a card, use the following address: Mary Lee

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# **Pilot Knob Lutheran Church**

# Where Truth is Discovered!

"Aching Achan"



Preaching God's inerrant Word since 1875-2023

Welcome to our Service

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Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

July 2, 2023 9:00 AM

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#### Pilot Knob's Purpose Statement

Worship God and proclaim His Word so people will experience salvation through Jesus, mature in the faith and equip all to serve in the church and world.

Pianist Val Johanson Welcome/Announcements

\*Opening Hymn Battle Hymn of the Republic (Vs 1,3,4,5) **#804** \*Opening prayer

First Lesson	Joshua 7:1-26	Pew Bible 213
Second Lesson	Romans 7:1-13	Pew Bible 1117
*Hymn	Holy Spirit, Thou Art Welcome	#387
*Gospel Lesson	Matthew 10:34-42	Pew Bible 965
*Hymn	And Can It Be?	#347

SERMON	Aching Achan	

	Overhead
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#### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

All those who confess Jesus as their Lord and Savior are welcome at His table.

*Words of Institution		Back of Hymnal
*Hymn	Grace Greater than Our Sin (Vs 1)	#344
Distribution Hymns		#295, 300, 358
*Post Communion Response		Overhead
*Closing Prayer		
*Benediction		
*Closing Hymn	The Star-Spangled Banner	#802
Postlude		

# Welcome to Pilot Knob Lutheran Church

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Pilot Knob Lutheran Church, AALC. We pray that your worship here this morning will be uplifting and help you better understand the relationship we have with God through Jesus Christ.

If you have any questions about receiving Jesus by faith and beginning a relationship with God, please speak with the person who invited you, another member of the congregation or the Pastor before you leave this morning. We will be happy to help you discover the truth about starting a new life with Jesus today! Once again, welcome and may God richly bless our time here this day.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

• Sunday July 9, 9am- Morning worship

Sermon: Aching Achan part 2

### PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING

Sandy Smith, Carolyn (Sue's sister – cancer), Izola, Dr. Cary Larson (AALC) Pastor & family, Pr. Scott Yount (Ukraine), President, Israel, Police, Government, Economy, AALC, persecuted Christians, Luke & Ruth Schroeder (WMPL; Philippines), Care center: Deanna Jordan

Serving This Sunday	Serving Next Sunday	
Greeters: Steve/Jan	Greeters: Michelle/Marty	
Reader: Nick	Reader: Matt	
Ushers: Joel/Danny	Ushers: Joel/Danny	
Sound/Computer: Donna/Greg Communion Asst: Sarah	Sound: Computer: Rachel/Don	