

### **Think About It**

Better to admit you walked through the wrong door than to spend your life in the wrong room.

### **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 words of institution 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.*

\***Challenge:** Pray and give to the Lord 10% 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**

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. 1 Peter 2:9

# Pilot Knob Lutheran Church

*Where Truth is Discovered!*

“The Word & Righteousness”



Preaching God's inerrant Word since 1875-2025

Welcome to our  
Service

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# Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

August 10, 2025 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 Sheryl Albertson

Welcome/Announcements

\*Opening Hymns We Will Glorify **#301**  
Above All Overhead

Opening prayer

First Lesson Genesis 15:1-6  
Epistle Lesson Hebrews 11:1-16  
\*Hymn Thy Word **#184**  
\*Gospel Lesson Luke 12:22-34

\*Hymn Lamb of God **#302**

### **SERMON The Word & Righteousness**

\*Nicene Creed Overhead

Offering

\*Offertory O Bless The Gifts Overhead

\*Confession & Absolution Overhead

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*All those who are baptized, confess Jesus Christ as Savior and believe in the real presence of Christ are welcome to receive His body and blood for the forgiveness of sins.*

\*Words of Institution Back of Hymnal

\*Hymn And Can It Be? Vs. 1 **#347**

Distribution Hymns **#479 Vss. 1-3, 649, 576, 644**

\*Post Communion Response Overhead

\*Closing Prayer

\*Benediction

\*Closing Hymn Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

Overhead

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

- Tuesday August 12- 5:45pm Deacons meeting  
6:30pm Council meeting
- Sunday, August 17- 9am Morning Worship service  
Sermon: Dr. Cary Larson

### PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING

Spiritual awakening, 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary, Dr. Cary Larson (AALC), Luke & Ruth Schroeder (WMPL; Philippines), Pastor & family, President, Israel, Police, Government, Economy, AALC, persecuted Christians, Families

### Serving This Sunday

### Serving Next Sunday

Greeters: Jeff/Donna

Greeters: Elsie/Marty

Reader: Nick

Reader: Angie

Usher: Ben/Nick

Usher: Ben/Nick

Sound/Computer: Devon/Donna

Sound/Computer: Brandon/Rachel

Custodians: Angie/Billy

Acolyte: Kinsley

Communion Asst: Don Reese

Custodians: Angie/Billy

Acolyte: Ella