

MARK 9:33-37, 10:13-16

**OCTOBER 25**

CELEBRATION  
CENTER

*Let your  
light  
shine*  
(MATT. 5:14)

LIVE • LOVE • LEAD  
*like Jesus*

**ON BROADWAY**

**October 25, 2020: Celebration Worship**  
***Live, Love, Lead Like Jesus on Broadway***

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**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OPENING PRAYER**

**SONG:** Let It Rise

**SONG:** God Of Wonders

**SCRIPTURE:** Psalm 46

**CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

**SONG:** Psalm 62 (Only In God)

**VIDEO:** I'll Need You

**SCRIPTURE:** Mark 9:33-37, 10:13-16

**MESSAGE:** Pastor Marty Tollefson

**SONG:** Revelation Song

**MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT:**

*Third Grade Bibles and new online  
resources for Christian education*

**OFFERING:**

Thank you for your new or continued generosity towards God's mission at First Lutheran Church. While we worship online, our stewardship continues. Offerings can be mailed to the church office and we also encourage you to use our online giving and texting options. See the last page of the bulletin or our website [flcfargo.org](http://flcfargo.org) for details.

**SPECIAL MUSIC:** Jesus Loves Me

**PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**BLESSING/BENEDICTION:** The Blessing

**SENDING SONG:** Everlasting God

L: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

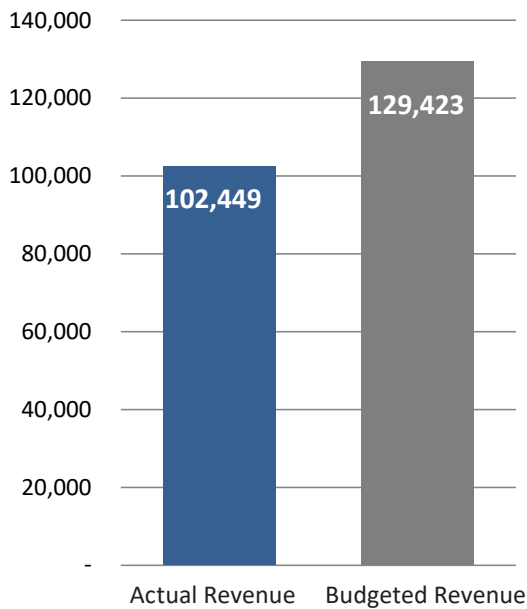
**C: Thanks be to God!**

***Worship has ended. Now service begins.***

# GENEROSITY REPORT



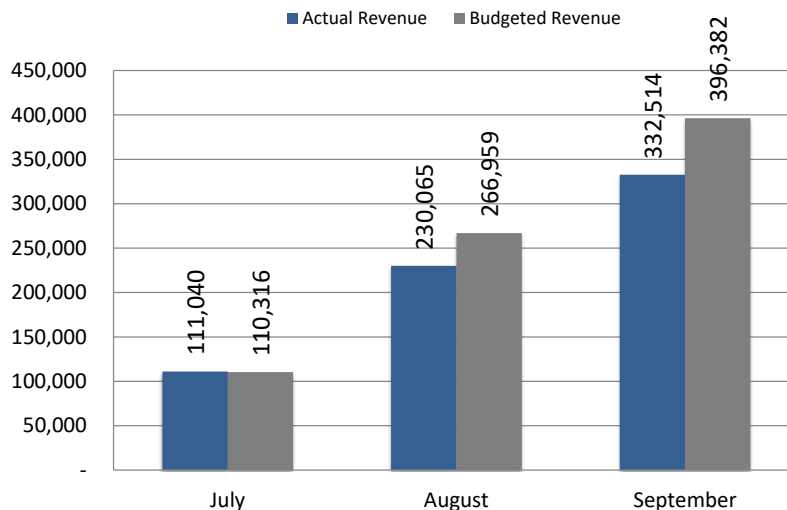
## FLC SEPTEMBER STEWARDSHIP



## SEPTEMBER MEMORIALS

- In Memory of Marjorie Torkelson**  
for Music from Richard & Gail Grabow
- In Memory of Don Nettum**  
for Helping Hands from Bernice Wadeson  
for Helping Hands from Dave & Becky Anderson  
for Helping Hands from Jeffrey & Christina Athy  
for Helping Hands from Larry & Connie Swanson  
for Foundation from Myron & Juliet Thoreson  
for Helping Hands from Vern Almlie & Glenda Sanford
- In Memory of Evelyn Finsness**  
for Cathedral Choir from Betty Onstad  
for Music from Richard & Gail Grabow
- In Memory of Karen Kerns (Mother of Kim Forness)**  
for Samaritan from Rob & Karla Lyngstad
- In Memory of Louis Larson**  
for Radio from Vern Almlie & Glenda Sanford
- In Memory of Odin Dahl**  
for Cathedral Choir from Vern Almlie & Glenda Sanford
- In Memory of Shirley Tietz**  
for Quilters from Dave & Becky Anderson

## STEWARDSHIP CONTRIBUTIONS FY 2020-21 GENERAL FUND





FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH  
INSPIRE. EQUIP. REACH.

October 21, 2020

Dear First Lutheran,

We are reminded of these words from the Apostle Paul,

*“What are we to say about these things?”*



Last week, on October 14, we learned that Cass County, along with fifteen other counties, were moved into the high-risk category for the first time during this pandemic. This move came with the “strongest possible recommendation” that venues limit their occupancy to 25% and large gatherings with no more than 50 people. The significant rise in cases along with the 50-person capacity makes it difficult to sustain in-person worship for the foreseeable future. Therefore, in consultation with leadership, we have decided to move solely to our online platform for Worship and Christian Education.

We will, for the foreseeable future, also suspend in-person gatherings and meetings at the church except for funerals and scheduled weddings. Both must stay below the 50-person capacity and follow our COVID-19 guidelines. We will continue to prayerfully monitor the COVID-19 situation with our council and staff and adhere to the guidelines of the CDC along with our elected officials. We invite you to check our website for the latest ministry opportunities.

We borrow once again Paul’s question, “What are we to say about these things?” A good answer today might not be the best answer tomorrow. So much uncertainty, and yet, Paul was convinced that nothing can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus. Nothing! Paul was no stranger to uncertainty, disruption, and suffering. Through it all...he was a follower of Jesus *in* this world. He forged ahead not because he knew the future, but because, Jesus promised that he would always be there. Nothing can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus!

We are in this together and we will get through this together....

Blessings,

Pastors Steph and Marty



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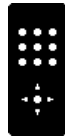
During the COVID-19/Coronavirus response, in-person worship at First Lutheran Church is suspended. However, we will broadcast worship on radio, television and online as noted below. Please join us for worship to praise Jesus and to stay connected as a faith community.



## ONLINE STREAMING

### ([flcfargo.org](http://flcfargo.org) & Facebook):

- Traditional Worship, Sundays, 9 a.m.
- Contemporary Worship, Sundays, 10:30 a.m.



## TELEVISION:

- Fargo channels, Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.; and Sundays 1:30 p.m. (Midco 68, Sparklight 1068)
- Moorhead channels, Tuesdays, 7 p.m.; and Sundays 5 p.m. (Midco 99, Sparklight 69)



## RADIO:

- Sundays, 9 a.m., WDAY 970 AM and 93.1 FM

## SUPPORT FIRST LUTHERAN MINISTRIES:



**ONLINE GIVING:** [www.flcfargo.org](http://www.flcfargo.org) (click "Donate Now" in the quick links)



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## RADIO BROADCAST MEMORIAL:

Today's radio broadcast is given in loving memory of **Jeff Rye**, from Shannon.

## CELEBRATE PRAYER:

We as God's people believe in the power of prayer. Please pray for the following who have asked to be prayed for publicly: *Winnie Brostrom, Michelle Reitan, Rick Fuller, Brenda Cummins, Amy Carey, Betty Mausbach-Jevne, Wes Briggs, Lisa Kunkel, Lona Binder-Hermanson, Gail Zimprich, Kathy Otheim, Jim Frisk, Ann Brown, and Steve Brown.*

The sympathy and prayers of First Lutheran are offered to the family and friends of **Marjorie Johnston**, mother of Lisa Soggie; **Ronald Bucholz**, father of Charles Bucholz, and father-in-law of Maureen Bucholz; and **Leatrice Eik**, wife of Robert Eik.

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