



# Midweek Message

## 45+45 WORSHIP + SERVICE

Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

Join us for a 45-minute worship service followed by 45 minutes of outdoor gardening/pruning in service to our church. Lawn refuse bags... and lemonade... will be provided!



Everyone is invited to:

- › Wear gardening clothes to worship
- › Bring gardening gloves/rakes/tools for weeding, hedge clippers, etc.

## MEAL TRAIN FOR PASTOR DEB JOHNSON

As Pastor Debbie is recovering at home from a surgical procedure, it would be helpful if our congregation could provide meals during the next 2 weeks. Low fat and low carb meals can be dropped off at Pastor Debbie's home (222 Shaftsbury Road, Rochester, NY, 14610) between 4:00-5:00 p.m.

You can review the available dates by visiting this link:

<https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/vgr748>

Scroll down and click on 'volunteer' for the date you'd like to bring a meal and follow instructions on the site. Thank you for helping to support Pastor Johnson during her recovery!

## RED, WHITE, & BLUE FOOD COLLECTION

Through the month of July, we are asking for your help to stock the Pittsford Food Cupboard with some pantry staples. In celebration of Independence Day, we invite you to consider red, white, and blue food items and/or food packaging. For example, foods could be *canned tomatoes, rice, blueberry muffin mix, spaghetti sauce, pasta, blueberry jam*, OR items could be packaged in *red boxes, white cans, or blue bags*.



## ANNUAL RED WINGS OUTING



Atonement's annual Red Wings Outing is scheduled for *Wednesday, July 24<sup>th</sup>*. The Red Wings will take on the Lehigh Valley IronPigs. Game time is 6:05 p.m. Tickets are \$15 each and everyone is welcome to join us! See Tom Thompson or Email [tommyth27@gmail.com](mailto:tommyth27@gmail.com) to reserve your tickets.



## Atonement Lutheran Church

### All Are Welcome

Join us for in-person worship in our Sanctuary, or Livestream via our Facebook page on Sunday mornings.

Livestream Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. by going to the Atonement Facebook page at [fb.com/atonementlutheranchurch/](https://fb.com/atonementlutheranchurch/)

A worship bulletin with hymns is also posted weekly on our web site at [www.atonementrochester.org](http://www.atonementrochester.org)

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**Worship**  
9:30 a.m. Sundays  
in our Sanctuary

**Livestream Worship**  
9:30 a.m. Sundays via the  
Atonement Facebook page.

**Church Office Hours**  
9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.  
Tuesday  
Wednesday  
Thursday

## OUR ABUNDANT GARDEN



Our church garden is in full bloom and starting to produce vegetables.

Many thanks to those that have been faithful keepers, watering and caring for our garden.



## CLICK ON OUR MUSIC LINKS

*"Next to the Word of God, Music Deserves the Highest Praise" -Martin Luther*

[Fanny Mendelssohn Hensel: 'July' from 'Das Jahr' Ellen Jansson \(piano\)](#) Fanny Mendelssohn was the sister of Felix Mendelssohn (the composer of the famous Wedding March). She wrote a set of piano pieces, one for each month of the year, with a little epigram and an illustration by her husband for each. For this one, the quote is "The fields thirst for refreshing dew. Man dies of thirst," and I think she caught the mood of these languorous, hot summer days pretty well!

[Vivaldi Gloria at La Pieta, Venice](#) This is one of the best videos on Youtube, I think. The BBC did a great job explaining what's going on, so there's no need for me to add much. I hope you can settle in for a very pleasant half hour of Baroque music for voices and instruments, setting the text of the "Gloria" ("Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth").

## MIDWEEK MESSAGE: SUMMER SCHEDULE

During the months of July and August, the Midweek Message will be Emailed/mailed only twice each month:

July 10<sup>th</sup> , July 24<sup>th</sup> , August 14<sup>th</sup> , and August 28<sup>th</sup>.

