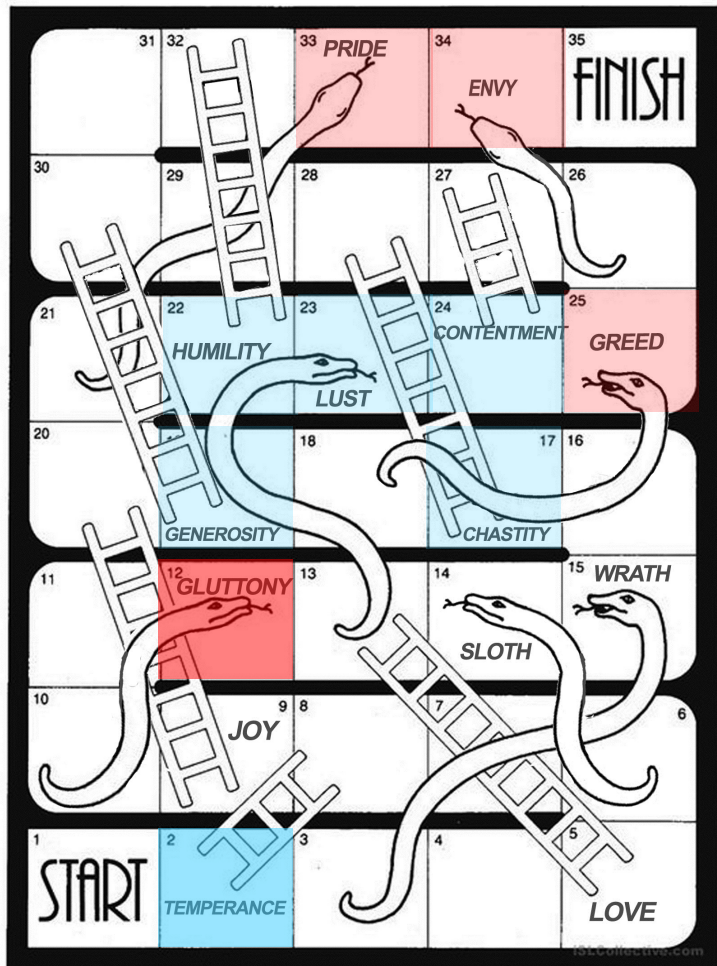


Snakes and Ladders

A worshipful study of "the seven deadly sins" and "the seven holy virtues"

Gluttony is more than food, though it is often focused on food. At the root of gluttony is a fear of scarcity that there won't be enough. Gluttony is misplaced hunger and a mistrust in God's providence. The virtue of **Temperance** and the practice of "enough" reminds us that what is available is sufficient – that there is enough. Scripture reminds us that we need not fear, for ours is a God who provides



GATHERING

PRELUDE Russell Adrian

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Janna Duerksen

RINGING THE PRAYER BOWL AND LIGHTING THE PEACE LAMP

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*GATHERING PRAYER

*GATHERING HYMN *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"* No. 37

*PASSING THE PEACE *The Peace of Christ be with you ~ and also with you.*

DISORIENTED LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING *Philippians 3: 17-21* Ruby Graber
The Word of God for the people of God ~ **Thanks be to God!**

MEDITATION *"Gluttony"* Pastor Rosie Jantz

ORIENTING TOWARDS GOD'S LOVE

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE
from 2 Corinthians 9: 8

WORSHIP MUSIC *"Hungry (Falling on my knees)"* Brittany Denson

CHILDREN'S STORY AND CONGREGATIONAL SPIRITUAL PRACTICE
Eunice Nickel

HYMN OF ASSURANCE *"Wonderful grace of Jesus"* No. 150

EXTENDING GOD'S LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING *Isaiah 58: 6-12* Sara Hiebert
The Word of God for the people of God ~ **Thanks be to God!**

MEDITATION *"Temperance"* Pastor Rosie Jantz

*HYMN OF RESPONSE *"Blest are they"* No. 94 SJ

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

SHARING AND CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER Carol Duerksen and
Erica Stoltzfus

*SENDING HYMN *"The Lord lift you up"* No. 73 SJ

*BENEDICTION AND POSTLUDE

Today

We are so glad you are here with us to worship God and experience God's love. This morning you were greeted by Grace Regier and Lewis and Carrie Unruh. *A special welcome is extended to all visitors.*

At the back of the sanctuary there is a quiet room for infants and mothers, and a toddler nursery for those age three and under, staffed today by Carrie and Lewis Unruh.

10:45 a.m.—Finger Food Fellowship.

The volunteer choir for the August 25 building dedication will rehearse.

This Week

Pastor Phil and Mary are taking a personal weekend and Phil will be back in the office on Tuesday.

Tues. Aug. 6: 10:00 a.m.—Staff meeting. **7:00 p.m.**—Church Council.

Wed. Aug 7: 5:30 p.m.—Faithful Fitness.

Next Sunday, August 11

9:30 a.m.—We continue the worship series on the seven deadly sins and seven holy virtues focusing on Sloth/Joy. Scriptures for reflection will include Ecclesiastes 1:1-11; Matthew 27:11-26; Luke 19:29-40; Proverbs 6:6-11; 2 Peter 1:3-7; Micah 6:6-8; Matthew 5:6, and Pastor Phil will be preaching.

10:45 a.m.—Faith Formation for everyone.

Prayer Requests

The following prayer requests were shared on July 28.

- ★ Erica Stoltzfus led a time of sabbatical blessing for Pastor Katherine. Lord, hear our prayer for Pastor Katherine's time of rest and rejuvenation, and thanks be to God for this opportunity!
- ★ Michelle Unruh shared a praise for the Goessel Summer Day Camp that took place in July: for the children, the learning, the idea, the planning, those who volunteered, and all the energy. Thanks be to God!
- ★ Peter Goerzen shared a word of gratitude for the morning worship service, appreciating the opportunity to think about sexual wholeness with grace and hopefulness.
- ★ Pastor Phil requested continued prayers for:
 - LeRoy Funk and family as they continue to grieve the loss of Alice.
 - Susan Duerksen and family as they continue to grieve the loss of Walden.Lord, hear our prayer for each one of these requests.

OFFERINGS & ATTENDANCE July 28, 2019

Offering	= \$ 2,128.35	Attendance	= 137
Adult F.F.	= \$ 21.00	Attendance	= 34
Jr. F.F.	= \$ 7.50	Attendance	= 22



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Prelude: 9:15am Worship: 9:30am
Fellowship Time: 10:30am Faith Formation: 10:45am

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