

"In ev'ry high and stormy gale  
my anchor holds within the veil"



## LUTHER MEMORIAL CHURCH AND SCHOOL

(Grades K-8)

Church of the Lutheran Confession  
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9:00 am Summer Service

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3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 13, 2010

**Preparation for Worship:** Read Psalm 26 front of hymnal p. 128  
The Hymns: 657, 760, 761, 39:5

*Prayer: Lord, as we come Thy name to praise, may we feel Thy presence near; may Thy glory meet our eyes while we in Thy house appear! Here afford us, Lord, a taste of our everlasting feast. In Thy name we ask it, Amen.*

**Bells – Opening Prayer**

**Hymn 657**

### THE INVOCATION

*We invoke ("call upon") the name of the one true God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
(Hymnal, page 5 – Congregation Stands)*

**PASTOR** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**CONGR. (sing) Amen.**

### THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS

*We come before our Holy God recognizing that we are sinful and daily need His forgiveness.*

**PASTOR** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**CONGR. (sing) Who made heaven and earth.**

**PASTOR** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

**CONGR. (sing) And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.**

**PASTOR** Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**ALL** O most merciful God, who hast given Thine only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Thy Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of Thee and of Thy will and true obedience to

**Thy Word, to the end that by Thy grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**PASTOR** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He who believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

**CONGR. (sing) Amen.** *(congregation is seated)*

### **THE INTROIT**

*Having received the Lord's forgiveness, we are glad to enter into His courts with praise and thanksgiving. This entrance is made in the Introit with the Lord's own Word, often from the Psalms.*

**P:** The LORD was my support.

**C: He also brought me out into a broad place;**

**P:** He delivered me;

**C: Because He delighted in me.**

**P:** I will love You, O Lord, my strength:

**C: The Lord is my Rock and my Fortress.**

### **THE GLORIA PATRI**

*Latin for "Glory to the Father" (Hymnal, page 6)*

**CONGR. (sing) Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

### **THE KYRIE**

*Latin for "O Lord." We approach our Lord with a cry for help in all the needs of our earthly life. (Hymnal page 7 - sing)*

**Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**Christ, have mercy upon us.**

**Lord, have mercy upon us.**

### **THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

*"Glory to God in the highest" (Hymnal page 7 - sing)*

**Glory be to God on high: And on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world. Receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

### **THE SALUTATION** *(Greeting)*

**PASTOR** The Lord be with you.

**CONGR. (sing) And with thy spirit.**

### **THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY**

*The main thoughts for the day are "collected" together in this prayer.*

**PASTOR** Let us pray.

**CONGR. (sing) Amen.**

### **THE BIBLE LESSONS**

*God speaks to us.*

#### **The Old Testament Reading:**

1 Kings 17:17-24 Now it happened after these things that the son of the woman who owned the house became sick. And his sickness was so serious that there was no breath left in him. 18 So she said to Elijah, "What have I to do with you, O man of God? Have you come to me to bring my sin to remembrance, and to kill my son?" 19 And he said to her, "Give me your son." So he took him out of her arms and carried him to the upper room where he was staying, and laid him on his own bed. 20 Then he cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, have You also brought tragedy on the widow with whom I lodge, by killing her son?" 21 And he stretched himself out on the child three times, and cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, I pray, let this child's soul come back to him." 22 Then the LORD heard the voice of Elijah; and the soul of the child came back to him, and he revived. 23 And Elijah took the child and brought him down from the upper room into the house, and gave him to his

mother. And Elijah said, "See, your son lives!" 24 Then the woman said to Elijah, "Now by this I know that you are a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in your mouth is the truth."

**PASTOR** Here ends Old Testament Reading. We continue with the responsive reading of:

### **THE GRADUAL**

*The Gradual is a "Bridge of praise" that links the Old Testament with the New Testament.*

**P:** In my distress I cried to the Lord:

**C: And He heard me.**

**P:** Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips:

**C: And from a deceitful tongue. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**P:** God judges the righteous:

**C: And God is angry with the wicked every day. Hallelujah!**

**CONGR. (sing) Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**PASTOR** The New Testament Reading comes from Galatians chapter 1, beginning there in the 11<sup>th</sup> verse.

**CONGR. (sing) Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

### **The New Testament Reading:**

Galatians 1:11-24 But I make known to you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. 12 For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. 13 For you have heard of my former conduct in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God beyond measure and tried to destroy it. 14 And I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my contemporaries in my own nation, being more exceedingly zealous for the traditions of my fathers. 15 But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, 16 to reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not immediately confer with flesh and blood, 17 nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me; but I went to Arabia, and returned again to Damascus. 18 Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and remained with him fifteen days. 19 But I saw none of the other apostles except James, the Lord's brother. 20 (Now concerning the things which I write to you, indeed, before God, I do not lie.) 21 Afterward I went into the regions of Syria and Cilicia. 22 And I was unknown by face to the churches of Judea which were in Christ. 23

But they were hearing only, "He who formerly persecuted us now preaches the faith which he once tried to destroy." 24 And they glorified God in me.

**PASTOR** Here ends the New Testament Reading.

**CONGR. (sing) Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**

*Congregation stands for:*

### **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

*We boldly confess what we believe. (Hymnal, page 12)*

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins; The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Hymn 760**

### **THE SERMON**

Luke 7:11-17 Now it happened, the day after, that He went into a city called Nain; and many of His disciples went with Him, and a large crowd. 12 And when He came near the gate of the city, behold, a dead man was being carried out, the only son of his mother; and she was a widow. And a large crowd from the city was with her. 13 When the Lord saw her, He had compassion on her and said to her, "Do not weep." 14 Then He came and touched the open coffin, and those who carried him stood still. And He said, "Young man, I say to you, arise." 15 So he who was dead sat up and began to speak. And He presented him to his mother. 16 Then fear came upon all, and they glorified God, saying, "A great prophet has risen up among us"; and, "God has visited His people." 17 And this report about Him went throughout all Judea and all the surrounding region.

Theme: "DRY YOUR TEARS"

I. Who speaks these words? (11)

- II. When does He say them? (12)  
III. How are they meant? (13)  
IV. Why can He speak this way? (14-15)

### **THE OFFERTORY**

*In this prayer we OFFER God our hearts, asking Him for that best of all gifts, the Holy Spirit.  
(Hymnal, pages 12-13) (sing)*

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
And renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence  
And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation  
And uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

### **THE OFFERING OF THANKFUL HEARTS**

*In tangible evidence of our gratitude, we offer the Lord the gift of our money, remembering that  
He has first given to us that we might have to give to Him. While the ushers present our  
offerings at the Lord's Altar, we stand and sing the offering hymn 788:1:*

**Lord, You love the cheerful giver Who with open heart and hand  
Blesses freely, as a river that refreshes all the land.  
Grant us, then, the grace of giving with a spirit large and true.  
That our life and all our living we may consecrate to You.**

### **THE GENERAL PRAYER** - (Pastor)

#### **THE LORD'S PRAYER** - (All)

**Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy  
kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not  
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the  
kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever, Amen.**

#### **Congregation sings Hymn 761**

*Congregation stands for:*

#### **THE BENEDICTION**

*The blessing given by God for the blessing of His people (Numbers 6:24-26).*

#### **PASTOR:**

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

**CONGR. (sing) Amen, Amen, Amen.**

### **The Closing Hymn (standing) 39:5**

\*\*\* Silent Prayer \*\*\*

*Verbal Announcements --- Ushers dismiss by row*

# **A n n o u n c e m e n t s**

*"If the LORD wills, we will do this or that." James 4:15*

**CALL MEETING LAST THURSDAY** Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, Luther Memorial Congregation has extended the Divine Call to Pastor Paul D. Nolting of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Mankato, MN. The Rev. Mike Schierenbeck of Markesan, WI, has been called to serve Luther Memorial as Vacancy Pastor. We pray for these men as they consider their calls. And we ask the LORD of the Church to provide the man He has chosen to shepherd this congregation.

**AFRICAN PASTOR THIS WEDNESDAY** Pastor Jeremiah from Tanzania, Africa, has come to the US to attend the CLC Convention in Eau Claire. We have the opportunity to hear a presentation from him on the Kingdom work the LORD is doing in his country. We will meet in the church beginning at 6:30 pm this Wednesday!

**REPRESENTING LUTHER MEMORIAL CHURCH** At last week's Great Lakes Delegate Conference at Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, Coloma, Michigan were Pastor Naumann, Principal Dave Bernthal, and Delegate Don Eserhut. It was a very edifying conference and copies of the following two papers are available in the meeting room: "In the Interest of Encouraging Evangelical Practice in our Homes, Churches, and Schools" by Rev. Tom Schuetze; "Reaching Out to Confirmants Who Have Walked Away From the Faith" by Rev. Joel Fleischer. One week from tomorrow these men along with Mike Sippert will also attend the 29<sup>th</sup> General Convention of the CLC in Eau Claire, WI June 21-25. May God grant safe travels and zeal for His Kingdom work to all!

#### **AT A GLANCE**

**TUE:** 6:30 pm Church Council Meeting

**WED:** 9:00 am Women's Bible Reading

6:30 pm Pastor Jeremiah from Tanzania Africa

**CLC GENERAL CONVENTION** June 21-25 in Eau Claire, WI

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** July 26 – 30, 9-11:30 am Mon – Fri.

**TV CHURCH** – Today's Service replayed on Cable TV Channel 21  
Tuesday at noon and Wednesday at 4:00 pm.

**VBS TEACHERS NEEDED** If you have the gifts of time and talent to teach God's little lambs in this year's Vacation Bible School July 26-30, please sign up!

**CARPOOL?** Anyone wishing to attend the CLC Women's Luncheon on Wednesday, June 23 in Eau Claire, WI may contact Rhoda Eserhut to arrange for a ride. Phone: 921-6072

**GRADUATES** To the glory and praise of God we congratulate all those who are graduating this year from high school, college, and other educational institutions. **"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11**

**LOWER MICHIGAN YOUTH CAMP** The CLC congregations in lower Michigan are again hosting a summer camp for youth entering grades 6-12. This will be our seventh year at Pigeon Creek County Park located just north of Holland, MI. The camp will be held August 2-5 (Mon-Thurs). The cost is \$50 which includes everything except transportation to and from the camp. Detailed information and online registration can be found by visiting [www.redeemerclc.info](http://www.redeemerclc.info) and clicking on the camp link at the right hand side of the page.

**SUBSCRIBE TO THE LUTHERAN SPOKESMAN!** Please remember to renew your subscription to the Lutheran Spokesman magazine. If you don't have a subscription, please consider this monthly magazine of our Lutheran synod – the Church of the Lutheran Confession. It is filled with faith strengthening devotions based on God's Word, as well as other important announcements and events in the CLC. Subscription rates are only \$15 a year. Subscribe or renew today!

**CHURCH CLEANING AND LAWN MOWING** Thank you to all who have stepped up and volunteered for these jobs to date! God bless

you! We're always looking for more help to clean the church sanctuary and mow lawns. Take a look at the sign-up sheet or call Wayne Wischnefski, Chairman of Buildings and Grounds – 921-2113. **DON'T THROW IT!** Calling for all old, used BIBLES, HYMNALS, BIBLE HISTORIES, SUNDAY SCHOOL OR VBS MATERIALS, SPOKESMANS.....There will be a large plastic basket labeled MAYHEW at each church entrance into which they may be placed.

**A REQUEST FROM IMMANUEL LUTHERAN COLLEGE** Please consider sending a work group from your congregation to ILC for projects such as shingling and other tasks that fit your skills and abilities. Please let us know if anyone will be available this summer and when. Many roofs of the professorages need to be done this year. If we must, we will contract the work, provided money can be found. The Regents and Trustees are discussing ways to finance all these needs in the aging professorages. May God guide them. God bless you. Prof. John Pfeiffer, President of ILC

**CLC NEWS** The Rev. Terrel Kesterson, Spokane WA, has returned the call to Our Redeemer's Lutheran, Red Wing MN. The congregation has now called the Rev. Joel Fleischer, Marquette MI, as pastor and Phillip Matzke, Mankato MN, to serve during the interim. <> Prince of Peace Lutheran, Loveland CO, has called the Rev. Todd Ohlmann, Manchester MO, to fill its pulpit which will become vacant, effective August 2, 2010, due to the resignation and the congregation's peaceful release of its current pastor, the Rev. Peter Reim, from the pastoral ministry. <> The Rev. Luke Bernthal, Spring TX, has accepted the call to Grace Lutheran, Valentine, NE, Peace Lutheran, Mission, SD, and St. Paul's Lutheran, White River, SD. <> Messiah Lutheran Church, Hales Corners, WI will observe its 50th Anniversary under God's grace on September 19, 2010. Morning services at 8:00 and 10:45 a.m., with a special afternoon service at 3:00, followed by a program and dinner. All are welcome! <> Immediately following the Convention church service on Wednesday, June 23rd, all are invited to a reception in the Messiah Fellowship Hall, honoring Rev. Elton Hallauer for his 60 years in the ministry. The reception is being hosted by his daughters. Cupcakes and beverages will be served.

**SERVICE TODAY** Usher Team 4 Wayne Wischneski, Alan Kottke, Ron Haensgen, Mark King, Joel Delarme. Organist Adrienne Fillmore  
**NEXT SUNDAY** Usher Team 1 Lowell Boelk, Rodney Kern, John Scheberl, David Dexter, Sam N., Larry Stubbs, Craig Youngerberg Organist Rhoda E.

**LAST WEEK FOR THE LORD** Attendance: 147  
*(This is an unofficial summary. For the official summary, speak to the Financial Secretary)*

<b>Budgetary</b>	<b>weekly (needed)</b>	<b>for the fiscal year</b>
Received	\$3,821 (\$4,442)	\$87,151
<i>(\$100 given in memory of Beverly Sippert)</i>		

<b>Non-budgetary</b>			
Maintenance & Improvement	\$99	balance	\$981
Debt Retirement Fund	\$0	balance	\$445
LM Building Fund	\$100	mortgage	\$20,269

**Missions** *(CLC fiscal year is July 1 to June 30)*  

Budgetary	weekly	year to date
Received	\$820	\$46,977

*(\$10 given in memory of Henry Immel; \$5 given in memory of Beverly Sippert)*

<b>Non-budgetary</b>	
ILC Student Aid Fund	\$75
ILC Building Fund	\$100

**A PRACTICAL FAITH** To give my life for Christ appears glorious. "To pour myself out for others...to pay the ultimate price of martyrdom -- I'll do it. I'm ready, Lord, to go out in a blaze of glory." We think giving our all to the Lord is like taking a \$1,000 bill and laying it on the table -- "Here's my life, Lord. I'm giving it all." But the reality for most of us is that He sends us to the bank and has us cash in the \$1,000 for quarters. We go through life putting out 25 cents here and 50 cents there. Listen to the neighbor kid's troubles instead of saying "Get lost." Volunteer when asked, instead of saying, "Let someone else do it." Say something positive about someone instead of joining in the gossip. Give a cup of water to a shaky old man in a nursing home. Usually giving our life to Christ isn't glorious. It's done in all those little acts of love, 25 cents at a time. It would be easy to go out in a flash of glory; it's harder to live the Christian life little by little over the long haul. -- Selected

## WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

"I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he

shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die." John 11:25-26

## LUTHER MEMORIAL CHURCH AND SCHOOL STRIVES TO BE...

- + A Church which keeps foremost the purpose to proclaim, preserve, and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ
- + A Church which values faithfulness to the Word of God above the size and outward success of its membership
- + A Church which recognizes but one Master in all matters of faith, the God-man Christ Jesus, our Savior
- + A Church which promotes true Christian unity by both proclaiming the Gospel and by identifying error
- + A Church which backs its commitment to Christian education by supporting its own Christian Day school
- + A Church which respects your privacy in the matter of Christian giving
- + A Church which refuses to become just another political pressure group
- + A Church which seeks people to serve the LORD

Welcome! The Pastor is ready to arrange special instruction classes for you and your family at your convenience so that you may be sure of eternal life.

Pastor Dave Naumann 922-7421  
 Email: [ddnaumann@clclutheran.com](mailto:ddnaumann@clclutheran.com)

The Principal of the school is also ready to discuss with you what the Lord wants most for your children regarding a truly Christian education.

Principal Dave Bernthal 922-7421

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### **The Old Testament Reading for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

1 Kings 17:17-24 *In these verse the LORD of life and death uses the prophet Isaiah as His instrument to restore life to a dead son of a widow. We read...*

Now it happened after these things that the son of the woman who owned the house became sick. And his sickness was so serious that there was no breath left in him. 18 So she said to Elijah, "What have I to do with you, O man of God? Have you come to me to bring my sin to remembrance, and to kill my son?" 19 And he said to her, "Give me your son." So he took him out of her arms and carried him to the upper room where he was staying, and laid him on his own bed. 20 Then he cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, have You also brought tragedy on the widow with whom I lodge, by killing her son?" 21 And he stretched himself out on the child three times, and cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, I pray, let this child's soul come back to him." 22 Then the LORD heard the voice of Elijah; and the soul of the child came back to him, and he revived. 23 And Elijah took the child and brought him down from the upper room into the house, and gave him to his mother. And Elijah said, "See, your son lives!" 24 Then the woman said to Elijah, "Now by this I know that you are a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in your mouth is the truth."

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### **The New Testament Reading:**

Galatians 1:11-24 *The power of God's Word is what brings men to faith in Christ Jesus – He gives them new birth by faith. Here the Apostle Paul gives glory to Jesus for His Gospel message. We read...*

But I make known to you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. 12 For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. 13 For you have heard of my former conduct in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God beyond measure and tried to destroy it. 14 And I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my contemporaries in my own nation, being more exceedingly zealous for the traditions of my fathers. 15 But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, 16 to reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not immediately confer with flesh and blood, 17 nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me; but I went to Arabia, and returned again to Damascus. 18 Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and remained with him fifteen days. 19 But I saw none of the other apostles except James, the Lord's brother. 20 (Now concerning the things which I write to you, indeed, before God, I do not lie.) 21 Afterward I went into the regions of Syria and Cilicia. 22 And I was unknown by face to the churches of Judea which were in Christ. 23 But they were hearing only, "He who formerly persecuted us now preaches the faith which he once tried to destroy." 24 And they glorified God in me.