



*"WE PREACH CHRIST CRUCIFIED..."*

*~1 CORINTHIANS 1:23*

**LUTHER MEMORIAL**  
CHURCH & SCHOOL K-8

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**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY**

*A righteous man who walks  
in his integrity - how blessed  
are his sons after him.*

PROVERBS 20:7

9:00am Divine Worship Service (Summer Schedule)

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Pastor Neal Radichel ♦ Principal David Bernthal ♦ Teacher Jennifer Wiese

*Alter cloths are white; symbolizing for us the glory of God revealed in the humanity of Jesus.  
Welcome to all! This week's focus:*

**"Hear, my children, the instruction of a father,  
And give attention to know understanding."**

Proverbs 4:1

Today's Divine Service Liturgy (how God serves us): **Red Hymnal pg. 5**

**628 ♦ 785 ♦ 627 ♦ 8**

Pre-service Psalm 139 (Red Hymnal pg.154) ~ Opening Bells / Prayer

*Our worship service centers and glorifies our Savior, Jesus Christ. Please turn off your cell phones to avoid distraction.*

# THE ORDER OF SERVICE

## I. WE PREPARE TO MEET OUR LORD

### THE INVOCATION

*We invoke ("call upon") the name of our Triune God.*

**PASTOR:** We begin our Savior's Divine Service today in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**ALL:**



### OPENING HYMN: #628 [Red Hymnal]

### CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS

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

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

Our help is in the name of the Lord!



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



**P:** Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess to You that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. Therefore, 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 has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy on us and for His sake grant us forgiveness of all our sins: and by Your Holy Spirit, increase in us true knowledge of You and Your will, with true obedience to Your Word. Until the end, that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen!**

**P:** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us and has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He calls them children of God and promises to them the Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized will be saved. Grant this Lord to us all!

## II. WE PRAISE OUR LORD

### THE GLORIA PATRI

"Glory to the Father" (Red Hymnal, pg 16)

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be For - ev - er more. Amen.

### THE KYRIE

"O Lord" (Red Hymnal, pg 17)

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

"Glory to God in the highest" (Red Hymnal #237)

2. We praise, we worship Thee, we trust, And give Thee thanks forever,  
O Father, that Thy rule is just, And wise and changes never.  
Thy boundless power o'er all things reigns, 'Tis done whate'er Thy  
will ordains: Well for us that Thou rules!

PASTOR: The Lord be with you.

B: And with thy spir - it.

PASTOR: Let us pray: (Pastor says the prayer of the day)

R: A - - - - men.

## III. OUR LORD SPEAKS TO US

### 1<sup>ST</sup> SCRIPTURE LESSON ~ 2 SAMUEL 11:26; 12:10, 13-15

Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

The Old Testament Lesson recalls the evil that King David had done in lusting after, committing adultery, and finally murder. We see God's anger and punishment against David and the results it had on his son. How do our sins affect our children?

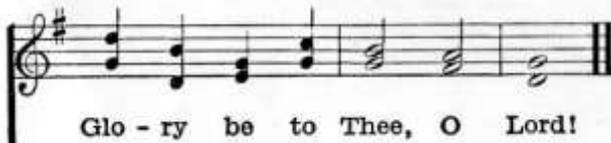
**26** When the wife of Uriah heard that Uriah her husband was dead, she mourned for her husband. **27** And when her mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the LORD.

**12:10** 'Now therefore, the sword shall never depart from your house, because you have despised Me, and have taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be your wife.'

**13** So David said to Nathan, "I have sinned against the LORD." And Nathan said to David, "The LORD also has put away your sin; you shall not die. **14** "However, because by this deed you have given great occasion to the enemies of the LORD to blaspheme, the child also *who is born to you* shall surely die." **15** Then Nathan departed to his house. And the LORD struck the child that Uriah's wife bore to David, and it became ill.

## 2<sup>ND</sup> SCRIPTURE LESSON ~ ACTS 16:20-34

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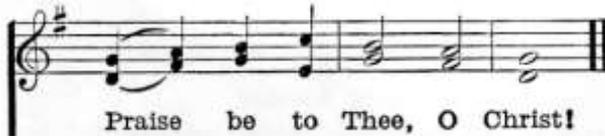
*The Epistle lesson shows that the jailer did what a good father does-- having heard the word himself, he saw to it that the gospel he heard was shared with his whole family!*

**20** And they brought them to the magistrates, and said, "These men, being Jews, exceedingly trouble our city; **21** "and they teach customs which are not lawful for us, being Romans, to receive or observe." **22** Then the multitude rose up together against them; and the magistrates tore off their clothes and commanded them to be beaten with rods. **23** And when they had laid many stripes on them, they threw them into prison, commanding the jailer to keep them securely. **24** Having received such a charge, he put them into the inner prison and fastened their feet in the stocks.

**25** But at midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. **26** Suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were loosed. **27** And the keeper of the prison, awaking from sleep and seeing the prison doors open, supposing the prisoners had fled, drew his sword and was

about to kill himself. **28** But Paul called with a loud voice, saying, "Do yourself no harm, for we are all here."

**29** Then he called for a light, ran in, and fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. **30** And he brought them out and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" **31** So they said, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household." **32** Then they spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. **33** And he took them the same hour of the night and washed their stripes. And immediately he and all his family were baptized. **34** Now when he had brought them into his house, he set food before them; and he rejoiced, having believed in God with all his household.



## OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH ~ THE APOSTLE'S CREED

*The Apostles' Creed is a summary of Christian faith as taught by the Apostles. We boldly confess what God has taught us to believe.*

**I believe in God the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## HYMN OF THE DAY: #785 [Red Hymnal]

**SERMON MEDITATION** read/watch sermons and services online at [www.fdllutheran.org](http://www.fdllutheran.org)

*Jesus said, "...Blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!" ~Luke 11:28*

### Revelation 3:14-19

**14** "And to the angel of the church of the Laodiceans write, 'These things says the Amen, the Faithful and True Witness, the Beginning of the creation of God: **15** "I know your works, that you are neither cold nor hot. I could wish you were cold or hot. **16** "So then, because you are lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will vomit you out of My mouth. **17** "Because you say, 'I am

rich, have become wealthy, and have need of nothing' -- and do not know that you are wretched, miserable, poor, blind, and naked -- **18** "I counsel you to buy from Me gold refined in the fire, that you may be rich; and white garments, that you may be clothed, *that* the shame of your nakedness may not be revealed; and anoint your eyes with eye salve, that you may see. **19** "As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten. Therefore be zealous and repent."

## Christ, stokes the fire in you, dear Christian!

1. "Look out for a lukewarm faith!"
2. "Listen up for a faith on fire!"

**THE OFFERTORY**     *We Offer God our hearts again, praying for His Spiritual blessings!*



Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re-new a right  
spir-it with-in me. Cast me not a-way from Thy pres-ence; and  
take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it from me. Re-store un-to me the joy of  
Thy sal-va-tion; and up-hold me with Thy free Spir-it. A-men.

### **SERMON HYMN: #627 [Red Hymnal]**

## **IV. WE OFFER OURSELVES TO OUR LORD**

### **AN OFFERING OF THANKFUL HEARTS TO THE LORD**

*"So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver." ~ 2 Corinthians 9:7*

### **FOLLOWED BY THE OFFERING HYMN: WS #788:2**

***We are Yours--Your mercy sought us, Found us in death's dreadful way,  
To the fold in safety brought us, Nevermore from You to stray.  
Your own life was freely given, As an off'ring on the cross  
For each sinner, now forgiven, From eternal shame and loss.***

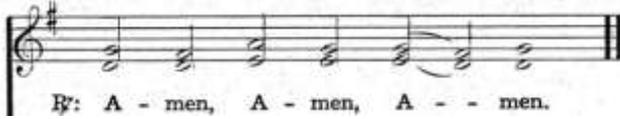
**SPECIAL PRAYERS ~ GENERAL PRAYER ~ SAY LORD'S PRAYER**

## V. OUR LORD BLESSES US

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

**P:** The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you; The LORD turn His countenance and smile upon you and give you His peace!

**ALL:**



### CLOSING HYMN: #8 [Red Hymnal]

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to all! Guests, please sign our guest book in entryway and we hope you will come and join us again! Questions? (920) 922-7421

**THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE:** "If the LORD wills, we will do this or that." James 4:15

\*Online calendar at [FDLutheran.com](http://FDLutheran.com) or go to [facebook.com/FDL.lutheran](https://facebook.com/FDL.lutheran)

**Jun 18 Sun** Usher Team #2: Don S, Pete A, Mark R, Don G, Gene M, Stuart P  
Organist: Mrs. Fillmore / Counters: Eric W, Larry S  
9a Divine Service

**Jun 20 Tue** 6:30p Council Meeting

**Jun 25 Sun** Usher Team #3: Steve S, Don E, Dave M, Andrew T, Eric W  
Organist: Mrs. Eserhut / Counters: Eric W, Larry S  
9a Divine Service

**UPCOMING DATES:** →

**Jul 5 Wed** TVBS Fond du Lac area (Come hand out VBS invites with us!)

**Jul 11 Tue** TVBS Middleton, WI (Help our sister congregation share VBS invites!)

**Jul 31-4 M-F 9-Noon** VBS - "Build on the Rock!" (Sign up to help on bulletin board!)

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**BUILD  
ON THE  
ROCK**

**July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 4<sup>th</sup>**

**REGISTER NOW FOR SUMMER VBS!**

Go to [FDLutheran.com](http://FDLutheran.com)

**VBS HELPERS** – sign up today on the bulletin board!!!

**SUMMER HOME VISTS!** Pastor would like to try to visit everybody this summer, Lord willing. There are calendars laid out in the back of church. Please write your name down on a day that works for you! Pastor looks forward to stopping by for a bit to catch up and encourage!

**CALL NEWS** The Rev. Michael Roehl, pastor of St. Paul Lutheran, Bismarck ND, has returned the call to be co-pastor at Immanuel Lutheran, Mankato MN. <> Mrs. Rebecca Lillo of Messiah Lutheran, Eau Claire WI, has accepted the call to be the second teacher at St. Stephen Lutheran School, Mountain View CA. <> Messiah Lutheran, Eau Claire WI, has called Teacher Amy Mielke, Messiah Lutheran, Hales Corners WI, to its school. <> Teacher Joshua Ohlmann, Holy

Cross Lutheran, Phoenix AZ, has accepted the call to teach grades 1-8 at Grace Lutheran school, Sleepy Eye MN. <> Teacher Quinn Sprengeler, Redemption Lutheran, Lynnwood WA, has returned the call to Redeemer Lutheran school, Cheyenne WY.

Dear Luther Memorial,

Thank you for the generous gift of money towards the mission trip to Nepal. It is appreciated very much. I am honored and blessed to have this opportunity to spread the Gospel. It is a great blessing to be supported by everyone. There is a great need for God's Word overseas, and our mission helper group will be able to help the pastors, as well as the people who live there. Please pray for me, as well as the rest of the group as we travel overseas this summer. May the Holy Spirit work in the hearts of those that we preach to.

In Christ, Sam Schierenbeck

**IN OUR PRAYERS** *If you are hospitalized, please let pastor know if you would like a visit!*

**Hospitalized:** Gerhardt M is at St. Agnes fighting an infection in his body. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Shut-ins:** Evelyn Chase (Lutheran Home), Eileen Gantner (Woodlands), Dan Immel (Woodlands), Ed Jacobs (868 W Scott St), Gloria Jacobs (Woodlands), Doris Kaiser (Woodlands), Jeanette Keipe (675 S. Main St.), John Lenburg (769 Mustang Ln), Marion Mach (Lutheran Home), Lois "Jean" Martin (Lutheran Home), Jim Steffen (Harbor Haven), Leah Wirkus (Lutheran Home).

**FRUITS OF FAITH—LAST SUNDAY / FOR THE YEAR** *Bible Class N/A/Worship 102*

**LUTHER MEMORIAL CHURCH**

**Budgetary** (\$3596 budgeted per week)

**\$2475** LM General Budget

**Non-Budgetary**

\$10 LM School

\$ LM Student Aid Fund

\$ LM Debt Retirement

\$30 LM Maintenance & Improvements

\$14 LM Local Missions/Outreach

\$377 LM Other: RRF (Building Fund)

Memorial (Designated):

**CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION**

**Budgetary** (\$680 needed per week)

**\$710** CLC General Budget

**Non-Budgetary**

\$20 ILC Student Aid Fund

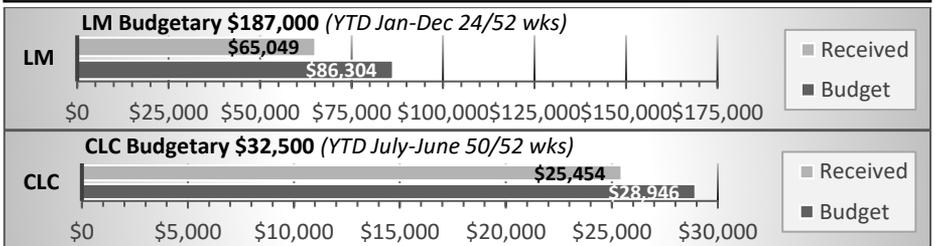
\$25 ILC Building Fund

\$ ILC Improvement Fund

\$10 Mission Development-(MDF)

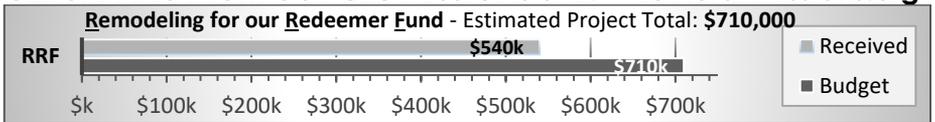
\$0/0 Project Kinship/Orphanage

\$45 CLC Other: Foreign



**Please consider in your offerings that we need about \$7,000 in the next 2 weeks to meet our CLC Budget!**

**GET UPDATES FROM OUR CLC MISSIONS SITE! [LutheranMissions.org](http://LutheranMissions.org)**





## LOVE FOR THE LOST

**When was the last time you reached out to someone that was lost?** Is there confusion as you read this as to what, "lost" means? Often the initial reaction to

the word lost is someone who is an unbeliever. Yet the Lord tells His disciples that He came to reach the lost sheep of the house of Israel (Matthew 10:6). He came first for those that already knew of the Messiah and grew up in faith.

Consider that for a moment. When was the last time you looked at your congregation's directory and prayed for or reached out to your brother or sister in Christ? There may be souls who haven't come to the Lord's house lately, or who are suffering through some trial, or might even have "everything together" but have become lazy in their faith. No doubt we ourselves have had the same trial, have been lost, and have been thankful for Jesus seeking us out. (Ezekiel 34:16)

James 1:22 says, *"But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves."*

Often the barrier in reaching out is ourselves. We are afraid of being unequipped to handle what might come, uncertain about what we might say or do, or even lacking a desire to get started at all.

2 Corinthians 12:9 says, *"And He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.'"*

The calling of our Lord is clear, and He has given us the opportunity to bring the gift of the Holy Spirit and the word to those who seem to have lost it. Galatians 6:10 says, *"Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith!"* As the Devil tries to lead our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ away from Jesus our good Shepherd, let us, as Christ did, go and seek them out to bring them back. To bring them back to the nourishing word of our Lord and the blessing of growing in Christ as a congregation. Let's start as Jesus did, by looking at those we are closest to, those in our midst that need to be sought out. If we are uncomfortable, nervous, or lack the desire, then let's pray about it! Pray the Lord gives us His Holy Spirit and the desire to serve Him. Discuss it with each other. Work together to show Jesus your love for Him and your "LOVE FOR THE LOST!"

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## A mission-minded example in the CLC:

This past December, Redemption Lutheran Church and School in Lynnwood, WA practiced showing "love for the lost" with a three-week Vacation Bible School series on Christmas. Each week focused on a different aspect of Christmas, such as: ornaments, the tree, and gift giving, and brought out the love of Christ in these symbols. VBS kids also assembled blessing bags for homeless kids in the community with hygiene items, toys, gospel pamphlets, and a personal Christmas card. This is just one example of showing and proclaiming the love of Jesus for the lost. Maybe your congregation can try it too! Keep an eye out for more examples of outreach from your fellow Christians in the CLC in the next CDF bulletin insert!



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## 7 Habits of a Mission-Minded Congregation

Love for the Lost

Reliance Upon the Word

Desire to Achieve Unity

Imitating the Great Commission

Encouraging one another

Strengthening the Individual

Thinking of Ideas  
(Being Creative)



# 'MAN UP!' WEEKEND 2017

"CONTEND EARNESTLY FOR THE FAITH WHICH WAS ONCE  
FOR ALL DELIVERED TO THE SAINTS." JUDE 1:3

SEPTEMBER 22-24 .....



WYALUSING STATE PARK .....

Online registration / information:

[manup.clclutheran.org](http://manup.clclutheran.org)

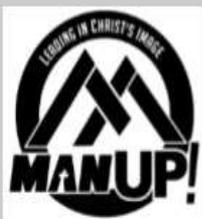
Register AND Reserve your bunk by:

**TUESDAY ~ August 1, 2017**

(only 108 available)

\$75 per person includes

- Bunk bed
- All meals
- Activities



ABEL

JOSIAH

JASON

JOSEPH

JONATHON

## Daily Bible Readings for Home Devotions

**Mon Proverbs 11:23-31** presents some of God's good advice for life. We know all sorts of situations where God gave *increase* when we broadcast His Word (24), when we help neighbors (25), and as we lead God-revering lives (27). God's *tree of Life* bears godly fruit, scattering seed for winning souls (30)—and God enlists us as His helpers!

**Tues Matthew 19:16-26** How does God go about His blessed work of winning a soul? Get the sinner to recognize Him, then confront him with God's will, and bring him to face the hard choice that hurts (17-22). How difficult is it to save a soul? Very difficult, but not too hard for God, who has both the will and the skill to do it right (26).

**Wed Romans 8:1-11** God by-passes failed circuitry with His own system wired to His own generator. Trying to fix a failed mother-board is nonsense when you have God's model ready and waiting. His model is JESUSCHRIST#1—the salvation model that comes free of charge, is fail-safe, and provides service that last into eternity.

**Thurs Psalm 112** We delight in God's commandments, for we know that God designed them to protect us—just as building codes protect our homes from faulty wiring. When we follow His code, both we (2-4) and our neighbors benefit (5-9). Too bad about those who detest God's building code, for they will lose everything in the fire (10).

**Fri Luke 12:22-34** Satan can cause financial affluence to overload the circuitry and start a fire. In contrast, Jesus helped His non-affluent disciples appreciate their daily food supply (23-24), their wardrobe (27-28), and all that God "richly and daily provides." Lord, help us to learn, re-learn, and appreciate these gifts from Your bounty!

**Sat 1 Timothy 6:6-16** A defective Bible misprinted verse 6 to read: "Godliness with contentment is great pain." God has spared us the great pain caused by obsessive/compulsive love of money. *Since we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out—let us be content* with God's blessings. James, half-brother of Jesus, knew what he was talking about, for he had seen Judas as well as others suffer the great pain of spiritual necrosis when they got infected with the virus of ungodly discontent. Lord, have mercy on us!