

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the Church of the Lutheran Confession
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Divine Worship. 9:30am
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TRINITY FIVE
 July 12, 2020

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP:

Psalm: Hymn Insert
Prayers: Hymn Insert
Organist: Mr. Walter Priebe
HYMNS: 446 283 624 625

PRAYER

OPENING HYMN: 446 - "Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray"

THE ORDER OF MORNING SERVICE (TLH Pg.5ff.)

The Invocation... The Confession of Sins... Absolution, -- "Amen."
 The Introit... The Gloria Patri (Pg. 6) ...The Kyrie (Pg. 7).
Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son, Glory be to God the Spirit: Great Jehovah, Three in One! Glory, glory, While eternal ages run!
Glory be to Him who loved us, Washed us from each spot and stain; Glory be to Him who bought us, Made us kings with Him to reign! Glory, glory, To the Lamb that once was slain!
Glory, blessing, praise eternal! Thus the choir of angels sings; Honor, riches, power, dominion! Thus its praise creation brings. Glory, glory, Glory to the King of kings!
 The Salutation (Pg. 9) ...The Collect -- "Amen."

CLC CALL NEWS

St. Luke's of Lemmon, SD has called Pastor Richard Kanzenbach, who currently serves Morning Star of Fairchild, Peace with God of Onalaska and Trinity of Millston, WI. • Bethel Lutheran in Morris, MN has called Professor Steve Sippert to serve as their Pastor.

'MAN UP' – ANNUAL CLC MEN'S RETREAT

The 2020 ManUp! Men's Retreat will be held September 24-27, 2020, at beautiful Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI, about an hour south of La Crosse. ManUp! offers strength and encouragement for men 18 and older for their personal faith, family, and fellowship at church. The weekend will include Bible study, fellowship, leadership training, team building, relationship building, worship, and many outdoor bonding activities. The cost is \$75, including lodging and meals. You can register at this link: www.tinyurl.com/manup-2020.

Visit our website, www.manup.clclutheran.org, for more information, pictures of previous "ManUp" weekends, and reviews of those who have attended in the past.

Missions/Cooperative Budget Plan Pledge 2020		
<i>The Cooperative Budget Plan (CBP) is a pledge established by the Voters of Calvary to participate in the work of the Church of the Lutheran Confession. The amount given to 'Missions' on your church envelope goes to this pledge. In the event that our offerings fall short of our pledge, the difference will be taken from the Calvary General Fund. The Fiscal year of the CLC runs from December 1- November 30 each year. In the event that our offerings exceed our pledge, additional funds will be placed in the General Fund.**</i>		
Amount Pledged 2020	Received as of 7/5/20	Amount Remaining
\$7000.00	\$1770.00	\$5230.00

CLCI SEMINARY STUDENT SPONSORSHIP - \$40/MO		
OCTOBER GOAL	RECEIVED 7/5	OCTOBER GOAL
\$40.00	\$0	\$40.00

The Offerings of Thankful Hearts – Calvary Offerings 7/5/20				
General Fund	Loose	Missions (CBP)	Spokesman	
\$925.00	\$125.00	\$105.00	\$14.00	
Total: \$1169.00				

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BIBLE READINGS FOR HOME DEVOTIONS JULY 13-18, 2020

Monday - Jeremiah 28:5-17 In a showdown between God's prophet and other preachers, how could the ordinary Bible-believer figure out which one as sent by God, and which was not? Answer: Watch and see who could predict the future (9). Hananiah was predicting freedom from the dominance of Babylon, and peace for Israel -- whereas God intended *war and disaster and pestilence* in order to humble Israel (8). Hananiah was a liar. Case closed (17).

Tuesday - Matthew 10:34-42 Christmas angels were telling the truth when they glorified God for providing peace between man and God— but since sinful humanity sidelined Jesus, He had to stand up for the truth, and so do His followers. It's painful, yes (34-39), but rewarding, too (40-42).

Wednesday - Romans 6:1-11 Since people come up with good reasons for doing what they want to do (1), Paul bolstered the Christian against that device, reminding them that they were raised from the dead, have left the cemetery behind, and are free to live as God intended all along (2-11). What a blessing God has given us—that we are freed from the curse of sin, freed from the penalty of sin, and free to walk hand-in-hand with Jesus!

Thursday - Psalm 89 extols the LORD, worthy of praise for creating and sustaining planet Earth (5-13). Which is fine and good, but God deserves our adoration most all for His loving-kindness to humanity via David (3-4, 19-37). Now, why did God select David for special protection? In order to supply humanity with the descendant of David who is the embodiment of God's mercies (1-2) and personification of God's righteousness and justice (14,33-37).

Friday - Luke 18:9-14 The Pharisee and Publican were Jewish, but they represent all mankind. The Pharisee stood boldly before God, justifying himself via his good works and good behavior (What's the point of being humble—if nobody notices?) while the Publican cringed in the shadows, humbly placing his case in God's hands, pleading for His mercy. (That's what touches God's heart.)

Saturday - Acts 13:13-41 Leaving the island of Cyprus behind and sailing 200 miles across open waters to the seaport of Perga, they trekked another 100 miles to the capital city, where Paul was invited to address the Jewish congregation (13-15) who needed to understand why God had favored their forefathers (16-22). He did it in order to provide a cradle for Jesus, of course, —who lived, died, and rose again, just as God had promised (23-33) in Psalm 16, which is NOT referring to the resurrection of David, but of Jesus. "Now, then, God intends that you entrust your salvation to Jesus (36-41)." Amen!



*A capable wife
who can find? She is far
more precious than jewels.*

Proverbs 31:10, NRSV

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Trinity Five Sunday July 12, 2020

THE BENEDICTION: Pastor

CONGREGATION: (Sung) "Amen, Amen, Amen."

CLOSING HYMN: 625 – "Oh, Blest the House, Whate'er Befall"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 12, 2020

THIS WEEK

Sunday: Divine Worship - 9:30am; Council Meeting

COUNCIL/VOTER'S MEETINGS

The Council meets this morning following worship. The Voter's will meet next Sunday, July 19th following worship. Please make a note to attend these meetings (social distancing observed).

OFFERING ENVELOPE RE-ORDER

Next Year's Offering Envelopes have already been reordered. If you receive a box of offering envelopes which you do not use, please speak to John Gummerus at your earliest convenience so that your box can be removed and we can stop paying for envelopes which are not used.

1-2 QUARTER TREASURER'S REPORT AVAILABLE

The Treasurer James Goodman has produced the 1st and 2nd Quarter reports in preparation for the Council and Voter's Meetings. If anyone would like a copy of said report, please request it of Jim Goodman.

CALVARY BUILDING FUND

There is no longer a Calvary Building Fund because there are no plans to build and no need for a Building Fund (regretfully there is still a Building Fund on the Offering Envelopes). Any offerings given toward a 'Calvary Building Fund' are rolled over into the General Fund. General Maintenance and upkeep on our buildings are funded through the General Fund.

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

The Council meets this morning, the Voters meet next Sunday July 19th. Next Sunday is also Confirmation Sunday and our confirmand is Adam Heikkila.

ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL – PRINCE OF PEACE, HECLA SD

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church of Hecla, SD, welcomes you to their annual Harvest Festival 4 pm Sunday, Aug. 9. An outdoor service will be held at the Marvin and Gwen Hansen homeplace, followed by a turkey barbecue dinner. Take either ND-1 or SD-37 to the ND/SD border. Then travel west along the State Line Road to the first home and barn on your left. You will see plenty of parked cars. RV parking and some housing is available. For more information, contact pastor_daub@hotmail.com or (605) 994-2145.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:

JEREMIAH 16:14-21

¹⁴ "Therefore behold, the days are coming," says the LORD, "that it shall no more be said, 'The LORD lives who brought up the children of Israel from the land of Egypt,' ¹⁵ but, 'The LORD lives who brought up the children of Israel from the land of the north and from all the lands where He had driven them.' For I will bring them back into their land which I gave to their fathers.

¹⁶ "Behold, I will send for many fishermen," says the LORD, "and they shall fish them; and afterward I will send for many hunters, and they shall hunt them from every mountain and every hill, and out of the holes of the rocks. ¹⁷ For My eyes *are* on all their ways; they are not hidden from My face, nor is their iniquity hidden from My eyes. ¹⁸ And first I will repay double for their iniquity and their sin, because they have defiled My land; they have filled My inheritance with the carcasses of their detestable and abominable idols."

¹⁹ O LORD, my strength and my fortress, My refuge in the day of affliction, The Gentiles shall come to You From the ends of the earth and say, "Surely our fathers have inherited lies, Worthlessness and unprofitable things." ²⁰ Will a man make gods for himself, Which *are* not gods?

²¹ "Therefore behold, I will this once cause them to know, I will cause them to know My hand and My might; And they shall know that My name is the LORD. *

EPISTLE LESSON:

1 PETER 2:4-10

⁴ Coming to Him *as to* a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God *and* precious, ⁵ you also, as living stones, are being built up a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. ⁶ Therefore it is also contained in the Scripture,

*"Behold, I lay in Zion A chief cornerstone, elect, precious,
And he who believes on Him will by no means be put to shame."*

⁷ Therefore, to you who believe, *He is* precious; but to those who are disobedient,

*"The stone which the builders rejected
Has become the chief cornerstone,"*

⁸ and

"A stone of stumbling And a rock of offense."

They stumble, being disobedient to the word, to which they also were appointed.

⁹ But you *are* a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light; ¹⁰ who once *were* not a people but *are* now the people of God, who had not obtained mercy but now have obtained mercy. *

THE GRADUAL -- (A Prayer for the Sunday read responsively)

Pastor: Behold, O God, our Shield:

Congregation: Look upon your servants with mercy.

Pastor: O Lord God of Hosts:

Congregation: Hear our prayers, O Lord. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Pastor: The King shall be Your Strength:

Congregation: We will rejoice in His Salvation. Hallelujah!

(Sung) Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

"Glory be to Thee, O Lord!"

GOSPEL LESSON:

MATTHEW 16:13-26

[cf. also Mark 8:27–30; Luke 9:18–21]

¹³ When Jesus came into the region of Caesarea Philippi, He asked His disciples, saying, "**Who do men say that I, the Son of Man, am?**"

¹⁴ So they said, "Some say John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets."

¹⁵ He said to them, "**But who do you say that I am?**"

¹⁶ Simon Peter answered and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

¹⁷ Jesus answered and said to him, "**Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh and blood has not revealed *this* to you, but My Father who is in heaven.**"

¹⁸ **And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it.** ¹⁹ **And I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven."**

²⁰ Then He commanded His disciples that they should tell no one that He was Jesus the Christ.

[cf. also Mark 8:31–33; Luke 9:22]

²¹ From that time Jesus began to show to His disciples that He must go to Jerusalem, and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and be raised the third day.

²² Then Peter took Him aside and began to rebuke Him, saying, "Far be it from You, Lord; this shall not happen to You!"

²³ But He turned and said to Peter, "**Get behind Me, Satan! You are an offense to Me, for you are not mindful of the things of God, but the things of men.**"

[cf. also Mark 8:34–37; Luke 9:23–25]

²⁴ Then Jesus said to His disciples, "**If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me.** ²⁵ **For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will find it.** ²⁶ **For what profit is it to a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul? ***

"Praise be to Thee, O Christ!"

CONFESSION OF FAITH:

APOSTLES CREED (PG. 12)

HYMN: 283 - "*God's Word is Our Great Heritage*"

THE SERMON:

PROVERBS 18:22

He who finds a wife finds a good thing, and obtains favor from the LORD.*

LIVING WITH A SPOUSE

THE OFFERINGS

In order to minimize contact with the ushers, you are asked to please leave your offerings in the basket on the table in the fellowship hall either before or after worship.

THE OFFERING HYMN:

(TLH 441:1-2,6)

We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be;
All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

May we Thy bounties thus As stewards true receive
And gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first-fruits give!

And we believe Thy Word, Though dim our faith may be:
Whate'er for Thine we do, O Lord, We do it unto Thee.

PRAYER(S)...THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN: 624 - "*O Blessed Home Where Man and Wife*"

THE COLLECT: Pastor

CONGREGATION: (Sung) "Amen."

4. O Lord, we come before Thy face; In every home bestow Thy grace On children, father, mother. Relieve their wants, their burdens ease, Let them together dwell in peace And love to one another.

CLOSING HYMN

OH, BLEST THE HOUSE, WHATE'ER BEFALL

1. Oh, blest the house, whate'er befall, Where Jesus Christ is all in all! Yea, if He were not dwelling there, How dark and poor and void it were!

2. Oh, blest that house where faith ye find And all within have set their mind To trust their God and serve Him still And do in all His holy will!

3. Oh, blest the parents who give heed Unto their children's foremost need And weary not of care or cost! May none to them and heaven be lost!

4. Blest such a house, it prospers well, In peace and joy the parents dwell, And in their children's lot is shown How richly God can bless His own.

5. Then here will I and mine today A solemn covenant make and say: Though all the world forsake Thy Word, I and my house will serve the Lord!

HYMN SHEET

(An effort to reduce the points of contact for the time being.)

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

PSALM 139:1-6

¹ O LORD, You have searched me and known *me*. ² You know my sitting down and my rising up; You understand my thought afar off. ³ You comprehend my path and my lying down, And are acquainted with all my ways. ⁴ For *there is* not a word on my tongue, *But* behold, O LORD, You know it altogether. ⁵ You have hedged me behind and before, And laid Your hand upon me. ⁶ *Such knowledge is* too wonderful for me; It is high, I cannot *attain* it.

PRAYERS BEFORE WORSHIP

FOR PROTECTION DURING THE DAY

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have brought us to the beginning of this day, defend us during this day with your mighty power so that we do not stumble into sin, nor run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings may be directed by Your rule may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord. Amen.

FOR GRACE TO LOVE AND SERVE GOD

O Lord God, through the grace of Your Holy Spirit, pour the gifts of love into the hearts of Your faithful people, grant to Your servants health both of mind and body that they may love You with their whole strength and with their whole heart perform those things that are pleasing to You, through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord. Amen.

HYMN

RISE, MY SOUL, TO WATCH AND PRAY

1. Rise, my soul, to watch and pray, From thy sleep awaken; Be not by the evil day Unawares o'ertaken. For the Foe, Well we know, Oft his harvest reapeth While the Christian sleepeth.

2. Watch against the devil's snares Lest asleep he find thee; For indeed no pains he spares To deceive and blind thee. Satan's prey Oft are they Who secure are sleeping And no watch are keeping.

3. Watch! Let not the wicked world With its pow'r defeat thee. Watch lest with her pomp unfurled She betray and cheat thee. Watch and see Lest there be Faithless friends to charm thee, Who but seek to harm thee.

4. Watch against thyself, my soul, Lest with grace thou trifle; Let not self thy tho'ts control Nor God's mercy stifle. Pride and sin Lurk within All thy hopes to scatter; Heed not when they flatter.

5. But while watching, also pray To the Lord unceasing. He will free thee, be thy stay, Strength and faith increasing. O Lord, bless In distress And let nothing swerve me From the will to serve Thee.

6. Therefore let us watch and pray, Knowing He will hear us As we see from day to day Dangers ever near us, And the end Doth impend-- Our redemption neareth When the Lord appeareth.

THE ORDER OF MORNING SERVICE

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

Congregation: (Sung) "Amen."

CONFESSION OF SINS

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.

Congregation: (Sung) "Who made heaven and earth."

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

Congregation: (Sung) "And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin."

Pastor: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto Thee that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against Thee by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Thine infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Thy 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."

ABSOLUTION

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 on His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

Congregation: (Sung) "Amen."

LITURGICAL HYMN

GLORY BE TO GOD THE FATHER

Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son, Glory be to God the Spirit: Great Jehovah, Three in One! Glory, glory, While eternal ages run!

Glory be to Him who loved us, Washed us from each spot and stain; Glory be to Him who bought us, Made us kings with Him to reign! Glory, glory, To the Lamb that once was slain!

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PRE-SERMON HYMN

GOD'S WORD IS OUR GREAT HERITAGE

1. God's Word is our great heritage And shall be ours forever; To spread its light from age to age Shall be our chief endeavor. Through life it guides our way, In death it is our stay. Lord, grant, while worlds endure, We keep its teachings pure. Throughout all generations.

OFFERING HYMN

WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN

We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be;
All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

May we Thy bounties thus As stewards true receive
And gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first-fruits give!

And we believe Thy Word, Though dim our faith may be:
Whate'er for Thine we do, O Lord, We do it unto Thee.

POST-SERMON HYMN

O BLESSED HOME WHERE MAN AND WIFE

1. O blessed home where man and wife Together lead a godly life,
By deeds their faith confessing! There many a happy day is spent,
There Jesus gladly will consent To tarry with His blessing.

2. If they have given Him their heart, The place of honor set apart
For Him each night and morrow, Then He the storms of life will calm,
Will bring for every wound a balm, And change to joy their sorrow.

3. And if their home be dark and drear, The cruse be empty,
hunger near, All hope within them dying, Let them despair not in
distress; Lo, Christ is there the bread to bless, The fragments
multiplying.