

# ST. LUKE'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH 10:30 a.m.

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Lemmon, SD 57638

*We are affiliated with the Church of the Lutheran Confession (CLC).*

*Richard Kanzenbach*

*Pastor*

## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Katie Wiechmann, Organist

July 13, 2025

### **WELCOME!**

*"We love Him, because He first loved us." ---I John 4:19*

**ORDER OF SERVICE:** Supplement, page 12,

**HYMNS 537** Every Morning Mercies New!

**EPISTLE: ROMANS 8:18-23** The sufferings of this present life are not worth comparing with the bliss of heaven. The created world suffers from the effects of sin. The created world itself awaits the glorious day of man's final rescue.

**PSALM 85**, p. 40 Lord, You Have Been Favorable.

**GOSPEL: Luke 6:36-42** Jesus teaches that "judging"—that is, *self-righteous judging*—is always wrong. It puts others down to lift "self" up. --- Godly judging, however, is different. The Bible teaches Christians to make godly judgments every day—to recognize sin as "sin" and to call sin "sin," to stay away from "sin" and to instruct others to depart from "sin." Such action does not put others down, but in love leads the others to repentance, forgiveness in Jesus, and new life before God.

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**Hymn 281** The Savior Calls!

## **SERMON: Psalm 8**

### **GREAT HONOR TO THE LORD FOR HIS HONOR TO THE LOWLY !**

<sup>1</sup> *O LORD, our Lord,  
How excellent is Your name in all the earth,  
Who have set Your glory above the heavens!*

<sup>2</sup> *Out of the mouth of babes and nursing infants  
You have ordained strength;  
(Because of Your enemies)  
That You may silence the enemy and the avenger.*

<sup>3</sup> *When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers,  
The moon and the stars, which You have ordained,*

<sup>4</sup> *What is man that You are mindful of him,*

*And the son of man [Son of Man] that You visit him?*

<sup>5</sup> *For You have made him a little lower than the angels,  
And You have crowned him with glory and honor.*

<sup>6</sup> *You have made him to have dominion over the works of Your hands;  
You have put all things under his feet,*

<sup>7</sup> *All sheep and oxen—  
Even the beasts of the field,*

<sup>8</sup> *The birds of the air,  
And the fish of the sea  
That pass through the paths of the seas.*

<sup>9</sup> *O LORD, our Lord, how excellent is Your name in all the earth!*

## **Offering**

**Prayer** and Lord's Prayer

**Hymn 394** My Faith Looks up to Thee!

## **Benediction**

**Hymn 54** Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah!

**IN OUR PRAYERS:** Julie Schopp has been hospitalized at Hettinger.

**SCHEDULE:**

7/16 Wednesday 9:30-3:30. VBS.

7/20 **10:30** Worship with COMMUNION

12:00 Potluck Fellowship Meal

1:00 Quarterly Voters Meeting

7/27 CHURCH PICNIC SUNDAY at Pederson cabin, Shadehill Reservoir.

**10:30** Worship

12:00 Potluck Picnic Meal

**VBS:** VBS will be held Wednesday this week, 7/16/25, from 9:30 – 3:30. Please bring a sack lunch. Visitors are welcome! To assist with planning, please phone 605-413-2292 to give number of students attending. Thank you!

**THE CLC’S “KINSHIP” PROGRAM:** Kinship began in the 1980’s with the aim of being an avenue through which stateside CLC members could help primarily with the physical and material needs of the orphan children among our sister church body, the CLCI in India. Kinship receives monthly funds through CLC “sponsors.” By the Lord’s grace and guidance KINSHIP has expanded greatly. Kinship currently is ready to provide aid for:

1. Orphans—not just in India, but also in Tanzania, Kenya, Congo, Togo, Nepal, and most recently, in Myanmar.
2. Adult men attending our foreign seminaries and Bible schools.
3. Widows of indigenous pastors.
4. Medical assistance.
5. Storm and disaster relief.

**THE CLC’s MDF—MISSION DEVELOPMENT FUND:** The Mission Development Fund is a similar fund. Kinship aids *people*; the MDF supports *projects* in our overseas and U.S. missions:

- Exploring new mission fields
- Building overseas churches
- Building overseas seminary buildings
- Helping native pastors with books, bikes, and food
- Distributing Bibles and catechisms
- Funding regional conferences for native pastors
- Covering expenses for U.S. pastors to serve as part-time foreign missionaries.

**STATUS OF ILC BUILDING PROJECT:** A project to build a new gym has been approved by the three latest CLC conventions. However, construction will not begin until all funding is “secured” (meaning pledged, but not necessarily in waiting in the building fund). The project is estimated to be \$10 - \$12 million. As of the present, approximately half of the funding has been secured. We entrust this step to the Lord.

**CHURCH CLEANERS!**

July—Autumn W. and Ericka W. We thank you!

**LAWNMOWING:** Thank you, Donell Pederson and Layton Pederson for mowing on Friday!

**ST. LUKE’S ON THE WEB:**

For live videos of our service (streamed) on Facebook. Go to:

<https://www.facebook.com/lemmonlutheran>

For St. Luke’s webpage, go to <https://lemmon.clclutheran.org/>. Bulletins, sermons, and videos of services are available there.. Also available are St. Luke's contact info., location, schedule, Bible confession, etc.