

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

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Pastor

CHURCH PICNIC SUNDAY

(SERVICE AT PEDERSON CABIN, SHADEHILL RESERVOIR)

6TH AFTER TRINITY

JULY 27, 2025

WELCOME !

"Come ye apart . . . and rest for a while." --Mark 6:31

TLH 436 The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

1. The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want; He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; He leadeth me the quiet waters by.
2. My soul He doth restore again and me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness, e'en for His own Name's sake.
3. Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear no ill;
For Thou art with me, and Thy rod and staff me comfort still.
4. My table Thou hast furnish-ed in presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows.
5. Goodness and mercy, all my life, shall surely follow me;
And in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be. Amen!

PSALM 130

P: Out of the depths I have cried to You, O LORD; Lord, hear my voice!

C: Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications.

P: If You, LORD, should mark iniquities,

C: O Lord, who could stand?

P: But there is forgiveness with You,

C: That You may be feared.

P: I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,

C: And in His Word I do hope.

P: My soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning—

C: Yes, more than those who watch for the morning.

P: O Israel, hope in the LORD;

C: For with the LORD there is mercy,

P: And with Him is abundant redemption.

C: And He shall redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

HYMN 388 vv. 1, 4, 5 Just as I Am, without One Plea

1 Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy blood was shed for me,
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

4 Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind.
Sight, riches, healing of the mind—
Yea, all I need—in Thee to find,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come

5 Just as I am, Thou wilt receive,
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve.
Because Thy promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come. Amen!

EPISTLE: Romans 6:10-14 Through Christ, the believer is dead to sin and alive to God. Sin's punishment is broken. You are free! Do not let sin rule over you again; willingly serve the Lord.

GOSPEL: Matthew 5:20-26 To get oneself to heaven, one would have to be perfect—even better than that of Pharisees of Jesus' day! Even spiteful words, anger, and hate are aspects of murder and disqualify one from heaven. In Christ there is forgiveness. In that forgiveness live at peace with one another.

APOSTLES' CREED

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 376 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me!

1. Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee;
Let the water and the blood,
From Thy riven side which flowed
Be of sin the double cure;
Cleanse me from its guilt and power

2. Not the labors of my hands
Can fulfill Thy Law's demands;
Could my zeal no respite know,
Could my tears forever flow,
All for sin could not atone;
Thou must save, and Thou alone!

3. Nothing in my hand I bring,
Simply to Thy cross I cling;
Naked, come to Thee for dress;
Helpless, look to Thee for grace
Foul, I to the fountain fly—
Wash me, Savior, or I die!

4. While I draw this fleeting breath,
When mine eyelids close in death,
When I soar to worlds unknown,
When I see Thee on Thy throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee! Amen!

SERMON: Matthew 9:35-38

FOR EVERY LAST ONE

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people. But when He saw the multitudes, He was moved with compassion for them, because they were weary and scattered, like sheep having no shepherd. Then He said to His disciples, "The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest."

HYMN 457 What a Friend We Have in Jesus!

1. What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear~
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!
Oh, what peace we often forfeit, oh, what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

2. Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged, take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness—take it to the Lord in prayer!

3. Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge—take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer.
In His arms He'll take and shield Thee. Thou will find a solace there! Amen!

Offering, Prayer, Lord's Prayer, Benediction

HYMN 577 God, Bless Our Native Land!

God bless our native land!
Firm may she ever stand
Through storm and night!
When the wild tempests rave,
Ruler of wind and wave,
Do Thou our country save
By Thy great might!

For her our prayers shall rise
To God above the skies;
On Him we wait.
Thou Who art ever nigh,
Guarding with watchful eye,
To Thee aloud we cry,
God save the State! Amen!

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ENJOY THE PICNIC DAY! POTLUCK MEAL *after the service.*

SCHEDULE:

8/03 10:30 Worship. No Communion. Lay Reader.

8/10 10:30 Worship.

8/17 10:30 Worship with HOLY COMMUNION.

REPORT FROM VOTERS MEETING, 7-20-25:

Attendance: 7 voters, plus pastor

Pastor's Report:

Death in Christ: Bill Erhart, 5-19-25; service, 5-27-25.

Requesting Membership Release: Madelyn Larson, Bismarck, ND.

Hospital/Shut-In Visits: B.Erhart, A.Rieger, M.Lillich, D.Colgrove, M.Thingvold

Absentee Contacts: Various.

VBS: Wednesday, July 16—15 students

Pastors Conference: "On-line" Communion opens Communion to abuse.

2nd Quarter Finances and Funds: Sheets available in church entry.

Updated Ushers Manual: Completed and available.

Lawnmowing: Volunteer system mowing is working.

Pine Trees: The new pine trees, re-staked more sturdily.

Calendar: August-September-October. Approved. Copies in entry area.

August 3—Pastor vacation Sunday

August 30—Thaddeus Wiechmann and Katya Stiegelmeier wedding at St. L.

September 7—Bible Class and Sunday School resume

October 26—Reformation Sunday. Also 3rd Quarter Voters Meeting.

VOTERS' ITEMS AVAILABLE ON BULLETIN-TABLE AT CHURCH:

Meeting Agenda, Pastor's Report, Treasurers' Reports

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