

# ST. LUKE'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

208 11<sup>th</sup> Street E., Lemmon, SD 57638

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

*Richard Kanzenbach*

*Pastor*

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*SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 10:30 a.m.*

*18th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY FESTIVAL*

*Ruth Wiechmann*

*Organist*

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## **WELCOME!**

*"Come unto Me all you who labor and are heavy laden,  
and I will give you rest." --Matthew 11:28*

## **ORDER OF SERVICE:**

Supplement, page 12

**Hymn 11** Safely through Another Week

**EPISTLE: I Corinthians 1:1-9.** Through His Word, God has blessed us with His grace in Christ (undeserved love and pardon). We eagerly wait for Jesus' return, and on that Last Day we will be found blameless! God, who has called us to faith, is faithful and will keep us safe in Christ.

**GOSPEL Matthew 22:34-46.** Jesus' enemies with their shallow wisdom tried to trap Jesus in His words. They asked Him which commandment was the greatest. Jesus promptly answered: "Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, and mind." Then *Jesus* asked *them* a question: "Whose son will the Messiah be?" They answered "the son of David." Jesus, however, pointed them to an Old Testament passage which states that the Messiah would be *David's Lord!* The enemies would not comment or respond. They did not want to admit that the Promised One would in fact be *both* Son of God and son of man. If that were the case, then Jesus of Nazareth would fit the description perfectly---which they did not want to state. They were not so wise.

**Apostles' Creed:** Supplement, page 15.

**Hymn 258** Lord of Our Life and God of Our Salvation!

## **SERMON: II Corinthians 4:1-10**

### **GLORY! AND NO GLORY**

#### **GLORY:**

*Therefore, since we have this ministry as we have received mercy, we do not lose heart. But we have renounced the hidden things of shame, not walking in craftiness nor handling the Word of God deceitfully, but by manifestation of the truth, commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.*

*But even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing, whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.*

*For we do not preach ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord, and ourselves your bondservants for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.*

#### **NO GLORY:**

*But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us. We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed—always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body.*

**Hymn 492** Lord of the Living Harvest

Benediction

**Hymn 649** Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me!

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**THANK YOU AGAIN:** *"Again thank you to the congregaton for unloading the moving truck two weeks ago, for the warm welcome, for the wonderful parsonage you have provided for us, and much more! We are still making order out of the boxes. We are hoping to learn your names and faces soon as the weeks and months go by. I have begun making home visits. You are always welcome to stop at the parsonage, perhaps just to chat at the door for a few minutes. It is a joy to be here and to serve the Savior's flock at St. Luke's."*

---Pastor & Judy Kanzenbach

#### **SUNDAY SCHEDULE:**

10/18 9:30 Bible Class & Sunday School

10:30 Worship with COMMUNION

## 10/25 REFORMATION SUNDAY

9:30 Bible Class & Sunday School

10:30 Worship

11:45 THIRD QUARTER VOTERS MEETING

11/01 9:30 Bible Class & Sunday School

10:30 Worship with COMMUNION

11/08 9:30 Bible Class & Sunday School

10:30 Worship

**VOTERS MEETING:** Two weeks from today, October 25, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Voters Meeting will be held after worship. Voters, please make plans to stay. Your presence will be a joy!

**COUNCIL MEETING:** The church council will meet on Thursday, October 22, at 7:00 pm., in preparation for the voters meeting on 10/25.

**WEEKLY LABORS:** Thank you for the faithful labors of those cleaning the Lord's house. October cleaners: Kathy Larson Angela Lane Jodi Larson Katie Wiechmann.

**PARKING:** The orange survey stakes on the north side of 11<sup>th</sup> Street were installed last Saturday. The owners of the parcel across the street have respectfully asked that we take note of the marked property line and also of the unmarked boulevard line--which is approximately 13 feet closer to the street (as estimated by city hall). If curb and gutter were poured, the 13 foot line would be the approximate location. The owners consider the boulevard as part of their lawn and grass and do not want it damaged. Please only parallel park on the north side of 11<sup>th</sup> Street, as if a curb stood at the 13 foot line. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to show our winsome conduct and love in Christ. Thank you.

## CALL NEWS:

--**Professor John Reim** has announced his retirement from the teaching ministry at ILC effective at the end of the current school year.

--**Johnathan Schnose**, a former pastor in the WELS, has been progressing through the CLC colloquy process. Prior to the CLC Board of Doctrine's final approval, candidates are asked to help serve in CLC congregations as opportunities arise. Johnathan has been asked (called) to serve as a temporary resident vacancy pastor at Redeemer, Bowdle, and Zion, Ipswich, SD.

--**Mission Visitor Pastor Todd Ohlmann** has returned the call extended to him to serve as pastor at Living Savior, Eden Prairie, MN.

## A LITTLE ABOUT THE KANZENBACHS

I was born in 1952 in Beaver Dam, WI. My parents were Norman and Margaret (Friese) Kanzenbach. My two sisters are Laura (Mrs. LeRoy) Rank of rural Oshkosh, WI, and Sue (Mrs. Daryl) Wuenne of rural Theresa (Mayville), WI. I was baptized at St. John's Lutheran Church (WELS) in Juneau, WI. My family lived in Juneau until I was 10, then moved near Appleton, WI.

I attended Lutheran grade schools and high school. I graduated from Northwestern College of Watertown, WI, in 1974 and Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary of Mequon, WI, in 1979, all schools in the WELS.

I married Judy Noeldner of rural South Shore, SD, in 1978. Judy was raised on a farm 18 miles north of Watertown. She has one surviving sister, Joyce Kasuske, who lives in Milbank, SD. We have three sons: Jason, Matthew, and Paul. Jason & Amy with six daughters live in Sioux Falls, SD. Matthew & Jill with one son live in Livonia (Detroit), MI. Paul & Sarah with two boys, one girl, and one on the way live in Milwaukee, WI. Matthew and Paul teach in WELS grade schools. Jason manages a nursery and landscaping operation in Sioux Falls.

My first call was to Ascension Lutheran of Moorhead, MN, followed by Trinity Lutheran of Aberdeen, SD, (WELS). I later served as a teacher at Great Plains Lutheran High School (WELS) in Watertown, SD. For reasons of conscience I resigned from GPLHS in May of 2006 and found secular employment.

After two years of investigation, study, and prayer Judy and I terminated our membership in the WELS and joined Trinity (CLC) in Watertown, SD. In April, 2010, I completed the CLC colloquy process and accepted the call to Morning Star of Fairchild, WI. In 2011 I also accepted the call to serve Peace with God in Onalaska, WI, as a dual parish with Morning Star. In 2015, I accepted a third call to Trinity in Millston, WI, and began serving a tri-parish. From 2010-2020, we lived in Osseo, WI.

I am convinced the call to serve St. Luke's in Lemmon has come by the Lord's direction. I am happy to serve His sheep and lambs here with the Good News of forgiveness and eternal life in Christ!

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