

ST. LUKE'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH 9:30 a.m.

208 11th Street E.

Lemmon, SD 57638

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

Richard Kanzenbach

Pastor

7TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY FESTIVAL

Ruth Wiechmann, organist

July 18, 2021

WELCOME !

This is good and acceptable in the sight of God, our Savior, who will have all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the Truth. --- I Timothy 2:4

The Lord . . . is not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. --- II Peter 3;8

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

What is the Sacrament of the Altar? It is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ together with the bread and the wine for us Christians to eat and to drink instituted by Christ Himself. Small Catechism, Dr. Martin Luther

ORDER OF SERVICE: Supplement, page 12 with Holy Communion.

Hymn 545 The Morning Sun Is Brightly Beaming!

EPISTLE: Romans 6:19b-23 Sin entraps and enslaves. (Both original sin and actual sin take us captive and lead us to death. Original sin is the sin and guilt we inherit by birth--infected trees produce infected fruit. Actual sins are the sins we commit--actual disobedient thoughts, words, and deeds in our lives.)

However, through Christ we have been gloriously freed from this slavery to sin and death. We have new life as a gift, opposite of what we deserve! Each day there is new and sure righteousness through faith in Christ. Thus, we are forgiven and pure! Therefore, willingly and gladly live to please your Lord! The wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus.

PSALM 85, p. 40 "Lord, You Have Been Favorable!"

GOSPEL: Mark 8:1-9 The Feeding of the 4000 (Mark 8:1-9) is sometimes confused with the feeding of the 5000 (Mark 6:32-44). The two events are similar, but distinctly different. Both teach us to be confident, that the Savior who brings us spiritual relief before the Father also provides our daily bread. Trust Him. Thank Him.

NICENE CREED: Supplement, page 5.

Hymn 571 What Our Father Does Is Well!

SERMON: Psalm 116

MORE THAN JUST A JOB

For God / For You

*I love the Lord, because He has heard my voice and my supplications.
Because He has inclined His ear to me, therefore I will call upon Him as long
as I live.*

*The pains of death surrounded me, and the pangs of Sheol laid hold of me;
I found trouble and sorrow.*

*Then I called upon the name of the Lord: "O Lord, I implore You, deliver my
soul!"*

Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; yes, our God is merciful.

*The Lord preserves the simple; I was brought low, and **He saved me.***

Return to your rest, O my soul, for the Lord has dealt bountifully with you.

*For You have delivered my soul from death, my eyes from tears, and my feet
from falling.*

I will walk before the Lord in the land of the living.

I believed, therefore I spoke, "I am greatly afflicted."

I said in my haste, "All men are liars."

What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits toward me?

I will take up the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord.

I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people.

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints.

*O Lord, truly I am Your servant; I am Your servant, the son of Your
maidservant; **You have loosed my bonds.***

***I will offer to You the sacrifice of thanksgiving,** and will call upon the name of
the Lord.*

*I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people,
in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.*

Praise the Lord!

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 27 Oh, bless the Lord, My Soul!!

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

VISITORS , *please kindly note that our congregation does not practice “open” communion. Communion is an expression of oneness—certainly oneness with the Lord, but also oneness in faith and teaching with one another. Differences of Bible teaching do separate. In keeping with the unity enjoined by God, we practice a “close-knit” communion. We ask that only members of St. Luke’s and sister CLC congregations come forward. Be assured, we are not judging anyone’s heart or faith in Jesus. God alone knows the heart. For further questions, please speak with the pastor. Thank you.*

Hymn (Communion distribution *TLH 314 modified*)

LORD JESUS CHRIST, WE HUMBLY PRAY

Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly pray,
For we receive from Thee today
Beneath this simple bread and wine,
Thy body and Thy blood divine.

Impart to us the greatest good
Bought by Thy body and Thy blood
Impart the peace of sins forgiven
And blessed rest for heirs of heaven.

One bread, one cup, one body, we,
United by our life with Thee,
Proclaim Thy love till Thou shalt come
And take Thy scattered loved ones home.

Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly pray,
To keep us steadfast to that day,
That each shall be Thy welcomed guest
When Thou shalt spread Thy heavenly feast. Amen.

Benediction

Hymn 399 vv. 1-2 Thee Will I Love, My Strength, My Tower!

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ST. LUKE’S VIDEOS OF SERVICES: If you are unable to be at worship, please find our service at St. Luke’s Facebook page.

CHURCH PICNIC SUNDAY: Next Sunday, 7/25, worship will be at **Ketterlings Point**, Shadehill. 2nd Quarter Voters Meeting will follow and a potluck meal. **SERVICE STARTS AT 10:00.** Thank you.

SCHEDULE:

07/22 THURSDAY COUNCIL MEETING
07/25 CHURCH PICNIC - **Worship and Meal** - **Ketterlings Point, Shadehill**
10:00 Worship
11:15 QUARTERLY VOTERS MEETING
12:30 Potluck Meal
08/01 9:30 Worship with Communion
08/08 9:30 Worship

CLEANING CHURCH: Thank you for labors all!

July: L. Bubbers K. Christman R. Wiechmann J. Olson

August: R. Tomac

WOMEN'S RETREAT WEST: Friday, 9/17 – 9/19 Chadron State Park, Chadron, NE. A time away from daily life, filled with fellowship with Christian women, digging into God's Word, pondering His love and mercy in Christ, seeking to bring Him into daily life. \$125, includes 2 nights lodging and 5 meals. State Park Entrance Fee required. Please register by 8/10. Hosted by: Grace, Valentine; Redeemer, Cheyenne; and Prince of Peace, Loveland. Chaplain: Pastor Nolting, Valentine. Information in entry area.

HECLA HARVEST FESTIVAL: Prince of Peace Lutheran Church of Hecla, SD, welcomes you to their annual Harvest Festival, 4 pm, Sunday, Aug. 8. An outdoor service will be held on the grounds of the Guelph School, followed by a turkey barbecue dinner. This is a different location from last year. Guelph, ND, is between Ellendale and Oakes ND, one mile off ND-11 at the sign which directs you north. Turn right into Guelph, and you will find the school grounds just past the three houses in town. You will see plenty of parked cars. For more information, contact pastor_daub@hotmail.com or (605) 994-2145.

CALL NEWS:

Pastor Mark Tiefel, Lynnwood, WA, has received the call to Living Savior, Eden Prairie, MN.

Pastor Luke Willitz, recently received by colloquy (formerly WELS) has received the call to Redeemer, Cheyenne, WY.

FOR CONVENTION SUMMARY by PASTOR W. EICHSTADT, SECRETARY:
(See bulletin insert.)

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