

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

208 11th Street E.

Lemmon, SD 57638

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

Richard Kanzenbach

Pastor

18th Sunday after Trinity Festival

Rhonda Tomac, organist

October 3, 2021

WELCOME !

He [Abram] believed in the LORD, and He accounted it to him for righteousness. --- Genesis 15:6

HOLY COMMUNION

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is also known as "The Lord's Supper," a most appropriate name. Christ and His disciples were celebrating the Passover Supper. It was His last meal with them before His betrayal and death.. That meal has been called the Last Supper. (Da Vinci's famous painting). During the Passover Meal, or Last Supper, Jesus instituted a new and special eating and drinking. Using the unleavened bread and the grape wine of the Passover Meal, He shared with His disciples His true body and blood for their personal assurance of redemption from sin, death, and hell. He instructed them to celebrate it often. We still do. This special eating and drinking is called Holy Communion, the Sacrament of the Altar, and the Lord's Supper.

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Hymn 8 Father, Who the Light This Day out of Darkness Didst Create!

On page 17: **The Kyrie** will be read by the Pastor

In place of the **Gloria in Excelsis**, the congregation will sing
Hymn 16 vv. 1 & 4, "Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word"

EPISTLE: I Corinthians 1:1-9. Through His Word, God has blessed us with His grace (undeserved love and pardon) in Christ. We, now, eagerly await Jesus' return on that Last Day, when we will be found blameless! God, who has called us to faith, is faithful. He 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 answered: "Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, and mind." Jesus asked *them* a question: "Whose son is the Messiah?" They promptly 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 did not respond. They did not want to admit that the Promised Messiah would be in fact *both* Son of God *and* son of man. That description fit Jesus and His miraculous power perfectly---which they did not want to acknowledge. They were not so wise.

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Hymn 657 Beautiful Savior!

SERMON: Luke 7:36-50

HOW MUCH DO YOU LOVE THE LORD? WHY?

Then one of the Pharisees asked Him to eat with him. And He went to the Pharisee's house, and sat down to eat. And behold, a woman in the city who was a sinner, when she knew that Jesus sat at the table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of fragrant oil, and stood at His feet behind Him weeping; and she began to wash His feet with her tears, and wiped them with the hair of her head; and she kissed His feet and anointed them with the fragrant oil.

Now when the Pharisee who had invited Him saw this, he spoke to himself, saying, "This Man, if He were a prophet, would know who and what manner of woman this is who is touching Him, for she is a sinner."

And Jesus answered and said to him, "Simon, I have something to say to you." So he said, "Teacher, say it." "There was a certain creditor who had two debtors. One owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. And when they had nothing with which to repay, he freely forgave them both. Tell Me, therefore, which of them will love him more?" Simon answered and said, "I suppose the one whom he forgave more." And He said to him, "You have rightly judged."

Then He turned to the woman and said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she has washed My feet with her tears and wiped them with the hair of her head. You gave Me no kiss, but this woman has not ceased to kiss My feet since the time I came in. You did not anoint My head with [olive] oil, but this woman has anointed My feet with fragrant oil. Therefore I say to you, her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she loved much. But to whom little is forgiven, the same loves little."

Then He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." And those who sat at the table with Him began to say to themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?" Then He said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you. Go in peace."

Prayer

Hymn 330 I Come to Thee, O Blessed Lord!

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

VISITORS, *please 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 each other. Differences of Bible teaching do separate. In keeping with the unity expressed in the Lord’s Supper, we follow a “close-knit” communion practice. We ask that only members of St. Luke’s and sister CLC congregations come forward. Be assured, we are not judging your heart or your faith in Jesus. God alone knows the heart. For further questions, please visit with the pastor.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION: For the sake of “distance,” we ask that four come forward at a time, except if the group is immediate family.

Distribution Hymn 324 Jesus, Sinners Doth Receive!

Benediction

Hymn 309 O Jesus Blessed Lord, to Thee My Heartfelt Thanks Forever Be!

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SCHEDULE:

10/10	10:30 Worship	9:30 Bible Class and Sunday School
10/17	MISSION FESTIVAL	
	10:30 Worship with Holy Communion	9:30 B.Class & Sun. Sch.
	12:00 Potluck Meal and Presentation	
10/24	10:30 Worship	9:30 Bible Class and Sunday School
	Potulck Meal (?) and VOTERS MEETING	
10/31	10:30 Worship	9:30 Bible Class and Sunday School
	REFORMATION DAY	

ST. LUKE’S ON THE WEB:

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

[shttps://www.facebook.com/lemmonlutheran](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.. St. Luke’s contact info., location, schedule, beliefs, etc. are also available there.

BIRTH: Raven Arriella Fischer, October 2, 2021, to Zachary and Alexandra Fischer. Grandmother Angela Hopfinger Lane. The Lord’s blessings!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10: Next Sunday, Pastor Kanzenbach will be serving as Mission Festival speaker at Berea in Sioux Falls. St. Luke’s will have a lay-reader service. Bible Class and Sunday School will be at 9:30 as usual. Thank you.

MISSION FESTIVAL: Mission Festival will be October 17. Guest Speaker will be Pastor Aaron Ude of Rapid City, SD. A potluck meal and presentation are planned. The schedule for the day will generally be:

9:30 Sunday School and Bible Class.

10:30 Festival Worship with Communion

12:00 Potluck Fellowship Meal

1:00 Mission Presentation

MISSION PRESENTATION: After the meal Pastor Ude will present a video of interviews with Pastor Jyothi Benjamin of India, and Pastor Raju Bhitrakoti of Nepal. Both attended ILC seminary. The interviews were conducted by internet for Messiah, Eau Claire's, mission festival and have been made available for use by others. We thank Pastor Ude for his expertise, and Messiah congregation for engineering and providing the interviews. May the Lord bless the preaching of the Gospel of Jesus through our fellowship ties around and the world, and via all who preach Christ the only Savior!

FALL VOTERS MEETING ON 10/24: The fall Quarterly Meeting will be held Sunday, 10/24. Please give some thought to whether you wish to have a potluck meal prior to the meeting. It would mean meals two Sundays in a row.

ST. LUKE'S REFORMATION SERVICE: Sunday, October 31, 2021.

JOINT AREA REFORMATION SERVICE: SUNDAY, 11/7, 6:00 PM.: The annual Joint Area Reformation Service held at Our Savior's, Jamestown, ND, will be at 6:00 pm., Sunday 11/7. A meal will follow. You are invited!

SPOKESMAN DELAY: The company that prints and mails the *Lutheran Spokesman* has had a fire. The October *Spokesman* is running about two weeks late. It should arrive soon. It is hoped that the November issue can be delivered on-time. --- Professor Paul Naumann, editor

CALL NEWS: **Pastor Tom Schuetze**, Lakewood, CO, has received the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO (St. Louis area).

RETIREMENT: **Pastor Dave Fuerstenau**, Ketchikan, AK, is retires from the public ministry this month. He and his wife Roxy will reside in Eau Claire, WI. The Savior's blessings!

APPLYING FOR COLLOQUY: **Mr. Philip "Tony" Bolen**, Aberdeen, SD, member at Prince of Peace, Hecla, SD, has requested a colloquy with the Board of Doctrine. He was formerly a pastor in the LC-MS. Tony has been a guest at our services various times.

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: We thank the following:
K. Larson, A. Lane, J. Larson, K. Wiechmann, J. Wiechmann

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