

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

200 11th Street E.

Lemmon, SD 57638

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

Richard Kanzenbach

Pastor

2ND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Ruth Wiechmann, Organist

April 23, 2023

WELCOME!

“For me to live is Christ; to die is gain.” ---Philippians 1:21

ORDER OF SERVICE: Hymnal, page 5

Hymn 733 This Joyful Easter Tide!

On Page 7: **The Kyrie** will be read by the Pastor.

In place of the **Gloria in Excelsis—Hymn 189**

“He Is Arisen, Glorious Word!”

EPISTLE: I Peter 2:21-25 The Savior suffered in innocence on the cross. He did not retaliate. He had come to save. He is the loving Shepherd and Overseer of our souls, enduring all, to rescue straying sheep like us.

GOSPEL: John 10:11-16 Jesus is the Good Shepherd, who “laid down His life for the sheep.” No one took His life from Him. He willingly laid it down of His own accord. He, the God-man, took it up again! He lives! In Him we are safe and are saved!

THE APOSTLES' CREED: Hymnal, page 12.

Hymn 436 The Lord's My Shepherd

SERMON: JOHN 10:14-18

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE SHEPHERD

I am the Good Shepherd; and I know My sheep, and am known by My own. As the Father knows Me, even so I know the Father; and I lay down My life for the sheep.

And other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they will hear My voice; and there will be one flock and one shepherd.

Therefore My Father loves Me, because I lay down My life that I may take it again. No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from My Father.

Offering

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 783 Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep

1) Jesus, Shepherd of the sheep,
Who Thy Father's flock dost keep,
Safe we wake and safe we sleep,
Guided still by Thee.

2) In Thy promise firm we stand,
None can pluck us from Thy hand,
Speak, O Lord, at Thy command,
We will follow Thee.

3) By Thy blood our souls were bought,
By Thy life salvation wrought,
By Thy light our feet are taught,
Lord, to follow Thee.

4) Father, draw us to Thy Son,
We with joy will follow on,
Till the work of grace is done,
And from sin set free.

5) We in robes of glory dressed,
Join th'assembly of the blest,
Gathered to eternal rest,
In the fold with Thee. Amen.

Benediction

Hymn 341 vv. 4-5 Crown Him with Many Crowns!

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

Today	Sun.	10:30	Worship	9:30	B.Class & S.Sch.
		12:00	Potluck Meal		
		1:00	<u>Quarterly Voters Meeting</u>		
04/30	Sun.	10:30	Worship	9:30	B.Class & S.Sch
05/07	Sun.	10:30	Worship with COMMUNION	9:30	B.Class & S.Sch

VOTERS MEETING TODAY: 1:00 p.m.

LOCATING NEW PONDEROSA PINES: If so interested, eight stakes have been located on the west and northwest side of the church as possible locations for the eight ponderosa pines that will be planted this spring. Please look them over and give your advice. It's on the Voters Meeting agenda. Thank you!

CHURCH CLEANING:

May—Kathy L. and Ericka W. Thank you very much!

CALL NEWS:

Mrs. Chris Gerbitz, member at Peace Thru Christ,, Middleton, WI has accepted the call to teach at Peace Thru Christ Lutheran School re-opening this fall.

Jonah Albrecht, 2023 graduate from Immanuel Lutheran Seminary, Eau Claire, WI, has been called by the assignment committee to serve Redemption, Lynnwood, WA, and Ascension, Tacoma, WA.

Stephen Krause, 2023 graduate from Immanuel Lutheran College, Eau Claire, WI, has been called by the assignment committee to teach at Grace Lutheran School, Valentine, NE.

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.

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