

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

19th Sunday after Trinity Festival

Autumn Wiechmann, organist

October 6, 2024

WELCOME!

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore will not we fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea."

---Psalm 46:1-2

THE SACRAMENT OF "THE LORD'S SUPPER"

Thy body, given for me, O Savior,
Thy blood which Thou for me didst shed,
These are my life and strength forever,
By them my hungry soul is fed.
Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood
Be for my soul the highest good! Amen!

--TLH 315 v. 11

ORDER OF SERVICE: Hymnal, page 15

Hymn 536 vv. 1-5 Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun!

On page 17: **The Kyrie** is read by the pastor.

Hymn 536 v. 6 in place of the **Gloria in Excelsis**.

EPISTLE: Ephesians 4:22-32. Christ brings us God's forgiving love! Let us, therefore, put off our sinful nature (old Adam / old self) with its evil deeds and desires. Let us put on the new self (new man / man of faith) who serves God willingly and gladly, in righteousness and holiness. Get rid of lying, anger, stealing, corrupt speech, bitterness, and malice. Be filled with kindness, love, and forgiveness toward one another as Christ has for you.

GOSPEL: Mark 2:1-12. Four men brought a paralyzed man to the house where Jesus was teaching. The house was already filled! Undaunted, they opened a section of the flat roof and lowered the man down into the presence of Jesus. Immediately Jesus assured the man that he was forgiven! He then told him to rise and walk! ---- Jesus is the one who heals soul and body!

NICENE CREED, p. 22

Hymn 352 Oh, Savior, Precious Savior!

SERMON: Psalm 37:1-40, selected verses

GOOD AND EVIL -- FLIPSIDES

¹ *Do not fret because of evildoers, Nor be envious of the workers of iniquity.*

² *For they shall soon be cut down like the grass, And wither as the green herb.*

³ *Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness.*

⁴ *Delight yourself also in the LORD, And He shall give you the desires of your heart.*

⁵ *Commit your way to the LORD, Trust also in Him, And He shall bring it to pass.*

⁹ *For evildoers shall be cut off; But those who wait on the LORD, They shall inherit the earth.*

¹² *The wicked plots against the just, And gnashes at him with his teeth.*

¹³ *The Lord laughs at him, For He sees that his day is coming.*

¹⁶ *A little that a righteous man has Is better than the riches of many wicked.*

¹⁸ *The LORD knows the days of the upright, And their inheritance shall be forever.*

²⁰ *But the wicked shall perish; And the enemies of the LORD,*

Like the splendor of the meadows, shall vanish. Into smoke they shall vanish away.

²¹ *The wicked borrows and does not repay, But the righteous shows mercy and gives.*

²⁴ *Though he [the righteous] fall, he shall not be utterly cast down; For the LORD upholds him with His hand.*

²⁵ *I have been young, and now am old; Yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken, Nor his seed begging bread.*

²⁶ *He is ever merciful, and lends; And his descendants are blessed.*

³⁵ *I have seen the wicked in great power, And spreading himself like a native green tree.*

³⁶ *Yet he passed away, and behold, he was no more; Indeed I sought him, but he could not be found.*

³⁹ *But the salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; He is their strength in the time of trouble*

⁴⁰ *And the LORD shall help them and deliver them; He shall deliver them from the wicked and save them, because they trust in Him.*

OFFERING and OFFERING PRAYER:

PRAYERS

Hymn 355 Thou Art the Way; to Thee Alone from Sin and Death We Flee

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

VISITORS , please note that our congregation does not practice “open” communion. Communion is an expression of oneness with the Lord and also oneness in faith and teaching with each other. Differences in Bible doctrine do separate. Therefore, we have a “close-knit” communion practice. Respectfully 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 knows the heart. For questions, please visit with the pastor. Thank you.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION:

Distribution Hymn 377 Salvation unto Us Has Come!

Benediction

Hymn 309 O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee!

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SCHEDULE:

10/13/24 10:30 Worship

9:30 Sunday School and Bible Class

10/20/24 10:30 Worship with HOLY COMMUNION

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ST. LUKE’S QUARTERLY VOTERS MEETING, 10/20/24 The October Quarterly Voters Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, October 20. A fellowship meal will be held at 12:00. The meeting will begin at 1:00.

JOINT AREA REFORMATION SERVICE , 10/27/24, CANCELED:

The Joint Area Reformation Service which was planned for Jamestown on 10/27 has been canceled. The service conflicts with host Pasto Naumann’s vacancy schedule in Ipswich. The pastors study meeting for Monday, 10/28, has been moved to Pierre.

FALL MISSION FESTIVAL: Missionary Peter Evensen has agreed to speak with us via internet following our Mission Festival Fellowship Meal. The date for Mission Festival is being determined, dependent upon his schedule. He is still recovering from his hospitalization in Spokane, WA, and has been staying there with friends. He hopes to return overseas soon and may be speaking with us from Togo, West Africa. We thank the Lord!

JACK MAYHEW SERVICE: The victory service for Jack Mayhew will be held Saturday, 10/12, at 11:00 a.m. (central time), at Valentine High School Auditorium. Lunch will follow at the Grace Fellowship Hall. The service will be live-streamed—like at valentinelutheran.com. Your words of comfort to Louise and family may be sent to Louise Mayhew, 715 W. 3rd Street, Valentine, NE 69201. Thank you. ----Pastor Paul Nolting

CALL NEWS 10/6

Pastor Matthew Hanel, Dallas, TX has received the call to St. Stephen Lutheran Church and School, Mountain View, CA.

Pastor Frank Gantt, Loganville, GA has received the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO.

2025 CLC MISSION HELPER TRIP: Applications are now being accepted for the 2025 Mission Helper Trip to Nepal. Space is limited for this trip, so please apply early. The applications due date is January 13, 2025. For more information go to: <https://mht.lutheranmissions.org/> Thank you.

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