

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

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Katie Wiechmann, Organist

March 9, 2025

WELCOME!

He died for all, that they who live should not henceforth live unto themselves, but unto him who died for them, and rose again.

--- 2 Corinthians 5:15

ORDER OF SERVICE: Supplement, page 12,

HYMNS 451 Stand Up!—Stand Up for Jesus!

EPISTLE: II Corinthians 6:1-10 Paul urged his readers not to receive the Lord's grace in Christ in vain. To give up on Christ is foolishness! Although the world considers Christ and Christians to be worthless and despised, by faith cling to Jesus! In Christ you have everything!

PSALM 146, p. 41 "While I Live"

GOSPEL: Matthew 4:1-11 At the beginning of Jesus' ministry, Jesus and Satan "faced off" in the wilderness. Satan was seeking to derail Jesus' work as Redeemer. Three times Satan tried to lead Jesus away from the Father's will. Three times Jesus answered with God's Word. Jesus did not yield. Satan learned that Jesus was not the easy target that Adam and Eve or any of their children had been, or their children are..

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PASSION HISTORY READING: Part 2 of 12.

Thursday: At the Passover Meal Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet

HYMN 158 Glory Be to Jesus!

SERMON: HEBREWS 2:5-9

CHRIST—EVEN GREATER THAN ANGELS !

For He [God the Father] has not put the world to come, of which we speak, in subjection to angels. But one testified in a certain place, saying:

*What is man that You are mindful of him,
Or the son of man [Son of Man] that You take care of him?
You have made him a little lower than the angels;
You have crowned him with glory and honor,
And set him over the works of Your hands.
You have put all things in subjection under his feet.*

For in that He put all in subjection under him, He left nothing that is not put under him. But now we do not yet see all things put under him. But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels, for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor, that He, by the grace of God, might taste death for everyone.

Offering and Offering Prayer

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 254 Lord God, We All to Thee Give Praise!

Benediction

Hymn 655 I Pray Thee, Dear Lord Jesus, My Heart to Keep and Train!

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SCHEDULE, God Willing:

- 3/12 Wed. 5:30 Lent Midweek 2 Worship held in church basement.
6:30 Soup and sandwich supper follows. All invited.
- 3/16 Sun. 10:30 Worship with COMMUNION. 9:30 B.Class & S. Sch.
- 3/19 Wed. 5:30 Lent Midweek 3 Worship held in church basement.
6:30 Soup and sandwich supper follows. All invited.
- 3/23 Sun. 10:30 Worship 9:30 Bible Cl. and S.Sch.

CEMETERY COMMITTAL: Mr. George Ketterling, 93, of Spearfish, SD, and member at Good Shepherd in Rapid City, was called from this life on Friday, 3/7. Pastor Ude will conduct the victory service at Good Shepherd. Pastor Kanzenbach will conduct the committal at Lemmon on Thursday, 3/13. May the Lord comfort the family in Christ.

MAILBOXES: Church mailboxes in the entry have been re-labeled. If you desire a box, please sign the sheet at the guest book. The labels are attached in alphabetical order, but are movable. As the list changes, mailbox locations may change, (Unless you last name is "Aaberg," which means you will likely always be first!) We thank Debbie Wenner for her labors on this project!

LENT: Lent is the forty day season preceding Easter during which we specially consider the depth of our Savior's suffering and His great love for us by which He freed us from our sins and its condemnation. It is a season in which we turn to Scripture to view these Truths, to be led to love Him more, to serve Him from the sincerity of our hearts, and to keep His commandments with a free and willing spirit. The Lenten season begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on the day before Easter. The season lasts 40 days. The Sundays of Lent are excluded from the count (total count 46 days). "Lent" does not correspond to any "event" in Christ's life, unlike Good Friday and Easter. Its observance is purely Christian custom. Perhaps the 40 days are reminiscent of Jesus' 40 days of temptation by the devil and Israel's 40 years of wandering in the wilderness. Congregations often have Wednesday evening services during Lent. Please join us on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm. The crucified and risen Savior's blessings!

CLC CALL NEWS

Pastor Johnathan Schnose, Morris, MN, has returned the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO.

Christine Starland and Deb Owens, members at Berea, Inver Grove Heights, MN, have received calls to help fill the teacher vacancy at Berea.

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