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

21ST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Autumn Wiechmann, Organist

November 9, 2025

WELCOME!

"You meant evil against me, but God meant it for good; in order to bring it about, as it is this day, to save many people alive." [Joseph to his brothers.]
---Genesis 50:20

ORDER OF SERVICE: Supplement, page 12,

HYMNS 265 Thine Honor Save, O Christ Our Lord!

EPISTLE: EPHESIANS 6:10-17 Paul was concerned that his imprisonment and personal suffering for Christ might discourage the Ephesians. He prayed that the Holy Spirit would open the Ephesians' hearts to grasp the vastness of Christ's love. Sufferings in the lives of Christians are truly for our glorious benefit. Be strong and rooted in Christ!

Psalm 51, p. 28: "Have Mercy upon Me, O God!"

GOSPEL: John 4:46-54 A nobleman, who was likely an official of King Herod, sought out Jesus to heal his son who was at the point of death. Jesus led the nobleman to declare that Jesus was not just a "wonderworker," but the Lord of forgiveness and mercy, who gives life. The nobleman trusted in Jesus' word "Your son lives!" and departed for home. As he was going, his servants met him and reported, "Your son lives!" The fever had left him at the same hour Jesus said, Your son lives!

APOSTLES' CREED

Hymn 345 Jesus Lover of My Soul!

SERMON: GENESIS 37:18-28

DEALING WITH BROTHERS

Now when they saw him afar off, even before he came near them, they conspired against him to kill him. Then they said to one another, "Look, this dreamer is coming! Come therefore, let us now kill him and cast him into some pit; and we shall say, Some wild beast has devoured him. We shall see what will become of his dreams!"

But Reuben heard it, and he delivered him out of their hands, and said, "Let us not kill him." And Reuben said to them, "Shed no blood, but cast him into this pit which is in the wilderness, and do not lay a hand on him"—that he might deliver him out of their hands, and bring him back to his father.

So it came to pass, when Joseph had come to his brothers, that they stripped Joseph of his tunic, the tunic of many colors that was on him. Then they took him and cast him into a pit. And the pit was empty; there was no water in it.

And they sat down to eat a meal. Then they lifted their eyes and looked, and there was a company of Ishmaelites, coming from Gilead with their camels, bearing spices, balm, and myrrh, on their way to carry them down to Egypt. So Judah said to his brothers, "What profit is there if we kill our brother and conceal his blood? Come and let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and let not our hand be upon him, for he is our brother and our flesh." And his brothers listened. Then Midianite traders passed by; so the brothers pulled Joseph up and lifted him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelites for twenty shekels of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt.

Offering

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 464 Blest Be the Tie That Binds!

Benediction

Hymn (See Back of Bulletin) "To God Be the Glory!"

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BIRTH: Elliana Rose Wiechmann, daughter of Ethan and Katie Wiechmann, born Tuesday, November 4, 2025. Both mother and child are doing well. We thank the Lord! Congratulations and the Lord's blessings!

SCHEDULE:

11/16 1	10:30	Worship	with	COMMUNION	9:30	B.	Class & Sun. Scl	h.
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11/23 10:30 Worship 9:30 B. Class & Sun. Sch

11/27 10:00 THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

11/30 10:30 Worship 9:30 B. Class & Sun. Sch

THE NAUMANNS: Missionary Bruce Naumann and Paula have been kept safe during the election unrest in Tanzania. We thank the Lord.

THE CLC'S "EduK8" (pronounced "educate" FUND: This fund is relatively new. It serves to promote and help begin new Christian Day Schools in our synod. Pastor David Naumann, the pastor at Clarkston, Washington, and Orofino, Idaho, is chairman of the CLC Board of Education and Publications. He writes the following:

"HOW CAN I SUPPORT THIS EFFORT?"

Answer: Do what you've always done—pray! Pray that God's Word will not be bound by society's wicked ways, but have free course in our Christian schools. Pray that God opens hearts, starting with our own, to give and give generously to the **EduK8** fund. Your church treasurer will send these offerings to the General Business Office at Immanuel Lutheran College. Plan whatever the Lord moves you to give. "All your children shall be taught by the Lord, And great shall be the peace of your children." (Isaiah 54:13)

CALL NEWS 11-9-25

Pastor Michael Gurath, Phoenix, AZ, has accepted the call to Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church, Middleton, WI.

Pastor Aaron Ude, Rapid City, SD, has returned the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Spokane, WA.

Retired Pastor Norman Greve, North Mankato, MN has returned the part-time call to Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church, Red Wing, MN.

Pastor Tom Schuetze, Lakewood, CO, has received the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Spokane, WA.

Pastor Johnathan Schnose, Morris, MN, has received the call to Living Hope Lutheran Church, Appleton, WI.

Closing Hymn

To God Be the Glory!

1) To God be the glory; great things He has done! He so loved the world that He gave us His Son, Who yielded His life an atonement for sin And opened the life-gate that all may go in!

REFRAIN:

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
Oh, come to the Father through Jesus the Son
And give Him the glory—great things He has done!

2) Oh, perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, To ev'ry believer the promise of God; The vilest offender who simply believes, That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

REFRAIN:

3) Great things He has taught us, great things He has done, And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son! But purer and higher and greater will be Our joy and our wonder when Jesus we see.

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