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April 30, 2017

3rd Sunday of Easter-A

WELCOME As we worship today, "may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father, who loved us and by His grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word." (2 Thess. 2:16,17) We're glad you're here! Whether you are visiting or already a member, help us get to know you by adding your name to the Friendship Register as it is passed in your pew during the first hymn. If you are desiring to commune this week prepare by reviewing the Christian Questions with their Answers on page 329 in the hymnal and registering your name on the yellow half sheet in the pew before you. If you are a guest, kindly speak to the pastor before the service concerning your intentions to commune.

WORSHIP PRAYER O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING: Acts 2:14a, 36-41 Peter explains that God has made the one crucified, both Lord and Christ.

EPISTLE: 1 Peter 1:17-25 Peter outlines the Good News of salvation.

HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 24:13-35 The road to Emmaus where Jesus reveals that by the Scriptures, it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and die.

OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES (April 30-May 7)

Sun/April 30 **3rd Sunday of Easter**

Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am

Donut Fellowship, 9-9:30am

SS/Bible Study, 9:30am

Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

Mon/May 1

All Staff Meeting, 11:30am

Young Adults Bible Study, 7:30pm

Tues/May 2

Parent Camp Meeting, 6pm

Wed/May 3

Book/Bible Study @ Deaneer's Diner, 6:30am

Jr. Confirmation-test & pizza, 6:15pm

Jubilate Choir, 7:15pm

Thu/May 4

Chapel @ Edgewood Vista, 10:30am

The Seekers, 1pm

Fri/May 5

Hall Reserved 5-9pm

Sat/May 6

Spring Clean up, 9am

Sun/May 7

4th Sunday of Easter

Installation of Officers

Reception of New Members

Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am

Donut Fellowship, 9-9:30am

SS/Bible Study, 9:30am

Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

Spring Sing @ Immanuel, 3pm

Wagner Farewell at Beautiful Savior, 5-7pm

CATECHETICAL LESSON Table of Duties: What the Hearers Owe Their

Pastors- The Lord has commanded that those who preach the gospel should receive their living from the gospel. Anyone who receives instruction in the word must share all good things with his instructor. Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor, especially those whose work is preaching and teaching. For the Scripture says, "Do not muzzle the ox while it is treading out the grain," and "The worker deserves his wages." We ask you brothers, to respect those who work hard among you, who are over you in the Lord and who admonish you. Hold them in the highest regard in love because of their work. Live in peace with each other. Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no advantage to you.

April 30, 2017

3rd Sunday of Easter - A

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| Entrance Hymn | #832 |
| Confession & Absolution | p. 151 |
| Introit | see insert |
| No Kyrie | |
| "This is the Feast..." | p. 155 |
| Salutation and Collect | p. 156 |
| First Reading | see back |
| Gradual | see back |
| Epistle | see back |
| "Alleluia..." | p. 156 |
| Gospel | see back |
| Children's Message | |
| Sermon Hymn | #835 |
| Sermon | |
| Nicene Creed | p. 158 |
| Prayers | |
| Offering | |
| Preface & Sanctus | p. 160-61 |
| Lord's Prayer & Institution | p. 162 |
| Agnus Dei | p. 163 |
| Distribution & Hymns | #474, #851, #845, #822 |
| "Thank the Lord..." | p. 164 |
| Prayer & Benediction | p.166 |
| Closing Hymn | #830 |

**-OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIS PEOPLE AND HIS WORLD-
USED OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP OUR LORD:**

Attendance for last week: 88 + 116 = 204

| | <u>LAST YEAR</u> | <u>LAST SUNDAY</u> |
|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| General Fund Income Received: | \$ 4,613.75 | \$4,261.50 |
| Mortgage Fund Income Received: | \$ 460.08 | \$425.23 |

| <u>THROUGH MARCH</u> | <u>Monthly</u> | <u>YTD</u> |
|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| General Fund Income: | \$ 34,969.77 | \$ 89,497.54 |
| General Fund Expenses: | \$ 34,547.57 | \$ 105,826.44 |
| Net | \$ 422.20 | \$ -16,328.90 |
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| Mortgage Fund Income | \$ 6,494.46 | \$ 16,183.55 |
| Mortgage Fund Loan Payments | \$ 6,386.00 | \$ 19,158.00 |
| Net | \$ 108.46 | \$ -2,974.45 |

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK: (May 7)

- ELDERS: Sunday 8am: Emmett Wilson
Sunday 10:45am: Robert Eidbo
- AV: Sunday 8am: Gary Dillard
Sunday 10:45am: Ray Wasness
- USHERS: Sunday 8am: Larry Phillips*, Jeff Pierce
Larry & Diana Weil
Sunday 10:45am: Todd Reber*, Lenny Heupel
Kirk Rosin, Trent Kosel
- GREETERS: Sunday 8am: Randy & Carolyn Schatz
Sunday 10:45am: James & Kim Jerger
- ACOLYTES: Sunday 8am: Emily Sell
Sunday 10:45am: Kaylee Neumiller
- MUSICIANS: Sunday 8am & 10:45am: Jodi Pierce
- ALTAR: Eleanor Kraft & Margaret Burkhardsmeyer

SUMMER WORSHIP TIMES Summer Worship times will start Sunday, May 28th with worship at 8am and 10am and Thursday worship at 7pm. On Sunday May 28th we'll also have High School Graduate Recognition. If you are a graduate please return the letter that was sent you. If you didn't receive a letter, please contact the church office to give Mary the information needed. Please bring your gowns for either service.

COMMUNICATING CHRIST OVER THE AIR:
OUR WEB SITE: www.standrewlcms.org

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" Sundays on KFGO AM 790 at 7:30am. Upcoming topics are posted on the LLL bulletin board. www.lutheranhour.org

"CHRIST THE WAY" a radio program featuring ND District LCMS Pastors on KSJB 600AM at 7:30am on Sundays.

OUR SYNOD'S RADIO STATION: www.kfuo.org

DAILY DEVOTIONS by Pastor Klaus at www.lhm.org/dailydevotions.asp

MEN NETWORK: www.lhmmen.com

ISSUES, ETC: Current events from a Lutheran view. www.issuesetc.org

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN KENYA! Join today's, April 30th, Adult Bible Class where Pastor Mike Giddings of Crosspointe LCMS-Fargo will present his visit to Kenya and report on Project 24, a mission project of our ND District. We also thank him for preaching God's Word and Work for us as Pastor Jahnke exchanges pulpits with him and presents his trip to Mexico to the Crosspointe congregation.

SHORTFALL LOAN GIVING-THANK YOU! We are happy to report that we have reached our goal of \$2,000 on the remaining Shortfall Loan. Thank you to all that donated to cover the rest of the loan this year. Both in the giving last fall utilizing the matching gift and again last month to cover the remaining balance. Your generous donations helped us to achieve this goal in one month. Thank you! Board of Stewardship

YOU + CAMP = FUN! We want to send your kids to camp! Did you know that we have money specifically set aside to send our kids to Bible camp? The two closest LCMS camps are: Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads and Lutheran Island Camp. There's a transportation meeting for parents on Tuesday, May 2nd @ 6pm. Pick up additional information by the youth bulletin board today, camp is an unforgettable experience!

YOUNG ADULTS Come on May 1st at 7:30pm for an introduction to our upcoming Bible study, "The Christian's Mission". Pizza & pop will be served.

SPRING CLEANUP Spring cleanup is scheduled for May 6th. If you can help with cleaning up around the exterior of the church we will be meeting at 9:00 am. Please bring rakes and gloves. Thanks Board of Trustees

FAREWELL & GODSPEED FOR PASTOR DAVE & KIM WAGNER

Come show your appreciation for Pastor Dave and Kim Wagner on Sunday, May 7, at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, 2601 23rd Ave. SW in Fargo. The church will have receptions at 9:30 a.m. and from 5-7 p.m. with a light dinner. Come share stories and memories as we celebrate the Wagners, who gave more than 27 years of service at Beautiful Savior and in the Fargo-Moorhead area. We thank you both for all you have done for Beautiful Savior and for us! Pastor Dave recently accepted a call as pastor to Trinity Bellingham (Wa.) We pray for God's blessings upon the Wagners as they continue to serve God and His church.

POTENTIALLY AWKWARD Know those awkward talks that you don't want to have with your kids, but should? This event is for you! Be equipped and encouraged to have meaningful conversations with your kids about sex (puberty, God's design for sex, etc.). Connect with other parents and check out our new library resources ("Learning about Sex" complete set). Parents that have previewed the books will share their thoughts and insights with other parents in attendance. If you have kids- this event is for you! (Registration required: forms available at church) Need child-care? Let DCE Emily know! *"The Talk: Resources for having the discussion at home" A free event for parents! Tues, May 23 @ 5:30-7:00PM (pizza provided)*

MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH TV PROGRAM May, 7, 2017: **Rev. Ross Fritz of Grace Lutheran Church in Breckenridge, MN** presents today's message "So...What's the Deal With the Door?" based on John 10:1-10. The hymns: The Lord's My Shepherd; The King of Love My Shepherd Is; and Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us will be led by the Main Street Living Choir. "MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH" is a locally produced TV program that includes a 30 minute worship service led by participating pastors of the Minnesota North & North Dakota Districts of our LCMS, along with a 30 minute children's program called "Kid's Crossing". It is broadcast each Sunday at **10am** Central time on KVRR Fargo-Moorhead Channel 15.1 and archived on www.mainstreetlivingnorth.com

YOU ARE INVITED The youth from the churches of St. Andrew and Immanuel are working together to put on the Spring Sing Variety Show, **May 7th @ 3pm**. The youth are using this event as a fundraiser for Grace Lutheran School. There are two cans where you can put your financial donations. One can is for Emily from St. Andrew, and one is for Ryan from Immanuel. The DCE who gets the most money in their can, will be saved from participating in a messy, and humiliating skit at the Spring Sing. You can choose to support the DCE of your choice (but choose wisely). We thank you for your support. All proceeds will go to Grace Lutheran School. Please consider attending, we'd love to have you all there with us. Thank you!

VBS 2017 Mark your calendar! VBS is the evenings of *August 6-10*. Interested in being involved as a volunteer? Plan to attend one of the following VBS volunteer info meetings to see what you might like to do! (You pick: Tuesday, May 16 @ 7:00pm or Wednesday, May 17 @ 6:00pm)

CAMP GRACE Camp Grace will once again open at the end of May. I am looking for young adults (college age students) to help with our Camp. We need approximately 5 new leaders to add to our staff. We will need leaders for centers and activities, not to mention recreation helpers. Mrs. Betty Hagge, Mrs. Cindy Noenning, and Kari Lugo will be heading up this year Camp Grace. Please call me if you are interested in being a leader for Camp Grace at 615-479-1438 Come and fill out an application now! Thank you, John Hagge - Principal

GRACE LUTHERAN SCHOOL FACILITIES & MAINTENANCE

OPPORTUNITY Fellow members of the Red River Lutheran Schools Association. The Grace Lutheran School board would like to welcome individuals willing and able to serve on a facilities and maintenance call listing. This call listing would be on an as needed basis and coordinated by the school board's Facilities, Equipment, Infrastructure, and Maintenance committee. If you are able to support the school in this effort please contact Brad Palmer at 701-630-8770 (pbpalmer5@gmail.com) for more details and sign-up.

Want to learn more about Grace Lutheran School? Check their web site, Facebook, and Blog page or just call Mr. Hagge our new Principal.

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