

## ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

Learning, Living and Sharing Christ through God's Word  
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September 9, 2018 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost-15B

**WELCOME** Whether you are visiting or already a member, please 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. If you are a guest, kindly speak to the pastor before the service concerning your intentions to commune.

**WORSHIP PRAYER:** O Lord, let Your merciful ears be open to the prayers of Your humble servants and grant that what they ask may be in accord with Your gracious will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**OLD TESTAMENT:** Isaiah 35:4-7a *The ears of the deaf will be unstopped.*

**EPISTLE:** James 2:1-10, 14-18 *I will show you my faith by what I do.*

**GOSPEL:** Mark 7:31-37 *The healing of the deaf and mute man.*

**CATECHETICAL LESSON** *Ten Commandments: First Commandment- You shall have no other gods. What does this mean? We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things.*

## OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES

(Sept 9-16)

Sun/Sept 9 **16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
Mite Box Sunday  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
SS Pancake Breakfast, 9-9:30am  
First Sunday School/GROW/Bible Study, 9:30am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, **10:45am**  
Bd of Ed Meeting  
Faith Foundations, 7pm  
Mon/Sept 10 All Staff Meeting, 11:30am  
Bd of HC, 6:30  
Tues/Sept 11 Winkel @ CrossPointe, 8:30-12noon  
Quilters, 9am-12noon  
LWML, 7pm  
GLS Bd Meeting, 7pm  
Wed/Sept 12 Book/Bible Study @ Deaneer's Diner, 6:30am  
Jr. Confirmation, 6pm  
Jubilate Choir, 7:15pm  
Thu/Sept 13 LWML Bible Study, 9:15am  
Fri/Sept 14 Friday Fun Night (Gr. 3-6), 7-8:30pm  
Sat/Sept 15 WestFest!  
Parade Line up, 9am  
Parade, 12noon  
Sun/Sept 16 **17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
Donut Fellowship, 9-9:30am  
GROW/SS/Bible Study, 9:30am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45  
NYG Meeting, 1:30pm  
Faith Foundations, 7pm

**THE SEEKERS** Are you curious about Angels? The Seekers are welcoming new members to our study/social group. We meet the 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 1 PM in the fellowship hall. Come join us.

**WONDERING ABOUT JOINING ST. ANDREW** or just wanting to brush up on the basics of the Christian Faith? Join us each Sunday night at 7pm starting September 9 for the Faith Foundation Class.

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**"TRUST RESULTS IN PRAISE"**  
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"Lamb of God..." p.180  
Distribution & Hymns  
#729, #842, #528  
"Thank the Lord..." p.181  
Prayer & Benediction p.183  
Closing Hymn #790

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIS PEOPLE AND HIS WORD  
 FROM OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP OUR LORD:**

Attendance for last week: 52 (1 hrs) + 61 + 20 = 133

	LAST YEAR	LAST SUNDAY
General Fund Income Received:	\$ 5,773.77	\$ 7,620.70
Mortgage Fund Income Received:	\$ 1,125.03	\$ 660.02

THROUGH JULY	Monthly	YTD
General Fund Income:	\$ 37,574.50	\$ 213,787.09
General Fund Expenses:	\$ 33,548.71	\$ 238,710.71
Net	\$ 4,025.79	\$ -24,923.62

Mortgage Fund Income	\$ 6,314.71	\$ 37,932.35
Mortgage Fund Loan Payments	\$ 6,386.00	\$ 44,702.00
Net	\$ -71.29	\$ -6,769.65

Shortfall Loan Balance is \$9,030.00 as of July 30th.

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK: (9/16)**

ELDERS:	8am: Dan Klug 10am: Steve Lindquist
AV:	8am: Todd Berg/Emlly Sell 10am: Gary Dillard/Cecilia Lindquist
USHERS:	8am: Bill Kitzman*, Tom Moltzan Diana & Larry Weil 10am: Rod Olson*, Mike Hendrickson Duane Joyce, Jim Joyce
GREETERS	8am: Delores Fischer & Judy Millar 10am: Ruth & Anna Joyce
ACOLYTES:	8am: Ella Livingston 10am: Alexis Hruza
MUSICIANS:	8am & 10am: Susan Jahnke
ALTAR:	Rose Rios

**COMMUNICATING CHRIST OVER THE AIR:**  
**OUR WEB SITE: [www.standrewlcms.org](http://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](http://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](http://www.kfuo.org)**

**DAILY DEVOTIONS** by Pastor Klaus at [www.lhm.org/dailydevotions.asp](http://www.lhm.org/dailydevotions.asp)

**MEN NETWORK: [www.lhmmen.com](http://www.lhmmen.com)**

**ISSUES, ETC:** Current events from a Lutheran view. [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org)

**MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH TV PROGRAM** September 16: **Rev. Ross Fritz, Grace Lutheran Church, Breckenridge, MN**, presents the message: "He Hung Around" based on Mark 9:14-29. **MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH** is a locally produced TV program that includes a 30 minute worship service led by participating pastors of the North Dakota and Minnesota North 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](http://www.mainstreetlivingnorth.com).

**THOSE JOINING ST. ANDREW TODAY** are Linda Tholkes as a communicant member, joining by Affirmation of Faith originally from Zion LCMS, Detroit Lakes, MN; Kevin and Jennifer Osmondson as communicant members and their children Jocelyn and Kathryn Osmondson as baptized members joining by transfer from Our Redeemer LCMS, Moorhead, MN.

**NEW BIBLES TODAY** Today Kindergarten and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students will be receiving their new Bibles. Students will come to the front to receive their Bibles (at the very end of early worship, at the beginning of late worship).

**PE CLASS VOLUNTEER** Grace Lutheran School is looking for a volunteer for our afternoon PE classes from 1 pm to 2:40 pm each day during the school week. The four classes range from Pre-K to 5th grade. Either a North Dakota Substitute license or Teachers license is required as well a background check that we do from the school. These classes would include activities, games and exercise to share with the students. If you have any questions or would like to serve in this capacity, please contact John Hagge at 701-232-7747.

**CANDY NEEDED FOR PARADE!** Please drop off your wrapped bags of candy for the West Fest Parade by Friday September 14th in the church off. Thank you!!!

**WEST FEST PARADE - SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup>** We are looking for volunteers for the upcoming parade this month. We need riders and walkers. This year's theme is "Redefining Tomorrow". Please call Christine at 701-205-2889 if you are interested in volunteering for this year's parade. We need you! Bring your family and friends and make it a fun afternoon volunteering during the parade to show your spirit and faith for our church.

**CONCORDIA SEMINARY ADMISSION VISIT** Have you ever considered becoming a pastor or deaconess? If so, Rev. Jaime Nava from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis would like to meet with you at Immanuel Luther Church (1258 Broadway Fargo, ND 58102) on Sept. 18 between 3pm and 7pm. Rev. Nava is interested in meeting with prospective students of all ages-elementary school age through adults. Appointments are individual, informal, and family/friends are welcome to come with you. Appointments are not necessary but encouraged. If you are interested in scheduling a specific time, please contact Rev. Nava at 314-505-7224 or [navaj@csl.edu](mailto:navaj@csl.edu).

**FIRSTCHOICE CLINIC FRIENDS NIGHT OUT FUNDRAISER** You are invited to mingle, meet staff, and enjoy hors d'oeuvres at our upcoming 2018 annual fundraising event, featuring Pam Tebow on Monday October 8 starting at 6 p.m. at Fargo Holiday Inn. Pam is the mother of former NFL player, and current professional baseball player, Tim Tebow. There is no cost to attend, though an ask will be made to support the life-saving ministry of FirstChoice Clinic. Space is limited - please contact Mona at 701.237.6530 or [mona@firstchoiceclinic.com](mailto:mona@firstchoiceclinic.com) to make reservations.

**SAVE THE DATE** October 13 is it. If you can witness to Jews, you can witness to anyone. Steve Cohen will be presenting a workshop for all of us and our Circuit at St. Andrew on Saturday, October 13. He himself is Jewish, who believes in Jesus as His Lord and Savior. His focus is witnessing to Jews, but he said, "It works on Gentiles too!" He is from the Apple of His Eye Mission Society (AOHE) a Recognized Service Organization (RSO) of the LCMS. The AOHE is also installing Rev. Dr. Bob Roegner as a missionary to Israel September 16. Also the ND LCMS Men's Ministry will be serving breakfast before the event!

**FAITH IN ACTION MERCY CONFERENCE** September 9: "Mercy is part of the DNA of the church. It was part of Jesus' life. He cared for people in need. To be intentional about mercy in your congregation is very significant, because there are a lot of hurting people in the world." Hear Rev. Dr. Matthew Harrison, the President of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, speak at the upcoming Faith in Action conference, sponsored by the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch, Saturday, October 27 in Fargo. Find out more and register now. Go to [www.dakotaranch.org/mercy](http://www.dakotaranch.org/mercy) to register.

**SUPPORT GRACE LUTHERAN SCHOOL EACH TIME YOU BUY GAS!** Earn an automatic gas rebate for Grace Lutheran School of 3 cents for every gallon of gas purchased at the Exxon/Red Carpet Carwash Stations located on 13th Ave. S. in Fargo (by Perkins and by Family Fare). Pick up your free GLS Organizational Rebate Card from the church office - and take additional cards for your family and friends to use. (This is NOT a credit card.) These local Exxon stations also donated to this year's GLS Auction.

## INSTALLATION OF EDUCATIONAL STAFF AND TEACHERS

### **Confirmation Staff:**

Confirmation Coordinators Jodi Pierce and Sara Sell  
Workbook leaders Joe Franklin, Ravona Norton, Janel Beauchamp  
Memory leaders Stephanie Hall, Sharla Lauguisch, Alex Spillman,  
Mary Jo Lindquist and more.

### **Sunday School Teachers & Staff:**

Preschool Kristin Maddock & Keri Olson  
K & 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Dinah Sommerfeld  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Cindy Vollmer-Hansen  
3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Carolyn Fiechtner  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade Bryan Hall  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Ken Koehler  
6<sup>th</sup> Grade Robert Eidbo  
7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Cassie Skalicky  
High School DCE Emily  
Parent Class Cybil Johnson & Jen Rossow  
Adult Bible Class Pastor Jahnke  
K-2<sup>nd</sup> Variety Cari Weidner  
3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Variety Sandie Eaton  
6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Variety Jeremy Rossow  
Music Dan & Anneliese Hammer  
GROW Opening Rossow Family  
Sunday School Superintendents Leanne Muhl & Bridget Hins  
Director of Christian Education & Youth Ministry Emily Leising

Sixteenth Sunday of Pentecost

September 9, 2018

### **Introit**

The LORD is the strength of his | people;\*  
he is the saving refuge of his a- | nointed.  
To you, O LORD, I call; my rock, be not | deaf to me,\*  
lest, if you be silent to me, I become like those who go down | to the  
pit.  
Hear the voice of my pleas for mercy, when I cry to | you for help,\*  
when I lift up my hands toward your most holy sanctu- | ary.  
Blessèd | be the LORD!\*

For he has heard the voice of my pleas for | mercy.  
The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and  
| I am helped;\*

my heart exults, and with my song I give | thanks to him.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

The LORD is the strength of his | people;\*  
he is the saving refuge of his a- | nointed.

### **Collect of the Day**

O Lord, let Your merciful ears be open to the prayers of Your humble  
servants and grant that what they ask may be in accord with Your  
gracious will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives  
and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

### **Gradual**

Fear the LORD, | you his saints,\*  
for those who fear him lack | nothing!  
Many are the afflictions of the | righteous,\*  
but the LORD delivers him out | of them all.

### **Verse**

Alleluia. The LORD builds up Jerusalem; he gathers the outcasts of  
Israel. He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.  
Alleluia.