

ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

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January 27, 2019 3rd Sunday after Epiphany-C

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: Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

OLD TESTAMENT: Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 *Ezra reads the Law to the people.*

EPISTLE: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a *We are all a part of the Body of Christ.*

GOSPEL: Luke 4:16-30 *Jesus preaches in the synagogue. "Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."*

CATECHETICAL LESSON *The Lord's Prayer: Fifth Petition- And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.. What does this mean?* We pray in this petition that our Father in heaven would not look at our sins, or deny our prayer because of them. We are neither worthy of the things for which we pray, nor have we deserved them, but we ask that He would give them all to us by grace, for we daily sin much and surely deserve nothing but punishment. So we too will sincerely forgive and gladly do good to those who sin against us.

OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES (Jan 27-Feb 3)

Sun/Jan 27 **3rd Sunday after Epiphany**
 Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am
 Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:30am
 GROW/SS/Bible Study, 9:30am
 Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

Mon/Jan 28 Staff Meeting, 11:30am
 Faith Foundations, 7pm

Tues/Jan 29

Wed/Jan 30 Book/Bible Study @ Deaner's Diner, 6:30am
 Jr. Confirmation, 6pm
 Jubilate Choir, 7:15pm

Thu/Jan 31

Fri/Jan 1

Sat/Jan 2

Sun/Jan 3

4th Sunday after Epiphany
 Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am
 Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:30am
 GROW/SS/Bible Study, 9:30am
 Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

FLOWERS are given to the glory of God in celebration fo David & Karen Beck's anniversary and in memory of Lorraine Fandrich whose funeral was 1/11.

MAILBOXES Please remember to routinely check your mailboxes, especially if you have not picked up your giving envelopes. Those of you with confirmed children should check the top of the mailboxes for envelopes. The mailboxes have gotten a facelift and have been shifted around. Please pay attention as your mailbox may have moved.

COFFEE & TREATS Would you like to help serve coffee and treats in the kitchen during fellowship hour? And/or- would you like to bake and bring treats for a Sunday? Simply add your name to the sign-up sheet located on the youth bulletin board. Thank you!

January 27, 2019 - 1st Life Sunday

3rd Sunday after Epiphany-C

Worship	in
Communion	see
	p. 204
"Gloria in Excelsis"	p.204
Salutation and Collect	p. 205
Old Testament	see back
Gradual	see insert
Epistle	see back
"Alleluia" & Responses	p. 205
Gospel	see back
Apostles Creed	p. 207
Children's Time	
Sermon Hymn	#839
Sermon	Luke 4:16-30
	"The Light Overcomes Darkness"
Prayers	
Offering	
Preface & Sanctus	p. 208
Prayer of Thanksgiving	p. 209
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Words of Institution	p. 209
Agnus Dei	p. 210
Distribution & Hymns	
	#333, #849, #523
Nunc Dimittis	p. 211
Prayer & Benediction	p. 212
Closing Hymn	#583

-OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIS PEOPLE AND HIS WORLD-

USED OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP OUR LORD:

Attendance for last Sunday: 79 + 103 = 182

	<u>LAST YEAR</u>	<u>LAST SUNDAY</u>
General Fund Income Received:	\$ 5,697.11	\$ 5,881.21
Mortgage Fund Income Received:	\$ 455.21	\$ 570.20

<u>THROUGH DECEMBER</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
General Fund Income:	\$ 53,966.37	\$ 391,774.53
General Fund Expenses:	\$ 32,332.09	\$ 408,051.50
Net	\$ 21,634.28	\$ -16,276.97

Mortgage Fund Income	\$15,516.94	\$ 74,901.83
Mortgage Fund Loan Payments	\$ 6,386.00	\$ 76,632.00
Net	\$ 9,130.94	\$ -1,730.17

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK: (February 3)

- ELDERS: 8am: Dan Klug
10:45am: Gary Dillard
- AV: 8am: Todd Berg/Jon Beltz
10:45am: Ray Wasness/Grace Skalicky
- USHERS: 8am: Jeff Pierce*, Steve Beltz
Dave & Glenda Pistorius
10:45am: Todd Reber*, Sandie Eaton
Lenny Heupel, Kirk Rosin
- GREETERS: 8am: Randy & Carolyn Schatz
10:45am: Mike & Diana Peterson
- ACOLYTES: 8am: Jordan Pierce
10:45am: Shonteau Wasness
- MUSICIANS: 8am & 10:45am: Susan Jahnke

EDUCATION STAFF APPRECIATION Please note that our "Education Staff Appreciation Sunday" scheduled for Feb 10th (typically when we thank our various Sunday School, Confirmation, and Bible study leaders), has been moved to the last day of Sunday School: Sunday, May 19th.

Third Sunday after Epiphany-C

January 27, 2019

Introit

You will arise and have pity on | Zion;*
it is the time to favor her; the appointed | time has come.
Let this be recorded for a genera- | tion to come,*
so that a people yet to be created may | praise the LORD:
that he looked down from his | holy height;*
from heaven the LORD looked | at the earth,
to hear the groans of the | prisoners,*
to set free those who were | doomed to die,
that they may declare in Zion the name | of the LORD,*
and in Jerusa- | lem his praise,
when peoples gather to- | gether,*
and kingdoms, to wor- | ship the LORD.

**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.

You will arise and have pity on | Zion;*
it is the time to favor her; the appointed | time has come.

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities
and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us;
through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with
You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual

Praise the LORD, all | nations!*
Extol him, all | peoples!
For great is his steadfast | love toward us,*
and the faithfulness of the LORD endures for- | ever.
Ascribe to the LORD the glory | due his name;*
bring an offering, and come in- | to his courts!

Verse

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed
me to proclaim good news to the poor. Alleluia.

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COMMUNICATING CHRIST OVER THE AIR:

OUR WEB SITE: www.standrewlcms.org

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" Sundays on KFGO AM 790 at 7:30am and on KFNW AM 1200 at 8am.

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

MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH TV PROGRAM February 3: **Rev. Matt Thompson, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Bismarck, ND, and St. John's Lutheran Church, McClusky, ND**, presents the message: "Healing in Body and Soul" based on Luke 4:31-44. Today's This Is The Life program is "Point of No Return". MAIN STREET LIVING" is a locally produced TV program that includes a 30 minute worship service led by participating pastors of the ND and MN North Districts of our LCMS, along with the 30 minute "This Is The Life" program (see below). Programs are broadcast starting at 9am Central time on FOX station KVRR Channel 15.1 Fargo-Moorhead, AND starting at 10am Central on WDAY Xtra Channel 6.3 Fargo-Moorhead, and archived on www.mainstreetlivingnorth.com.

FREE CREATION MAGAZINE! Please stop by the information tables in our church gathering area and pick up a copy of the most recent issues of the "ACTS & FACTS" magazine published by the Institute for Creation Research. Some of the articles enclosed are: *"Did Dinosaurs Come with or without feathers?"*, *"The Bible Best Explains the Ice Age"*, *"Can Scientists Resurrect Extinct Species?"*, *"Grand Canyon Carved by Flood Runoff"*, *"Four Observations Evolution Can't Explain"*, *"Why Would God Make Monsters (like T-Rex)?"*, *"Our Young Solar System"*, *"The Gospel Starts with Creation"*, and *"Separate Studies Show Human-Chimp DNA Dissimilarity"*, plus many more.

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOU! Mark your calendars for an upcoming potluck on February 10th after the second service. The Board of Christian Outreach would like to celebrate you, our members, with a 'We Are Grateful for You' potluck. We will be celebrating our Charter members, members who have been with our church for 50 or more years and our newest members. Everyone is invited for a devotion, a delicious meal and a wonderful time to gather in fellowship and meet others. Bring your favorite dish to share.

GIVING HEARTS DAY In the past 5 years Giving Hearts Day has raised \$180,361.00 to support Grace Lutheran School in our mission to prepare our children for service to our Triune God, one another and the greater community. Your online donation on Thursday, Feb 14 will help our Fund Their Future campaign to make a Grace Lutheran School education accessible for even more families in the Fargo/Moorhead area! Donate at GivingHeartsDay.org. Thank you!

PANTRY IN NEED Our pantry is in need of items like canned fruit, vegetables, meats, and pasta sauce. Also in need of shampoo, conditioners, deodorants, tooth paste & brushes, body wash, bar soap, dish soap, laundry soap, and other household products such as paper towels & toilet paper.

ANGEL TREE If you have a loved one who is no longer with us and would like to honor them, please stop by the tree for information or see Karen Beck, 701-552-2029.

FREE MITTENS & HATS If you are in need of hats, mittens, or scarves, please help yourself from the cart. If you have extra, please feel free to add to the cart. Available to all.

FIRSTCHOICE JOB OPENING FirstChoice is looking for special people committed to our pro-life mission, who are personable with excellent communication skills. We are looking for a nurse or sonographer. Part-time positions available. Will train. Please forward your resume to angela@firstchoiceclinic.com or call 701-237-6530 for further details.

SPRING LYF RETREAT The North Dakota District LYF (Lutheran Youth Fellowship) Spring Retreat, "Share Hope" will be March 1-2, 2019 at the Chieftain in Carrington. Students in grades 8-12 are encouraged to attend this weekend youth retreat!