

# ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

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**February 23, 2020      Transfiguration of Our Lord -A**

**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 God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**FIRST READING: Exodus 24:8-18** *Moses goes up on Mount Sinai.*

**EPISTLE: 2 Peter 1:16-21** *"We were eyewitnesses of His majesty."*

**GOSPEL: Matthew 17:1-9** *Jesus is transfigured on the mountaintop.*

**CATECHETICAL LESSON** *The Lord's Prayer: The Introduction- Our Father who art in heaven. Our Father in heaven. What does this mean? With these words God tenderly invites us to believe that He is our true Father and that we are His true children, so that with all boldness and confidence we may ask Him as dear children ask their dear father.*

## OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES (Feb 23-March 1)

Sun/Feb 23 **Transfiguration of Our Lord**  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:30am  
SS/Bible Study, 9:30am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

Mon/Feb 24

Tues/Feb 25 Staff Meeting, 11:30am  
Council Meeting, 7pm

Wed/Feb 26 Ash Wednesday  
Lent Soup & Sandwich, 5:15pm  
Imposition of Ashes & Holy Communion, 6:30pm  
Confirmation Student/Parent Session, 7:30pm  
Jubilate Choir, 7:30pm

Thr/Feb 27 Newsletter Assembly, 9am

Fri/Feb 28 Gr 6-12 Lock In, 7pm-7am

Sat/Feb 29 Mercy in Action @ SOTV Bismarck, 9am-3pm

Sun/Mar 1 **First Sunday in Lent**  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:30am  
SS/Bible Study, 9:30am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10:45am

**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** on those having birthdays this upcoming week:

2/23: Trudy Ruff  
2/26: Arden Glanzer  
2/27: Makenzie Charvat  
2/29: Sawyer Meyer

**ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS** on those having anniversaries this week:

2/26: Randy & Carolyn Fiechtner

**SUPPORT OUR LENTEN MIDWEEK SUPPERS** Please sign up to support our Lenten midweek suppers starting Wednesday, February 26th. The sign up sheets to provide food are on the table in the narthex.

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

## February 23, 2020

**Transfiguration of Our Lord**

Entrance Hymn #831

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"Gloria in Excelsis" p. 204

Salutation and Collect p. 205

Old Testament *see back*

Gradual (10:45-Choir) *see insert*

Epistle *see back*

"Alleluia" & Responses p. 205-206

Gospel *see back*

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Children's Message

Sermon Hymn #947

Sermon: Matthew 17:1-9  
**"Jesus Touched Me"**

"Create in Me..." (III) p. 192

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Offering "Alleluia" 8am-Choir

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Agnus Dei, Distribution & Hymns  
#537, #680, #720, #620

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Closing Hymn #414

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

for last Sunday 118 + 82= 200

	<u>LAST YEAR</u>	<u>LAST SUNDAY</u>
General Fund Income Received:	\$ 5,660.17	\$ 6,241.16
Mortgage Fund Income Received:	\$ 849.13	\$ 920.16

<u>THROUGH DECEMBER</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
General Fund Income:	\$ 44,416.27	\$ 374,678.23
General Fund Expenses:	\$ 31,385.26	\$ 395,219.94
Net	\$ 13,031.01	\$ -20,541.71
Mortgage Fund Income	\$ 12,475.06	\$ 75,031.38
Mortgage Fund Loan Payments	\$ 6,386.00	\$ 76,632.00
Net	\$ -1,600.62	\$ -1,600.62

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK: (2/26 & 3/1)**

ELDERS:	Wed: Kevin Osmondson 8am: Kevin Osmondson 10:45am: Ken Koehler
AV:	Wed: Ken Koehler 8am: Joseph Cajobe/Preston Geist 10:45am: Ray Wasness/Lindsey Erickson
USHERS:	Wed: Al* & Naomi Hall Mike Peterson, Kirk Rosin 8am: *Al & Naomi Hall Steve Beltz, Tom Moltzan 10:45am: *Todd Reber, Duane Joyce Lori & Patrick Anderson
GREETERS	8am: Carolyn & Randy Schatz 10:45am: Diana & Mike Peterson
ACOLYTES:	Wed: Lyla Fiechtner 8am: Isaac Berg 10:45am: Aubry Strohm
MUSICIANS:	Wed: Susan Jahnke Sun: Susan Jahnke
ALTAR:	Rose Rios, Joslyn Pierce, Tami Hertel

**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 and on KFNW AM 1200 and 102.5 FM at 8:00am.

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** Mar 1: **Rev. Adam Harvala, St. Andrew Lutheran Church, West Fargo, ND**, presents the message: "Sweet Merciful Relief," based on Psalm 32:1-7. "This Is The Life" program is: "Man Adrift", a Fisher Family episode that discusses the relationship of faith and works. 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 a 30 minute Lutheran Hour program. Programs are broadcast at 9am Central time on FOX station KVRR Channel 15.1, AND 10am Central on WDAY Xtra Channel 6.3, and archived on [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com).

**SHORTFALL LOAN 2020** In 2019, giving to the General Fund income was \$21,000.00 short of covering expenses. The Mortgage Fund income was \$1,700.00 short of covering the loan payments. This year we had to take out a Shortfall Loan for \$22,700.00 to cover the difference for the Mortgage Fund and the General Fund. As we enter 2020, we are asking all to consider any additional giving they can contribute to eliminate the shortfall loan. In order to address this specific need, pink envelopes labeled Shortfall Loan can be found in the gathering area on the front table. Envelopes can be dropped in the Sunday offering plate or delivered to Mary at the office. Please include your envelope number.

Thank you!! Board of Stewardship

**CONTACT INFORMATION** As you know, we will be doing another church directory this year to celebrate 60 years! Please send any updated contact information to the church (phone numbers, addresses, and emails) to make sure that your information is updated! Feel free to call or email the church to check that we have the right information if you aren't sure. Many people have gotten rid of landlines and are only using cell phones. It is also helpful to know your cell provider for texting service (This will not be printed in the directory).

If you have adult children, we may still have them listed under your household and it would be beneficial to all to have updated contact information for them as well. Sometimes people move or even switch churches and forget to let us know. Encourage your family to update their information with us!

**CUSTODIAN POSITION** We are looking for a new custodian. Starting pay will be \$13.00 an hour with a max of 20 hours a week. Contact Tom Moltzan, Al Hall, Lloyd Ruud, James Jerger, or the church office.

**GLS SOCIAL STUDIES SHOWCASE** on Feb 27 from 6:30-8pm with supper served at 6pm. Presentations from students in gr 4-7 and puzzles, games, activities for younger students. All welcome!

**YOUTH LOCK-IN FEBRUARY 28-29** Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to join us for a night full of food, fun, and fellowship at the church from 7PM on Friday, February 28 until 7AM on Saturday, February 29. There is no cost, and a sign up sheet is on the youth bulletin board. Each youth member is invited to bring one friend. We would also appreciate another couple of parents to help chaperone and lead. If you have questions or to volunteer to help, please talk to Pastor Harvala or Addie Rossow.

**VISIT BY CANDIDATE JONATHAN KAMIN** to our congregation will be happening on March 1 at the 8am service. He is from Zion Lutheran Church and School-Bay City, MI. He is married to Emily and they have a son, Noah. Please be aware that he is visiting and greet him. He will only be here at the 8am service, because he is visiting the other association churches as well.

**A BIG THANKS** to Carl Glanzer for fixing several chairs & Rose Borslien for organizing the picture taking for our church directory! We should see it in a few months.

**"MERCY IN ACTION"** will take place at Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran on Sat, Feb 29 from 9:00am - 3:00pm. Save the date and plan to attend as we highlight ministry opportunities and hear how lives are impacted as God's people serve the Lord with gladness. You'll meet Gideon, official Comfort Dog with Lutheran Church Charities and hear the amazing impact that Comfort Dogs have when people are in crisis. Rev. Adam Filipek will present "Rich In Mercy". Rev. Filipek has served churches in NYC, Ferguson, MO, and Lidgerwood, ND. Zion Lutheran Church will share their IMPACT ONE mentorship partnership program with BHS and SOTV will highlight our partnership with Wachter Middle School and People Matter. Rev. Rick Jones, chaplain with Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch, will share the impact of caring for children. Cost is \$15 pre-registration or \$20.00 at the door. Lunch will be provided. Register at <https://sotv-bis.org/mercy-in-action-registration/> Contact Pastor Wolfgram at 701-400-0646 or [pastor.wolfgram@gmail.com](mailto:pastor.wolfgram@gmail.com) if you have questions or for more information.

**NERF NIGHT MARCH 6** The Fargo-Moorhead area LCMS congregations will be having a Nerf Night on Friday, March 6, from 7pm until midnight at Immanuel Lutheran Church in north Fargo. Sign up on the youth bulletin board. Friends welcome.

**ND DISTRICT LYF RETREAT** Youth in grades 8-12 are invited to attend the LYF retreat March 6-7 at the Chieftain Conference Center in Carrington. ND District Youth Council President Jacob Nistler (Zion, Bismarck) will present the topic "Motivated By Love," a training aimed at helping teens to Listen, Ask, Seek, Share, Invite, and Encourage their peers. Other activities include a service project, free time, junk food buffet, & Friday evening Bible study led by our very own Pastor Harvala. Registration forms are available on the youth bulletin board or see Pastor Harvala for more information.

**HIGHER THINGS RETREATS** The Higher Things retreat "What is Church?" will be presented at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Wahpeton and St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Minot on March 27-28. Cost is \$50 and includes all programming, activities, lodging, and meals. Transportation may also be available if we have a large enough group attending. For more information or to register, visit [www.higherthings.org/retreats](http://www.higherthings.org/retreats).

**Introit**

Exalt the LORD our God, and worship at his holy | mountain;\*  
 for the LORD our God is | holy!  
 The LORD reigns; let the peoples | tremble!\*  
 He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the | earth quake!  
 The LORD is great in | Zion;\*  
 he is exalted over all the | peoples.  
 Let them praise your great and | awesome name!\*  
 Ho- | ly is he!  
 The King in his might loves | justice.\*  
 You have established equity; you have executed justice and  
 righteousness in | Jacob.  
 Exalt the LORD our God; worship at his | footstool!\*  
 Ho- | ly is he!  
**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
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**Gradual**

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 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;\*  
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