

**Jeremiah 28:5–9**

Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to Hananiah the prophet in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD, and the prophet Jeremiah said, “Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD make the words that you have prophesied come true, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD, and all the exiles. Yet hear now this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes to pass, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet.”

**Romans 7:1–13**

Or do you not know, brothers—for I am speaking to those who know the law—that the law is binding on a person only as long as he lives? Thus a married woman is bound by law to her husband while he lives, but if her husband dies she is released from the law of marriage. Accordingly, she will be called an adulteress if she lives with another man while her husband is alive. But if her husband dies, she is free from that law, and if she marries another man she is not an adulteress. Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. For while we were living in the flesh, our sinful passions, aroused by the law, were at work in our members to bear fruit for death. But now we are released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve not under the old written code but in the new life of the Spirit. What then shall we say? That the law is sin? By no means! Yet if it had not been for the law, I would not have known sin. I would not have known what it is to covet if the law had not said, “You shall not covet.” But sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, produced in me all kinds of covetousness. Apart from the law, sin lies dead. I was once alive apart from the law, but when the commandment came, sin came alive and I died. The very commandment that promised life proved to be death to me. For sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, deceived me and through it killed me. So the law is holy, and the commandment is holy and righteous and good. Did that which is good, then, bring death to me? By no means! It was sin, producing death in me through what is good, in order that sin might be shown to be sin, and through the commandment might become sinful beyond measure.

**Matthew 10:34–42**

[Jesus said:] “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law. And a person’s enemies will be those of his own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. And whoever does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. “Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives him who sent me. The one who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and the one who receives a righteous person because he is a righteous person will receive a righteous person’s reward. And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward.”

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**June 28 & July 1, 2020      Fourth Sunday after Pentecost - A**

**WELCOME** to where we hear about true freedom in Christ Jesus. Yet we struggle to lead a loving life to our neighbor and faithful life to God in this land of freedom. Through His grace He enlivens us and lightens the crosses we carry. 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 one of the pastors before the service concerning your intentions to accept the privilege of communing.

**WORSHIP PRAYER** Almighty God, by the working of Your Holy Spirit, grant that we may gladly hear Your Word proclaimed among us and follow its directing; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**OLD TESTAMENT: Jeremiah 28:5-9** *True and false prophets*

**EPISTLE: Romans 7:1-13** *"You also have died to the law through the body of Christ."*

**HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 10:34-42** *"I have not come to bring peace, but a sword."*

**CATECHETICAL LESSON** *Confession: Which are these?* Consider your place in life according to the Ten Commandments: Are you a father, mother, son, daughter, husband, wife, or worker? Have you been disobedient, unfaithful, or lazy? Have you been hot-tempered, rude, or quarrelsome? Have you hurt someone by your words or deeds? Have you stolen, been negligent, wasted anything, or done any harm?

## OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES

(June 21-28)

Sun/June 28 **Fourth Sunday after Pentecost-A**  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
Online worship stream via Facebook Live, 8am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10am

Mon/June 29

Tues/June 30 Voter's Meeting, 7pm (in person & online)

Wed/July 1 Worship w/Holy Communion, 7pm

Thur/July 2

Fri/July 3 Church Office Closed

Sat/July 4

Sun/July 5 **Fifth Sunday after Pentecost-A**  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am  
Online worship stream via Facebook Live, 8am  
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10am

**Pastor Jahnke on vacation 6/28-6/30**

**Pastor Harvala on vacation 7/2-7/8**

**MAILBOXES** Many people have very full mailboxes due to the recent extended absence from the Lord's house. Now that we have resumed public worship services, please check your mailboxes routinely. Those of you with confirmed children & multiple boxes of envelopes should also check the top of the mailboxes.

**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** to those having birthdays this week:

6/28: Avery Else, Jennifer Osmondson

6/29: Glenda Pistorius

6/30: Jonathon Beltz, Alana Ratz

7/1: Zimry Irutingabo Binagana, Dylan Kolrud, Vickie Radke, Dale Xu

7/2: Dawn Doyel

7/3: Kaiden Eli, Diane Glander, Ray Pfahl

7/4: Allen Holm, Tim Ratz

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

6/28: John & Rachel Myhre

7/2: Pastor Adam & Kasey Harvala

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Processional Hymn #570

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Introit *See insert*

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Old Testament *See back*

Gradual *See insert*

Epistle *See back*

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Gospel *See back*

**No Children's Message**

Sermon Hymn: #689

Sermon: Romans 7:1-13  
**"The Resurrecting Christ"**

Nicene Creed p. 174

Prayers of the Church & Offering

Preface & Sanctus p. 177-178

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Distribution & Hymns  
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"Thank the Lord..." p. 181

Prayer & Benediction p.183

Closing Hymn #763

**-OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIS PEOPLE AND HIS WORLD-**

**USED OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP OUR LORD:**

for last Wednesday & both Sunday Services: 32 + 36 + 33 = 101

	<u>LAST YEAR</u>	<u>LAST SUNDAY</u>
General Fund Income Received:	\$ 8,490.23	\$ 10,138.93
Mortgage Fund Income Received:	\$ 480.23	\$ 1,065.00

<u>THROUGH APRIL:</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
General Fund Income:	\$ 31,133.45	\$134,491.89
General Fund Expenses:	\$ 34,416.28	\$168,296.84
Net	\$ -3,282.83	\$-33,804.95

Mortgage Fund Income	\$ 5,767.01	\$ 24,716.86
Mortgage Fund Loan Payments	\$ 6,386.00	\$ 25,544.00
Net	\$ -618.99	\$ -827.14

<u>Shortfall Loan</u>	<u>Income Rec</u>	<u>YTD BAL</u>
<b>Through April</b>	\$ 6,592.20	\$ 16,107.80

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK:** (July 5 & 8)

<b>ELDERS:</b>	Sun 8am: Bill Kitzman Sun 10am: Ken Koehler Wed: Dave Pistorius
<b>AV:</b>	Sun 8am: Kevin Osmondson Sun 10am: Joe Cajobe/Shanteau Wasness Wed: Aubrey Strohm
<b>USHERS:</b>	Sun 8am: Lloyd Ruud*, Arlyn Kraft Todd & Isaac Berg Sun 10am: Ray Wasness*, Del Ruff Carter Riebe Wed: Steve Lindquist*, Preston Geist
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	Sun 8am: Tatum Renfrew Sun 10am: Gatlin Strohm Wed: Axel Lindquist
<b>MUSICIANS:</b>	Sun 8am & 10am: Susan Jahnke Wed: Susan Jahnke
<b>ALTAR GUILD - JULY</b>	Rachel Kitzman & Sara Sell

**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost- A**

**June 28, 2020**

**Introit**

I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, for- | ever;\*  
with my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all gener- | ations.

Blessèd are the people who know the | festal shout,\*  
who walk, O LORD, in the light | of your face,  
who exult in your name | all the day\*

and in your righteousness are ex- | alted.

For you are the glory | of their strength,\*

by your favor our horn is ex- | alted.

For our shield belongs | to the LORD,\*

our king to the Holy One of | Israel.

**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.**

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with my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all gener- | ations.

**Collect of the Day**

Almighty God, by the working of Your Holy Spirit, grant that we may gladly hear Your Word proclaimed among us and follow its directing; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Gradual**

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowl- | edge of God!\*

How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable | his ways!

For from him and through him and to him are | all things.\*

To him be glory forever. | Amen.

**Verse**

Alleluia. Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. Alleluia.

**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 8am.

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** July 5: **Rev. Brian Shane, Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Fargo, ND**, presents the message: "Yoked to Christ by the Mighty Works of God," based on Matthew 11:25-30. This Is The Life program is: "The Reluctant Witness". An angler's well planned fishing trip is interrupted when he becomes a witness to crime and struggles with the aftermath. 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 9:00am 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).

**VOTERS MEETING RESCHEDULED** The spring meeting of the voters assembly will be held in person at St. Andrew on Tuesday, June 30th at 7pm. There will also be an option to attend and participate online. The voters meeting is open to the entire St. Andrew congregation and we strongly encourage you to attend in person or online.

**UPDATED CONTACT INFORMATION** Please remember to let the church office know if you have a new address, changed your phone number or email. Thank you!

**USHERS NEEDED** We are in great need of ushers. This is an area we were low in volunteers prior to COVID-19, but now we are especially hit hard because many of the normal ushers are not able to attend our actual worship services. You can designate early or late service and sign up for dates of your choosing. The tasks are easy to do and currently modified during this Covid period. If you have questions, please ask one of the ushers after service or contact Mary in the office. If you wish to become an usher, let Mary in the office know with your preferred service and dates. Thank you for considering helping out in this area!

**PREPARATIONS ARE UNDERWAY** for our fall educational programs. Four areas of particular need for volunteer help are: Sunday school superintendent, Sunday school music leader, Sunday school classroom teachers, and confirmation coordinator. If you feel called to use your gifts in service to Christ and his church in any of these capacities and would like more information, please speak to Pastor Harvala or a member of the Board of Christian Education (Leanne Muhl, Bridget Hins, Addie Rossow, or Carolyn Fiechtner). We give thanks to God for the gifts he gives to his people!

**SHORTFALL LOAN PROGRESS** Thank you for your contributions to the 2019 budget shortfall loan of \$22,700. With matching dollars, our fundraising goal is \$11,350. **As of May 10th, you have contributed \$7,292, or 64% of our goal! That leaves only \$4,058 to go.** Remember, matching funds double your donation. Thank you for your continued support to close out the remaining balance.

- Board of Stewardship

**SUMMER CAMPS!** Even though COVID-19 has disrupted many plans, summer camps are still available at Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads in St. John, ND. Please contact Pastor Harvala for more info on what's available, or to register for camps scholarships that will be provided by the St. Andrew Board of Christian Education.

**DISTRICT ENCOUNTER CAMP** has been a favorite of youth around the state for many years. This camp is for those entering grades 7 & up and uses targeted "encounters" with the WORD, WORLD, WORSHIP & RECREATION to strengthen youth in their faith. **SALC confirmation students who attend will receive credit for TWO Worship & Sermon Summaries.** Please see Pastor Harvala for more information.