

The Meyer Baptismal Gown History Book



June 1985, 73 years old.

The Dress



May 1985, 73 years old.

The Dress was made for Robert Henry Meyer by Eda Helms, wife of August Helms, in March of 1912. August Helms as the brother of Robert's mother, Martha Helms Meyer.

First Generation

The dress was first worn by Robert Henry Meyer at his baptism in April 1912. He was the son of Theodore Wilhelm and Martha Marie Helms Meyer. Trinity Lutheran Church - Cleveland, Ohio.

The Second to wear the dress was his sister, Ruth Ester Meyer, at her baptism, July 1920. Trinity Lutheran Church - Cleveland, Ohio.

The third to wear it was his second sister, Lenore Kathryn Meyer, at her baptism, August 1922. Trinity Lutheran Church - Cleveland, Ohio.

#1 Robert Henry Meyer

April, 1912

#2 Ruth Ester Meyers

July, 1920

#3 Lenore Kathryn Meyer

July, 1920



Lenore, Bob, Ruth (1992)



Ruth, Bob, Lenore (July 18th, 1995)

Ruth's 75th Birthday



Trinity Lutheran Church - Cheveland, OH

Second Generation



*#4 Cathy Lee Heimforth
April, 1947*



*#5 Linda Ruth Lintern
June, 1948*



*#6 Carol Adele Lintern
May, 1950*



*#7 Keith William Heimforth
May, 1953*



*#8 Paul Lawrence Lintern
July, 1956*

#4 Cathy Lee Heimforth

May, 1947

*Cathy Lee Heimforth, child of John and Lenore (nee Meyer) was baptized in may
1947 at Redeemer Lutheran Church - Detroit, Michigan.*



Detroit MI. at Grandma and Grandpa Meyer's.

#5 Linda Ruth Lintern

June, 1948

Linda Ruth Lintern, daughter of Lawrence and Ruth (nee Meyer) Lintern, was baptized in June 1948 at Redeemer Lutheran Church - Detroit, Michigan.



Linda Ruth Lintern



Cathy Heimforth and Linda Lintern

#6 Carol Adele Lintern

May, 1950

Carol Adele Lintern, daughter of Lawrence and Ruth (nee Meyer) Lintern, was baptized in May 1950 at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church - Detroit, Michigan.



Carol Adele Lintern



Carol Adele Lintern



Linda, Ruth, Lawrence, Carol

#7 Keith William Heimforth

May, 1953

*Keith William Heimforth son of John and Lenore (nee Meyer) Heimforth was
baptized in May 1953 at Faith - Outer Drive Lutheran Church - Detroit,
Michigan*



Keith William Heimforth



Lenore and Keith



John, Cathey, Lenore, Keith

#8 Paul Lawrence Lintern

July, 1956

Paul Lawrence Lintern, son of Lawrence and Ruth (nee Meyer) Lintern, was baptized in July 1956 at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church - Detroit, Michigan.



Paul Lawrence Lintern



Carol, Linda, Paul



Paul, Ruth, Linda, Carol, Lawrence

Third Generation



#9 Matthew John Van Horn
October 14th, 1972



#10 Edward Brooke Hasecke
December 24th, 1974



#11 Brian Russell Van Horn
October 12th, 1975



#12 Amanda Katherine Van
Horn February 20th, 1977



#13 Adam Scott Hasecke
October 29th, 1978



#14 Katherine Marie Hasecke
February 15th, 1981



#15 Mark Lawrence Lintern
July 28th, 1985



#16 Steve Lawrence Lintern
November 22nd, 1987

#9 Matthew John Van Horn

October 14th, 1972

Matthew John Van Horn, son of Ronald and Cathy (nee Heimforth) Van Horn was baptized on October 14th, 1972 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church - Livonia, Michigan.



Matthew John Van Horn

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October 14th, 1972

Gown Sees Its Ninth Baptism In 60 Years

A lace-trimmed baptismal gown, a family heirloom for 60 years now, had its ninth wearer Sunday, Oct. 15, when six-week-old Mathew John Van Horn of Livonia was baptized in Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.

Bright-eyed Mathew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald C. Van Horn, 11030 Blackburn. He represented the fourth generation to wear the gown, sewn in 1912 by Mrs. Eda Helms in Lakewood, Ohio, for the christening of her nephew, Robert Henry Meyer.

MATHEW'S MOTHER. Mrs. Cathy Lee Heimforth Van Horn, wore it when she was baptized in April, 1947. So did her mother, Mrs. Lesore Meyer Heimforth, at her baptism in August 1922. Mrs. Heimforth is Robert Meyer's niece. *515724*

Between times, it was worn by five other babies in the Meyer family.

Two of them served as sponsors for the baby on the occasion of the big family gathering. They are Linda Lintern Hasecke, Mrs. Van Horn's cousin, who wore the gown in June of 1948, and came from Pittsburgh for the occasion, and Keith Heimforth, Mathew's uncle, and a student at Central Michigan University. He was the gown's seventh wearer in 1953.

ON HAND to make the gathering a four-generation one were Mrs. Van Horn's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heimforth of Traverse City.

The baptism went smoothly, Mrs. Van Horn reported, and "Mathew behaved very well - just got a little fussy when all his grandparents kept taking pictures."



MRS. CATHY VAN HORN admires her tiny son, Mathew, and his 60-year-old baptismal gown (Observer photo by Harry Mauthe)

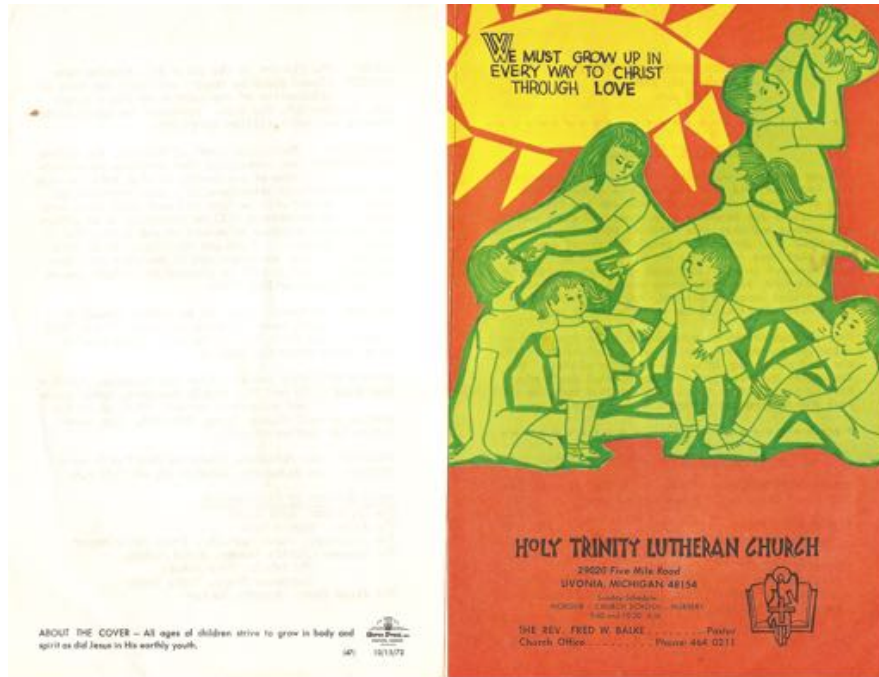
NOT SO the heirloom gown, she had to admit.

"It's not exactly permanent press," the young mother explained. "Mother did it up for me, but after she'd worn it just a short time - really was a mess."

But everyone there was betting it would be back

sparkling clean and fresh when the family's next baby is baptized.

#9 Matthew John Van Horn



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| <p>PEOPLE: LORD, HURRY AND HELP US. Pastor: Give glory to the Father almighty, and to His Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. PEOPLE: AND TO THE SPIRIT WHO INWELLS IS OUR HEARTS BOTH NOW AND FOREVER.</p> <p>*THE PSALM: Psalm 47 Pastor: Clap your hands, stamp your feet! Let your bodies and your voices explode with joy. God is not some human concoction. He is for real! And He is here! Despite all attempts to rationalize Him out of existence, He is in our world, and He reigns over our universe.</p> <p>PEOPLE: THE RULERS OF NATIONS OFTEN IGNORE HIM. MEN OF LEARNING OFTEN PASS HIM BY. THE MASSES OF HIS CREATURES SUBSTITUTE THEIR OWN GODS IN HIS PLACE AND WORSHIP THE THINGS THEY CAN SEE AND FEEL. THERE ARE OTHERS WHO BUILD FORTRESSES ABOUT THEMSELVES AND MANIFEST NO NEED FOR GOD.</p> <p>ALL: OUR GREAT GOD WILL NOT BE IGNORED. WE WILL NOT REMOVE HIMSELF FROM OUR WORLD. LET US RECOGNIZE HIS PRESENCE AND FILL THE AIR WITH HIS PRAISES.</p> <p>THE EPISTLE LESSON: Ephesians 5:15-31 *THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 22:1-14 THE SERMON THEME: No. 448 "Bless, My Soul, to Watch and Pray" THE SERMON: Based on Ephesians 5:18 "Temperance" THE REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE THE GATHERING AND PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS</p> | <p>ALSO: The flowers on the altar this morning were placed there by Ronald and Kathy Van Horn in celebration of the baptism of their infant son, Matthew John Van Horn. Sponsors are Linda Lintner, Katecha and Keith William Reinhardt.</p> <p>ATTENDANCE: During the month of October, the Elders REGISTRATION are requesting that everyone in attendance at our weekly services take the time to register their attendance on a card provided for this. A record will be kept and each week those members not in attendance will be contacted in an effort to encourage everyone to attend church during the month of October. If you are visiting with us this morning, we also encourage you to register your name and address and we will be pleased to include you on our newsletter mailing list.</p> <p>HYMNALS: The Devotion Circle is repairing hymnals as a Church beautification project. If you find a hymnal that is in need of repair, please hand it to an usher after the service.</p> <p>REPAIRS AND BAKE SALE: This coming Friday and Saturday, October 13 and 14. Usable dishes, baked goods and volunteers needed. Sign up in the narthex or call Sharon Serra, 368-6432. See newsletter for further details.</p> <p>TEACHERS' MEETING: Our Religious Education Staff will meet on Wednesday, October 12, at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>THOSE SERVING IN THIS MORNING The Organist: Lois Spake The Elder: Harold Palm The Acolytes: Steve Muchalko, Bruce Reidelmeier The Ushers: Martin Jockney, David Jockney, Ed Schula, Eric Schula Lawrence Trapp, Kevin Trapp The Altar Care: Dorothy Ranker</p> |
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#10 Edward Brooke Hasecke

December 24th, 1974

Edward Brooke Hasecke, son of Frederick and Linda (nee Lintern) Hasecke, was baptized on December 24, 1974 at Trinity Lutheran Church - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.



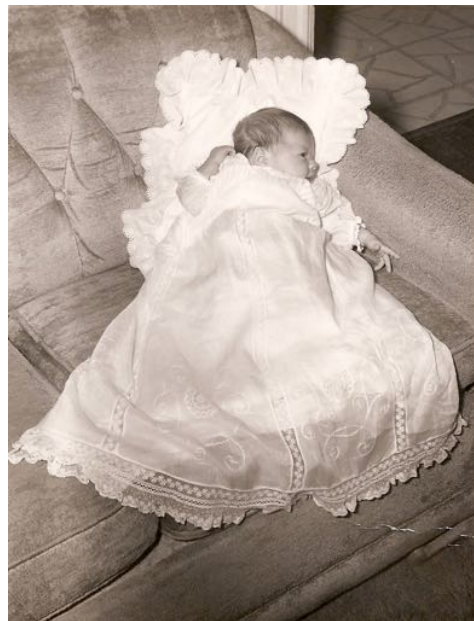
Edward Brooke Hasecke



Fred, Linda, Edward



Trinity Lutheran Church



Edward Brooke Hasecke

#10 Edward Brooke Haseske

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| Christmas Offering | |
| Closing Prayer and Lord's Prayer | |
| Benediction | |
| The Lord bless you, and keep you. The Lord make his face shine upon you, and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen. | |
| Recessional Carol | 15 |
| "Joy To The World" | |
| Organ Postlude | |
| Organist | Judy Kielman |
| Lay Readers | Tony Baggiani Sharon Baranowski Ivan Jirak (Church Council President) |
| Choirs | Trinity's Junior and Senior Choirs |
| Baptismal Liturgist | Pastor James Lutz |
| Homilist | Pastor Fred Hasecke |
| Parents of Bradley Wayne | Margaret and Alan Randolph |
| Parents of Edward Brooke | Linda and Frederick Hasecke |

BLESSED CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

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Behold, I bring you
good tidings of
great joy, which shall
be to all people.
For to you is born
this day
in the city of David
a Saviour,
who is Christ
the Lord



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| CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE DECEMBER 24, 1974 7:30 pm TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH 3102 Sherwood Ave Pgh Pa 15204 | |
| M=Minister | C=Congregation |
| P=Church Council President | |
| Organ Prelude | |
| Processional Carol | 27 |
| "O Little Town Of Bethlehem" | |
| Christmas Introit | |
| M: Unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder. | |
| C: And His name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, The Mighty God: The Everlasting Father, The Prince of peace. | |
| All Sing: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. | |
| Christmas Lessons and Anthems | |
| Isaiah 9:6-7, Micah 5:2 | |
| "What Child Is This?" | |
| Luke 2:1-7 | |
| "Sing Gloria" | |
| Luke 2:8-20 | |
| "Rise Up Early" | |
| Baptismal Rite | |
| (All children are invited to come to the Baptismal Font.) | |
| Statement on Baptism | |

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| Presentation of Edward Brooke Hasecke and Bradley Wayne Randolph | |
| Confession of Faith (Congregation-Stand) | |
| M: Profess your faith in Christ Jesus - Reject sin. Confess the faith of the church, the faith in which we baptize. Do you renounce all the forces of evil, the devil, and all his empty promises? | |
| C: I do. | |
| M: Do you believe in God the Father? | |
| C: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. | |
| M: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God? | |
| C: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. | |
| M: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit? | |
| C: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. | |
| Prayers | |
| Sacrament of Holy Baptism (Congregation-Sit) | |
| Prayers | |

#11 Brian Russell Van Horn

October 12th, 1975

*Brian Russell Van Horn, son of Rhonald and Cathy (nee Heimforth) Van Horn,
was baptized on October 12th, 1975 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church - Livonia,
Michigan.*



Brian Russel Van Horn



William and Nancy Brown

#11 Brian Russell Van Horn

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MANY ARE CALLED

But few are chosen

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
 39020 Five Mile Road
 LIVONIA, MICHIGAN 48154
 Sunday School
 WORSHIP - CHURCH SCHOOL - MUSIC
 9:00 and 10:30 A.M.
 THE REV. FRED W. BALKE, Pastor
 Church Office Phone: 464 0211

ABOUT THE COVER - The different colors represent all races of people everywhere. Christ calls all people to life, but few people choose to accept it.

10/12/79

***LAMB OF GOD:** (C.W. 2, page 50)
 JESUS, LAMB OF GOD: HAVE MERCY ON US.
 JESUS, REDEEMER OF OUR SINS: HAVE MERCY ON US.
 JESUS, REDEEMER OF THE WORLD: GIVE US YOUR PEACE.

DISTRIBUTION (We invite all confirmed Lutherans to share this Holy Meal with us.)

***THANKSGIVING:** (C.W. 2, page 50)
 THANK THE LORD AND SING HIS PRAISE.
 TELL EV'RY ONE WHAT HE HAS DONE.
 LET EV'RY MAN WHO SEEKS THE LORD,
 REJOICE AND PROUDLY BEAR HIS NAME.
 HE RECALLS HIS PROMISES AND LEADS HIS PEOPLE
 FORTH IN JOY WITH SHOUTS OF THANKSGIVING.
 ALLELUIA. ALLELUIA.

***BLESSING:**
 Pastor: Go out into the world in peace; have courage; hold to what is good; return no man evil for evil; strengthen the faint-hearted; support the weak; help the suffering; honor all men; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. And may almighty God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit bless you.
 PEOPLE: AMEN.

***CLOSING HYMN:** T.L.H. 391.
 "Blessed Are the Sons of God"
 (V.1-Men, V.2-Women, V.3-All)

ORGAN POSTLUDE: Dandrieu (1682-1736)
 "Benedicte"

*Indicates that portion of the service where the congregation shall stand.
 *Indicates that portion of the service where the congregation shall kneel.

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COMMUNION Those who participate in Holy Communion are asked to fill out a registration card from the back of the pew and hand it to an usher. Thank you.

BAPTISMS God bestows his love and forgiveness this morning upon Michelle Lynn Averill, infant daughter of Craig and Nancy Averill; sponsors are Mark and Jane Averill, Andrea Averill and William Stahl. Also upon Brian Russell Van Horn, infant son of Ronald and Cathy Van Horn; sponsors are William and Nancy Brown.

FLOWERS The flowers in the chancel this morning were placed there by Ron and Cathy Van Horn in celebration of the baptism of their son, Brian Russell; and also by the Ladies' Parish Service Guild.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

| Day | Time | Event |
|-----------|-------|--------------------------|
| Sunday | 5:30 | Senior High Youth |
| | 7:30 | Folk Service |
| | 9:00 | Church School |
| | 10:30 | Church Council |
| Monday | 7:30 | Junior High Classes |
| | 8:00 | Church Council |
| | 9:30 | Tiny Tots |
| | 10:30 | Mary/Martha Circle |
| Tuesday | 9:30 | Church School |
| | 10:30 | Youth Mite |
| | 7:30 | Kennedy Evangelism |
| | 8:00 | Elizabeth Circle |
| Wednesday | 1:00 | LADIES' DAY AT CONCORDIA |
| | 7:30 | Pre-School |
| | 9:30 | Adult Class |
| | 10:30 | Tiny Tots |
| Thursday | 6:00 | Children's Choir |
| | 7:30 | Adult Choir |
| | 9:30 | Regal/McCarty Wedding |
| | 10:30 | Regal/McCarty Wedding |
| Friday | 4:00 | Regal/McCarty Wedding |
| | 10:30 | Regal/McCarty Wedding |
| Saturday | 5:30 | Regal/McCarty Wedding |

#12 Amanda Katherine Van Horn

February 20th, 1977

Amanda Katherine Van Horn, daughter of Ronald and Cathy (nee Heimforth) Van Horn, was baptized on February 20th, 1977 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church - Livonia, Michigan.



Amanda Katherine Van Horn



*Sponsors, Paul and Carol Lintern
Ronald and Emily Braun*



Paul and Carol Lintern

#12 Amanda Katherine Van Horn

THE HOLY TRINITY WINDOW

The dominant feature of our new sanctuary is the Holy Trinity Window behind the chancel. The major symbolism in the window is the three persons of the Trinity positioned left, center and right. The Old Testament symbols appear in the left half of the window and the New Testament symbols in the right half. The scheme reads from left to right.

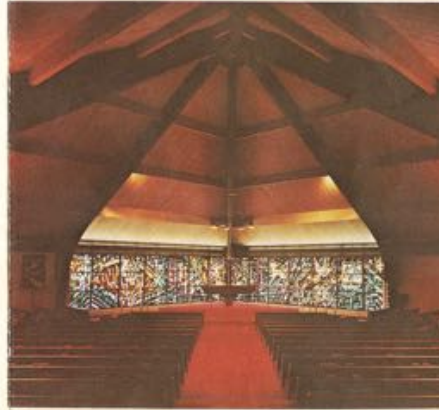
The Sun at the top represents the life giving force of creation rising out of the dark void and giving light to the world. The fruited tree represents man's fall away from God, but the cross hovers above as God's promise of a Savior. The egg shape of the foliage prefigures Easter. The rainbow represents God's covenant with Noah, all mankind and the earth. The scattering of many stars reminds us of God's promise to Abraham. The giant hand of God the Father thrusting down into time and history distributing His bountiful gifts and blessings. The burning bush represents God's deliverance of His people from bondage in Egypt and also is a symbol of God's call and man's response. The doorway and three red marks remembers the pass-over and God's deliverance. The Tau Cross between the two tablets of commandments is God's cross of healing raised by Moses in the desert. The scroll represents God's prophetic word and the strong literary tradition of Israel. The tongs and burning coal remind us of Isaiah's commission to bring Israel to repentance and foretell of Christ. The rose of Sharon is a prophetic image of the coming Redeemer in Israel.

The four tongues of flame begin the Advent season. The Fleur de lis is an ancient symbol of the announcement to Mary and the human nature of Christ. The great star is the Epiphany of Christ, the coming of light to the world. The manger suggests the lowly birth of Christ. The shepherds crook reminds us that the lowliest of men were the first to worship the Christ. The olive branch suggests the healing grace of the Prince of Peace. The chalice and wafer suggests Holy Communion, the dual nature of Christ, the incarnation, death and resurrection of Christ and the reconciliation of God and man. The fish above the manger is the hidden sign of Christ in the world. The three crosses and inscription remember Calvary and the empty tomb and the rising lamb the triumph of Easter. The ascending Alpha and Omega symbolizes the ascension and the reign of the Word, before, through and beyond all time.

The descending Dove begins the work of the Holy Spirit. The triangle reminds us that He also represents the Trinity of God. The descending flames remind us of Pentecost and the reign of grace upon the world. The oil and clouds symbolize earth the direction of God's grace. The ship with the open Bible becomes a symbol of the great commission. The pool of water on the Bible brings in Holy Baptism. The crown of life, stars and palms represent the end of time and the vision of heaven.

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Phone 464-0211

Sunday Services: 9:00 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.

FRED W. BALKE, Pastor

*INTERCESSION I
PEOPLE: LORD, HAVE MERCY UPON US.
*INTERCESSION II
PEOPLE: CHRIST, HAVE MERCY UPON US.
*INTERCESSION III
PEOPLE: LORD, HAVE MERCY UPON US.

ALORD'S PRAYER (Spoken by all)

*SALUTATION:
Pastor: The Lord be with you.
PEOPLE: HIS SPIRIT BE WITH YOU, TOO.

*PRAYER FOR GRACE: (Spoken by all)
O LORD, OUR HEAVENLY FATHER, SINCE YOU HAVE SAFELY
BROUGHT US TO THE BEGINNING OF THIS DAY, CONTINUE
TO DEFEND US WITH YOUR RIGHTY POWER. GRANT THAT
THIS DAY WE FALL INTO NO SIN, NOR RUN INTO ANY KIND
OF DANGER, BUT THAT EVERYTHING WE DO MIGHT BE
ORDERED BY YOUR WILL AND BE RIGHTHOUS IN YOUR SIGHT,
THROUGH JESUS CHRIST, OUR LORD. AMEN.

*BLESSING:
Pastor: Go out into the world in peace; have
courage; hold to what is good; return no
man evil for evil; strengthen the faint-hearted;
support the weak; help the suffering; honor all
men; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the
power of the Holy Spirit. And may almighty God,
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit bless you.
PEOPLE: AMEN.

*CLOSING HYMN: TLH 399
"Thee Will I Love, My Strength, My Tower"

ORGAN POSTLUDE:

*Indicates that portion of the service where the
congregation shall stand.

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FLOWERS The flowers in the chancel this morning were
placed there by Sam and Ann Marderosian in
celebration of their wedding anniversary. May God
continue to bless them. Also by Ron and Cathy VanHorn
in celebration of the baptism of their daughter
Amanda Katherine.

WELCOME Please accept our warmest welcome. If you
TO OUR are visiting with us for the first time this
GUESTS morning, please sign our guest registry as
you leave. We hope to see you again soon.
If you are looking for a new church home and are
interested in knowing more about Holy Trinity, please
contact Pastor after the service this morning.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

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| Sunday | 2:45 | Boys' Basketball |
| | 4:00 | Girls' Basketball |
| Monday | 4:00 | Church School |
| | 7:00 | Confirmation Classes |
| Tuesday | 9:30 | Tiny Tots |
| | 4:00 | Church School & Kindergarten |
| | 6:30 | Pancake Supper |
| Wednesday | 7:30 | ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE |
| Thursday | 9:30 | Tiny Tots |
| | 10:00 | Prayer Ministry |
| | 7:00 | Youth Mite |

BAPTISM God bestows his love and forgiveness this
morning upon Amanda Katherine Van Horn,
infant daughter of Ron and Cathy Van Horn; sponsors
are Ronald and Elaine Braun, Paul Linters and Carol
Lintern Christis.

#13 Adam Scott Hasecke

October 28th, 1978

Adam Scott Hasecke, son of Frederick and Linda (nee Lintern) Hasecke, has his baptism affirmed on October 29th, 1978 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church - Toledo, Ohio.



*God Parents Cathy (Heimforth) Van Horn and
Paul Lintern*




Adam Scott Hasecke



St. Paul's Lutheran Church

#13 Adam Scott Hasecke



St. Paul's
Evangelical Lutheran Church
COURT HOUSE SQUARE TOLEDO, OHIO 43624 243-4214

The Sunday Before Reformation Day
October 29, 1978
THE DAY

Reformation Day is October 31, but because that falls on a Tuesday this year, we are celebrating its significance today. When Martin Luther posted his 95 theses to the door of Castle Church in Wittenberg, he was challenging the church's return to God's Word. His contention was that Holy Scripture was the authority for all matters of faith and life. That contention has not died with the church; it is still limited to one person or one Christian church. It remains the basis for all reform in the church, including all reforms (if they are truly reforms) that take place today.

8:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

SERVICE OF THE WORD
Service Book and Hymnal — Second Setting — Page 41

Our service today, as indicated, is from the Service Book and Hymnal (SBH). The hymns in the service will be sung from the new green LUTHERAN BOOK OF WORSHIP. These books are now in the hymnal racks on the backs of the pews. Hymn numbers will be indicated as found in the new book, and it will be referred to as the LBW. We will be using the new book for the hymns in our services each week, but will continue with the liturgical service as found in the SBH until we have thoroughly learned the service as found in the LBW. Bear with us during this transition period, as this will obviously involve some switching back and forth between the two books. In the meantime, we would like to ask that the new LBWs be kept in the hymnal racks on the pews, and that the SBHs be left lying on the pews themselves.

The well of worship resources in our new LUTHERAN BOOK OF WORSHIP is rich and deep. It offers to each of us the opportunity to strengthen our spiritual growth and renew our worship life.

Entrance Hymn Lift High the Cross — LBW, No. 377

We have sung this hymn, in August, on the occasion of the ordination of Douglas Kahl. The Refrain (top two lines of the hymn) is sung at the beginning of the hymn, and following each stanza. Note that there is a fifth stanza at the bottom of the page. The organ will play the Refrain once through as the introduction to the hymn.

Invocation, Greetings and Parish Announcements

CONFESSIO OF SINS
Act of Reconciliation

Pastor: Father in heaven, your Word is the supreme authority for all matters of faith and life.
People: Forgive us for not listening to your Word of law and gospel.
Pastor: Father in heaven, your way is upright in all matters of faith and life.

In Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction; since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, we are justified by his grace through the redemption which is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as an expiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. He did this to show his righteousness at the present time that he himself is righteous and that he justifies him who has faith in Jesus Christ.

Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. On what principle? On the principle of works? No, but on the principle of faith. For we hold that a man is justified by faith apart from works of law.

Gradual Anthem (11:00)

Christ, Foundation, Head and Cornerstone Lloyd Plautsch
St. Paul's Choir

Gospel John 8:31-36

Jesus then said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." They answered him, "Truly, truly, we have never been in bondage to any one. How is it that you say, 'You will be made free'?"

Jesus answered them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, every one who commits sin is a slave to sin. The slave does not continue in the house for ever; the son continues for ever. So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed."

Apostles' Creed

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Offering and Gathering of Gifts (9:30)

Choral Prelude on
Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott Johann Gottfried Walther
(A Mighty Fortress Is Our God)

Sacrament of Baptism for DANIELLE MICHELLE DAUER (11:00)

Affirmation of Baptism for ADAM SCOTT HASECKE (11:00)

Hymn of the Day A Mighty Fortress Is Our God - LBW, No. 229

Sermon Pastor Hasecke

Text: Romans 3:21-26 Theme: God's 3 Rs

Anthem (9:30)

Christ, Foundation, Head and Cornerstone Lloyd Plautsch
St. Paul's Choir

Offering and Gathering of Gifts (8:15 & 11:00)

Musical Prelude on
Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott Johann Gottfried Walther
(A Mighty Fortress Is Our God)

Offertory Chant (8:15 & 11:00)

..... Text III — SBH, Page 27

Prayer of the Church

Our Father in heaven, holy be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Do not bring us to the test but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Benediction

..... Rites, O Children of Salvation — LBW, No. 182

Exit Hymn

Postlude

#14 Katherine Marie Hasecke

February 15th, 1981

Katherine Marie Hasecke, daughter of Frederick and Linda (nee Lintern) Hasecke, has his baptism affirmed on February 15th, 1981 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church - Toledo, Ohio.



Katherine Marie Hasecke




Katherine, Ruth Lintern, Cathy Van Horn, Adam Hasecke, Linda Hasecke, Matthew, Brian, and Amanda Van Horn, Carol Lintern, Edward Hasecke.



*God Parents - Richard and Rosemarie Stapf
(Fred's cousins)*

#14 Katherine Marie Hasecke



St. Paul's
Evangelical Lutheran Church
COURT HOUSE SQUARE TOLEDO, OHIO 43624 243-4214

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany February 15, 1981

THE DAY

The Gospels for the past two Sundays, for this one, and for next Sunday, are parts of the Sermon on the Mount. The teachings of Jesus are so simple and so profound that they are known by heart and for, some of them, it is even more so. For, if we are even though they make only a vague idea of what is in it, of the circumstances under which it was given. Since it begins with the beatitudes, "Blessed are they..." it is surely intended to be a blessing. May that part of it which we hear this day bless us that we may be a blessing in response to it and him who gave it to us.

8:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
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Prelude
Parish Announcements
Sung
Brief Order for Confession and ForgivenessLBW Page 77
Entrance Hymn This is My Father's World — LBW No. 354
Apostolic Greeting LBW Page 78
Children's Anthem (9:30)
Kum Ba Yah African Folk Song

The Christ Choir
Directed by John Jensen

Kyrie LBW Page 78
Hymn of Praise LBW Page 79
Glory to God in the highest LBW Page 79
Prayer of the Day Preceded by the Solistium & Response LBW Page 81
Pray in unison
Lord God, mercifully receive the prayers of your people. Help us to see and understand the things we ought to do, and give us grace and power to do them, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
Lectionary Hymn All Who Would Valiant Be — LBW No. 498

— announcements —

CHICAGO SINGLES CONFERENCE — The Chicago Singles Conference, sponsored by Lutheran Youth Encounter, explores issues, expresses concerns, and expands your horizons in Christian living. Musicians and speakers will lead the conference. Free admission. Brochures are available in the narthex.

OPEN RETREAT — April 24-26 at Tecumseh Woods Lutheran Camp, Tipton, MI (about 50 miles from Toledo). Under the leadership of Lou Accola, director for Parish Ministry, the American Lutheran Church, the program will center on Christian spirituality. Cost of the retreat is \$20. Meals, lodging, and program supplies will be furnished. Registration forms are available in the narthex. Deadline is March 2.

NEXT ISSUE of The Spirit of St. Paul's newsletter will be mailed Wednesday, Feb. 25. Please submit version copy to the church office by the Wednesday noon.

HOLY COMMUNION — 1st Sunday of each month at all three services.
2nd Sunday, following the 9:30 service.
3rd Sunday, following the 11:00 service.
HEARING AIDS — available from the subject.

NURSE — available at all services.
RADIO SERVICE — 11:00 a.m. every Sunday morning on WNSD Radio.
WELCOME VISITORS — Please fill in the card and send it to the pastor. Join us for a cup of coffee in the social room (beneath the church) following the service.

THE CHURCH STAFF
Senior Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Steven Schneider
Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Steven Schneider
Pastoral Care Nurse: Mrs. Ruth Auland
Ministries to Children: Mrs. Mary C. Lane
Choir Master & Organist: Mr. Wm. C. Lane
Director, Covenant House: Mrs. Evelyn Burt
Church Secretaries: Mrs. Kathleen Harman
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#15 Mark Lawrence Lintern

July 28th, 1985

Mark Lawrence Lintern, son of Paul and Peggy (nee Jolliff) Lintern was baptized on July 28th, 1985 at Zion Lutheran Church - Doylestown, Ohio.



Mark Lawrence Lintern



Katherine, Great Grandma Jolliff, Grandma Jolliff and Grandma Lintern.



Zion Lutheran Church - Doylestown, Ohio



Ruth Lintern, Paul Lintern, Carol Lintern, Linda Hasecke, Edward, Adam, and Katherine Hasecke.

#15 Mark Lawrence Lintern

Yea, I Have a Goodly Heritage...

TRACING OUR HERITAGE has become a popular pastime. People comb government records, parish registers, and personal memories to reconstruct their family tree. There seems to be a growing awareness that we can gain a perspective on our contemporary identity by tracing our ancestry—who we were tells us something about who we are.

This day reminds us that our identity is not totally tied to the land and our ancestry. Whose we are is perhaps a more important concern than who we are. Elisha left his land to become Elijah's helper. Jesus and the Twelve continually moved from town to town in a nomadic ministry toward Jerusalem.

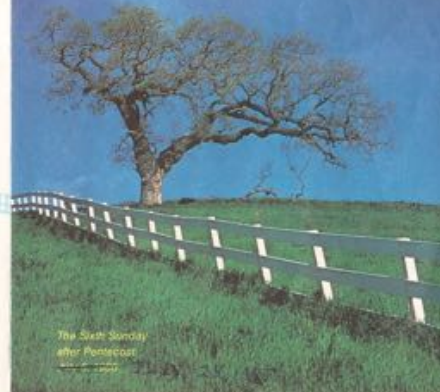
Our heritage is more than ancestry and possessions. We are the Lord's people, sent on His mission. We find our true identity in Him!

Thy hand, O God, has guided
Thy flock from age to age;
The wondrous tale is written,
Full clear, on every page;
Our fathers owned Thy goodness,
And we their deeds record;
And both of this bear witness,
One Church, one faith, one Lord.



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My boundaries enclose
a pleasant land;
indeed, I have
a goodly heritage.



The Sixth Sunday
after Pentecost

6500 E. UNIVERSITY AVE. • LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS
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Parsonage: 658-6795
THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST July 28, 1985

Announcements

WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Prelude "Draw Us to Thee" Walther p. 77
Confession and Forgiveness
Sharing God's Peace
HYMN: "There's a Wilderness in God's Mercy" no. 290
"Lord Have Mercy" p. 78
"Glory to God" p. 79-80
Prayer of the Day (Insert)
Anthem "Come Be Baptised" Curt & Ruth Ann Sheppard
Accompanist: Sue Lemmon

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

First Lesson: Jeremiah 23:1-6 p. 225
Psalm 23
Second Lesson: Ephesians 2:13-22 p. 83
"Alleluia"
Gospel Reading: Mark 6:30-34
Children's Time with Pastor

WE EXPERIENCE GOD'S PROMISE

Service of Holy Baptism of Sabrina Lynn Baker p. 121
and Mark Lawrence Lintern

Anthem "Because He Lives" John Buffington
Sermon Pastor Paul Lintern

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD OF PROMISE

Offering Anthem "Suffer the Little Children" June Ransaw p. 96
Prayer
Lord's Prayer
Benediction
HYMN: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" no. 320
Postlude "Lord Jesus Christ, My Life, My Light" Bach

Page numbers refer to the front of the green Lutheran Book Of Worship, while hymns are numbered in the back half.

GREETERS: John and Eleanor Jourden
ACOLYTE: Dale Tester
NURSERY: Evelyn and Steve Browning
USHERS: Leon Allison, Van Kaufman, Charles Kaufman and Ronald Kaufman
PRAYER CHAIN CONTACT: Kathie Heppert 658-2770
ALTAR GUILD: Frances Hummel
ORGANIST: David Westfall

WE WELCOME ALL who are attending our service this morning. If you are a guest in our congregation, please sign the guest register located in the Narthex.

A NURSERY for children three years and under is located on the second floor of the educational unit.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

TODAY: 9:00 Worship and Baptism
10:15 Sunday Church School
HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ONEAN WALKER
MONDAY: 7:00 Tough Love
TUESDAY: 10:00 Bible Study
9-Moon Catechism
WEDNESDAY: 9-Moon Catechism
THURSDAY: 6:30 Summer bell choir rehearsal
7:15 Summer vocal choir rehearsal
9-3 Catechism

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are provided to the Glory of God and in honor of the baptism of their son, Mark Lawrence, by Pastor Paul and Peggy Lintern, and in honor of the baptism of their daughter, Sabrina Lynn, by Chris and Mary Helen Baker.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER CONCERNS: Carl Heppert, Jeremy Frederick, Fred Sullivan, Mary Hobster, and Zella Somers.

July 21: Attendance was 177. Our offering totaled \$1,334.10 including \$35 for the organ fund & \$193.25 for the rockathon. To date we have received \$448.25 for the rockathon. We have a total in the parsonage repair fund of \$105.50 to which donations are still being taken.

#16 Steve Lawrence Lintern

November 22th, 1987

Mark Lawrence Lintern, son of Paul and Peggy (nee Jolliff) Lintern was baptized on November 22th, 1987 at Zion Lutheran Church - Doylestown, Ohio.



Mark and Steve Lintern



Ruth Lintern, Steve Lintern, Paul Lintern, Mark Lintern, Edward Hasecke, Carol Lintern, Katherine Hasecke, Linda Hasecke, Adam Hasecke



Mark, Peggy, Paul, Steve Lintern



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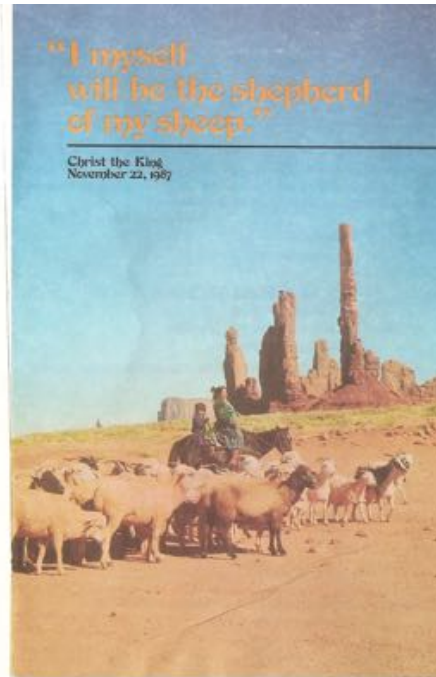
God Sent His Son

This hymn, appropriate to the Day of Christ the King,
may be sung to the tune *Amen*, LHM 559, SHH 428/21.

1. God sent His Son with pow'r to save;
He won the victory!
Salvation and new life He gave
By death upon the Tree.
2. He rose from death and broke its hold;
He showed God's pow'r and might.
The Spirit made disciples bold
To share and show Christ's light.
3. By Sacraments and holy Word,
His people are made one.
Each new creation has the love
Of Father, Spirit, Son.
4. God pours His love into our hearts;
He helps us on our way.
We have the strength of Jesus Christ
Within our lives each day.
5. O Lord, we thank You for Your gifts
To us so freely giv'n.
Help us to live our lives in joy
And sing Your praise in heav'n.

—Mary Lou Geer

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Enroll me up in this order **HEATH DREW
CHELSEA STEVEN**

P Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen



P ... I baptize you in
the name of the Father,
The minister pours water on the can-
didate's head

P and of the Son,
The minister pours water on the can-
didate's head a second time

P and of the Holy Spirit. Amen
The minister pours water on the can-
didate's head a third time

P God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we give you thanks for freeing your son
and daughters from the power of sin and for raising them up to a new life through
this holy sacrament. Pour your Holy Spirit upon ... the spirit of wisdom
and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the
fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence.

Q Amen

Ex 9:22 *Ps 139:7*

P ... child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and
marked with the cross of Christ forever.

I will present them to the congregation.

P O God, the giver of all life, look with kindness upon the fathers and mothers of
these children. Let them ever rejoice in the gift you have given them. Make them
teachers and examples of righteousness for their children. Strengthen them in their
own Baptism so they may share eternally with their children the salvation you have
given them, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Q Amen

Through Baptism God has made these new sisters and brothers members of the priest-
hood we all share in Christ Jesus, that we may proclaim the praise of God and bear
his creative and redeeming Word to all the world.

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Q We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as fellow members of the
body of Christ, children of the same heavenly Father, and workers with us in the king-
dom of God.

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HOLY BAPTISM

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Fourth Generation

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February 18th, 2001*

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*#18 Joshua Matthew Van
Horn March 25th 2001*

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*#19 Makenna Kay Van Horn
May 18th 2003*

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*#20 Benjamin Adam Hasecke
June 22nd, 2003*

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*#22 William Evan Hasecke
August 19th 2007*



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January, 2015*

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January 25th, 2015



Mackenzie Ruth Lintern



Amy Lintern, Mackenzie Lintern, Mark Lintern

Pic of Church



*Left to Right: Ed Hasecke, Mark Lintern,
Mackenzie Lintern, Will Hasecke, Paul Lintern,
Ben Hasecke, Linda Hasecke*

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Listening for the Promise

Weekly Devotional

Third Sunday after the Epiphany - January 25, 2015
"When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil way, God relented of the disaster that he had said he would do to them, and he did not do it." Jonah 3:10

The Ninevites were enemies to the Jews and the two nations warred bitterly. In Jonah's mind, the acts against God's people were unforgivable, but God never sees sin that way. He is the God of the second chance, forgiving those who turn to Him in repentance. He did not desire destruction of the Ninevites; He desired their hearts. So, He called and sent Jonah to preach the truth of God's love to his enemies. Jonah knew God was merciful and kind, giving second chances even when it seems undeserved, but Jonah did not want to go; instead he ran in the other direction. He faced a storm, was swallowed by a great fish, prayed in thanksgiving for God's salvation, and was spit up three days later to act in obedience to God.

How often do we feel like Jonah, called to preach the Gospel to people we do not think deserve His grace? We would rather not take God's salvation to our enemies. But we are reminded that God knows the hearts of our enemies better than we do; though we do not think they deserve His grace, He desires their praise, too. God does give second chances, even to prophets who run from His work. Grace is the unmerited favor of God; He relents for those who repent. He was so willing to save the Ninevites that He sent someone to share his grace with them. How could they turn to God if they did not hear His Word?

We can find comfort in the story of Jonah because we all have moments when we would rather run from God's calling and go our own way. Christ did not just come for us; He came for all people. We are all sinners in need of a Savior. Jesus was born to shine the Light in the darkness, to pay the debt so that all people might have a second chance.

Like He did for the Ninevites, our loving Father chooses to relent for those who repent. How can people repent if they have not heard the promise of God that was fulfilled in the life of Jesus Christ? He has called us to be like Jonah, to take His grace to our friends as well as our enemies and to share God's promises with those who might not seem to deserve a second chance.

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Followers

Find the 31 bold words from Mark 1:14-20 (ESV)

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G R O T W F E V V T W U I I O
J N O N D Y E L C F K S M S L
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Y U K D M E N Q W C V Q X X T

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee, proclaiming the gospel of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel." Passing alongside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and Andrew the brother of Simon casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you become fishers of men." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. And going on a little farther, he saw James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, who were in their boat mending the nets. And immediately he called them, and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants and followed him.

Lessons for Next Week:

Deuteronomy 18:9-20; Psalm 119; 1 Corinthians 8:1-13; Mark 1:21-28

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Oakland Lutheran Church

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Pastor Paul Lintern
Jan. 25, 2014

Third Sunday After Epiphany

Today we baptize Mackenzie Ruth Lintern, daughter of Mark and Amy, granddaughter of Mike and Pam Prugh and Paul and the late Peggy Lintern

Acolytes

Jan. 25 -- Brooke Feb. 1 -- Jacob Feb. 8 -- Joshua
Feb. 15 -- Rhett Feb. 22 -- Brooke

Upcoming Scripture Readings

Feb. 1 -- Deut. 18: 15-20; Psalm 111; 1 Cor. 8: 1-13; Mark 1: 21-28
Feb. 8 -- Isaiah 40: 21-31; Psalm 147: 1-11; 1 Cor. 9: 16-27; Mark 1: 29-3
Feb. 15 -- Num 21: 4-9; Ps 50: 1-6; 2 Cor. 3: 12-18; 4: 1-6; Mark 9: 2-5
Feb. 22 -- Gen. 22: 1-8; Psalm 25: 1-10; James 1: 12-18; Mark 1: 9-15

January Worship Leaders

Lesson Reader -- Hulit/ Lawrentz
Altar Guild -- Kathy Watson/Courtney Collins
Communion Serve -- Markley/Sabourin
Greeters -- Bricker/Ward/Watson

February Worship Leaders

Lesson Reader -- Wolford/Shrull
Altar Guild -- Kathy Watson, Courtney Collins
Communion Serve -- Markley/DeNero
Greeters -- Volz/Collins

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President Keith Markley; Vice President Andrew Kinney
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Financial Secretary Jim Mawhorst
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Worship -- Andrew Kinney, Wendy Atwell;
Outreach -- Keith Markley, Wes Mottayow

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