

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK
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Pastor: Rev. Lowell Sorenson, 388-4577
Togo Missionary: Rev. Micah Wildauer

Organist: Sara Sorenson

The Day of Pentecost

May 24, 2015

Special Guest: Rev. Dave Frederickson

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: Memorial Day
Pentecost Monday: Isa. 57:15-21; Acts 10:34a, 42-48; Jn. 3:16-21
Tuesday: 8:30PM Adult Softball vs. Apostolic, Field 1
Pentecost Tuesday: Isa. 32:14-20; Acts 8:14-17; Jn. 10:1-10
Thursday: No Women's Bible Class Tonight
Friday: Pastor returns from the University of Dubuque
Saturday: 8:00AM First Choice Clinic Walk for Life
9AM-5PM Stampin' with the Spirit
Next Sunday: The Holy Trinity
Summer Schedule Begins
9:30AM Worship with Quilt Gifts for H.S. Graduates

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Tuesday - Preston Kitzmann
Wednesday - Lana Horn, Laurel Rortvedt
Friday - Keith Dicke, Micah Dicke

IN OUR PRAYERS

Willard Holst, Jeanette Falkner, Bill Langhans, Hermann von Knobelsdorff, Leonard Dicke, Kari Janssen, Melissa Barbey, and Christians suffering persecution and death in the Middle East, Africa, and around the world.

QUILTS FOR SALE

The Ladies quilting group has several quilts on display in the social room. They are for sale at \$35.00 each and are approximately 60" x 80" (twin bed size).

EMERGENCY PASTORAL CONTACT

While Pastor Sorenson is away for his continued education at the University of Dubuque, Pastor Scott Fiege will be covering for him. If you are in need of emergency assistance or crisis intervention, Pastor Fiege may be reached at [712-880-1226](tel:712-880-1226) (cell phone) or [651-345-2424](tel:651-345-2424) (Bethany, Lake City).

LIFE QUOTE – May 24 – Memorial Day Weekend

"You and I will one day die. But the truths of Scripture we uphold when it comes to the sacredness of life will never die. That is why it is so important to not only protect and defend God's gift of life, but also to protect and defend His truth about what gives value to life. If we lose the latter, the former will quickly erode. Thank you for being people who are 'holding fast the word of Life' (Philippians 2:16)!" *Rev. Dr. James I. Lamb, executive director of Lutherans For Life – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life •*
www.lutheransforlife.org

QUILTS FOR GRADUATES

Directly following the worship service on May 31st, quilts will be given to recognize our three 2015 High School Graduates: Jacob Duden, Riordan Smith, and Dustin Stumpf. We thank God for these young men and pray that our Savior would bless them as they go forward to learn and serve. Many thanks to the Ladies Mission Project for their work on these quilts!

CHURCH REPLICA STORAGE

Would anyone have room in a barn or garage to store the replica of the church designed by Myron Alms? Due to the sale of the Walter Banitt place, we need to find a new home for this 4 by 6 model of the church. It is in excellent shape and has been used in parades both in Red Wing and Goodhue. We would like to keep it for future use. If you have a place for this replica, please talk to Walter Banitt at your earliest convenience.

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, May 31, 2015

8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920)

"Enough is Enough"

Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Ken Klaus
God shows grace to sinners but His patience has its limits. (2 Peter 3:9-10)

WALK FOR LIFE PLEDGES

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REVIEW: THE DOCTRINAL POSITION OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD

Of Creation (From "The Brief Statement")

We teach that God has created heaven and earth, and that in the manner and in the space of time recorded in the Holy Scriptures, especially Gen. 1 and 2, namely, by His almighty creative word, and in six days. We reject every doctrine which denies or limits the work of creation as taught in Scripture. In our days it is denied or limited by those who assert, ostensibly in deference to science, that the world came into existence through a process of evolution; that is, that it has, in immense periods of time, developed more or less of itself. Since no man was present when it pleased God to create the world, we must look for a reliable account of creation to God's own record, found in God's own book, the Bible. We accept God's own record with full confidence and confess with Luther's Catechism: "I believe that God has made me and all creatures."

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