THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK 24686 OLD CHURCH ROAD, RED WING, MN 55066

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First Sunday After Christmas

VISITORS - WE WELCOME YOU to this house of prayer this morning. May you feel at home among friends as we worship together. We invite you to sign your name in the guest book in the back of the church and hope you will return again soon.

Today's Songbook: "All God's People Sing"

Pre-Service Music Welcome Ringing of the Bell

Opening Song: #68, "Away in a Manger"

Invocation

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Introit of the Day, prayed responsively worship insert

Song of Praise: #99, "Glory Be to God on High"

Prayer of the Day, spoken in unison by all worship insert

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 63:7-14

Epistle: Galatians 4:4-7

Holy Gospel: Matthew 2:13-23

Children's Message: "The Real Christmas Grinch"

Apostles' Creedp. 29

Song of the Day: #202, "Promise Fulfilled"

Sermon: "In His Time"

Offering

Song: #98. "From Heaven Above to Earth I Come"

Prayer of the Church P: Lord, in Your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayerp. 30

Blessing

Closing Song: #104, "Go Tell It on the Mountain"

Silent Prayer **Announcements** Dismissal Music

LIFE QUOTE

December 29 "Instead of doing what might have been expected, the Lord held out a promise. He said that any and everyone who looked upon His Son as Savior would be given eternal life. Read through Scripture and you will find that invitation extended again and again. It was a promise that found its fulfillment in the birth, life, death, and resurrection of the Savior whose birth we celebrate this month." Rev. Ken Klaus, speaker emeritus of "The Lutheran Hour" -A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org

CATECHISM REVIEW:

The Lord's Prayer: The 7th Petition

"But deliver us from evil." What does this mean?

We pray in this petition, in summary, that our Father in heaven would rescue us from every evil of body and soul, possessions and reputation, and finally, when our last hour comes, give us a blessed end, and graciously take us from this valley of sorrow to Himself in heaven.