

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD  
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK  
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**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost      June 29, 2008**

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**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.

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**DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK**

Today:	11AM-5PM	Linda Hardy Quade Benefit
Monday:		LYF Valley Fair Day
	8:30PM	Softball vs. Cross of Christ, Field 2
Tuesday:	7:30PM	Summer Bible Class
Friday:		Independence Day
Next Sun:	9:30AM	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:45AM	150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee Meeting

**HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

Monday	- Mark Diercks, Erica Schmitz
Thursday	- Leslie Abell, Dean Budensiek
Saturday	- Mike Rehder, Larry Stumpf

**IN OUR PRAYERS**

Pastor Lyle Kath (undergoing cancer treatment); Margie Stumpf (healing); Harold Augustin (healing); Paul Nystuen (resurgence of bladder cancer); Syvilla Madsen (undergoing cancer therapy); Karen Gusa (sister of Jan Langhans, struggling with lung cancer); Brad Greenwaldt (cousin of Bonnie Kassen struggling with cancer); Garland Bradley (husband of prospective member, in need of healing); Dave Dicke (in need of a liver transplant); Marian Burkhard (receiving treatments for skin cancer); Ryan Buck (Goodhue man recovering from a paralyzing snowmobile accident); Elaine Diercks (healing); Katie O'Connor (has a tumor); Mikey Staples (healing); Patti Dargus (healing); Ruth Dankers (recovering from surgery); Curtis Horn (recovering from surgery); Linda Hardy (healing).

**Linda Hardy Quade Benefit – Today**

Please come and participate in a benefit at the Red Wing American Legion for Linda Hardy Quade, sister-in-law to Pam Holst and Carol Koester and aunt of Sherri Smith. The event is today from 11AM to 5PM. It will feature fun for the whole family: a live-band, a live auction starting at 3:00PM, silent auctions, raffle drawings, a bake sale, and games for the kids. A chicken dinner will be served from 11AM to 3PM. Linda was diagnosed with acute myelogenous leukemia on August 12, 2007. She has undergone 3 rounds of chemotherapy at Methodist Hospital in Rochester. On January 24<sup>th</sup> she underwent a bone marrow transplant. She is currently recuperating at home. All proceeds from the benefit will help to offset medical expenses. Monetary donations may also be sent directly to Alliance Bank, c/o Linda Hardy Quade Benefit Fund, 840 Technology Drive, Red Wing, MN 55066. For more information on the benefit and Linda's story, please visit [www.caringbridge.org/visit/lindaquade](http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/lindaquade). God's blessings!

### **Help for the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event**

Would you be willing to help by volunteering for the big anniversary celebration on July 19<sup>th</sup>? A sign-up sheet has been posted with a wide variety of jobs available. We need people to help with parking, collect funds for the meal and church prints, serve as ushers, assist in the dining room, and help with clean-up after the event. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are willing to serve on this special day. Thank you in advance!

### **Catering/M meal for the July 19<sup>th</sup> Event**

Many folks have been asking about the food for the anniversary celebration. It will be catered by Nerstrand Meats and Catering. The menu has been posted on the bulletin board to whet your appetites!

### **RSVP Reminder for 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event**

July 19<sup>th</sup> is fast approaching. It will be here before you know it. Please submit your RSVPs for the anniversary celebration so that the committee can get a head count on those attending and especially those who will participate in the meal. A box is located in the fellowship hall for your RSVPs or you may mail them to church. Thank you.

### **A Little History as We Celebrate our 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

It wasn't until 1970 that the names of church members were no longer listed on the annual report of contributions for everyone to review!

### **All Choir Reunion**

As part of Immanuel's 150<sup>th</sup> celebration, all those who have participated in the choir in the past and would like to sing for the July 19<sup>th</sup> anniversary event are invited to contact Sara Sorenson (388-4577) regarding the music and the July rehearsal date and time.

### **Ice Cream Social at Belvidere**

St. Peter's Ladies Aid invites Immanuel to their ice cream social on Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, from 6-9PM. The speaker will be Russ Clevenger of Cannon Falls. He works for Thrivent and will speak on his trip to Guatemala with Habitat for Humanity.

### **Prayer Chain Volunteers**

"Will you pray for me?" What a wonderful blessing to hear that from a friend in need! And what an opportunity for us! Immanuel currently has a prayer chain which stays connected primarily by means of e-mail. However, if you don't have e-mail you may still serve on the prayer chain and receive your info over the phone. If you would like to be a part of our prayer chain, please leave a note in Pastor's box or speak to him at your earliest convenience. Those who use computer should also leave their e-mail address with Pastor Sorenson. Thanks!

### **Part-Time Aide Position Available at CILS**

The CILS Board of Education is currently looking for a part-time aide for the 2008-09 school year. Hours would be 8:30AM – 2:00PM. If you are interested or know of anyone that might be interested, please call Diane Johnson at 380-9229, or Kimberly Burns at 388-1379.

### **VBS Information**

Vacation Bible School will be held August 11<sup>th</sup> through the 15<sup>th</sup> this year. We will again do evening activities from 6:00PM – 8:00PM. The program this year is called Friendship Trek, and involves a fun-filled hiking journey through God's Word. Along the trail, kids collect friendship flips and super cool gear every hiker needs. Bring your children to this great adventure and have them bring their friends. A sign-up sheet has been posted for those who would like to teach and for kids who want a summer adventure!

### **Life Quote – June 29**

"Our Lord faced opposition, but He continued to bring the Word of life and healing to many. Though the pro-life community may suffer reverses ... we cannot give up the effort to fight for the unborn so that all humans are recognized as persons, beings valuable in and of themselves." *Rev. Dr. Kevin E. Voss, director of the Concordia Bioethics Institute. Quote from Lutherans For Life / [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)*

### **"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, July 6**

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

**"Seeing As God Sees"**

**Speaker: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus**

Are you worried about how you look to others? Next Sunday's Lutheran Hour message says God is concerned about your looks as well. Listen and see how God sees. (Romans 7:24-25)