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

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Pastor: Rev. Lowell Sorenson, 388-4577 Organist: Sara Sorenson Russian Missionary: Rev. Jonathan Muhly Acolyte: Cody Callstrom 24th Sunday After Pentecost November 11, 2012 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. Divine Service: Setting Threepp. 184-202 Prelude Ringing of the Bell Choral Call to Worship: "Sing to the Lord with A Joyful Sound" Words and Music: Jill Gallina Opening Hymn: #715, "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me" Invocation, Exhortation, Opening Versesp. 184 Confession and Absolutionpp. 184-185 Kyriep. 186 Hymn of Praise: Gloria in Excelsispp. 187-189 Salutationp. 189 Collect of the Day (spoken by Pastor) Old Testament Reading 1 Kings 17:8-16 Responsep. 190 Gradual, prayed responsively (see worship insert) Responsep. 190 Alleluiap. 190 Holy Gospel Mark 12:38-44 Responsespp. 190-191 Children's Talk: "Sharing What God Gives" Apostles' Creedp. 192 Hymn of the Day: #574, "Before the Throne of God Above"

Sermon: "No Reservation Cancellation"

Offering

Offertory Hymn: #781, "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

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

Lord's Prayerp. 196
Benediction and Triple Amenp. 202

Closing Hymn: #549, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Chimes/Silent Prayer Announcements Postlude

Catechism Review

How do you know that Jesus Christ is also true man?

Because the Scriptures A) clearly call Him man; B) say that He has a human body and soul; C) speak of His human, but sinless, feelings and actions.

What two natures, therefore, are united in the one person of Jesus Christ?

The divine and the human natures are united in Jesus Christ. This personal union began when He became man (incarnation) and continues forever.

Life Quotes

November 11 "It is no good referring to a child as 'an embryo' or 'a fetus.' It is still a child and its abortion is still murder. We are told that we must be 'pro-choice' (another disguised name), but what is this choice: to murder or not to murder? ... In reality, there is only one choice. It is not 'pro-life' or 'pro-choice,' it is pro-life or anti-life." Archpriest Andrew Phillips, Russian Orthodox Church, Colchester, England – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life •

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DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Today: 6:00PM Family Bowling Night Wednesday: 5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation

7:30PM Choir

Thursday: 2:00PM Ladies Aid Friday: 5:30PM Board of Elders

Saturday: 9:00AM Goodhue County Christmas Project

11:00AM Youth Event Shoreview Pool and Waterslide

Next Sunday: 25th Sunday After Pentecost

9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class

9:45AM Fellowship Time

10:00AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Today - Tanner Smith, Carter Dicke

Wednesday - Sally Abell Friday - Curt Augustin

orders must be prepaid.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Melissa Barbey, Willard Holst, Fred Voth and Donna Edquist (recovering from a fall).

Scrip News: This year Scrip profits have purchased additional luncheon trays and Project Connect supplies. This fund has also provided money for the historical photo restoration as well as social ministry assistance. As always, we will be offering the opportunity to place special orders in time for Christmas. Please consider giving Scrip cards as Christmas gifts, or if you prefer to buy personalized gifts, purchase Scrip to use when you shop (instead of cash, checks or credit cards). For those of you unfamiliar with the program, the church (as a non-profit) purchases a large variety of gift cards at a reduced cost and then resells them at face value (that is how we make money). You may purchase gift cards before or after church in the new entryway. Be sure to stop by and pick up a current list of Scrip providers and check out the large number of cards we keep on hand! See Bonnie Kassen for additional information. The Christmas Scrip order will be placed Tuesday. November 27th with delivery expected the first week of December. A current list of Scrip merchants is available at the Scrip table. Large

New Beginnings Baby Bottle Fundraiser

Want to provide help to women facing crisis pregnancy situations? New Beginnings Pregnancy Center (First Choice Clinic) is a pro-life resource in our community providing free and confidential medical, educational, and support services. The obstetric ultrasounds used by the clinic testify to the unquestionable humanity of the pre-born child. In order to support this important organization, Immanuel participates in the Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Take a bottle from the box in the narthex, fill it with cash/change and bring it back to church on or before December 9th. You may also write a check and place it in a bottle. Checks should be made out to First Choice Clinic. Collecting change for this cause is also a fun project for children! For more information, please see Pastor Sorenson. Thank you and God bless you for your care for families and preborn children.

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, November 18 8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920) "There is a Right Way to Live Life"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz By faith, the life of thanksgiving knows who God is, knows what God has done for us, and can trust in Him even when things seem uncertain at the moment. (1 Thessalonians 5:17-19)

Thank You to Ladies Aid

Have you noticed how clean and fresh the carpets look in the new addition of the church? This is thanks to the Ladies Aid. They had the carpets professionally cleaned using money from their treasury. Ladies, thank you so much! It looks terrific!

Youth Event – Shoreview Pool and Waterslide

Pastor will take the youth of the congregation to the Shoreview Pool and Waterslide on Saturday, November 17th. We will leave from church at 11:00AM. A sign-up sheet has been posted on the bulletin board for those desiring to attend. Please make your decisions soon in order for Pastor to plan adequate transportation.

Decorating for Christmas

New Horizons will be decorating the church for Christmas on Sunday afternoon, November 25th, around 3:00 p.m. (after the Vikings football game). Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share if you wish.

All in the congregation are invited to help with the decorating and enjoy the fellowship after.			