

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD  
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK  
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**8<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost** **July 22, 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.

The Order of Morning Prayer ..... pp. 235-242

Prelude  
Welcome  
Ring of the Bell

Opening Verse, Gloria Patri, and Alleluia ..... p. 235  
Invitatory, Venite, and Invitatory ..... pp. 235-237  
Psalm 147:7-11, 16, prayed responsively ..... worship insert

Office Hymn: #648, “Glorious Things of You Are Spoken”

Old Testament Reading ..... Jeremiah 23:1-6  
    Response ..... p. 238  
Epistle ..... Ephesians 2:11-22  
    Response ..... p. 238  
Holy Gospel ..... Mark 6:30-44  
    Responses ..... p. 238

Children’s Talk: “What’s For Supper?”

Apostles’ Creed .....back cover of the hymnal

Hymn of the Day: #645, “Built on the Rock”

Sermon: “Welcome to the Family!”  
Offering

Hymn: #605, “Father Welcomes”

Collect of the Day, spoken by Pastor

Additional Collects of Intercession and Thanksgiving

P: Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: hear our prayer.**

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Lord’s Prayer .....p. 241  
Benedicamus .....p. 241  
Benediction .....p. 242

Closing Hymn: #651, “I Love Your Kingdom, Lord”

Chimes and Silent Prayer  
Announcements

**Quarterly Council and Voters' Meetings**

Attention all church officers and voters: please note that the quarterly meetings are upon us again. The Church Council will convene at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, July 24th. The Voters' Assembly will conduct business on Tuesday, July 31st at 7:30 PM. If you are not a voter and are interested in this opportunity for service, please see Pastor or one of the elders for information. An agenda will be provided in the bulletin on July 29th.

**Special Guest, Pastor Dave Horn**

Mark your calendars for Sunday, August 5th. Pastor Sorenson has arranged to have special guests that Sunday. It's Pastor Dave Horn and his wife Sabra, who tour the country doing musical ministry for LCMS churches. Pastor Dave is a Missouri Synod pastor who is also a singer/songwriter and fingerstyle guitarist who proclaims the Gospel in music and story. Dave served parishes in North Dakota, Alaska, and Minnesota, and spent three years as a US Chaplain on active duty in the Pacific. Since 2008, he and his wife travel full-time with their 5th wheel trailer, serving as a resource for other ministries. On the morning of August 4th, a special door offering will be taken for the Horns. You will also have the opportunity to purchase their music on CD. Let's have a nice big group for church that day!

### **DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK**

Today: 4PM-8:30PM 4-H Bellechester Ice Cream Social  
5PM-8PM Immanuel Potsdam Ice Cream Social  
Tuesday: 7:00PM Church Council Meeting  
8:30PM Adult Softball  
Wednesday: St. James the Elder, Apostle  
Acts 11:27-12:5; Rom. 8:28-39;  
Mk. 10:35-45  
1:00PM Tour of Immanuel, Hay Creek for  
Hi-Park Residents (rescheduled)  
Thursday: 7:30PM Men's Bible Study  
Friday: 10:30AM KWNG Recording Session  
6:00PM Church Golfing Group – Gopher Hills  
Saturday: 9AM-5PM Stampin' with the Spirit  
Next Sunday: 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
9:30AM Outdoor Worship – Bring Chairs  
Acolyte: Ben Domagala

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK**

Today - Branden Augustin, Laurie Budensiek, Jeff Kitzmann  
Monday - Ally Boyer, Todd & Kim Burns  
Tuesday - Trevor & Lisa Dicke  
Thursday - Jordan & Erika Beach  
Saturday - Dorraine Banitt, Denise Simanski  
Bob & Mary Augustin

### **IN OUR PRAYERS**

Phillip Sorenson, Melissa Barbey, Barbara Vieths, Janis Thomford,  
Willard Holst, Cathy Hamilton, Henry Stellrecht (struggling with  
kidney failure), Jordan Hildebrandt (former CILS student with a brain  
tumor), LaVonne Schafer (recovering from surgery, and Irene  
Gerdes (recovering from injury and surgery).

### **"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, July 29**

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

**"The Redeemer or Rationalization?"**

Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus

The Redeemer or rationalization-which one rules your life?

(Mark 6:45-52)

### **Catechism Review**

#### **The Apostles' Creed**

##### ***What is a creed?***

A creed is a statement of what we believe, teach, and confess.

##### ***What is meant by "I believe in God"?***

It means I trust God and His promises and accept as true all He teaches in the Holy Scriptures.

##### ***Why do we say, "I believe," and not, "We believe"?***

Everyone must believe for himself or herself; no one can be saved by another's faith.

### **Life Quotes**

**July 22** "God has blessed us with the gift of ministry and the gift of purpose. He has called us to defend His precious children, the unborn, disabled, and the elderly. Let us not shrink from that calling, but be more forward working now while we can, praying, planning and working to carry the torch of life into the future until the victory is finally won!" *Diane E. Schroeder, president of Lutherans For Life* – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life • [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)

