

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK
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4th Sunday After Pentecost June 8, 2008

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: 10:30AM Fellowship Time/Treats from Fellowship Club
Tuesday: 7:30PM Summer Bible Study
Wednesday: St. Barnabas, Apostle: Isa. 42:5-12;
Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3; Matt. 10:5-16
Thursday: 5:00PM 150th Anniversary Committee Meeting
7:30PM Softball vs. St. Paul's (I), Field 2
Friday: 6:00PM Church Golfing Group – Gopher Hills
Saturday: Flag Day
Next Sun: 5th Sunday After Pentecost/Father's Day
9:30AM Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Nick Kurtti, Jason Reding
Monday - Melissa Budensiek, M/M Lyle Dicke, M/M Jim Kelm
Wednesday - M/M Mike Rehder, M/M Rick Stemmann
Thursday - Pastor and Sara Sorenson
Friday - Connor Ballman
Saturday - Keith Holst

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); the Ballman family (mourning the loss of Kevin's cousin); the Southworth family (mourning the loss of Shaun's great-grandmother); Ruth Dankers (having surgery on June 11th).

Summer Bible Class

A summer midweek Bible study will be offered this year on most Tuesdays throughout the summer. It will be a topical study exploring the relationship God intends between the Office of the Holy Ministry and the Priesthood of All Believers. What are the priestly responsibilities of being a Christian in the world? How is the pastoral ministry related to the lives of Christian people? What kind of relationship should exist between the Church and her ministers? How many ministries are there? To answer these questions correctly from God's point of view, we must go to Scripture! All men and women of the congregation are invited, high school age and beyond. The first class will be held on June 10th at 7:30PM.

Bloodmobile at United Lutheran Church

The Red Cross will be at United Lutheran on Thursday, June 12th from 1:00-7:00PM and on Friday, June 13th from 11AM-5PM for those who would be willing to donate blood. Remember, this is an opportunity to give the gift of life!

LLL at the Elgin Cheese Days Festival

On Sunday, June 15th, the Hiawatha/Winona Zone Lutheran Laymen's League will again be selling root beer floats and ice cream sundaes at the annual Elgin Cheese Days Festival. Proceeds from the sale have been designated for the Minnesota South Orphan Grain Train – Sudan Project (Africa). You are invited to come to Elgin on June 15th, share in the festivities, and stop by the Fire Hall for old time music and ice cream treats. If you are unable to attend but would like to contribute to the Sudan Project (Africa), please contact Nancy English, 1407 Brookview Drive, Winona, MN 55987. (1-507-452-6402).

All Choir Reunion

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

“THE LUTHERAN HOUR” – Sunday, June 15

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

“A Worthy House”

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus

Next Sunday's Lutheran Hour message answers the question, “With the traditional family dissolving what constitutes a worthy house?” (Matthew 10:13)

Life Quote – June 8

“If anyone had grounds to think Himself to be smarter and more in touch than His parents, it would have been Jesus. Yet, He held them dear and always submitted to their authority. God submitted to the authority of His human parents. How cool is that! Really cool when you consider that His obedience to them counts FOR YOU.” *Rev. Carlton Hein, Mount Olive Lutheran Church, Loveland, Colorado.* **Quote from Lutherans For Life / www.lutheransforlife.org**

A Little History as We Celebrate our 150th Anniversary

The year 1938 witnessed the beginning of the printing of regular Sunday bulletins for the church.

Church Print Orders

If you have placed an order for an Art Kenyon print of the church, please see Gail Dicke or Rosie Kohn to pay for your picture(s). Thanks.

RSVP Reminder for 150th Anniversary Event

July 19th 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.

Large Tents or Canopies

The 150th Anniversary Committee is wondering if anyone has tents or canopies large enough to be used for the anniversary meal on July 19th. If so, please speak with Pastor Sorenson or Neil Stemmann at your earliest convenience. Thanks so much!

Scrip Order

There will be a scrip order placed on **June 18th**. Please think ahead for your summertime needs (hotel stays, Disney trips, gas, restaurants, etc.). See Bonnie Kassen for an updated list. Please pre-pay any orders over \$50. Your support is greatly appreciated!

VBS Information

Vacation Bible School will be held August 11th through the 15th 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!

Earthquake Disaster Relief

LCMS World Mission, together with the Lutheran Church Hong Kong Synod and LCMS World Relief and Human Care, is committed to assisting the Chinese Church in its earthquake response effort. This will include the rebuilding of Christian Churches and church-related training schools, providing training in the area of counseling to quake survivors, and addressing many other needs following the devastation. You can support this work financially by donating to LCMS World Relief and Human Care and designating your gifts as “China Church Earthquake Response.” Donations may be mailed to LCMS World Relief and Human Care, P.O. Box 66861, St. Louis, MO 63166-6861. Thank you for your support.