

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD
IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH – HAY CREEK
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9th Sunday After Pentecost August 14, 2011

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.

Responsive Prayer II pp. 285-287
Prelude
Welcome
Ringing of the Bell
Opening Versicles p. 285
Psalm 28:1-2, 6-7; antiphon: 28:8
(prayed responsively from the worship insert)
Collect of the Day, spoken by Pastor
Hymn: #844, "Lord of All Nations, Grant Me Grace"
Old Testament Reading Isaiah 56:1, 6-8
Response p. 285
Epistle Romans 11:1-2a; 13-15, 28-32
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Holy Gospel Matthew 15:21-28
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Hymn of the Day: #841, "O Son of God, in Galilee"
Sermon: "Of Table Scraps, Puppies, and the Gospel of Jesus Christ"
Offering
Kyrie p. 285
Lord's Prayer p. 285
Apostles' Creed p. 286
Versicles pp. 286-287
Prayer of the Church
P: Let us pray to the Lord.
C: Lord, have mercy.
Morning Prayer (in unison) p. 287
Benedicamus and Blessing p. 287
Closing Hymn: #702, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"
Silent Prayer
Announcements
Postlude

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Today: 10:30AM Brief Board of Education Meeting
Monday: St. Mary, Mother of Our Lord: Isa. 61:7-11;
Gal. 4:4-7; Lk. 1:39-55
Friday: 6:00PM Church Golfing Group, Gopher Hills
Saturday: 4:00PM Baptism of Owen Anderson-Hattermer
Next Sunday: 10th Sunday after Pentecost
9:30AM Outdoor Worship with Holy Communion

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Today - Trevor Dicke
Monday - Glenn Alms, Stan Klair
Tuesday - David Arndt, Jeremy Schafer
Thursday - Jim Kelm
Saturday - Dylan Frazier, William & Sheila Boyer

IN OUR PRAYERS

Philip Sorenson (recovering from full pancreatectomy), Dave Dicke (for
successful transplant surgery), Mark Yahn, Jean Bateman, Melissa
Barbey, Thor Starch and Burnetta Dicke.

Outdoor Worship Next Sunday

Bring your lawn chairs to the outdoor worship service being held next
Sunday, August 21st, behind the church building. Holy Communion will be
offered. In case of inclement weather, Sunday activities will be moved into
the fellowship hall or sanctuary.

This Week's Mission Challenge

For the week of August 14th, every member of Hay Creek is invited to pray
daily for a person who is a struggle to love. Ask God to give you an
opportunity to share love and care for this challenging individual.

Life Quotes

August 14 "Maybe you've had an abortion and don't think that God can
ever forgive you. You're wrong. Jesus suffered on the cross for ALL your
sins and all MY sins. Pray to the Lord and ask for His forgiveness
(Colossians 2:13). You can also call Word of Hope at 888-217-8679." *Kay
L. Meyer, director of development for Lutherans For Life – A "Life Quote"
from Lutherans For Life – www.lutheransforlife.org*

“THE LUTHERAN HOUR” – Sunday, August 21
8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920)
”The Most Important Question For Your Life!”
Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz

Jesus poses life’s most important question: “Who do YOU say that I am?”
The right answer, given by grace through faith, connects us to God and empowers our walk with Him. (Matthew 16:13-20)

School Tuition Forms

The Voters’ Assembly of Immanuel Lutheran Church reaffirmed its commitment to Christian education at the last quarterly meeting on July 26th, 2011. Families of our congregation may apply for tuition scholarships to be used either at St. John’s Lutheran Church of Red Wing or St. John’s Lutheran Church of rural Goodhue. All applications must be reviewed and approved by the Immanuel Board of Education before funds are disbursed. Forms may be located in the narthex.

Explanation of the Small Catechism – Review

Where is God’s truth about our Savior Jesus Christ made known?
This truth is made known in the Bible, the Old Testament, which promises the coming Savior, and the New Testament, which tells of the Savior who has come.

Sunday School Teachers

Autumn is fast approaching. That means it’s time to think about Sunday School. Pastor Sorenson is seeking individuals to help teach our young people for the 2011-2012 school year. The grade divisions will be as follows: Early Childhood (including Kindergarten), 1st and 2nd Grades, 3rd and 4th Grades, and Confirmation Grades (5th through 8th). Team teaching is encouraged. Note: Sunday School teachers should be committed to attending Sunday morning worship services on the mornings that they teach. It sets a very poor example for teachers to leave church without worshipping the Savior. A sign-up sheet has been posted on the bulletin board for those who are willing to help out.

Fall Schedule to Resume

On Sunday, September 11, Immanuel will begin the fall schedule. Sunday mornings will be structured as follows: 9:00AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School, 10:00AM Fellowship Time, and 10:30AM Worship. Confirmation instruction and choir practice will resume on Wednesday, September 14th. 5th and 6th grade confirmation will be at 4:30PM (every other week), 7th and 8th grade confirmation will be at 5:30PM (every week), and choir will meet at 7:30PM (every week).