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

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**Fourth Sunday in Advent** 

**December 22, 2013** 

## "The Service of Holy Baptism for Chase Kyle Wilcox"

**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.

Prelude Welcome

Ringing of the Bell

Opening Hymn: #332, "Savior of the Nations, Come"

**Baptismal Liturgy** 

Invocation

Address

**Exorcism** 

Sign of the Cross

Prayer

Holy Gospel: Mark 10:13-16

Lord's Prayer ......back cover of the hymnal

Blessing

Exhortation to the Sponsors Pledge of the Sponsors

Blessing

Confession of the Apostles' Creed .....back cover of the hymnal

Baptism of Chase Kyle Wilcox

Blessing

Placing of the White Garment

Lighting of the Baptismal Candle

Prayer Peace Baptismal Hymn: #591, "This Is the Spirit's Entry Now"

Collect of the Day, spoken by Pastor

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 7:10-17

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual of the Season, prayed responsively ...... worship insert

Epistle: Romans 1:1-7

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm and Antiphon, prayed responsively ......worship insert

Holy Gospel: Matthew 1:18-25

Responses

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the first chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord. (The Gospel is read.)

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ!

Children's Talk: "A Special Name"

Hymn of the Day: #900, "Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love"

Sermon: "The Fact of Christ"

Offering

Hymn: #338, "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Prayer of the Church

P: Let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

Benediction

Closing Hymn: #362, "O Sing of Christ"

Silent Prayer/Chimes Announcements Postlude