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

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The First Sunday in Lent	February 10, 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.	
Divine Service: Setting Five	pp. 213-218
Opening Hymn: #418, "O Lord, throughout These F Invocation, Confession, Absolution	pp. 213-214
(In this setting of the Kyrie, the pastor or cantor each verse alone.)	_
Salutation and Collect of the DayOld Testament ReadingResponse	
Gradual, prayed responsively Epistle Response	Romans 5:12-19
Hymn of the Day: #562, "All Mankind Fell in Adam's Holy Gospel	s Fall"
Responses Creedal Hymn: #953, "We All Believe in One True (Sermon: "A Promise for the Ashamed" Offering	p. 215
Prayer of the Church P: Let us pray to the Lord. C: Lord have morey.	
C: Lord, have mercy. Lord's Prayer	p. 218

DATES TO REMEMBER THIS WEEK

Monday: 9:00AM Ladies Quilting Project Snow Shoveling: Feb. 4-10, Brad Diercks

Tuesday: 7:00PM Board of Elders

Wednesday: 4:30PM 5th/6th Grade Confirmation 5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation

5:30PM 7th/8th Grade Confirmation 7:30PM Lenten Midweek Worship

8:15PM Choir

Thursday: Valentine's Day

11:30AM-2:15PM CILS Valentine Grandparent's Day

7:30PM Women's Bible Study

Friday: Pastor Sorenson's Birthday
Next Sun: 9:00AM Sunday School and Bible Class

10:00AM Fellowship Time

10:30AM Worship with Holy Communion

7:30PM Nybo's Family Night

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Monday - Paul Reding
Wednesday - Marion Kolberg
Friday - Pastor Sorenson
Saturday - Chloe Sorenson

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 undergoing chemotherapy for Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma); Kim Burns (anticipating eye surgery); Burnetta Dicke (recovering at home from bronchial complications); Henry Stellrecht (will undergo surgery); Garland Bradley (husband of prospective member, in need of healing); Dave Dicke (in need of a liver transplant); the Bremer family (as they mourn the earthly departure of Dorothy).

Life Quote - February 10

"We have been redeemed not merely with silver and gold but with the 'precious blood of Christ' (1 Peter 1:19). Our worth is not determined on the basis of what we can do, or how we look, or how smart we are. It is based on ... what God has done for us. God loves us notwithstanding our diseases, handicaps, and sin. Christ never shrank from reaching out to the blind, the lame, or the leper—and neither should we." *Center for a Just Society.* A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life / www.lutheransforlife.org

Dave Dicke Benefit

Dave Dicke, nephew to Keith Dicke, is in need of a liver transplant. Please keep him in your prayers. A special benefit with a live auction will be held on Sunday, February 24th at the Elks's Lodge. A spaghetti dinner will be served from 3:00-6:00PM with the auction at 4:00PM. Tickets for the dinner are \$7. Get your tickets at HBS (Main Office) or Winona Radio. Auction items include: MN Twins memorabilia, collector items, quilts, and more! See the poster on the bulletin board for full details.

Scrip Order

There will be a Great Lakes Scrip order placed on Monday, February 25th. Think ahead now for your Easter gifts and graduation needs. It's not too early to start buying scrip for those summer vacations as well. Stop by the scrip table and pick up a new list of merchants. There are well over 200 to choose from! Also, don't forget ... Wal-Mart is now on hand in the scrip box in \$25 increments.

Placing of Church Officers

All those elected to boards and other church offices should plan on being in worship on February 24th. During the service, we will have the official placing of church officers for the 2008 year. If you have a conflict, please speak with pastor at your earliest convenience so that he knows how many people to expect for the 24th. Thank you.

A Message from Leah Dicke

Thank you very much Pastor for always sending me the "Portals of Prayer" devotional. I love those books. Thank you also to the Immanuel Ladies Aid that sent me the box of goodies. It was wonderful! I hope everyone is staying warm this winter. Everything is good here. It is still warm, but it has quieted down so much. Please continue to keep all the soldiers here in your thoughts and prayers. Thanks so much for everything. Leah Dicke

"THE LUTHERAN HOUR" – Sunday, February 17 8:30AM on KCUE-AM; 6:00PM on KDHL-Faribault (920) "For Salvation"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus

God gave His Son as a Gift to save us—no strings attached. That's something you don't see every day. (John 3:16)

Lenten Midweek Series

On Ash Wednesday we began a new Lenten preaching series entitled "Sin and Grace." Special midweek services will be held on Wednesdays at 7:30PM throughout Lent and will run according to the following schedule of themes:

"Sin Finds Us Out"	Num. 32:23b
"The Sinner and His God"	2 Sam. 12:13
"Sin and Grace"	Rom. 5:20
"The Perfect Physician"	Ex. 15:26b
"The Lamb of God"	John 1:29
(Maundy Thursday) "The Doctrine	
And Purpose of Holy Communion"	1 Cor. 11:23-29
(Good Friday) "Bought With a Price"	1 Cor. 6:20
	"The Sinner and His God" "Sin and Grace" "The Perfect Physician" "The Lamb of God" (Maundy Thursday) "The Doctrine And Purpose of Holy Communion"

Please plan on nurturing yourself with the preaching of the Lord during the holy season of Lent.

Support Mission Work in Kyrgyzstan

Bob and Sue Pfeil, missionaries in Kyrgyzstan report that they are looking forward to the completion of a new Lutheran Church building in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. The church is named "Concordia," The missionaries are looking forward to the dedication in the near future. Their medical vans continue to serve the citizens at no cost and have become a real opportunity in sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to a population that is primarily Muslim.

If you would like to support this work of soul-winning, please make checks out to Concordia Mission Society and mail to: Concordia Mission Society, P.O. Box 8555, St. Louis, MO 63126-0555.

Thank you and God's richest blessings in your missionary work!