

Saved by Grace - Solid in the Word - Here to Serve

Welcome! *“How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts! My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God. Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God”* Psalm 84: 1-3



Holy Communion

Today we celebrate the Sacrament of our Lord Jesus Christ's true body and true blood. Reception of the Lord's Supper expresses not only fellowship with the Lord, but also fellowship and agreement with the teaching of the pastor and congregation. We want to express our sincere welcome to our guests and assure them that out of care for each person and a desire to be faithful to God's Word we follow the biblical practice of closed communion. **All guests are kindly asked to please speak with Pastor Gaunt before communing at our altar.** Normally, people from churches in fellowship with the LCMS, are welcome to partake. Those not communing, who so desire, may come to the altar to receive a blessing. So that the pastor knows you desire a blessing please cross your arms over your chest. Please pray with us that we might all be truly united in the teaching of our Lord's precious word. (For further study: 1 Cor. 11:17-34; Matt. 5:23ff; 10:32ff; 18:15-35; 6:26-29.)

Prayers of the Church

Circuit Congregation Trinity, Campbell **Health Issues** + Ron Steiner + Kay Krueger + Carol Smith (Daughter of the Krueger's) + Allen Glathar + Donna Merkel + Kara Nissen + Don Nissen + Karen Bauman + Jerry Hinrichs + Walt Irmer + Dee Janssen + Jerry Jacobson **Military** + Tyler Mars + Ross Peters + Gary Thompson

In His Service

Presiding Minister: Rev. Micah Gaunt
Organist: Dr. Phil Hesterman Cantor: Mr. David Witt
Altar Guild: May: Kathy Hromadka
Elders: Kevin Hoins, Derek Zeisler
Acolyte: Merrick Russell

The Lord's Week

Sunday	May 8	9:00am	Divine Service
		10:30am	Bible Study
Monday	May 9	10-3pm	Quilters please bring a lunch
		6:30pm	Right to Life Board
Tuesday	May 10	8a-8pm	Election Day - Narthex—Public Voting
			Fellowship Hall - Election Board
		9:30am	Bible Study Conference Room
		6:00pm	Board of Finance Conference Room
		7:00pm	All Boards Strategic Planning
Saturday	May 14	1-5pm	Graduation Open House Victor Gaunt
Sunday	May 15	9:00am	Divine Service
		10:30am	Summer Sunday School, Bible Class

Those Who Wait on the Lord Shall Rejoice

The people of God are pilgrims and sojourners in this world, looking ahead to a destination yet to come (1 Peter 2:11-20). Though we are now children of God, the fullness of what we shall be has not yet been revealed (1 John 3:1-3). We are those who wait on the Lord. “The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him” (Lam. 3:25). Jesus tells us that the wait is just a little while. “A little while, and you will see me no longer; and again a little while, and you will see me” (John 16:16). Though you must experience sorrow for a time, though you must live as strangers in a world that is at enmity with Christ, yet your sorrow will be turned to joy when He returns. “But they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength” (Is. 40:31). The little while of weeping shall be replaced with an eternity of rejoicing in the presence of Christ the crucified and risen Savior. “And no one will take your joy from you” (John 16:22)



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News and Notes of Interest

Divine Service: Sunday, Divine Service 9:00 A.M.
10:30am Bible Study

Tuesday morning bible study will meet in the conference room

Summer Sunday School Begins Sunday, May 15th

10:30 a.m. May 22nd Intergenerational Bible Study

Birthdays 5/10 Lucia Gaunt, Ron R. Davis
5/14 Megan Shuler **Baptismal** 5/09 Jen Christensen
5/10 Jean Herbst 5/11 Don Baker
5/12 Michaela Novak 5/13 Ronda Rosenau, Sharon Witt
Wedding Anniversary 5/10 Glen & Kay Krueger

We would like to cordially invite members of the congregation to please join us on Saturday, May 14th, 1-5 p.m. for an open house in honor of Victor Gaunt's high school Graduation. We will celebrate in the Peace Fellowship Hall. - The Gaunt Family

2022 High School Graduates:

James Ellis	Hastings HS
Hunter Fowler	Hastings HS
Victor Gaunt	Heartland Lutheran HS
Allie Janssen	Adams Central HS
Seth Latta	Hastings HS
Annalicia Potter	Adams Central HS

2022 College Graduates:

Collin Fowler	Hastings College
Rachel Witt	University of Nebraska Kearney

Lifequote "Remember, it is your Indispensable hands that gather up all the coins from baby bottles, the diapers from diaper drives, and the layettes and baby clothes that keep pregnancy resource center shelves stocked and able to provide much needed support for a pregnant mother and father to choose life!" • lutheransforlife.org

The Congregation at Prayer

Speak aloud as much of this order of prayer as you are able.

In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Verse of the Week: "It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord." Lamentations 3:26

*The 10 Commandments
The Apostles Creed
The Lord's Prayer*

Catechism: 2nd Commandment Explanation

Other Readings for the Week: *The Gospel Lesson on Monday, The Gospel Verse on Tuesday, The Epistle Lesson on Wednesday, The Gradual Verse on Thursday, The First Lesson on Friday & The Introit on Saturday.*

For Meditation: What has the Holy Spirit been teaching you lately in His word? Where has He given you a word of correction? Where has He given you a word of comfort? What is something the Holy Spirit is leading you to pray about?

Pray in response to the Catechism and/or Readings for the Week. *What is God teaching you to **thank** Him for? What sin is He teaching you to **confess**? What is God teaching you to **ask** for? You may also pray this week's Collect, as well as for the prayers of the church (found in the bulletin).*

Hymn- #483 "With High Delight Let Us Unite"

May the almighty and most merciful God, Father, ✠ Son and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.

Next Week's Readings: Isaiah 12:1-6, James 1:16-21, John 16:5-15.

What is something you heard in worship that you want to hold on to this week?

Who is someone with whom you can share it?

Fourth Sunday of Easter
Divine Service Setting 1

May 8th
9:00am



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