

Are you a member or a guest? Pastoral Care - **All Visitor's and members**, please notice the red book on one end of your pew titled "Record of Fellowship". In order to help the pastor provide good care for you please fill out one line and pass it to the next person in the pew. If someone comes after the book has passed to the other end of the pew, please assist by making sure the book is available to them. Please check all of the boxes in the middle of the line which are applicable to you. If you require a large print copy of the worship service, to better help you, please ask an usher.



The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood in an unworthy manner do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or hold membership in a congregation other than a congregation in the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod should refrain from receiving communion. If you are a member in good standing of another congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod and would like to receive the Sacrament, please speak with the pastor or an elder prior to the service. We ask this out of Christian love and concern for you. (Please, indicate to Pastor if you require a Gluten Free Wafer.)



About our Lord's work at St. Matthew this week

- TODAY . . . . . Communion Worship Service **9:00 AM**  
Bible Class following Worship; Sunday School **10:15-11:30 AM**
- MONDAY . . . . . Bible Class **10:00 AM**
- TUESDAY . . . . . Catechism/Bible Class **9:00 AM**; Knife River Care Center **10:15 AM**
- WEDNESDAY . . Devotions at Sr. Suites **12:20 PM**; Quilting **1:00 PM**;  
Lenten Supper **5:30 PM** (Hosts: everyone Pot-Luck)  
Lenten Vespers **7:00 PM**
- THURSDAY . . . . Communion at Sr. Suites **10:00 AM**; Quilting **1:00 PM**;  
Business Office Closed
- FRIDAY . . . . . Business Office Closed
- SUNDAY . . . . . Communion Worship Service **9:00 AM**  
Bible Class & Sunday School **10:15-11:30 AM**

Gifts for the work of the Lord:  
\$4,000.00 (March 6)

Together in Worship:  
March 1 (34)      March 12 (52)  
Together on the Internet: 309

Please consider this information in the light of God's Word, which encourages regular worship and the joyful giving of our offerings for the expansion of His Mission at St. Matthew by Reaching, Caring and Sharing Christ!



Stewardship thought: **Exodus 17:3** – “**But the people thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, ‘Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?’**” Even the Israelites, who saw miracles with their own eyes, fell into unbelief and fear. From this distance we can see how foolish their worry is. How foolish will our worries appear from the distance of eternity? The Lord cared for them, and He will care for us.

Listen to the Lutheran Hour, next Sunday morning at 7:30 am on KDKT 1410 AM radio to hear "**Bad Karma vs. Good Creator**". Presented by Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. When bad things happen, is it "bad karma" or an opportunity for our Good Creator to be doing a greater work? (John 9:3)



**About the Cover:** St. Paul tells us that Christ was the spiritual Rock from which Israel drank in the desert (1 Corinthians 10:4). The woman at the well soon found out that this same Rock was standing before her, offering her the true thirst-quenching water. Once we have partaken of Christ, there is no need to thirst after the things of this world. He thirsted on the cross in our place to fill us with His forgiveness and life.

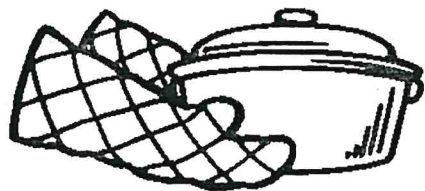
**PLEASE HELP:** **Sound system operators are needed.** Yes, there are many buttons on the board but LOTS of them are never touched, so it is “easier than it looks”! If you are interested in helping the sound carry throughout the building and send the worship service out on the airwaves and into the ears the home bound, become part of the rotation of operators by contacting Marie Johnson 701-748-2025.

TELL THE

GOOD NEWS

**SACRED MUSIC FOR THE SEASON OF LENT...**"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," "In the Cross of Christ I Glory," "My Song Is Love Unknown," "A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth." You can listen to sacred music for the Lenten season 24/7 at [lutheranpublicradio.org](http://lutheranpublicradio.org), Amazon Echo, Google Home, Apple HomePod and the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

# POTLUCK



# SUPPER

Lenten Suppers served @ 5:30 PM

**March 15 - Hosts: Everyone / Pot-luck**

March 22, & 29 - are any groups, couples or committees willing to serve any of these evenings?

Lenten Vespers Services

**Please join us for Vespers on March 22, & 29 @ 7:00 PM**

Lenten Devotions are available on the counter in the narthex.



What are those kids learning in Sunday School? Today, we will study “A Mountaintop Wonder.” Jesus takes His inner circle—Peter, James, and John—up on a mountain. There, they see Jesus in His heavenly glory as Moses and Elijah appear alongside Him, discussing His upcoming departure. In his excitement, Peter offers to build three tents so they can remain on the mountaintop. Suddenly, a cloud—a sign of God’s presence—appears and a voice speaks out from it: “This is My Son, My Chosen One; listen to Him!” (Luke 9:35).



Intercessory Prayers

† Those struggling with cancer: **Sheila Faut / Becky Post / Judy Fitzgerald / Marcia & Elwood Grushow / Emily Zietz / Beth Wangler / Delmer Meissel / Kelly Weisz / Judy Johnson / Laverne Faut**

† **Sophia Fischer / Carla Morast / Rev. Erich Kaelberer / Harold Mathisen / Marcella Knoell / Rev. Tom Eckstein / Dave Fitzgerald / Stan Hanewald / Dawn Phillips / Allegra Boeckel / Betty Getz / Tracy Wolter / Emma Huber / Rev. Allan Eppen / Rodney Wagner / Elmer Schiermeister / Layton Bornemann / Chloe Graberek / Bob Johnstone / Orville Miller / Eva Olin / Betty / Christina / Rev. Jason Wolter / DeLora Kilber** for strength and healing.

† **Erna / Bea / Dallas & Monica / Orlene / Loretta / Christine / Vi** who reside in a care center.

† **Pastors of our LCMS ND District**

† **Large Print Work Center #193 / Dakota Hope Clinic**

† **International Missions of the District**

† **Our Military Personnel, Law Enforcement, and Rescue Workers**

Prayer chain contacts: Bonita Maas 748-6145 & Marie Mathisen 748-6347



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Worship  
Service  
9:00 a.m.

Sunday School  
& Bible Study  
10:15 a.m.

Hear our  
Sunday Morning  
Service *live*  
each Sunday on  
KDKT 1410 AM  
9:00 a.m.  
or from coast-to-coast  
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I will stand  
before you

Exodus 17:6

