

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 . . . . .

MONDAY . . . . .

TUESDAY . . . . .

SUNDAY . . . . .
- Communion Worship Service **9:00 AM**;

Bible Class following Worship

No Bible Class; Memorial Day

Catechism/Bible Class **9:00 AM**; Evangelism Meeting **2:00 PM**

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Bible Class following Worship



This week the business office will be open Tuesday and Thursday.

Gifts for the work of the Lord:

\$ 3,130.00 (May 21)

Together in Worship: May 21 (70)

Together on the Internet: 181

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!

**Gifts to the Lord:** If you would like to help with the Lord's work at St. Matthew, please drop your gifts in the box located in the narthex, before or after worship. Guest envelopes are available in the holder on of the front of the box.



Stewardship thought: **Acts 2:1 – “When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place.”** Pentecost is the Old Testament harvest festival, taking place around the time when the wheat and oats are ready to be brought in. Of course, this was an image and foreshadowing of the great harvest of humankind that God means to carry out through the preaching of His Word. God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest. From first to last, in things temporal and things eternal, we stand only by His grace.

Listen to the Lutheran Hour, next Sunday morning at 7:30 am on KDKT 1410 AM radio to hear **"It's All Good--Even When It's Not"**. Presented by guest speaker: Rev. Dr. John Nunes. The key to growing closer to others is by growing closer to God. (Genesis 1)



**About the Cover:** Though the seventy elders of Israel did not continue to prophesy, two men in the camp did when the Spirit rested upon them. On Pentecost, the Lord again caused His Spirit to rest on His people as divided tongues of fire. However, the apostles did not cease prophesying in His name. Though not in the same ways as that first Pentecost, the same Spirit has continued to rest upon the Lord's Church as He sends her out into the world with the same proclamation of the saving word of Christ's forgiveness.



Please tear out the used page in the "Record of Fellowship" and hand it to the usher as you leave. If there are no more pages left, hand the entire book to the Usher. Thank you, for this, and the continued help of taking all items with you, to keep our pews tidy.





A retirement celebration, honoring Rev. David Suelzle will be held Sunday, June 4, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, at Grace Lutheran in Fargo.

**Building Healthy Families:** It's been said that children may not always be good at listening to their parents, but they never fail to imitate them. The words you speak are less important than the everyday life you lead. Your children (and grandchildren) are constantly learning about life by watching you. What an immense responsibility. What an incredible privilege! Pray that God will help you to be the kind of adult that you want your child (or grandchild) to become. **Lutheran Family Service** [www.LutheranFamilyService.org](http://www.LutheranFamilyService.org)



Lutheran Family Service is Iowa's only Recognized Service Organization (RSO) by the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS) for Pregnancy Support, Adoption Services, Marriage Counseling, & Mental Health Counseling.

The next Evangelism Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 30 @ 2 PM.



Anyone interested in joining this committee is invited to attend. We are hoping to add a few more members - men and women. There are some upcoming evangelism opportunities our congregation will host: Gerald & Heidi Paul will be presenting about their mission work in the Grand Cayman Islands (July 18), President Bertsch will present a power point about his recent trip to Chile, and we will host another Chilly for Chile (Aug. 20th) in the summer months - this time ice cream. If there is anyone or another committee who would like to help with any of these events, please let Micki Fischer know. Thank you!

#### Intercessory Prayers

- † Those struggling with cancer: **Sheila Faut / Becky Post/ Marcia & Elwood Grushow / Emily Zietz / Beth Wangler / Delmer Meissel / Kelly Weisz / Judy Johnson / Laverne Faut / Christie Tomes / JoAnn Crabtree**
- † **Sophia Fischer / Carla Morast / Rev. Erich Kaelberer / Harold Mathisen / Marcella Knoell / Stan Hanewald / Dawn Phillips / Allegra Boeckel / Betty Getz / Tracy Wolter / Emma Huber / Elmer Schiermeister / Layton Bornemann / Chloe Graberek / Bob Johnstone / Orville Miller / Eva Olin / Christina / Rev. Jason Wolter / Kinsey Tomes** for strength and healing.
- † **Erna / Bea / Dallas / Orlene / Loretta / Christine** 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.

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Hear our  
Sunday Morning  
Service *live*  
each Sunday on  
KDKT 1410 AM  
9:00 a.m.  
or from coast-to-coast  
via the FoxSports link  
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*The Spirit rested on them*  
*Numbers 11:25*

