

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 home with you or disposing of them. It helps to keep our pews tidy.



Sunday School begins today!!

"Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." 2 Peter 3:18
Today, we install our Christian Education staff. Is there an area that you could help?

Sunday School Superintendent: Marie L. Johnson
Sunday School Treasurer: Ashley Mickelsen
Preschool & Early Elementary: Heather Volk
Elementary and Middle School: Megan Kramar
Confirmation Instructor: Pastor Kirk Peters
Sunday School Substitute Teachers: Ashley Mickelsen | Alison Smith
Would you serve in this area?

Board of Christian Education

Cole Johnson, Chairman | Ashley Mickelsen | Dave Grant | Brea Wilkens
Would you serve in this area?

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 / 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.
- † **Dallas / Orlene / Loretta / Christine / Rodney / Marcella** 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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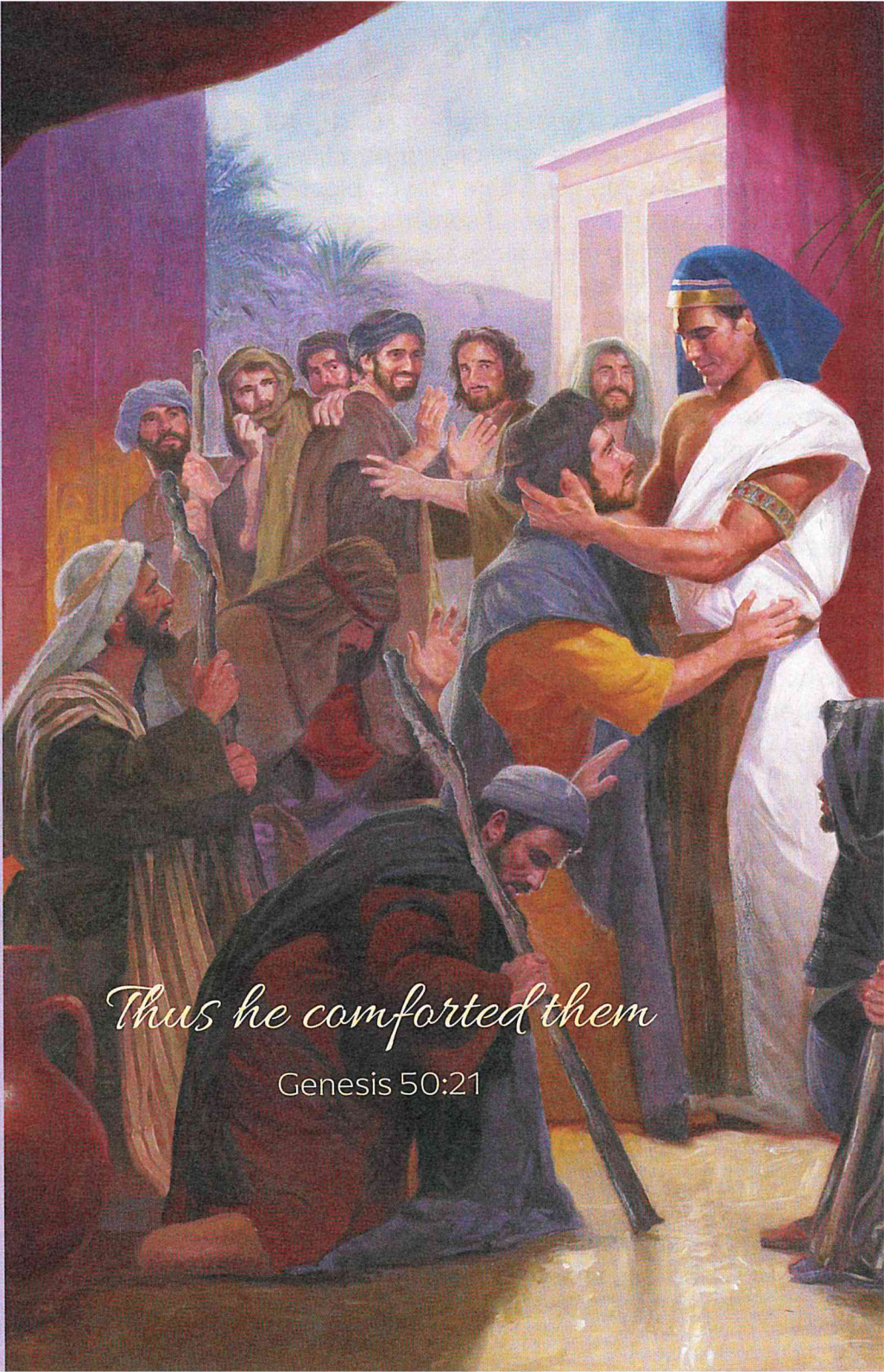
Pastor's Study:
748-5561

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
via the FoxSports link
on our web page at
stmatthewhazen.org

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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**
- WEDNESDAY Quilting **1:00 PM**; NDSU StepUp **1- 3 PM** (Fellowship Hall use); Confirmation Class **4:00 PM**
- THURSDAY Communion at Sr. Suites **9:00 AM**; Quilting **1:00 PM**
- SUNDAY Communion Worship Service **9:00 AM**; Bible Class following Worship; Sunday School **10:15 - 11:30 AM**



The business office will be closed until October 19. If you have any bulletin announcements or calendar items please contact Marie Johnson 748-2025 or 701-220-6386 or cmjohnson2007@gmail.com.

Gifts for the work of the Lord:
\$ no count (Sept. 10)

Together in Worship: Sept. 10 (52)

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.



Listen to the Lutheran Hour, next Sunday morning at 7:30 am on KDKT 1410 AM radio to hear "**High Ground**" Presented by Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. When the waters rise and enemies attack, the high ground is the place of safety and security. But who will take us there? (Psalm 27)

Stewardship thought: **Romans 14:7 – “For none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself.”** We just don't belong to ourselves — we belong first of all to God, and through Him, we belong to our neighbors. We are here to serve God in our service to one another. God has called you to this service through your vocation: as a Christian you serve others in the church, as a neighbor you serve others in society, and as a son or daughter, husband or wife, father or mother, you serve your family.



CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUO.org: Begin the book of Joshua on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), study The Cause of Sin in the Augsburg Confession on Concord Matters (9/23 at 10:00 a.m. CT), and study Leviticus 18-22 on “The Holiness of God” on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfu.org or the KFUO Radio app!



About the Cover: About the Cover: The brothers who took Joseph, threw him into a pit, and sold him into slavery were now in his hands. However, Joseph embraced his brothers with tears of joy and forgiveness. Even when their fears were renewed after the death of their father, Joseph comforted them. Though our sin drove the nails into Jesus' hands on the cross, God meant it for good as Jesus died to bring forgiveness and life for us. Thus, Jesus brings us true and lasting comfort as He welcomes us with His nail-pierced hands.