

July 27, 2025

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 1:30 PM; Coffee gathering & Bible

Class after Worship

Communion Worship Service 1:30 PM; Coffee gathering & Bible SUNDAY

Class after Worship

If you need Pastoral care, you may call Pastor Heide at:

Cell: 701-300-4249 (cell coverage is not the best in Hannover) Church: 701-794-8705

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.

Gifts for the work of the Lord: \$ no count (7-20) Together in Worship: 42(7-20)

Mission 1-1-1: \$ 00.00

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 or in the pew.

About the Cover: Abraham boldly pleaded before God on behalf of Sodom. This boldness came from knowing who the Lord had revealed Himself to be. We know who the Lord is in the mercy of Christ Jesus. Christ interceded for us by shedding His blood on the cross. Therefore, we know that we can "with confidence draw near to the throne of grace" (Hebrews 4:16) and that He indeed listens to our prayers.





If you would like to be part of the Call Committee please sign up on the list located on the round table at the bottom of the stairs in the fellowship hall.

Listen to the Lutheran Hour, next Sunday morning at 7:30 am on KDKT 1410 AM radio to hear "Proclaim His Glory". Presented by Guest Speaker: LUTHERAN Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer. Of course, we should search the Scriptures, but we search them for Jesus, the One to Whom the Scriptures point. (John 5:30-47)



A note from the ND District President: Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads (SHCR) has been operating in the North Dakota District for many years. Last January the convention delegates voted to support our one and only Lutheran Camp with an annual donation of \$10,000. Shepherds Hill, located near St. John, ND (14 miles southeast of the International Peace Gardens), provides a

place of retreat to enjoy God's creation and to learn and study God's Word. Each summer, the staff of SHCR stays busy providing various summer camps for youth and families. Alora Woodruff and her staff do a fantastic job. Check them out at www.shretreat.org. -Rev. Mark Chepulis, North Dakota District President

KFUO Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFUO.org via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music.CHRIST FOR YOU this week on AM850 & KFUO.org: On Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT) we are continuing our study of the Psalms. This week, we'll take a look at Psalms 50, 57, 67, 73, and 80. Tune in to Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT) as we begin a new study of the book of Galatians! Don't forget to join us for the Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9:00 a.m. CT)! This week is Bach week, and we have some special episodes lined up to celebrate! Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUO Radio app!

Join us at Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads on Saturday, August 2, 2025 for our annual Archery Shoot! We will have a 3D target shoot through the woods and target shoot for all ages. Come and see the beauty that is the Turtle Mountains of North Dakota at Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads. 502

Shepherd's Hill Drive, St. John, ND | 7 miles west of St. John on County Road 43 | 9 Miles north and 9 miles east of Dunseith | shretreat.org/archery

Intercessory Prayers

- † Those struggling with cancer: Sheila Faut / Becky Post / Beth Wangler / Kelly Weisz / Judy Johnson / Laverne Faut / Christie Tomes / Eleanore Krumm
- † Sophia Fischer / Rev. Erich Kaelberer / Harold Mathisen / Dawn Phillips / Allegra Boeckel / Betty Getz / Tracy Wolter / Emma Huber / Elmer Schiermeister / Chloe Graberek / Bob Johnstone / Orville Miller / Eva Olin / Christina / Rev. Jason Wolter / Kinsey Tomes / Tanya Schlamann / Esther Gerving-Grosz / Jason Fischer / Larry & Karen Wiesz for strength and healing.
- † Dallas / Loretta / Christine / Rodney / Delmer / Stan who reside in a care center.
- † Pastors of our LCMS ND District
- † Large Print Work Center #193 / Dakota Hope Clinic / Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads
- † 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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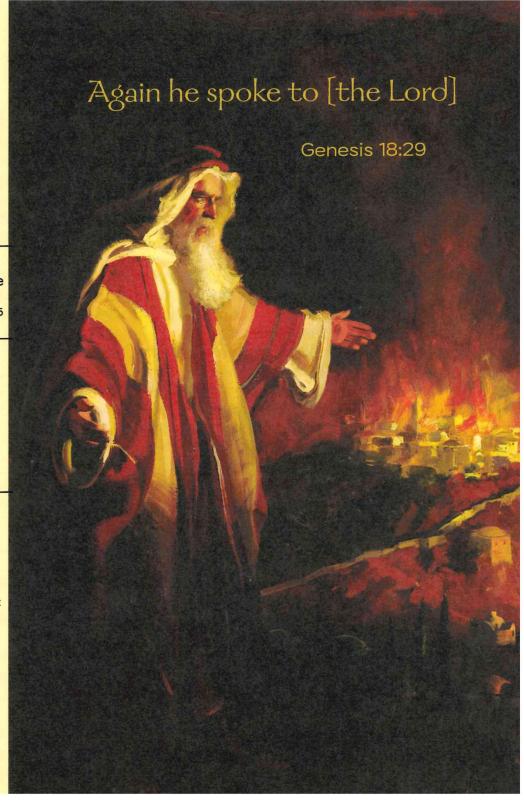
> Worship Service 1:30 P.M.

Sunday School, Coffee gathering, Bible Study following worship

Hear the

Sunday Morning
Service
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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