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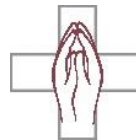


Welcome to all our Guests and Visitors worshipping with us today! Whoever you

are and from whatever walk of life you come -- we welcome you in Jesus' name. May you find in Him, the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Do come again! If you have no Church home, we invite you to join our fellowship. The Pastor will be pleased to discuss membership with you. **Please take a moment to introduce yourself and to sign our guest register in the narthex** (*please include full mailing address or email address*). May the Lord bless your worship with us today. We would be pleased to have you return again!

A few bulletins from previous weeks are found in the basket by the guest register at St. Matthew's, and on the table by the mailbox at Grace.

Children's Activity Bulletins are available on the information table.



Remember in your prayers:

- all who are sick, hospitalized, or shut in, especially all members of our church family, including: Emily Bauer; Irma Baumung, Grace Bowley, Earl Chase, Grace Dressler, Walter Eckert, Hertha Edel, Geraldine Edel, Leona Haberstock, Norman Kauk, Elizabeth Kleebaum, Jack Miller, Georgina Nabe, Annie Nernberg, Ed Zimmer, Ruth Zimmer, Jack Ziprick;
- all affected by the coronavirus, that we not lose trust in our gracious heavenly Father;
- our organists as they serve God's people;
- the leaders of our congregations and parish;
- the members of Grace and St. Matthew's;

- our neighbours and friends – that they might respond favourably to our invitation to come meet Jesus in our midst.



LCC Mission Prayers: Rev. Cesar Augusto Galeano serves as a pastor in the Church Luterana Jesus Our Savior in Santa Patricia and in the Church Luterana Getsemani in the City of the Viejo.

A petition is available at the guest register at St. Matthew’s petitioning the Manitoba government “cease providing taxpayers’ dollars for the performance of abortions by delisting abortion from the services covered by Manitoba Health.”

It pleased almighty God to call out of this life the soul of Ruth Zimmer (wife of Julius) on Tuesday, March 31st. A private graveside service will take place tomorrow due to the current health crisis. A memorial church service is planned for a later date. Please keep the family in your prayers.

“Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints.”

Listen to Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler’s message **“You Haven’t Lost Me”** based on Exodus 14 next Sunday on The Lutheran Hour on 620/am at 7:30 AM or 940/am at 9:00 AM or 1250/am at 10:30 AM (MB time) or 810/am at 12:30 PM (MB time) or Streaming audio and podcasts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

With our regular Divine Service suspended we will provide opportunities for you to receive Holy Communion in smaller groups during the week (Tuesday to Saturday 10 AM to Noon) at St. Matthew’s. Pastor Wood will make himself available in the chancel at the front of the church for private confession and absolution, prayer and Holy Communion during those hours. **Please call Pastor Wood on his cell phone to advise when you would like to come.** We want to limit the number of people in the sanctuary.

* Printed Sermons will be available in the narthex along with other resources, including a hymnal to take home. If you don’t have a key, please call Pastor Wood.

*We ask everyone to be patient as we work through the many changes happening very quickly in our community. We will update you on things happening in the Roblin-Zorra parish as soon as possible. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call Pastor Wood. Or check our website for updates. rzlutheranparish.weebly.com.

Holy Week and Easter Services
The Triduum (The Three Days)
Living among the Bible’s Trees

Mauudy Thursday, April 9

Live streamed at St. Matthew’s 8:00 P.M. (MB)
“Fig Trees” – Luke 13:1–9; Mark 11:12–25

Good Friday, April 10

Live streamed at St. Matthew’s 11:00 A.M. (MB)
“Tree of the Cross” – Deuteronomy 21:22–23;
 Galatians 3:1–14

The Resurrection of Our Lord, April 12

Live streamed at St. Matthew’s 11:00 A.M. (MB)
“Tree of Life” – Ezekiel 47:1–12;
 Revelation 22:1–20, Matthew 28:1–10

At Jesus’ feet last week

	Grace	St. Matthew’s
Divine Service	--	--
Communion	--	--
Lenten Midweek	--	--

This Week in the Grace - St. Matthew's Parish:

Today	Palm Sunday	- Divine Service of the Word (live streamed at St. Matthew's)	11:00 A.M. (MB)
Tues. – Thurs.		- Confession/Absolution/Communion at St. Matthew's	10:00 A.M. to Noon (MB)
Thursday		- Maundy Thursday service (live streamed at St. Matthew's)	8:00 P.M. (MB)
Friday		- Good Friday Service (live streamed at St. Matthew's)	11:00 A.M. (MB)
Saturday		- Confession/Absolution/Communion at St. Matthew's	10:00 A.M. to Noon (MB)
Next Sunday	The Resurrection of our Lord - Easter Sunday	- Divine Service of the Word (live streamed at St. Matthew's)	11:00 A.M. (MB)

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD SUNDAY OF THE PASSION LARGE CATECHISM, PART II, APOSTLES' CREED

There was no counsel, help, or comfort until this eternal Son of God—in His immeasurable goodness—had compassion upon our misery and wretchedness. He came from heaven to help us. So those tyrants and jailers are all expelled now. In their place has come Jesus Christ, Lord of life, righteousness, every blessing, and salvation. He has delivered us poor, lost people from hell's jaws, has won us, has made us free, and has brought us again into the Father's favor and grace. He has taken us as His own property under His shelter and protection so that He may govern us by His righteousness, wisdom, power, life, and blessedness.

Let this be the sum of this article: the little word *Lord* means simply the same as *redeemer*. It means the One who has brought us from Satan to God, from death to life, from sin to righteousness, and who preserves us in the same. But all the points serve to explain and express this redemption. They explain how and by whom it was accomplished. They explain how much it cost Him and what He spent and risked so that He might win us and bring us under His dominion. It explains that He became man, was conceived and born without sin, so that He might overcome sin. It explains that He suffered, died, and was buried so that He might make satisfaction for me and pay what I owe, not with silver or gold, but with His own precious blood. He did all this in order to become my Lord.

(paragraphs 29-31)

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Life Quotes

“For me, Holy Week offers us a glimpse into the holy and vicarious humanity of Jesus. The human Jesus struggling with His own suffering in agony is a portrait for which I am deeply thankful. Jesus struggled as I do. And while I often reluctantly say to God, ‘Not my will but yours be done,’ I trust that God will generate salvation out of suffering and life from death.”

Margaret Manning Shull is a member of the speaking and writing team at Ravi Zacharias International Ministries in Bellingham, Washington

A “Life Quote” is from Lutherans For Life – www.lutheransforlife.org.



About the Cover: The week of our Lord's Passion is here, and yet at this critical time the disciples slept. But throughout that long and heavy night in Gethsemane, one person remained awake in prayer. It was Jesus alone. In the midst of it all, He remained alert and ready to take on the task of saving us from our sin. We are far too weak to save ourselves, but Jesus was fixed on His mission to bring us salvation.

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April 5 Anno Domini 2020
Palm Sunday – The Sunday of the Passion
*Proclaiming Christ and Him Crucified, Risen,
Ascended, and Returning*

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Roblin, MB

Divine Service – 9:30 A.M. (MB)

November 1, 2020 -March 14, 2021: Divine Service 11:30 A.M.

Grace Lutheran Church, Zorra, SK

Divine Service – 10:15 A.M. (SK)

Sunday School – 9:15 A.M. (SK)

November 1, 2020 - March 14, 2021: Divine Service 9:45 A.M.

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