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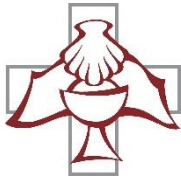
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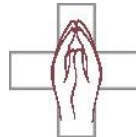
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Welcome

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!



Remember in your prayers:

- all who are sick, hospitalized, or shut in, especially all members of our church family, including: Grace Bowley, Doreen Doering, Walter Eckert, Bernice Edel, Wilma Kroll, Annie Nernberg, Ruth Zimmer;
- Jack Ziprick, recovering from back surgery;
- all affected by the coronavirus, including all who are unemployed or under-employed, that we not lose trust in our gracious heavenly Father and that He would

bring an end to the pandemic according to His good and gracious will;

- all health care workers;
- all who are dealing with various health issues;
- the people of Ukraine, that peace be restored;
- Pastor Airton Glitz (Lutheran Church of Brazil who has accepted the call to Trinity, Churchbridge;
- the Inglis-Grandview parish as they have issued a call;
- our organists as they serve God's people;
- the leaders of our congregations and parish;
- the pastor of our parish;
- for favourable weather for crops and livestock, now that harvest is underway or soon to be underway;
- our neighbours and friends – that they might respond favourably to our invitation to come meet Jesus in our midst.



Holy Communion is celebrated today.

The Sacrament of the Altar is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the bread and wine, for us Christians to eat and to drink, instituted by Christ Himself. Jesus Christ is present in the sacrament by His Word and we receive His gifts through faith for the assurance of the forgiveness of our sins and for strength to live new life in Him.

Our practice of closed communion is the historic practice of the church. It is prompted by love, both for God's Word and God's people. It does not deny that members of other denominations are Christians. Rather, it acknowledges God's deep concern for doctrinal truth (Rom. 16:17) and the Bible's witness that doctrinal unity is central to the common reception of this sacrament.

For this reason, guests who desire to commune are asked to speak with the pastor before the service.

Please mark the registration sheet for communion and worship attendance in the narthex. In the interim the use of communion registration cards will be suspended and have been removed from the pews. Those who are not yet confirmed are welcome to come to receive a blessing, but are asked to keep their hands folded.

Next Sunday is **Food Bank Sunday** and **LWMLC Mite Box Sunday** at St. Matthew's.

Bible Class continues this Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. (MB) hosted at St. Matthew's with our study of worship from Lutheranism 101.

Pastor Wood will be officiating at the Committal service for Frieda Liske (nee Schmollinger) on Monday, September 5th at 1:00 P.M. at St. John's Lutheran Cemetery, Shevlin.

Confirmation Instruction: Junior Confirmation (ages ~11+ exceptions may be made) may begin this September at both St. Matthew's and Grace. Please contact Pastor Wood to let him know of any interest. An orientation session will be scheduled for parents and confirmands.

If there is interest in Adult Inquirers' Class (Adult Confirmation) let Pastor Wood know.

Pastor Wood will be taking some vacation time (September 8-23). On the Sundays he is gone there will be a parish service at 10:30 A.M. (MB time) hosted at St. Matthew's. On September 11th Regional Pastor David Haberstock will be leading the service. On September 18th we will have a lay service. Both services will be non-communion.

International news: Finland's prosecutor general has appealed the acquittal of Dr. Päivi Räsänen, a Finnish member of Parliament who authored a booklet that articulates historic Christian teaching on human sexuality. This booklet identifies homosexuality as a sin and teaching that a failure to recognize sin as sin undermines the very need for a Saviour. The hearing will not be until early 2023.

Jesus offers a gracious buyout, even as He speaks of counting the cost of following Him. Hear Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler's message entitled "**Count the Cost**" based on Luke 14:25-35 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 pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

<u>At Jesus' feet last week</u>	Grace	St. Matthew's
Divine Service	17	43
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This Week in the Grace - St. Matthew's Parish:

Today	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's and live-streamed	9:30 A.M. (MB)
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	10:30 A.M. (SK)
Wednesday	- Bible Class hosted at St. Matthew's	7:30 P.M. (MB)
Saturday	- Pastor Wood leading service at Trinity, Moosomin, SK	7:00 P.M. (SK)
Next Sunday	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's and live-streamed	9:30 A.M. (MB)
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	10:30 A.M. (SK)

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST LARGE CATECHISM, THE SIXTH COMMANDMENT

This commandment, "You shall not commit adultery" is directed against all kinds of unchastity, whatever it may be called. Not only is the outward act of adultery forbidden, but also every kind of cause, motive, and means or persuasion toward in chastity. We must also resist temptation, offer protection, and give help and counsel, so as to maintain our neighbor's honor. For whenever you abandon this effort when you could resist unchastity, or whenever you overlook it, you are as truly guilty of adultery as the one doing the deed. This much is required of you: everyone must live chastely himself and help his neighbor do the same. So by this commandment God wishes to build a hedge about and protect every spouse so that no one trespasses against him or her.

But this commandment is aimed directly at the state of marriage and gives us an opportunity to speak about it. First, understand and mark well how gloriously God honors and praises this estate. For by His commandment He both approves and guards it. Therefore, He also wishes us to honor it and to maintain and govern it as a divine and blessed estate because, in the first place, He has instituted it before all others. He created man and woman separately not for lewdness, but so that they might live together in marriage, be fruitful, bear children, and nourish and train them to honor God.
(paragraphs 202-207)

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Life Quotes

"So, pray, dear army of God, for the courage to seize opportunities to speak of God's saving glory and the peace it brings! So, pray, dear army of God, for those God has sent, in His name and ours, to herald that message where we cannot go! So, pray, dear army of God, that God would ... equip the next generation of faithful witnesses to add their voices to the chorus."

Rev. Dr. Rich Gurgel, president of Martin Luther College

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



About the Cover: Jesus calls His disciples to serve without discrimination. Yet, too often we find that we are generous only to those who will give us something in return. Our Lord gave of Himself for our sake and for the sake of the whole world. Just as surely as He is risen from the dead, our compassion for our neighbours today finds its reward in Christ on the Last Day.



St. Matthew's

Evangelical=Lutheran Congregation
Highway #5, at Park Street
Roblin, Manitoba

Members of Lutheran Church Canada

Grace

Evangelical=Lutheran Congregation
Highway #8, 1/2 km South of Highway #10
Zorra, Saskatchewan



Invite the poor, the crippled, the lame,
the blind, and you will be blessed Luke 14:13-14

AUGUST 28 ANNO DOMINI 2022
THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
*PROCLAIMING CHRIST AND HIM CRUCIFIED,
RISEN, ASCENDED, AND RETURNING*

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Roblin, MB
Divine Service – 9:30 A.M. (MB)

November 6, 2022 - March 12, 2023: Divine Service 11:30 A.M.

Grace Lutheran Church, Zorra, SK
Divine Service – 10:30 A.M. (SK)

Sunday School – will resume in September
November 6, 2022 - March 12, 2023: Divine Service 9:30 A.M.



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