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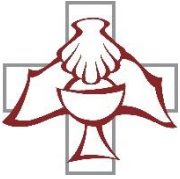
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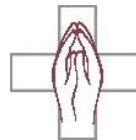
*"Praise the One who breaks the darkness" # 849*



**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: Emily Bauer; Irma Baumung, Grace Bowley, Earl Chase, Grace Dressler, Walter Eckert, Hertha Edel, Geraldine Edel, Norman Kauk, Elizabeth Kleebaum, Jack Miller, Georgina Nabe, Annie Nernberg, Ed Zimmer, Ruth Zimmer;

- that the Lord would provide favourable weather for crops and livestock;
- Bev Erickson;
- Debbie Andres, recovering from surgery;
- all affected by the coronavirus, that we not lose trust in our gracious heavenly Father;
- all who are unemployed as a result of the pandemic;
- the people of Beirut and all of Lebanon, after the devastating explosion last week;
- 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.



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**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.*

**Advance registration for this service today is also registration for communion. 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.

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*"I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD!'"* (Psalm 122:1 ESV) **We give thanks to God that in-person Divine Service** has resumed. Under the respective provincial health guidelines we are allowed to have up to 50 people (30% capacity) at St. Matthew's (9:30 A.M. MB) and up to 30 people (30% capacity) at Grace (10:30 A.M. SK).

**Pre-registration is requested (by Friday afternoon please – If you forget, please message when you remember).**

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*Believing in Jesus Christ, we truly see things the way they are.* It's "Archive August". Hear the inspirational message by Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer, **"Seeing Is Believing"** 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](http://www.lutheranhour.ca).



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Thanks to Ondrej Plaka (See Matthew 14:24-33) 01-04-2008  
**PETER FINDS HIS FAITH TO BE MUCH STRONGER IN THE WINTER**

**At Jesus' feet last week**

	Grace	St. Matthew's
Divine Service	16	40
Communion	14	36

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

Today	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) in person and livestreamed at St. Matthew's 9:30 A.M. (MB)	
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	10:30 A.M. (SK)
Next Sunday	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) in person and livestreamed at St. Matthew's 9:30 A.M. (MB)	
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	10:30 A.M. (SK)

### **A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST FORMULA OF CONCORD, SOLID DECLARATION ARTICLE II, FREE WILL**

It is not God's will that anyone should be damned, but that all people should be converted to Him and be saved.

Say to them, As I live, declares the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from his way and live. (Ezekiel 33:11)

God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

Out of His immense goodness and mercy, God provides for the public preaching of His divine eternal Law and His wonderful plan for our redemption, that of the holy, only saving Gospel of His eternal Son, our only Savior and Redeemer, Jesus Christ. By this preaching He gathers an eternal Church for Himself from the human race and works in people's hearts true repentance, knowledge of sins, and true faith in God's Son, Jesus Christ. By this means, and in no other way (i.e., through His holy Word, when people hear it preached or read it, and through the holy Sacraments when they are used according to His Word), God desires to call people to eternal salvation. He desires to draw them to Himself and convert, regenerate, and sanctify them.

The world did not know God through wisdom, [yet] it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. (1 Cor. 1:21) (paragraphs 49-51)

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### **Life Quotes**

"[W]hen a child is adopted into a family, there is a real family formed there. Our entire Gospel is at stake in that recognition because there is no such thing as an 'adopted child,' only children who were adopted. Adopted in the New Testament is a past-tense verb, not an adjective." *Dr. Russell D. Moore, author of "Adopted for Life: The Priority of Adoption for Christian Families" and chair of the Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention.*

**A "Life Quote" is from Lutherans For Life – [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org).**



**About the Cover:** The Creator in His majesty comes striding upon the waves of the sea. It is no wonder that the disciples were terrified! But with the simple words "Take heart; it is I," He reveals that He comes in peace. Jesus, fully God and at the same time fully man, comes to us in humility. The One through whom all things were made brings peace through His life, death, and resurrection!

**Grace**

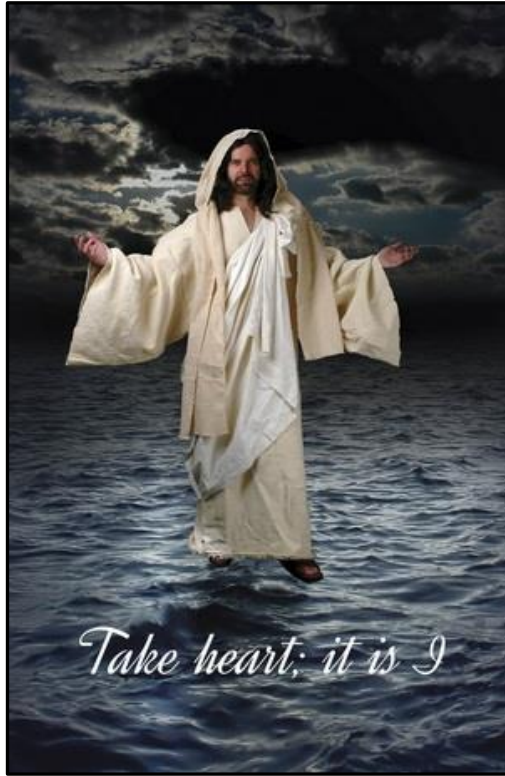
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**St. Matthew's**

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**August 9 Anno Domini 2020**  
**Tenth 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 1, 2020 -March 14, 2021: Divine Service 11:30 A.M.*

**Grace Lutheran Church, Zorra, SK**

**Divine Service – 10:30 A.M. (SK)**

**Sunday School – TBD**

*November 1, 2020 - March 14, 2021: Divine Service 9:30 A.M.*

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