The Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

November 13, 2022

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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!



Remember in your prayers:

• all who are sick, hospitalized, or shut in, especially all members of our church family, including: Grace Bowley, Doreen Doering, Bernice Edel,

Wilma Kroll, Annie Nernberg, Ruth Zimmer;

- Marie Mohr, who is hospitalized in Roblin;
- 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, who has accepted the call to Trinity, Churchbridge;
- our organists as they serve God's people;
- the leaders of our congregations and parish;
- the pastor of our parish and all pastors of the synod;
- 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.

Thank you to all who attended the LWMLC Soup and Sandwich Lunch last Sunday. The freewill offering received \$680 that will be used toward carpet cleaning in the basement at St. Matthew's.

The Service of Installation of Rev. Timothy Schneider as pastor of the Inglis-Grandview parish is today at Inglis at 3:00 P.M. You are invited to attend. A fellowship meal will follow the service.

Although **Joy to the World** is most often associated with Christmas and Christ's first coming, Isaac Watts, *Psalms of David Imitated*, 1719, based this hymn on the second part of Ps 98. It was entitled "The Messiah's Second Coming and Kingdom." It is therefore an appropriate hymn for this, the second last Sunday of the Church Year. (Just in case you were wondering).

The LWMLC meets on Tuesday at 1:30 P.M. (MB) at St. Matthew's.

Confirmation Instruction: Junior Confirmation at St. Matthew's is on Tuesday at 4:00 P.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Adult Inquirers' Class (Adult Confirmation) is still being planned.

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

LWMLC's next webinar will feature Karin Achtelstetter, Executive Director of Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR). The webinar will be on **November 19th** at: **10:00 am Central Time.**

The webinar will be available in St. Matthew's basement. You are invited to attend.

We see division and discord all around us, but there is one place where it all comes together—the fullness of God in the person of Jesus Christ. Hear Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. John Nunes' message entitled "Where It All Comes Together" based on Colossians 1:19-20 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.

At Jesus' feet last week						
	Grace		St. Matthew's			
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Sunday School						
Bible Class		7				
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This Week in the Grace - St. Matthew's Parish:				
Today	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	9:30 A.M.		
	- Sunday School at Grace	10:30 A.M.		
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's and live-streamed	11:30 A.M.		
	- Installation of Rev. Tim Schneider at Inglis	3:00 P.M.		
Tuesday	- LWMLC hosted at St. Matthew's	1:30 P.M.		
	- Junior Confirmation at St. Matthew's 4:00 P	1.M - 5:30 P.M.		
Wednesday	- Bible Class hosted at St. Matthew's	7:30 P.M.		
Saturday	- LWMLC Webinar (at St. Matthew's)	10:00 A.M.		
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	- Sunday School at Grace	10:30 A.M.		
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's and live-streamed	11:30 A.M.		
	- Pastor Wood leading Divine Service at MacNutt	3:00 P.M.		

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY APOLOGY OF THE AUGSBURG CONFESSION, ARTICLE V, LOVE AND FULFILLING THE LAW

Paul says, "There is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me" (2 Timothy 4:8). The justified are due the crown because of the promise. Saints should know this promise, and labor not for their own profit, but for God's glory. Saints should know God's will: He desires to aid, to deliver, and to protect them. Although the perfect hear the mention of penalties and rewards in one way, the weak hear it in another way. The weak labor for their own advantage. Yet the preaching of rewards and punishments is necessary. God's wrath is set forth in the preaching of punishments. This applies to repentance. Grace is set forth in the preaching of rewards. Scripture offers grace together with other rewards. We find this in Isaiah 58:8–14. We also affirm that although justification and eternal life go along with faith, nevertheless, good works merit other bodily and spiritual rewards and degrees of reward. According to 1 Corinthians 3:8, "Each will receive his wages according to his labor." The righteousness of the Gospel, which has to do with the promise of grace, freely receives justification and new life. But the fulfilling of the Law, which follows faith, has to do with the Law. In it a reward is offered and is due according to our works. Those who earn this are justified before they do the Law. (paragraphs 242-245)

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Life Quotes

"Respect for God's chain of authority holds true with the police, legislators, governors, presidents, and judges who have been placed over me. Some I may have chosen willingly, while others I may have voted against or had no say in. Still, we believe God has given them their authority. I may feel a responsibility to oppose their plans or how they perceive and execute justice, but even then, I owe them respect and honor."

Pastor Dan Guagenti, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Shelbyville, Kentucky A "Life Quote" is from Lutherans For Life – www.lutheransforlife.org.



About the Cover: The Lord has placed a song of joy in our hearts to sing! It is the melodious work of His salvation, which He has orchestrated through history by sending Christ Jesus to be our Savior. It continues to echo into the ears of all nations. Christ is for all people, bringing all believers into harmony with one another around the Gospel of His forgiveness.

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST PROCLAIMING CHRIST AND HIM CRUCIFIED, RISEN, ASCENDED, AND RETURNING

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Roblin, MB Divine Service – 11:30 A.M.

March 12, 2023 – November 5, 2023: Divine Service 9:30 A.M. (MB)

Grace Lutheran Church, Zorra, SK Divine Service – 9:30 A.M.

Sunday School – 10:30 A.M.

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