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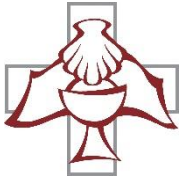
"Between Defeat and Destruction" 1 Cor. 15:20-28

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Remember in your prayers:

- all who are sick, hospitalized, or shut in, especially all members of our church family, including: Irma Baumung, Grace Bowley, Earl Chase, Doreen Doering, Grace Dressler, Walter Eckert, Bernice Edel, Geraldine Edel, Bev Erickson, Norman Kauk, Elizabeth Kleebaum, Marie Mohr, Jack Miller, Albert Nabe, Georgina Nabe, Annie Nernberg, Trena Neumann, Gladys Timoruski, Ed Zimmer, Ruth Zimmer, Wilfred Zimmer;
- 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;
- that the Lord would bring an end to the pandemic according to His good and gracious will;
- that the red zone restrictions may be lifted in Manitoba;
- the leaders of our congregations and parish;
- the members of Grace and St. Matthew's;

- the pastor of our parish;
- Pastor Alex Klages (Winkler/Morden) and his family as he deliberates the Divine Call to Trinity, Churchbridge;
- our neighbours and friends – that they might respond favourably to our invitation to come meet Jesus in our midst.

Bible Class will be suspended until likely the new year, with the Red Zone restrictions in Manitoba that will be in place until at least December 10th.

Midweek Advent Services will be recorded and posted on our Facebook pages and on our Youtube channel beginning Wednesday, December 2nd. The theme is: *"The Incarnation."*

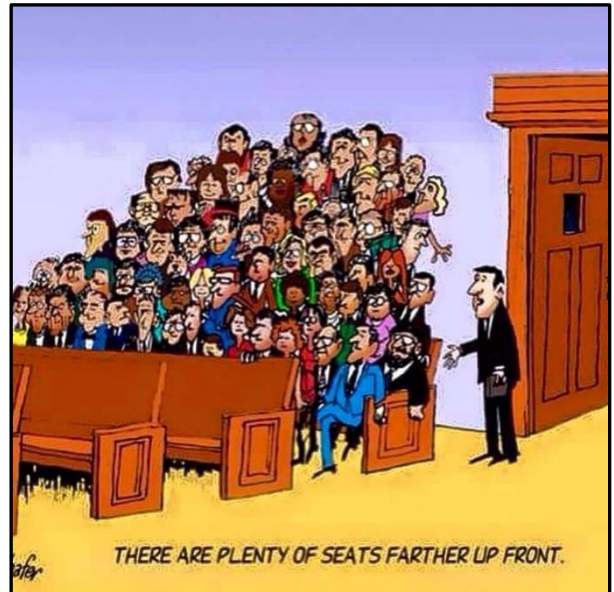
Watch for information on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day services, including pre-registration information.

Divine Services are suspended at St. Matthew's until the red zone restriction is lifted (until at least December 10th). The service will be live streamed at 11:30 A.M. on Facebook and posted on our YouTube channel (Roblin Zorra Lutheran Parish) by 3:00 P.M. All other activities at St. Matthew's are also suspended.

Divine Service at Grace are suspended until November 29th. The use of non-medical masks will be required by all attending the service. Pre-registration is requested.

How is God like a band director? Learn how God enables us to play our part in His "Magnum Opus." Hear the next inspirational message of the book of Daniel series by Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler entitled "**Magnum Opus**" based on Daniel 8:27 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.

If only we could have gatherings that crowded again!



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

Today	- No Service at Grace - Divine Service livestreamed at St. Matthew's	11:30 A.M.
Next Sunday	<i>First Sunday in Advent</i> - Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace - Sunday School at Grace - Divine Service livestreamed at St. Matthew's	9:30 A.M. 10:30 A.M. 11:30 A.M.

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD

LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR
LARGE CATECHISM, PART IV, BAPTISM

Baptism promises and brings: victory over death and the devil, forgiveness of sin, God's grace, the entire Christ, and the Holy Spirit with His gifts. In short, Baptism is so far beyond us that if timid nature could realize this, it might well doubt whether it could be true. Think about it. Imagine there was a doctor somewhere who understood the art of saving people from death or, even though they died, could restore them quickly to life so that they would afterward live forever. The world would pour in money like snow and rain. No one could find access to him because of the throng of the rich! But here in Baptism there is freely brought to everyone's door such a treasure and medicine that it utterly destroys death and preserves all people alive.

We must think this way about Baptism and make it profitable for ourselves. So when our sins and conscience oppress us, we strengthen ourselves and take comfort and say, "Nevertheless, I am baptized. And if I am baptized, it is promised to me that I shall be saved and have eternal life, both in soul and body." For that is the reason why these two things are done in Baptism: the body is sprinkled and the Word is spoken for the soul to grasp. The soul lives through the Word, which it believes, but the body lives because it is united with the soul. By Baptism we are made holy and are saved. No other kind of life, no work on earth, can do this.

(paragraphs 41-46)

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Life Quotes

"Let's remember exactly what God has bought for us with the blood of His Son—not just anything, but everything that matters: Pardon from sin and release from guilt. Peace with God and a home in heaven. We come empty-handed to this banquet of blessings. No marshmallow-topped side dish of good works can earn us a place at this buffet. We have nothing to offer God in exchange, yet '[t]he LORD has done great things for us, and we are filled with joy' (Psalm 126:3)."

Sarah Habban, Time of Grace

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



About the Cover: Two thousand years ago, Jesus came in humility, born of a virgin in a stable, and took up a cross, suffering and dying. But there will come a day when He comes again in glory, and every knee shall bow and tongue confess that He is Lord. We look forward to that day because His cross has brought forgiveness, and His glorious return will complete the restoration of all things.

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November 22 Anno Domini 2020
Last Sunday of the Church Year
*Proclaiming Christ and Him Crucified, Risen,
Ascended, and Returning*

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Roblin, MB

Divine Service – 11:30 A.M.

March 14, 2021 - November 7, 2021: 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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