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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, Wilma Kroll, Ruth Zimmer;
- Herb Nernberg, recovering at home after surgery;
- Wayne Zimmer who is hospitalized in Dauphin;
- Sophie Guenther (Ed's mother) who is hospitalized in Kamsack;
- all who are dealing with various health issues;
- the Lutheran Women's Missionary League Canada (LWMLC) as the 30th anniversary is celebrated;
- our organists as they serve God's people;
- the pastor of our parish and all pastors of the synod;
- Dr. Päivi Räsänen and Rev. Dr. Juhana Pohjola of the Finnish Lutheran Church as they await the verdict in their retrial on November 30th.
- to thank the Lord for the freedom that we enjoy and that He would guide us so that we would not misuse that freedom and exchange it for license;
- 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. Those who are not yet confirmed are welcome to come to receive a blessing, but are asked to keep their hands folded.

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

Today we observe **LWMLC Sunday** (in addition to All Saints Sunday) as we celebrate their 30th anniversary. Thank you to all who have graciously given to the **ingathering** for the **Parkland Crisis Centre** in Dauphin.

A soup and sandwich lunch will follow service at St. Matthew's – a freewill offering will be received for a project TBD.

On this All Saints' Day we remember the members of our church family and extended church family who have been transferred to the Church Triumphant since November 2022, especially :

Marie Mohr – January 31, 2023

Raymond Deederly – June 6, 2023

Bernice Edel – June 12, 2023

Bently Baumung – June 17, 2023

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord!

(Revelation 14:13)

At Jesus' feet last week

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

Today	All Saints Day (observed)/LWMLC Sunday/Time Change Sunday	
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	9:30 A.M.
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's	11:30 A.M.
	- LWMLC Soup and Sandwich lunch at St. Matthew's	after service
Tuesday	- Junior Confirmation at St. Matthew's	4:00 P.M – 5:30 P.M.
Wednesday	- Bible Class hosted at St. Matthew's	7:30 P.M.
Thursday	- Adult Instruction Class at St. Matthew's	7:30 P.M.
Next Sunday	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at Grace	9:30 A.M.
	- Divine Service (with Holy Communion) at St. Matthew's	11:30 A.M.

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF CONCORD

ALL SAINTS DAY (OBSERVED)

LARGE CATECHISM, THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Now we have the Ten Commandments, a summary of divine teaching about what we are to do in order that our whole life may be pleasing to God. Everything that is to be a good work must arise and flow from and in this true fountain. So apart from the Ten Commandments no work or thing can be good or pleasing to God, no matter how great it is in the world's eyes. Let us see now what our great saints can boast of their spiritual orders and their great and mighty works. They have invented and set these things up, while they let these commandments go, as though they were far too insignificant or had long ago been perfectly fulfilled.

I am of the opinion that one will find his hands full (and will have enough) to do to keep these commandments: love, meekness, patience, towards enemies, chastity, kindness, and other such virtues. But such works are not of value in the world's eyes. Therefore, they are not highly regarded.

But the other works cause people to open their eyes and ears wide. Men waft incense, they sing and ring bells, they light tapers and candles. For when a priest stands there in a surplice garment embroidered with gold thread, or a layman stays all day upon his knees in Church, that is regarded as a most precious work, which no one can praise enough. But when a poor girl tends a little child and faithfully does what she is told, that is considered nothing. For what else should monks and nuns seek in their cloisters?
(paragraphs 311-314)

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Life Quotes

“Our comfort and motivation do not derive from laws. We neither live only according to the body nor labor for this world alone. No matter who holds office or how they decide and lead, the Lord our God reigns.”

Pastor Michael Salemink, Lutherans For Life

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



About the Cover: At the conclusion of the Beatitudes, Jesus directly addresses His disciples, then and now, with the words of blessing during persecution. The key to understanding this is knowing who is with us in hardship. We are blessed because we are with Jesus. Jesus knows persecution firsthand as He faced the cross for us. But on the third day, He was raised. Being joined to Him means forgiveness and life. To be counted with Jesus is nothing but a blessing.



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

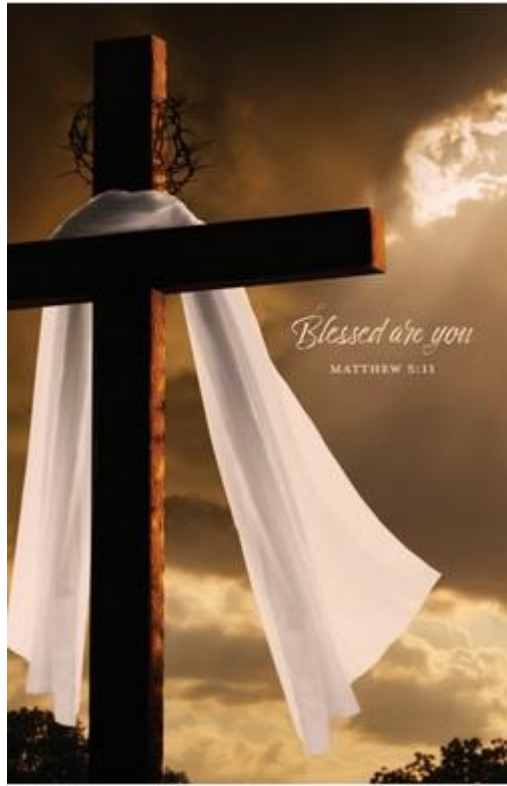


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The Cross-Border Lutheran Parish



NOVEMBER 5 ANNO DOMINI 2023
ALL SAINTS' DAY (OBSERVED)
PROCLAIMING CHRIST AND HIM CRUCIFIED,
RISEN, ASCENDED, AND RETURNING

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Roblin, MB

Divine Service – 9:30 A.M. (MB)

November 5, 2023 - March 10, 2024: Divine Service 11:30 A.M.

Grace Lutheran Church, Zorra, SK

Divine Service – 10:30 A.M. (SK)

November 5, 2023 - March 10, 2024: Divine Service 9:30 A.M.