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# Grace Lutheran Church & School



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Grades: Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup>

Church Year: Pentecost 3

Date: June 1, 2008

## † THE ORDER OF WORSHIP †

**Worship Preparation:** ..... *Psalm 119, Part III., TLH p.149*

**Hymn:** ..... *TLH 290: We Have a Sure Prophetic Word*

**Liturgy:** ..... *TLH, p. 15 ff. (Also available on laminated sheet in pew)*

**Introit (followed by Gloria Patri, The Kyrie):** ..... *TLH, pp. 16-17*

P: Sing to the Lord a new song;

**C: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.**

P It is we who extol the Lord, both now and forevermore.

**C: Praise the Lord, all you nations; extol Him all you peoples.**

P: For great is His love toward us,

**C: And the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Glory be to God!**

**Gloria in Excelsis:** ..... *TLH 377, st. 10*

**All blessing, honor, thanks, and praise To Father, Son, and Spirit,**

**The God that saved us by His grace, - All glory to His merit!**

**O Triune God in heaven above, Who hast revealed Thy saving love,**

**Thy blessed name be hallowed.**

**First Reading:** ..... *Hosea 5:15-6:6*

Seeking the LORD by faith will result in a life of repentance.

### Gradual:

P: Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise;

**C: His greatness no one can fathom.**

P I will meditate on Your wonderful works,

**C: And I will proclaim Your great deeds.**

P: Alleluia. Alleluia. God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself,

**C: Not imputing their trespassing to them. Alleluia.**

**Second Reading:** ..... *Matthew 9:9-13*

Jesus calls repentant sinners to follow Him.

**Confession of Faith:** ..... *Nicene Creed, TLH p. 22*

**Hymn:** ..... *WS 784: Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me*

**Sermon:** ..... *Romans 4:18-25*

(18) [Abraham] who, contrary to hope, in hope believed, so that he became the father of many nations, according to what was spoken, "So shall your descendants be." (19) And not being weak in faith, he did not consider his own body, already dead (since he was about a hundred years old), and the deadness of Sarah's womb. (20) He did not waver at the promise of God through unbelief, but was strengthened in faith, giving glory to God, (21) and being fully convinced that what He had promised He was also able to perform. (22) And therefore "it was accounted to him for righteousness." (23) Now it was not written for his sake alone that it was imputed to him, (24) but also for us. It shall be imputed to us who believe in Him who raised up Jesus our Lord from the dead, (25) who was delivered up because of our offenses, and was raised because of our justification. (NKJV<sup>TM</sup>)

## "UNWAVERING FAITH"

**Offertory:** ..... *TLH p. 22 f.*

**Hymn:** ..... *TLH 370: My Hope is Built on Nothing Less*

### Offering & Prayer:

**Liturgy for the Lord's Supper:** ..... *TLH p. 24 ff.*

**Distribution:** ..... *TLH 388; TLH 385*

**Note:** In obedience to God's Word, and out of concern for the welfare of souls (1 Corinthians 11:29), and finally that we may honestly express the unity of faith and hope that binds us, we ask that only such as have identified with Grace through public confession of faith or another CLC congregation, approach the altar at the usher's direction.

**Nunc Dimittis, Prayer, Benediction:** ..... *TLH 29 ff.*

**Hymn:** ..... *TLH 649: Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me*

## † THE ANNOUNCEMENTS †

◆ **Vacation Bible School:** Please note that this is scheduled for July 21-25, a change from the original schedule.

◆ **Lutheran Spokesman:** Those who currently receive the publication are listed on a sheet by the guestbook. If you no longer wish to receive it, please cross out your name. If you don't receive it and would like to, please sign up for a copy. The congregation will cover the cost.

◆ **Berea Summer Schedule:** During the summer Berea in Inver Grove Hts. will be having one Sunday service at 9:30 am. There is also a communion service on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 pm.

† TODAY AT GRACE †

Organist: Janelle Hein      Elder: Al Rosendahl  
Ushers: Mike Dick, Larry Brandt, Roger Brandt, Scott Dauer, Dale Enns, Lynn Sandhoefner  
Counting Team 5: Mike Dick; Brad Kitzman; Ed Lentz; Roger Ochsner  
Church Cleaners: Rosendahl

† NEXT WEEK AT GRACE †

Ushers: Pat Paplow, Gerald Anderson, Dan Degnan, Matt Dick, Brandon Paplow, Andrew Rosendahl  
Counting Team 1: Dan Degnan; Larry Nelson; Phil Radichel; Pat Paplow  
Church Cleaners: Rosendahl

† OUR SCHEDULE †

**Today:** 9:00 am – Worship Service w/ Lord's Supper  
 3:00 pm – MN Delegate Conference at Mankato  
 8:00, 9:00 pm – Grace Softball Games (Field #3)  
**Sun., June 8:** 9:00 am – Worship Service  
 6:00, 7:00 pm – Grace Softball Games (Field #4)  
**June 16-20:** CLC Convention @ Eau Claire  
**Sun., June 22:** Grace Picnic  
**July 21-25:** Vacation Bible School

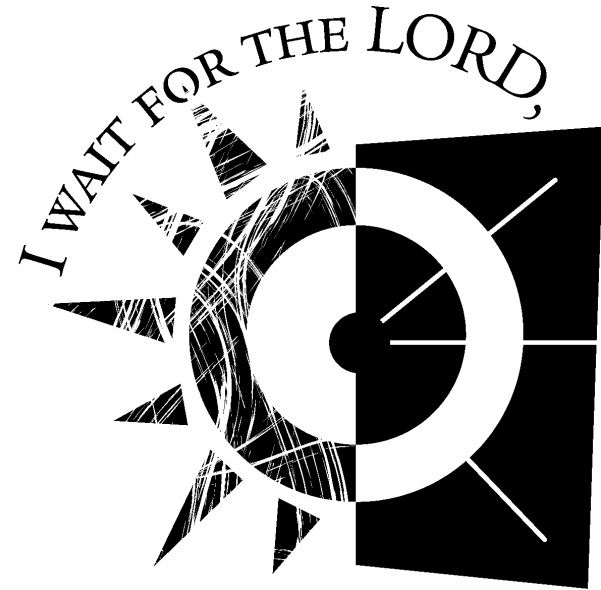
<b>Last Week's Stats:</b> May 25, 2008		Sun.: 107		
Sun. Offering:	Grace:	2,479.58	CLC:	402.00
Weekly Need:	Grace:	3,225.00	CLC:	1,000.00
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-745.42	CLC:	-598.00
Year-to-Date Offering::	Grace:	63,166.80	CLC:	21,052.35
Year-to-Date Need:	Grace:	67,725.00	CLC:	21,000.00
Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace:	-4,558.20	CLC:	+52.35
Other Offerings:	Living Faith:	1.00	Tuition:	33.00
GLC Other:	MDF:	12.00	Kinship:	40.00
ILC Student Aid:	ILC Bldg.	13.00	IIF: 0.00	CEF: 25.00

*Welcome to our guests and visitors. We appreciate the opportunity to share God's Word with you today. Please come again! Those interested in learning more about the Scriptures and our doctrinal position, please speak with Pastor Hein. He would be delighted to visit with you!*

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MY SOUL DOTH WAIT,  
 AND IN HIS WORD  
 DO I **HOPE.**

**Psalm 130:5, KJV**