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**Principal:** Ryan Libby (Ph. 763-784-6340) **Church Year:** Easter 4

Grades: Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup> Date: April 29, 2007

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Worship Preparation: Psalm 23, TLH p. 128

Hymn: *TLH 210: The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done* 

- *P:* The LORD is my shepherd;
- C: I shall not want.
- *P*: He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
- C: He leads me beside the still waters.
- P: He restores my soul;
- C: He leads me in the paths of righteousness For His name's sake.
- P: Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil;
- C: For You are with me: Your rod and Your staff. they comfort me.
- *P*: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
- C: You anoint my head with oil; My cup runs over.
- *P*: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me All the days of my life:
- C: And I will dwell in the house of the LORD Forever.

Gloria in Excelsis: TLH 193, st. 1,6

Christ the Lord is risen today, Sons of men and angels say. Raise your joys and triumphs high; Sing, ye heavens, and, earth, reply.

Hail the Lord of earth and heaven! Praise to Thee by both be given! Thee we greet triumphant now: Hail, the Resurrection Thou!

First Reading: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Acts 13:15-16a, 26-33

Paul preaches in Antioch about the glad fulfillment of the Scriptural promise made in Psalm 2 that Jesus would rise from the dead.

#### Gradual:

- P: Christ has risen from the dead.
- C: God the Father has crowned Him with glory and honor.
- P He has made Him ruler over the works of His hands;
- C: He has put everything under His feet.
- P: Alleluia. Alleluia. Jesus says, "I am the Good Shepherd;"
- C: "I know My sheep and My sheep know Me." Alleluia.

#### Children: *WS 783: Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep*

Second Reading: Revelation 7:9-17

This vision in Revelation describes the irony that Jesus as the Lamb is also the Shepherd who leads us to eternal paradise.

Hymn: *TLH 648: I Am Jesus' Little Lamb* 

Sermon: John 10:22-30

(22) Now it was the Feast of Dedication in Jerusalem, and it was winter. (23) And Jesus walked in the temple, in Solomon's porch. (24) Then the Jews surrounded Him and said to Him, "How long do You keep us in doubt? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly." (25) Jesus answered them, "I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in My Father's name, they bear witness of Me. (26) "But you do not believe, because you are not of My sheep, as I said to you. (27) "My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. (28) "And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. (29) "My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father's hand. (30) "I and My Father are one." (NKJV<sup>TM</sup>)

## Listen To Our Living Lord Speak As Our Shepherd

- Offertory: TLH p. 12 f.
- Offering, Prayers, Benediction: TLH p. 14

Welcome to our quests 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!

# ণ The Announcements 🕆

- Work Day: Many thanks to all those who participated yesterday in the upkeep of the church property inside and out.
- Softball: By the guest book is a signup sheet for this year's softball team. If you have any interest, please sign your name. Our first game is tonight at 7 pm, field #2.



Field Day: Field day is Grace's annual event in which various CLC Day Schools participate in various athletic events. This year's event is scheduled for this Friday, May 4, at Madsen Park here in Fridley. Setup will begin at 10 am, activities at 11:30 am. If you are interested in helping out please contact Mark Wales at 612-702-3122 or email him at

MWales25@msn.com. A volunteer meeting will be today.

• Graduates: Please list every member of Grace that is graduating this year (Jan-Dec 2007) from high school or college on the sheet by the guestbook. Include the name of the school and the degree. Our Graduation Sunday is May 27.



 Invitation: Chad Sebyt (son of Trudy Wales) and Neal Radichel (son of Phil & Jackie) will

graduate from Immanuel Lutheran Seminary in Eau Claire, WI, on May 19. The graduation service is at 10 am. The open house will be at Messiah Lutheran Church from 1-4 pm the same day. The invitation is on the narthex bulletin board. Please RSVP to either Trudy or Jackie.

- CLC News: Pastor Philip Matzke of in Stambaugh, MI, has resigned from the preaching ministry for health reasons. Please remember Philip and his family and the congregation in your prayers. **†** Teacher Cynthia Coutre has resigned her call from Immanuel of Mankato, MN. Immanuel has since called Mr. Kyle Ochsner to teach math and science in its high school. † Pastor Todd Ohlmann has returned the call to St. Stephen in Mountain View, CA, (San Francisco area). t From President Schierenbeck: "Neal Radichel and Chad Sevbt have been presented to the church as candidates for the preaching ministry by Immanuel Lutheran College. Chad Seybt has also been presented to the church as a candidate for the teaching ministry by Immanuel Lutheran College. They are both on the CLC Roster and are eligible for calls. The Board of Doctrine has recommended to the President that Mr. Ed Starkey be considered eligible for a call into the public ministry after completing his colloquy. I, hereby, certify that Ed Starkey is eligible for a call into the public ministry and has made himself available for service."
- Sunday School Memory Work: #26: Sacrament of the Altar 3 & 4

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### ণ TODAY AT GRACE 🕆

Organist: Jan Davis

*Elder*: Michael Dick

<u>Ushers</u>: Al Rosendahl; John Auel; Scott Baker; Arnold Gehrls; Ryan Libby; David Stifter; Lyle Trulin; Michael Ude

<u>Counting Team 3</u>: Don Auel; Brian Eichstadt; Jack Kirkham; Benno Sydow; Ole Olmanson

<u>Hospitality Team 3</u>: Dan & Cindy Degnan; Ed & Verona Lentz; Angela Valley

Church Cleaners: B. & B. Sydow School: Hein

### ት NEXT WEEK AT GRACE ት

<u>Ushers</u>: Al Rosendahl; John Auel; Scott Baker; Arnold Gehrls; Ryan Libby; David Stifter; Lyle Trulin; Michael Ude

<u>Counting Team 4</u>: Paul Lentz; Al Rosendahl; Dave Rust; Lynn Sandhoefner; Jeff Radichel

<u>Hospitality Team 4</u>: Larry Nelson; Barb Sydow; Fred, Pal, & Scott Dauer

Church Cleaners: B. Rust

School: Maki

## 守 OUR SCHEDULE 守

Today:	9:00 am – Sunday School & Bible Class 10:00 am – Worship Service (Easter 4) 11:00 am – Hospitality; Field Day Volunteer Meeting 7:00 pm – Grace Softball (Field 2)
Wed., May 2:	4:00 pm – Catechism for Public School Students 7:00 pm – Midweek Bible Class
Fri., May 4: Sun., May 6:	<ul> <li>11:30 am –Field Day at Madsen Park (Setup @ 10 am)</li> <li>8:30 am – Choir Practice</li> <li>9:00 am – Sunday School &amp; Bible Class</li> <li>10:00 am – Worship Service (Easter 5)</li> <li>11:00 am – Hospitality; Dorcas Guild Meeting</li> <li>11:15 am – Board Meetings; 12:00 pm – Council Meeting</li> </ul>

Last Week's Stats: Apr. 22,	2007 B.Cl.:	37 S.S.: ??	Sun.: 127	7 Wed.: 18
Sun. Offering:	Grace:	2,605.75	CLC:	668.00
Weekly Need:	Grace:	3,030.00	CLC:	960.00
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-424.25	CLC:	-292.00
Year-to-Date Offering::	Grace:	50,711.69		15,561.24
Year-to-Date Need: Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace: Grace:	48,480.00 +2,231.69	CLC: CLC:	15,360.00 -201.24
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Other Offerings: GLC Other: 173.50	Living Faith: MDF:	14.00 27.00	Tuition: Kinship:	27.00 22.00
ILC Student Aid: 0.00	ILC Bldg.	38.00	IIF: 19.00	CEF: 214.00

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"My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me."

- John 10:27