TODAY AT GRACE T

<u>Organist:</u> Sue Nelson <u>Elder</u>: Eli Wales

<u>Ushers</u>: Brian Eichstadt; Kevin Baker; Dan Degnan;

Brandon Paplow; Pat Paplow

Counting Team 4: James Bomber; Paul Lentz; Roger

Ochsner; Al Rosendahl; Dave Rust

Church Cleaners: Sandhoefner

<u>Ushers</u>: Brian Eichstadt; Kevin Baker; Dan Degnan; Brandon Paplow; Pat Paplow

<u>Counting Team 1</u>: Dale Enns; Larry Nelson; Ryan Oman; Pat Paplow; Phil Radichel

Church Cleaners: Volunteers?

Sun., June 16: 9:00 am – Worship Service (Trinity)

June 18-20: CLC General Pastoral Conference @ Eau Claire, WI

Sun., June 23: 9:00 am – Worship Service (Pentecost 2)

Sat., June 29: 9:00 am – Grace Work Day July 22-26: Vacation Bible School

Sun., Aug. 25: Opening Service at Immanuel Lutheran (Eau Claire, WI)

Mon., Aug. 26: Opening Day at Grace Lutheran School

Sun.: 80			
Grace:	\$3,380*	CLC:	\$315
Grace:	4,000	CLC:	1,000
Grace:	-620	CLC:	-685
Grace:	\$94,616**	CLC:	\$21,539
Grace:	92,000	CLC:	23,000
Grace:	+2,616	CLC:	-1,461
Living Faith:	2	Tuition A	id: 2
MDF:	150	Kinship:	10
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ILC Bldg.

Current Balances: Tuition Aid: \$1,696

^{*} Includes \$1,550 in school tuition ** Includes \$6,024 year-to-date school tuition



ILC Student Aid: 0

For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; *it is* the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. - Ephesians 2:8-9

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♥ WORSHIP INFORMATION ♥

Hymns:

TLH 246: Holy, Holy, Holy Athanasian Creed w/TLH 250 Lord, You I Love with All My Heart WS 800: Go, My Children, with My Blessing TLH 47: Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise

Listening assistance is available. Please ask an usher.

Worship Prep:

Psalm 150, TLH p. 135

Liturgy:

WS, p. 1 (Projected)

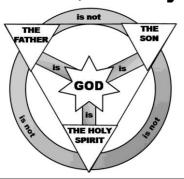
Scripture Readings:

Numbers 6:22-27 Romans 11:33-36

Sermon: 2 Corinthians 13:11-14

¹¹ Finally, brethren, farewell. Become complete. Be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹² Greet one another with a holy kiss. ¹³ All the saints greet you. (*NKJV*TM)

Go, My Children, with My Blessing



◆ Vacation Bible School: On July 22-26, 9:00-11:30 am, we will be having our VBS. This includes children age 4 years, to children going into eighth grade. Please register your children on the sheet by the guest book. In preparing for VBS, we will need to put together a staff, including teachers and



coordinators for crafts and music. Please consider this labor of love and let Pastor know of your willingness.

- ◆ Among Us: Yesterday Emily nee Hein was united with Ryan Mueller in the blessed state of marriage. May the Lord richly bless their lifetime together! New address: 205 West Walnut St. #202; PO Box 37; Ogden, IA 50212.
- ◆ CLC General Pastoral Conference: This week Pastor will be in Eau Claire for pastoral conference. He was assigned a presentation from the CLC President to fulfill a 2020 Convention request. Please keep him in your prayers for this.
- Summer Hospitality: If anyone wishes to host any of the Sundays in summer, they may sign up on the fellowship hall's bulletin board.
- ◆ CLC News: Teacher Graduate, June Schmid, has returned the call to St. John's Lutheran in Okabena, MN. † Principal and Teacher Kyle Ochsner of Immanuel Lutheran in Mankato, MN, announced his intent to resign as principal and teacher at the end of the 2019-2020 school year. † Pastor David Reim of St. Paul's in Vernon, B.C., has received the call to Redeemer Lutheran in Bowdle, SD, and Zion Lutheran in Ipswich, SD. † Teacher Matthew Kranz of Immanuel Lutheran in Mankato, MN, has received the call to St. John's Lutheran in Okabena, MN.

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 speak with you!

CLC E-Devotion – June 23, 2008

Numbers 6:22-27 And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying: "Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, 'This is the way you shall bless the children of Israel. Say to them: "The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, And give you peace." "So they shall put My name on the children of Israel, and I will bless them."

THE AARONIC BENEDICTION: A BLESSING OF THE TRIUNE GOD

We hear the nature of the Trinity clearly described for us in different places in the New Testament Scriptures, but the Triune nature of God is evidenced and alluded to in the Old Testament Scriptures as well. In fact, the Scriptures tell us about the existence of the Trinity at the very beginning of all things.



The first two verses of the Bible say, "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And

the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters." Right away we hear a reference to God the Father and to the Holy Spirit. If we also look to the New Testament Gospel of John, we hear how the Son was present at this time too. He writes in the first chapter of his Gospel, "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made." (John gives a unique name to the Son, simply calling Him "The Word.") And so, right from the very beginning of creation, the Word of God tells us of the existence of the Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

There are also other references to the persons of the Trinity in Old Testament times. One such instance is the words of our reading -- the words of the Aaronic Benediction (Aaronic Blessing



CLC Financial Report - May

CLC Financial Report Operating Funds	Balance 7/1/2018	YTD Revenue	YTD Disbursed	Budget 11 Months	Balance 5/31/2019
General Fund (see below)!	0	857,566	945,856	\$897,600	- 88,290
ILC Operations	0	1,356,691	1,209,663	\$1,293,424	147,028
Auxiliary Funds					
ILC Improvement Fund (IIF)	108,123	81,218	65,244		124,097
ILC Building Projects (AC/Dorm)	15,500	199,877	196,253		19,124
Mission Development Fund (MDF)	55,340	155,408	173,272		37,476
Kinship	36,637	136,801	120,349		53,089
Church Extension Fund (CEF)	1,356,241	462,023	520,051		1,298,213
Student Aid Fund (SAF)	77,286	109,422	141,101		45,607
Reserve Fund	298,855	-9,424	0		289,431
Total	\$1,947,982	\$1,135,325	\$1,216,270		\$1,867,037

ILC Building Projects (Academic Center Balance & North Hall)						
Beginning Balance November 1, 2017	\$1,460,931					
Current Balance May 31, 2019	\$1,205,535					
Principal paid to date	\$255,396					

General Fund – Offerings this month were \$76,435 vs disbursements of \$98,832, a negative monthly cash flow of -\$22,397. For the 11 months to date, the General Fund has a shortfall of \$40,000 for budgeted needs, while the budget is overspent by \$48,290, resulting in a General Fund deficit of - \$88,290. With just June left in this fiscal year (June 30), CLC offerings of \$220,000 are needed to cover anticipated expenses of \$130,000. The budgets of the Trustees, Regents, Missions, & Ed & Publications count on major funding from your CLC General Fund offerings!

- **ILC Operations** ILC May revenue (incl CLC subsidy) was \$117,150 vs disbursements of \$120,527.
- **ILC Building Projects** Revenue was \$4,729 from congregation offerings vs disbursements of \$31,000 (\$8,000 for the AC/North Hall CEF loan & \$23,000 Trustees pre-payment on loan principal.
- **CEF** Revenue was \$62,534 from CEF congregational loan repayments vs disbursements of \$8,438 for a CEF individual Note repayment (\$5,000) and monthly administrative expenses.
- MDF –Offerings of \$8,653 vs disbursements of \$25,300 (incl. \$10,600, Mission Helper Trip; \$4,000 Livingston–Zambia land purchase; \$3,500, Building/Construction aid; \$3,200 Asia/India/Africa Outreach; \$1,780, Mission Board Visit; \$1,770, part-time visiting missionary; \$500 Bibles & Lit).
- **SAF** Revenue of \$7,420 (incl \$5,700 student loan re-payments) vs disbursements of \$9,630, mainly for Student Grants, Loans, & Scholarships.
- Kinship Offerings of \$9,535 (incl. \$3,900, orphan sponsors) vs disbursed \$22,073 (incl. Orphans: \$11,710, (India, Kenya, Myanmar, Nepal, Togo); Sem students: \$5,800 (India/Nepal/Congo/Togo); Widows: \$3,560 (India/Nigeria); Medical Aid: \$1,000.

James E. Sandeen, CLC Treasurer

Council Meeting Notes – June 9, 2019

Meeting was called to order with prayer. May Council meeting minutes were read & approved. May Treasurer's report was presented & approved.

Pastor's Report

- Recommendation will be made to the Voters to ratify Grace Duehlmeier and Natalie Story as communicant members since they were confirmed May 19.
- The transfer of Rick and Gloria Grams will be acted on upon receipt of their transfer request.
- June 8 was the delegate conference in Okabena.
- June 15 will be the wedding of Ryan Mueller and Emily Hein.
- June 18-20 will be the Pastoral Conference in Eau Claire.
- July 22-26 will be VBS at Grace.
- The SLP parade went well. One phone call has been received since then.
- Oct. 13 will be our Mission Festival.

Board of Elders Report

• No report.

Board of Education Report

- The school play and picnic went well.
- A projection device will be put into Ellen's school room, utilizing some or all of \$500 from the Schuetzler memorial fund.
- A curriculum is being pursued to improve our students' computer skills, since they appear to be lagging behind ILC's requirements.
- Oct 16-18 Grace will host the Teachers Conference. Recommendation will be made to the Voters to create a temporary fund for member donations.
- The SLP parade went well.
- Recommendation will be made to the Voters for Michael Ude to be the Sunday School Superintendent for next year.

Board of Trustees Report

- Thank you to those who helped replace the parsonage deck.
- Thank you to Nick Duehlmeier for contributing mulch around the flowers.

Other Business

• Our health insurance provider will be discontinuing coverage on July 31, 2019. Options are being considered, one of which would utilize MNsure.

Adapted from minutes submitted by Secretary Roger Ochsner