

Pastor: John Hein (Cell 612-408-1635) School Phone: 763-784-6340 Church Year: Pentecost Phone: 763-784-8784 Grades: Kindergarten-8th Date: June 5, 2022

Worship Prep:

Liturgv:

Psalm 51, TLH p. 134f.

WS, p. 1 (Communion)

Scripture Readings:

Genesis 11:1-9

Acts 2:1-21

ት Worship Information ት

Hymns:

TLH 236: Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid
TLH 265: Thine Honor Save, O Christ, Our Lord
TLH 234: Holy Ghost, with Light Divine
Communion: TLH 314 (Prayers, TLH p. 118f.)
TLH 508, st. 1, 3-4: Thou Whose Almighty Word

Listening assistance is available. Please ask an usher.

Sermon: John 15:26-27

²⁶ "But when the Helper comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify of Me. ²⁷ "And you also will bear witness, because you have been with Me from the beginning." (*NKJVTM*)

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ት The Announcements ተ

- Among Us: Jenettie Miesen had a bad fall earlier in the week and had surgery to repair a broken femur/hip. She was moved back to Good Samaritan in New Hope for temporary care on Friday.
- ➡ Appreciation: Gloria Grams extends a thank you to everyone for the many things that different people did to help her with her move. Her new address: 455 4th Ave S.; South St. Paul, MN 55075.
- Parade: The Spring Lake Park Tower Days parade is this Thursday, June 9. We encourage all of our families to come and walk in the parade. We usually meet at 5:45 pm in the parking lot of Woodcrest School and together we walk down Able St. to the parade site. The parade starts at 6:30 pm and usually lasts a little more than an hour. Please speak with James Bomber for more details.
- ◆ Vacation Bible School: On July 25-29, 9:00-11:30 am, we will be having our VBS. This includes children age 4 years, to children going into 8th 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.
- Summer Hospitality: If anyone wishes to host any of the Sundays in summer, please sign up on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.
- Scanning: The Council is looking for someone who might be willing to scan Grace's historical church records to archive for preservation purposes. If anyone is willing to do this, please speak with Eli Wales.
- CLC Convention: On June 23-26 the CLC Convention will be held on the ILC campus in Eau Claire, WI. Our two delegates – Benno Sydow and Tom Graham – will be attending with Pastor Hein. The Prospectus is the document to help people know what business will be coming before the Convention. You may find this and print your own copies at: tinyurl.com/CLC-Prosp-2022.
- Book: Pastor Emeritus Dale Redlin is publishing his final book, "My Father's Business," covering our Savior's life lived for us, from the manger-crib to His return to heaven to prepare a place for us. The price of the book is \$12.50/copy. Since Pastor needs to get an idea for number of copies for consignment, please sign up if you are interested. These should be available after the CLC Convention.
- CLC's Traveling VBS: We are still in need of two volunteers as teachers for the VBS in Mapleton, ND July 25-29. There will also likely be an opportunity to help the Eden Prairie congregation later this summer. If you are interested in either trip please contact Ryan Hammett at Hammettr@gmail.com.

CLC E-Devotion – June 3, 2022

Malachi 3:6 For I am the LORD, I do not change; therefore you are not consumed, O sons of Jacob.

A Spirit for Today

The term Zeitgeist or "spirit of the times" is used to describe a society's collective consciousness, their values and aspirations. And as the times change, so this spirit, this Zeitgeist, proves unstable!

Older members often tell me they can't believe the changes they've witnessed in their brief lifespans. And when they think about what their grandparents would say of today were the still alive!

We might think things are ever `getting worse,' but Scripture says it's always been this bad, the cause, our fall into sin. Even when it seems the times change, the evil escalates, the plain truth is that what you see is but more sin upon the same old sin: "There is nothing new under the sun" (Ecclesiastes 1:9).

Thus, the timeless answer to every whim of man is the Son of God, who trod an unwavering path in your place, with a steadfast mind set on a cross, that His righteousness might cover your sin.

For when He rose from the dead on Easter morn, the Father decreed an eternal judgment against the devil and every enemy through every age, making them powerless over you through faith in Him.

This is the Spirit of truth, the revelation "of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment." For Jesus yet speaks today, through Scripture and faithful preaching, in order to shatter the spirit of every time and give life through the everlasting Gospel: "The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever" (Isaiah 40:8).

So, when the ways of this world beat you down, when your spirit grows wearied and confused, return to this unchanging truth, the Spirit ever for today, the Spirit of God.

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!

ት Today at Grace ት

Organist: Sue Nelson

<u>Elder</u>: Benno Sydow

<u>Ushers</u>: Eli Wales; Alex Baker; Kevin Baker; Dan Degnan; Ryan Oman; Bob Vandeveer

<u>Counting Team 3</u>: Duane Enns; Tom Graham; Kevin Hulke; Dan Degnan; Benno Sydow

Church Cleaners: Sandhoefner

ት Next Week at Grace ት

<u>Ushers</u>: Al Rosendahl; James Bomber; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells

<u>Counting Team 4</u>: James Bomber; David Hein; Roger Ochsner; Al Rosendahl; Dave Rust

Church Cleaners: Volunteers?

ት OUR SCHEDULE ተ

Sun., June 5: Thu., June 9:	9:00 am – Worship w/Lord's Supper (Pentecost Sunday) 5:45 pm – Meet for Spring Lake Park Parade		
Sat., June 11:	10:00 am – MN Delegate Conference @ Eagle Lake, MN		
Sun., June 12:	9:00 am – Worship (Trinity Sunday)		
	11:00 am – Council Meeting		
June 23-26:	CLC Convention @ Eau Claire, WI		
July 25-29:	9:00-11:30 am – Vacation Bible School		
Sat., Aug. 6:	9:00 am – Grace School Work Day		
Sun., Aug. 21:	3:00 pm – Immanuel Opening Service		
Tues., Aug. 23:	7:00 pm – Grace School Ice Cream Social		
Mon., Aug. 29:	Opening Day of Grace School		
Last Week's State: May 20, 2022 Sup : 90			

Last Week's Stats: May 29, 2022 Sun.: 89					
Sun. Offering:	Grace:	\$7,524*	CLC: \$410		
Weekly Need:	Grace:	4,250	CLC: 1,020		
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	+3,274	CLC: -610		
Year-to-Date Offering:	Grace:	\$105,017	CLC: \$24,995		
Year-to-Date Need:	Grace:	93,500	CLC: 22,440		
Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace:	+11,517	CLC: +2,555		
GLC Other: 50	Living Faith	h: 0	Tuition Aid: 50		
SAF Endowment: 0	MDF:	0	Kinship: 110		
ILC Student Aid: 0	ILC Bldg.	0	IIF: 0 CEF: 0		
Current Balances:	Tuition Aid	: \$1,662	Organ: \$55,667		

* \$5,950 in school tuition



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