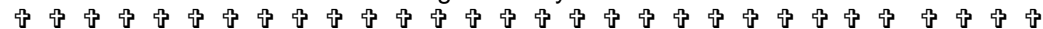


SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

February 15, 2009

Organist: Arlys Willis



PRAYER Merciful God,
Help us to forget about trying to earn Your approval, but instead to simply receive
and celebrate Your gifts. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

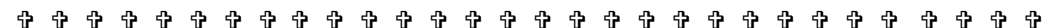
GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. Holy Communion will be celebrated today, so the Hymn of Praise is "This is the Feast". The offertory hymn is on page 159, followed by the communion liturgy.

The Hymns are: 394 – 852 – 559 - 692
Sermon Text: I Kings 5:1 -14
Sermon Theme: "Simple and Clean"



Church Attendance:	Saturday, February 7, 2009	28
	Holy Communion	27
	Sunday, February 8, 2009	90
	Holy Communion	59
	Sunday School	40



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Known to be hospitalized this week: Ray Moran, Cheryl St. John

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: Matthew 5:44 Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.

Fellowship will be in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service this morning.

Sts. Michael, Mary, and Brendan Area Faith Community invites everyone to the Catholic HEART Work Camp Youth Bingo Day on Sunday, February 15th at 3:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Social Hall. Cost is \$6.00 per person. This includes 1 bingo card and lunch. Come join the fun! Prizes will be given! This event will help with the cost of sending our campers to Mishawaka, Indiana this summer to work with the unprivileged and poor.

Next Sunday we will celebrate one of our national organizations, "Lutheran Hour Ministries."

Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on February 25th. Start planning now to save Wednesday evenings for worship.

The March "Usher and Acolyte" schedule has been printed. Check your distribution box for a copy.

Mayer Lutheran High School Presents: Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen. Show times are Thursday, February 26th and Saturday 28th at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, March 1st at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students K-12.

The Orphan Grain Train will begin on February 14th and continue through March 22nd. Items needed are: clothing (new or nearly new condition), medical supplies, school supplies, hygiene items and shoes.

Sibley County Faith in Action will be hosting their Third Annual Valentine Dinner, Show & Silent Auction on Saturday, February 21, 2009, at the American Legion Club in Gaylord. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. to a Social Hour and the beginning of the Silent Auction. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. which includes a Roast Beef Dinner and Dessert Buffet. The entertainment for the evening will be the Yanni Jazz Trio, featuring vocalist, Signe Hensel. For ticket information call 507-964-2676. Supplemental funds provided by the Sibley County Chapter of Thrivent for Lutherans.

Concordia University Wind Symphony will be performing at Trinity Lutheran Church in Waconia on Saturday, February 28th at 7:00 p.m. A free-will offering in support of the band will be received. See bulletin board for details.



THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	8:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Sunday School Worship Service with Holy Communion Fellowship
Monday	11:30 a.m.	Feeding of the 500 Club
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism Class
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	Church Council Meeting
Saturday	10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Adult Inquirer's Class Worship Service
Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service

A nursery is available for parents with small children while attending our worship service. If you need to use it, please ask one of the ushers and they will direct you to it.

Today's Helpers: Andrew Weckwerth & Thomas Wavrin