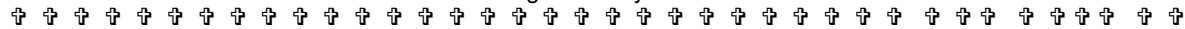


Fourth Sunday in Lent

April 3, 2011

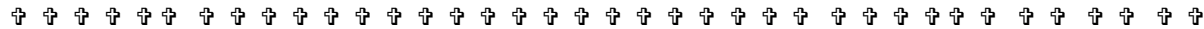
Organist: Arlys Willis



PRAYER

Father,

Open our eyes to the reality of Your Son's work, and let Your Holy Spirit increase our faith. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.



GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. We will sing the "Hymn of Praise" on page 154. There is no Holy Communion today, so please turn to page 166 after the offertory hymn to continue.

Hymns: 524, 555 (vv. 1-5) 809

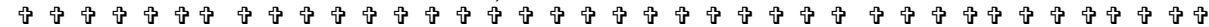
Text: John 9 – selected verses

Theme: "The Logic of Following Jesus"



Church Attendance:

March 26, 2011	17
March 27, 2011	211
Sunday school	67
March 30, 2011	30



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: Philippians 1:6 – He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

Next Sunday Dr. William Dunbar will tell us about his "near-death" experience during the 9:30 a.m. worship hour, with questions afterward in the fellowship hall.

The theme for Lent this year is: "Jesus, Peter and Me".

Last week Thursday the funeral of Lois Luepke took place at Peace Lutheran Church. We extend our sympathy and support to her family as they mourn her loss. The flowers in front of church are from her funeral.

Art Hildebrandt's funeral took place at Peace Lutheran Church this past Thursday. We pray that the power and promise of the resurrection will comfort all those who grieve.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Green Isle will host a Ham & Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, April 17, 2011 from 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Please see the bulletin board for more details.

This Wednesday evening the Youth Group will be hosting the "Lenten Supper". The menu is as follows chili, breadsticks, lettuce salad, bars & beverage. If you would like to donate to this cause please contact Elia at 507-964-5861.

The April – June Portals of Prayer are on the table in the narthex. Please take one.

St. Paul's Lutheran, 513 Main Ave, Gaylord will host the 7th Annual "Uplifting Celebration" today, April 3, 2011 at 9:00, featuring the singing group "The Basics" followed by a Turkey buffet dinner, Craft & Bake sale that starts at 10:30 a.m. Check the bulletin board for a flyer regarding this event.

St. Paul's UCC, Henderson will host a spring Brunch and raffle today, Sunday, April 3, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. See the bulletin board for menu and prices.

Sibley Medical Foundation will host "Looney Lutherans" with cast members of the musical show Church Basement Ladies, on Saturday, April 9, 2011 at the Arlington Community Center. Social hour begins at 5:30 p.m. with dinner following at 6:00 p.m. Please see the bulletin board for further details.

Trinity Lutheran Church, 32234 431st Ave, Gaylord will host a Country Western/Blue Grass Worship Service and Potato Pancake dinner on Sunday, April 10th. More information is posted on the bulletin board.

Workshops on Lutheran Liturgy for Lay People will be held on April 16, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Glory of Christ Lutheran Church, 4040 State Hwy 101 N., Plymouth, MN. Registration available on line at www.gloryofchrist.org Registration fee is \$25.00 advance registration is recommended.

The National Lutheran Choir singers will perform on Saturday, April 16 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Andrews Lutheran Church, 900 Stillwater Rd, Mahtomedi, MN. For more information please see the flyer on the bulletin board.

Christian Illusionist Harris III is bringing his national tour Mayhem and Misdirection to Mayer Lutheran High School Fine Arts Center on Thursday, April 7th at 7:00 p.m. A Free-will offering will be taken. For more information visit: www.lhsmayer.org.

Spring into discovering your best marriage! Attend the April 9-10 Marriage Encounter. Weekends are held at the Dakota Ridge Hotel on 35E and Yankee Doodle Rd. in Eagan. Visit www.marriages.org for a listing of retreats or call 651-454-3238.

Please join us in the fellowship hall after worship service for food & fellowship.



THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	8:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship & Youth Group meeting
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Adult Inquirer's Class
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism
	5:00 p.m.	Bell Choir
	6:00 p.m.	Lenten Supper
	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Worship Service
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Worship Service
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with guest speaker Dr. Dunbar
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship



All that we have is given as a blessing from God.

"The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it" (Psalm 24:1)

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 helper is Austin Kube.