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THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2010

WELCOME

A special welcome to our guests worshiping with us this morning. We are glad you are here and pray that Jesus will touch your heart in some special way for being here. Please fill out a visitor's card that you will find on the pad in your pew and place it in the offering plate during the service or hand it to one of the ushers, so we can thank you for joining us this week. If we can be of service to you, please let us know.

OFFERINGS AND TITHES

Offerings are our special gifts given to the Lord on special days or occasions or whenever we are moved to do so, for any reason. *Tithes* are those monetary gifts we return to the Lord on a regular basis as first fruits because He asks us to do so, and to meet our spiritual need to give back to the One who has first given to us. If you are a visitor today, feel free to give an offering to the Lord, but do not feel you need to do so. The members of Trinity support the work of the Lord here by giving back to the Lord a portion of what He gives us. We pray that the Lord will continue to lead you to give your offerings and tithes to your home congregation.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

In order to be able to prepare for worship, we ask that everyone in the church nave would quietly find his or her seat a few minutes before the service is to begin. You might take this time to reflect on the blessings you will be receiving and pray this short prayer before the service begins.

Heavenly Father, we thank You for coming to us in the person of Your Son Jesus Christ, to save us from our sins. Enable us gracious Father, by the indwelling power of Your Holy Spirit, to keep our focus firmly on Jesus so that He will be the center of our lives and faith always—even unto everlasting life. In the name of Jesus. Amen!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Everyone who has a special prayer request is invited to give those requests to Pastor Moeller. If you don't have a chance to do so before the service, write it down on one of the pads from the front of your pew and hand it to one of the ushers with the offering. Pastor will include those requests in our prayers for the day and/or the prayer chain.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY ~ Private Confession & Absolution ~ 8:30 am
Worship w/communion ~ 9:30 am
Sunday School & Adult Bible Study ~ 10:45 am
Men's Club meeting ~ 7:00 pm

MONDAY ~ Men's Bible Study ~ 6:00 am
Morning Prayer ~ 7:30 am
TLC Chapel ~ 9:30 am

TUESDAY ~ Morning Prayer ~ 7:30 am
TLC Chapel ~ 9:30 am
TLC Bible study ~ 1:30 pm
Lutheran Confessions reading group ~ 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY ~ Morning Prayer ~ 7:30 am
Lifelight Bible study ~ 9:30 am
Catechism class ~ 5:30 pm
Choir ~ 5:30 pm
Supper served by LWML ~ 6:00-7:00 pm
Ash Wednesday worship w/communion ~ 7:30 pm

THURSDAY ~ Morning Prayer ~ 7:30 am
Circuit Pastors meeting at Immanuel-Menno ~ 9:30 am
Elders meeting ~ 6:30 pm

FRIDAY ~ Morning Prayer ~ 7:30 am

SATURDAY ~ Family Fun Night ~ 4:00-9:00 pm

COMING EVENTS

Sun., Feb. 21st ~ Worship ~ 9:30 am
Sunday School & Adult Bible Study ~ 10:45 am
TLC Prime Rib Supper & Silent Auction ~ 6:00 pm

Sun., Feb. 28th ~ Dartball at Brookings ~ 2:30 pm

March 7-13th ~ National Lutheran Schools Week

June 7th - 11th ~ Vacation Bible School

June 20th - 26th ~ Camp Minneboji

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2010

Cleaners: Monte & Shary Muchow, Marlo Anderson, Mike Anderson

Greeters: Monte & Shary Muchow

Head Usher: Eric Krizan

Head Elder: Ben Matthies

Acolyte: Tyler Rueter

NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2010

Cleaners: Ray & JoAnn Matthies, Bryan & Susan Kelley, Dale & June Snyder

Greeters: Dale & June Snyder

Head Usher: Eric Krizan

Head Elder: Ben Matthies

Acolyte: Brady Johnson

WORSHIP SERVICE: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2010

Worship Attendance: 3

WORSHIP SERVICE: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2010

Worship Attendance:	79	Sunday School:	15
Adult Bible Study:	16	Current offering:	\$ 1,954.00
Loose offering:	\$ 138.05	Building fund:	540.00
Missions:	165.00	Sunday School offering:	10.75

WHEN YOU PRAY, SAY...



The theme for our midweek Lenten and holy week services this year is **“When You Pray, Say...”** Through readings of the passion narrative, hymns on prayer and Lenten hymns, and sermons we will focus upon the 3rd chief part of Luther’s Small Catechism—The Lord’s Prayer. You might be thinking, “The Lord’s Prayer for Lent... that seems strange. What does the Lord’s Prayer have to do with Lent?” Historically Lent has been a time of intense catechesis (teaching the basic doctrines of the Christian faith). Lent is a time of repentance and somber reflection. That makes the focus on the teachings of the Lord’s Prayer the Small Catechism especially appropriate.

The Lord’s Prayer is a prayer of repentance. It turns us away from ourselves and toward our heavenly Father. It reminds of the many things He provides to us out of His fatherly, divine goodness, and mercy each and every day. We are especially reminded of the one thing we really need from God—His forgiveness. We are all wayward children. We have failed to trust in God as our loving Father. We have failed to keep God’s name holy among us in our thoughts, words, and deeds. We have lived as though we were not part of God’s kingdom. We have failed to realize God’s provision of our daily bread or always received it with thanksgiving. We have fallen into temptation and been overcome by the evil one. But God is a faithful Father. And so we pray, “forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.”

Please join us each Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. as we explore all of the blessings that God bestows upon us as our Lord teaches us to pray. For your convenience, various groups of the church will be serving meals from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. each week.

Schedule of services during Lent and Holy Week

Ash Wednesday w/communion ~ February 17th
Midweek 1 ~ February 24th
Midweek 2 ~ March 3rd
Midweek 3 ~ March 10th
Midweek 4 ~ March 17th
Midweek 5 ~ March 24th
Palm Sunday ~ March 28th
Maundy Thursday ~ April 1st
Good Friday w/communion ~ April 2nd
Easter Sunrise w/communion ~ April 4th ~ 6:30 a.m.
Easter w/communion ~ April 4th ~ 9:30 a.m.

“RENT-A-BUM”



The Men’s Club will be reviving our popular “Rent-a-Bum” program during the TLC Prime Rib Supper & Silent Auction on Sunday, February 21st. We have a number of talented men who have agreed to work for 8 hours at a time agreed upon with the highest bidder who has purchased them. Their experience includes construction, remodeling, sheet rock, texturizing and taping walls, electrical work, painting, concrete work, and many other odd jobs.

This work can be done anytime that is agreeable between the two parties as long as it is completed by the end of October, so you might consider any projects that you have planned for the next few months.

All the proceeds from “Rent-a-Bum” will be used to pay for the fluorescent lights installed in the church basement. Anyone who wishes to donate 8 hours of labor as a “bum” should contact Pastor Moeller. We ask that everyone else would consider the odd jobs you might need to have done around your home and bid for one of our talented “bums.”

So far the following men have volunteered to be “bums”:

Louis Thompson
Derek Johnson
Thad Johnson
Mark Ullerich
Melvin Matthies
Andy Eggebraaten
Ray Matthies
Pastor Moeller