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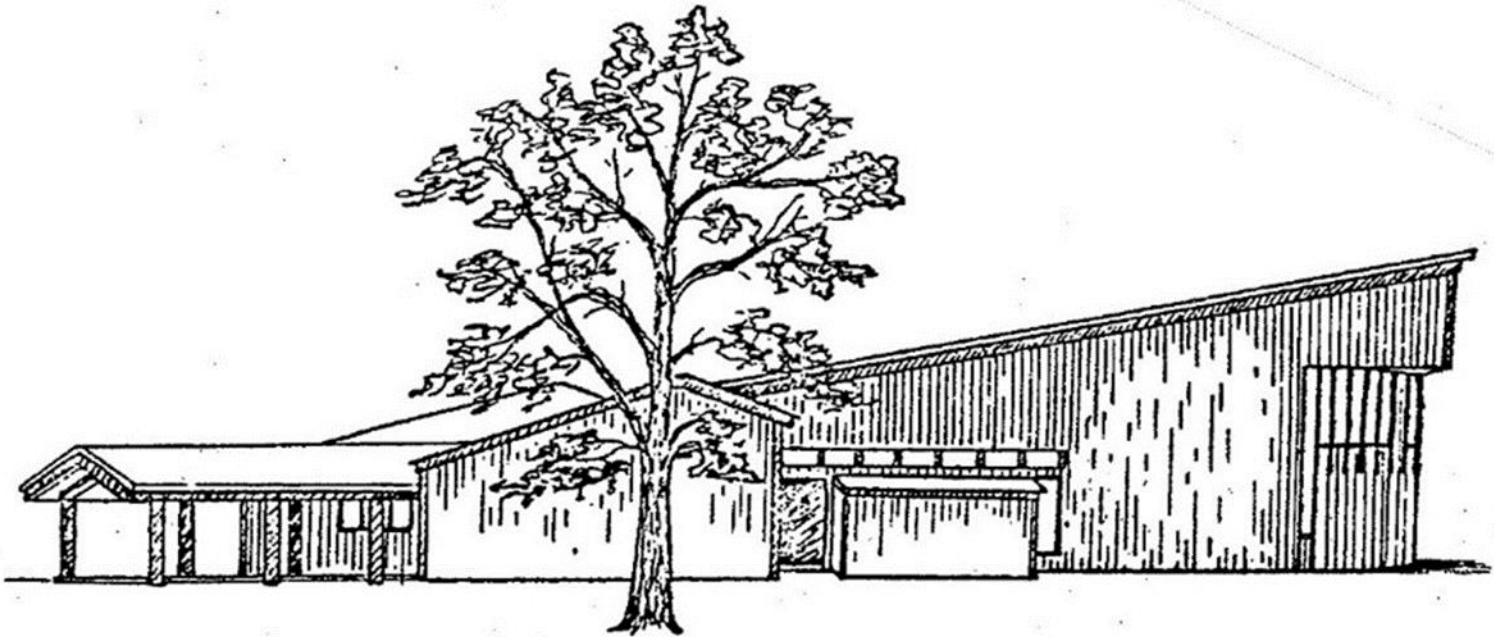
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Growing in Faith Towards God and Love for One Another



NINTH & TENTH COMMANDMENTS

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OFFICIANT..... REV. JAMES F. KRUEGER

Welcome!

We extend a warm welcome to ALL who are gathered today. May we all know the love and mercy of God through His gifts of Word and Sacrament. **Please take the time to fill out one of our attendance/ information cards in the Narthex.** If you are 'visitor' with us today, please introduce yourself to Pastor Krueger. As our 'special guest,' please do not feel obligated to contribute to today's offering.

Rest rooms are located in the hallway to the right as you exit the sanctuary. The nursery is located through the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to use our nursery, please ask an usher who will help you. Hearing assistance devices are available. If you need anything, please ask an elder or an usher – both are happy to help you.

THE LORD'S SUPPER – We rejoice in this blessed meal as the Lord Jesus Himself comes to us in His true Body and Blood “in, with, and under” the bread and wine. St. Paul writes, “Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself.” (1 Corinthians 11:28-29)

Out of love and care for those who come to the Lord's Supper, we ask those who are not instructed in the Scriptures, the Lutheran Confessions, and / or doubts the 'REAL presence' of Jesus in this Sacrament to speak with the Pastor before the service begins.

PRESERVICE MUSIC *(we ask you to prepare yourself for worship)*

OPENING SONG – TOSB 142 “We Will Glorify”

**We will glorify the King of kings; we will glorify the Lamb;
we will glorify the Lord of lords, Who is the great I AM.**

**Hallelujah to the King of kings; hallelujah to the Lamb;
hallelujah to the Lord of lords, Who is the great I AM.**

**Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty; we will bow before His throne;
we will worship Him in righteousness; we will worship Him alone.**

INVOCATION

In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Ninth and Tenth Commandments command us, “You shall not covet.”
What does this mean?

“Coveting” means that we want for ourselves what is not ours, but belongs to someone else. “Coveting” means that we are not content with the gifts of body and soul that God our Father has given to us.

What do these commandments teach that we should do for others?

These commandments teach us to do all that we can to help our neighbor to keep and to care for all the gifts that God gives to them.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS OF SINS

God’s Holy Word commands us to refrain from coveting what does not belong to us.

The Bible teaches us that coveting what belongs to another is a form of idolatry, which is to elevate created things over the Creator.

Our first parents coveted the forbidden fruit, and they coveted the wisdom of Almighty God.

Father, we share our first parent’s lack of contentment. We are often dissatisfied with our possessions, our spouses, our coworkers, our friends, our bodies, and our ‘stations’ in life. We often envy the blessings of others. We often grumble at Your gifts to them. We often lack contentment and thankfulness!

We need Your grace, in order that we might turn away from the idolatry of our covetous hearts and be filled with thankfulness and praise.

Renew us by the power of Your Holy Spirit, and conform us to the righteous image of Christ. All to the praise of Your glorious name!

It is my privilege as a called and ordained servant of the Word to share with you the ‘Good News’ of the grace and mercy of Almighty God. In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

☩ SERVICE OF THE WORD ☩

OLD TESTAMENT READING ... Psalm 119:33-37

Teach me, O LORD, the way of Your statutes; and I will keep it to the end. Give me understanding, that I may keep Your law and observe it with my whole heart. Lead me in the path of Your commandments, for I delight in it. Incline my heart to Your testimonies, and not to selfish gain! Turn my eyes from looking at worthless things; and give me life in Your ways.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE READING ... Philippians 4:10-13

I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING ... Matthew 6:19-21, 33

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the sixth chapter.

Glory to You, O Lord.

“Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You, O Christ.

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CHILDRENS' MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY: TOSB 258 "Thank You"

**Thank You for giving me the morning,
thank You for ev'ry day that's new,
thank You that I can know my worries can be cast on You.**

**Thank You for all my friends and brothers,
thank You for all the men that live,
thank You for even greatest enemies I can forgive.**

**Thank You, I have my occupation,
thank You for ev'ry pleasure small,
thank You for music, light, and gladness, thank You for them all.**

**Thank You for many little sorrows,
thank you for ev'ry kindly word,
thank You that ev'rywhere Your guidance reaches ev'rywhere.**

**Thank You, I see Your Word has meaning,
thank you, I know Your Spirit here,
thank You because You love all people, those both far and near.**

**Thank You, O Lord, You spoke unto us,
thank You that for our words You care,
thank You, O Lord, You came among us, bread and wine to share.**

**Thank You, O Lord, Your love is boundless,
thank You that I am full of You,
thank You, You made me feel so glad and thankful as I do.**

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| <p>Sermon "Do Not Covet – Be Content" Text: Exodus 20:17</p> |
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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH AND LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor ends each petition, "Lord, in Your mercy."

Worshipers respond, "Hear our prayer."

Lord Jesus, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠

Silence is observed as the communion vessels are prepared, and time for us to prepare to receive the true Body and Blood of Jesus shed on the cross for the forgiveness of our sins.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD (followed by lyrics to LSB 775 below)

**Be present at our table, Lord; be here and ev'rywhere adored;
Thy creatures bless, and grant that we may feast in paradise with Thee.**

DISTRIBUTION & DISTRIBUTION SONGS

LSB 915 "Today Your Mercy Calls Us"

LSB 809 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

BOB 77 "Grace Alone"

**Ev'ry promise we can make, ev'ry prayer and step of faith,
ev'ry difference we will make is only by His grace.**

**Ev'ry mountain we will climb, ev'ry ray of hope we shine,
ev'ry blessing left behind is only by His grace.**

**Grace alone which God supplies, strength unknown He will provide.
Christ in us, our Cornerstone, we will go forth in grace alone.**

**Ev'ry soul we long to reach, ev'ry heart we hope to teach,
ev'rywhere, we share His peace is only by His grace.**

**Ev'ry loving word we say, ev'ry tear we wipe away,
ev'ry sorrow turned to praise is only by His grace.**

**Grace alone which God supplies, strength unknown He will provide.
Christ in us, our Cornerstone, we will go forth in grace alone.**

We will go forth in grace alone.

LSB 735 "Have No Fear, Little Flock"

WORDS OF DISMISSAL

BENEDICTION

Go in peace as loved and forgiven children of Almighty God.

I will love as God loves me. I will forgive as God forgives me.

You have heard the Good News.

I will share the Good News of Jesus with all the lost I meet.

The Lord God is with you. Go and serve in the saving name of Jesus.

I go in peace and with strength to serve the Lord. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN: TOSB 75 "Catch The Vision"

**O ev'ryone of eager heart, God's message to the world impart.
Catch the vision of His mission, proclaim how Jesus lived and died
that man might thus be justified; catch the vision of His mission,
catch the vision of His mission, Alleluia!**

**All Christendom now hear His Word and let your hearts within be
stirred. Catch the vision of His mission, to ev'ry nation ev'ry place,
be thou a vessel of His grace. Catch the vision of His mission,
catch the vision of His mission. Alleluia!**

Sons, rise to arms fear not the foe! With royal banners forward go.
Catch the vision of His mission, He sets His will before your eyes,
and proves His law is good and wise. Catch the vision of His mission,
catch the vision of His mission. Alleluia!

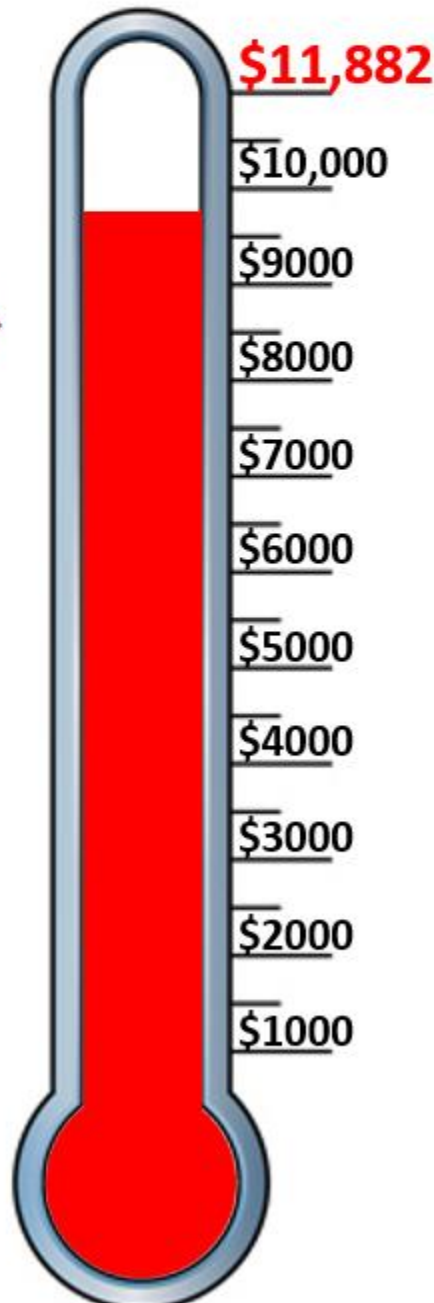
Let Jesus' work your pleasure be, say, "Here am I, send me, send me!"
Catch the vision of His mission, let not the answer heard from you be,
"There is nothing I can do." Catch the vision of His mission,
catch the vision of His mission. Alleluia!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EMERGENCY MEDICAL KITS (for 80 law enforcement officers)



Help us reach our goal!!



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Support our
Marinette County
Law Enforcement Officer



In Our Prayers



Church Members: Betty Becker, Joel Cain, Bob Helmuth, Judy Hoheneder, Felicity King, Roger Marquardt, Doris Ritson, Marilyn Theel, Rev Steve & Karen Haag (death of Steve's son Curt).

Shut-ins: Larry & Sally Zupan

Serving in the Military: Dylan Kielcheski and Caitlin Kielcheski

Collegians: Dreya Detry UW-Oshkosh, **Sariah Frederiksen** UW-Green Bay, **Gwyn Hanson** UW-Stevens Point, **Corinne Mulvaney** SVSU, **Nathan Krueger** SNHU, **Katelyn Krueger** SVSU, and **Samantha Pieper** UW-Whitewater.

Concordia Seminary 'Adopted' Students: Justin Brockman, Jedidiah McClellan, Grant Thiel, and Joel Werner

Our Missionaries: **Pastor Camp** (Russian Ministry)
Cindy Wrucke (Czech Republic)

Prayers requested by our Church Family: Karlie (daughter of Karl Baumann at home recovering after a serious medical emergency), **family of Bruce Burgemeister** (uncle of Kelly Coan) who passed away and Judy Porter (Kelly Coan's Mother), **Cassie Nygren, Dave & Jan Krueger** (Traci Meyer's parents), **Pat Staudenmaier** (nephew of Sid & Maggie Meyer), **Lisa Smith** (niece of Sig & Maggie Meyers), Judy Hoheneder's brother **Dale** (inoperable lung cancer), **Brent** (Roxanne Mueller's brother-in-law whose cancer has returned), and **Debra** (Keith Mueller's sister).

