

Reformation Sunday

Introit (sung responsively by half-verse)

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, | O Lord,*
and shall not be | put to shame.

I will bless the LORD at | all times;*
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;*
let the humble hear | and be glad.

Come, O children, lis-|ten to me;*
I will teach you the fear | of the LORD.

The LORD redeems the life of his | servants;*
**none of those who take refuge in him will | be
condemned.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son
and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

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Office Hours

Tues-Wed: 9:00am - 1:00pm
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Bible Study
Sun. 9:15 am

Worship
Sun. 10:30 am

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October 25th, 2009



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Welcome in the name of the Risen Lord Jesus Christ. If you are visiting for the first time, we are glad that you are here and kindly ask that you sign our guest book at the sanctuary doors. If you would like to become a member please speak to the Pastor. In case of illness, the Pastor should be informed. He will always be glad to speak with those who are confronted with problems of a spiritual nature. The time before worship is a quiet time for prayer and meditation to prepare for worship. Please see the inside cover of the hymnal for prayers and page 329f to prepare for Holy Communion. Communicant members are asked to fill out a communion card found in the pew racks and place it in the offering plates. The grace of God is with us!

ORDER OF SERVICE: Divine Service setting one **page 151** in the hymnal.

Introit is on the last bulletin page and is sung responsively by half-verse.

“This is the feast” is sung on page 155.

First Reading: Revelation 14: 6-7

Epistle: Romans 3: 19-28

Holy Gospel: John 8: 31-36

The Nicene Creed is confessed on page 158.

“Thank the Lord” is sung on page 164

HYMNS: 656, 555, 566, 392, 644

Choir: We Worship Thee, Almighty Lord
Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word

Organist: Paula Hohmann

Choir Director: Sandra Doyle

Holy Communion:

Since the Lord's Supper gives the forgiveness of sins in the body and blood of Christ to all who believe the words “given and shed” and is also a celebration of oneness in faith, we ask that only those who have professed such faith publicly in a Lutheran Church-Canada (or Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod) congregation come to the Lord's Altar. Everyone intending to commune for the first time is kindly asked to speak with the Pastor prior to the service.

STEWARDSHIP OF GOD'S GIFTS

Attendance Oct. 18th: 101 Communion: 71

Offerings: October 11th: Current: \$1,953; Thanksgiving: \$318; CLWR: \$4; Building

Fund: \$%\$5; Debt Reduction: \$10; Offerings: October 18th: Current: \$2,884;

Thanksgiving: \$187; CLWR: \$85; Hymnals & Books: \$35; Building Fund: \$28;

Debt Reduction: \$100.

PRAYER REMEMBRANCES: Rose Kopschinsky; Phil McLean; Lotti Kretschmann (triple by-pass); Doug (June Drexler's brother); Penny McLeod (cancer); Micheline Tourigny (Rob Vincent's Aunt); Warren Maschke; Merv Brisco; Gail Bugbee; Gary Zytner; Hildegard Vollmer and daughter Heidi; Paul Grant; Kristina Kaverly; Lucie Wunsch.

THANKS: to everyone who donated to our food cupboard last week. We were able to deliver it to people in need.

REV. & MRS. MALESKE: thank all members of Grace that sent cards and gifts for his recent retirement.

BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON: Please join us downstairs after worship today as we celebrate our October birthdays, anniversaries and baptismal birthdays.

MUSICIANS: All musicians who are involved or wish to be involved in the Community Christmas concert on December 12th following our Advent Dinner please meet after church today upstairs in the balcony.

ALTAR GUILD: Anyone who would be willing to serve on the altar guild please speak with Julia Booroff or Reta Curran.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS & HELPERS ARE NEEDED:

Our Sunday School needs **YOU!** Teachers and helpers are needed now for our Sunday School to move forward. This a very rewarding act of service in your church, as you see our children learn about God's plan of salvation through instruction in Sunday School. Please give prayerful consideration about your becoming involved in your Sunday School in this way. For more information, please contact Kim Grootendorst, Parish Education Director.

SECURITY ALARM: Do you know how set the security alarm?

Over the last couple of months, and as recently as last Sunday, Oct. 18, individuals who have keys to the church, have entered and have not bothered to turn off the alarm, and then have left. This results in the security firm having to investigate whether or not a break-in has occurred. Each time this happens, the church is charged \$50.00! To this date, we have had four such incidents. Anyone who has a key and does not know how to activate/deactivate the alarm is asked to contact one of the trustees or elders, or let the Pastor know, and he will direct you to someone who can offer the retraining. Thank you for your help in this matter.

MATINS & BIBLE STUDY every Wed. at 9:00am & CATECHESIS at 7:30pm

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME: Just a reminder that Daylight Savings Time ends next Sunday, November 1st at 2 am. Remember to turn your clocks back one hour.

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