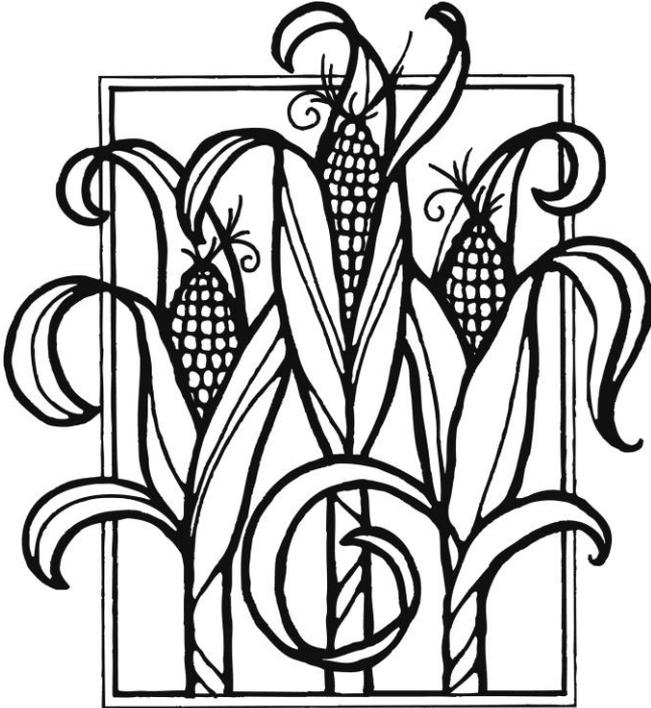


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HARVEST

PASTOR DANIEL G BREMER
JUNE 17TH & 18TH, 2017

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH WELCOMES YOU!!

<u>Divine Service with Communion each Saturday</u>	7:00 p.m.
<u>Divine Service with Communion each Sunday</u>	9:00 a.m.
<u>Coffee and Rolls in the Parish Hall</u>	10:00 a.m.
<u>Sunday School</u>	10:30 a.m. (ages 2 ½ - grade 8)
<u>Adult and High School Bible Class</u>	10:30 a.m.

Restrooms can be found between the parish hall and the entryway.

Interested in membership at Grace? Pastor Bremer would consider it a privilege to speak with you. Please fill out a pew card expressing your interest or see him after Divine Service.

Radio: Grace, along with St. Paul's, Doniphan, can be heard each Sunday at 8:00 a.m. on KRGI—1430 a.m.

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In faithfulness to God's Word we celebrate the Lord's Supper in every Saturday and Sunday Divine Service. Unlike Baptism this Sacrament is to be received again and again for forgiveness and the strengthening of our Christian faith. Also in faithfulness to God's Word we practice closed communion. Our faith is not exclusive

but God says that we should have unity of faith and doctrine (which Communion expresses). As we receive His gift today we would ask all visitors and guests to refrain from receiving the sacrament until they speak to Pastor Bremer. We also ask that those members who have not communed in the past 6 months to also speak to the pastor before communing once again. For further instruction please turn to Luther's Questions and Answers found on page 329 in the hymnal. These questions/answers are for those who desire to receive the sacrament.

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Hymn

“Preach You the Word ”

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Confession and Absolution – p. 184

Introit (*Cantor/Congregation*)



*Let the peoples praise you, / O God;**
let all the peoples / praise you!

Let the nations be glad and | sing for joy,*
for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations up- |
on earth.

*Let the peoples praise you, / O God;**
let all the peoples / praise you!

The earth has yielded its | increase;*
God, our God, shall | bless us.

*God shall / bless us;**
let all the ends of the earth / fear him!

**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.

*Let the peoples praise you, / O God;**
let all the peoples / praise you!

Kyrie – p. 186

Hymn of Praise – p. 187 “Glory in Excelsis”

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray. Almighty, eternal God, in the Word of Your apostles and prophets You have proclaimed to us Your saving will. Grant us faith to believe Your promises that we may receive eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C A - men.

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 19:2–8

²They set out from Rephidim and came into the wilderness of Sinai, and they encamped in the wilderness. There Israel encamped before the mountain, ³while Moses went up to God. The LORD called to him out of the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the people of Israel: ⁴You yourselves have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. ⁵Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant,

you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine; ⁶and you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the people of Israel.”

⁷So Moses came and called the elders of the people and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him.

⁸All the people answered together and said, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.” And Moses reported the words of the people to the LORD.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual (*sung by the Cantor*)

Great is the LORD, and greatly / to be praised,
and his greatness is un- / searchable.*

On your wondrous works, I will / meditate,
and I will declare your / greatness.*

Epistle

Romans 5:6–15

⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die— ⁸but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

⁹Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. ¹⁰For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we

are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. ¹¹More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation. ¹²Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned— ¹³for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted where there is no law. ¹⁴Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the

transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come. ¹⁵But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass,

much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia (Saturday)



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

Verse (Sung by the Cantor)

Alleluia. Alleluia. The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 9:35—10:8

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

³⁵And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction.

³⁶When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

¹And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to

cast them out, and to heal every disease and every affliction. ²The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; ³Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; ⁴Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him. ⁵These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, "Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, ⁶but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ⁷And proclaim as you go, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at

hand.' ⁸Heal the sick, raise the
dead, cleanse lepers, cast out

demons. You received without
paying; give without pay.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed– (Inside back cover of hymnal)

Hymn – “O God, O Lord of Heaven and Earth”
(Cantor sings vs.2)

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Sermon

Offering

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Prayers of the Church:

P let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

Preface, Proper Preface, Sanctus – p. 194 - 195

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Hymn – “Lift High the Cross”

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ATTENTION: We have been asked to participate in a Habitat for Humanity Build. We have two weekends to choose from, July 29th and August 5th. First, we need to determine if there is an interest in doing a build, and second, what weekend works best. A sheet is on the bulletin board where you can indicate your interest in volunteering and the weekend you would work (if either works, please note such). The type of work is scheduled to include wall sheathing, tar papering, wrap house, some concrete forming OR install windows and doors, cabinet locking & drywall backing and possibly begin soffit and fascia. We may also need some volunteers to assist with coordinating food and drink. If you have questions, contact Kurt Haecker or Dave Plond. Thanks!

VBS INFO: VBS this year will be July 24th-27th from 5:30-8pm. We will be serving a light meal each night from 5:30-6:30pm. There will be more information in upcoming bulletins and the July newsletter. We are looking for volunteers to help in all phases of the VBS program. If you would like to volunteer please contact the church office or Mark or Sherry Thuer.

GARAGE SALE: The Young Adults Group will be conducting a Garage Sale on Saturday, October 7th, from 8am-3pm here at Grace. We will be accepting donations from now until October 1st. Please contact Brynn Saddler, Brody Sheeks, or any of the youth involved with the Young Adults Group.

JANITOR POSITION: Starting July 1st, the janitorial position will be open. We are looking for someone to fill that position. Hours are roughly 8-10 per week. Individual will be responsible for general upkeep of the inside of the church. This includes vacuuming, sweeping, cleaning bathrooms and other associated duties to insure the church is ready for Sunday services. Individual will receive compensation or have this applied toward tuition of Trinity or Heartland Students. If any questions please contact Pastor Bremer or Dave Plond.