The Fifth Sunday in Lent

April 6, 2025

Are you a member or a guest? Pastoral Care - All Visitor's and members, please notice the red book on one end of your pew titled "Record of Fellowship". In order to help the pastor provide good care for you please fill out one line and pass it to the next person in the pew. If someone comes after the book has passed to the other end of the pew, please assist by making sure the



book is available to them. Please check all of the boxes in the middle of the line which are applicable to you. If you require a large print copy of the worship service, to better help you, please ask an usher.

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood in an unworthy manner do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or hold membership in a congregation other than a congregation in the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod should refrain from receiving communion. If you are a member in good standing of another congregation of the Lutheran



Church Missouri Synod and would like to receive the Sacrament, please speak with the pastor or an elder prior to the service. We ask this out of Christian love and concern for you. (Please, indicate to Pastor if you require a Gluten Free Wafer.)

About our Lord's work at St. Matthew this week

TODAY Communion Worship Service 9:00 AM; Door offering for Faith

Comes by Hearing; Sunday School and Bible Class following Worship

10:15 -11:30 AM

MONDAY.... No Bible Class: Winkel

TUESDAY Bible Class 9:00 AM; Worship at KRCC 10:15 AM;

Elders' Meeting 7:00 PM

WEDNESDAY. Devotions at Sr. Suites 12:30 PM; Confirmation Class 3 PM;

Lenten Supper 5:30 PM; Vespers 7:00 PM

THURSDAY... Council Meeting 7:00 PM

Communion Worship Service 9:00 AM; Sunday School and Bible SUNDAY

Class following Worship 10:15 -11:30 AM



Please tear out the used page in the "Record of Fellowship" and hand it to the usher as you leave. If there are no more pages left, hand the entire book to the Usher. Thank you, for this, and the continued help of taking all items home with you or disposing of them. It helps to keep our pews tidy.

Gifts for the work of the Lord: \$ 3,354.00 (3-30) Mission 1-1-1: \$ 14.00

Together in Worship: 50 (3-30) Lenten Vespers: 42 (4-2)

Please consider this information in the light of God's Word, which encourages regular worship and the joyful giving of our offerings for the expansion of His Mission at St. Matthew by Reaching, Caring and Sharing Christ!



Gifts to the Lord: If you would like to help with the Lord's work at St. Matthew, please drop your gifts in the box located in the narthex, before or after worship. Guest envelopes are available in the holder on of the front of the box or in the

Today we will collect at the door donations for **Faith Comes by Hearing**. All donations will be matched. Military BibleStick: Through partnership with thousands of churches across the U.S., over 1.3 million service members and veterans have received a Military BibleStick, and 6.4 billion people now have access to God's audible Word in their heart language.

About the Cover: As Isaiah prophesied about the coming exile, he reminded the people of God what He accomplished for them by forming them to be His people. Our Lord will not abandon us. Indeed, even today, we stand in the shadow of the cross of Christ, which reminds us that He watches over us. God formed us as His people and has forgiven our sins. The journey of life is covered by Christ, the Savior of the world, who continues to be with us.



Listen to the Lutheran Hour, next Sunday morning at 7:30 am on KDKT 1410 AM radio to hear "In the Middle". Presented by Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. In Jesus, God showed up smack in the middle of life with forgiveness, love, and a promise never to leave us. (John 19:18)

The Large Print Work Center may close. This Mission Work needs your help to continue!!! The Large Print Work Center needs someone to lead. Be the contact person to Lutheran Braille Workers in Yucipa, CA. Check and order supplies through LBW only takes a phone call. Print labels and mail the Large Print



books that are ordered. Schedule days for volunteers to come in and work. 3-4 days each month is all it takes to make and mail books. You decide your days and times take the summer off, take off December - you decide!! What a great way to help spread the Word of God!!! Prayerfully consider if you can serve. If you can, please contact Rhonda Koehler for more information or to tell her you'd love to serve.♥

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CHRIST FOR YOU this week on AM850 & KFUO.org: We continue our study of 2 Samuel on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 a.m. CT), covering chapters 7-11. On Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT), we wrap up our study of Hebrews, discussing chapters 11-13. Don't forget to tune in for our final Lenten Organ Recital and Worship Service this Wednesday (4/9 at 11 a.m. CT), live from Peace Lutheran in St. Louis!

The Sakakawea Medical Center Auxiliary will be hosing out annual Community Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings and homemade pie Sunday, April 13th, at Hazen City Hall from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.. Free Will Donation. Proceeds will be given to Sakakawea Medical Center for the purchase of an InstyMed Machine.



Intercessory Prayers

- † Those struggling with cancer: Sheila Faut / Becky Post/ Marcia & Elwood Grushow / Beth Wangler / Kelly Weisz / Judy Johnson / Laverne Faut / Christie Tomes / Hanna Link / Eleanore Krumm
- † Sophia Fischer / Carla Morast / Rev. Erich Kaelberer / Harold Mathisen / Stan Hanewald / Dawn Phillips / Allegra Boeckel / Betty Getz / Tracy Wolter / Emma Huber / Elmer Schiermeister / Chloe Graberek / Bob Johnstone / Orville Miller / Eva Olin / Christina / Rev. Jason Wolter / Kinsey Tomes / Tanya Schlamann / Esther Gerving-Grosz / Carla Morast / Lisa Peters for strength and healing.
- † Dallas / Loretta / Christine / Rodney / Delmer who reside in a care center.
- † Pastors of our LCMS ND District
- † Large Print Work Center #193 / Dakota Hope Clinic / Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads
- † International Missions of the District
- † Our Military Personnel, Law Enforcement, and Rescue Workers

Prayer chain contacts: Bonita Maas 748-6145 & Marie Mathisen 748-6347



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Worship Service 9:00 a.m. **Sunday School** & Bible Study 10:15 a.m.

Hear our **Sunday Morning** Service live each Sunday on **KDKT 1410 AM** 9:00 a.m. or from coast-to-coast via the FoxSports link on our web page at stmatthewhazen.org Facebook: StMatthewHazen





The people whom I formed for Myself



Isaiah 43:21