

MORNING WORSHIP

MARCH 22, 2020 — 9:25 AM

Welcome and Announcements

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism # 92 & 93

What is a sacrament; and which are the sacraments of the New Testament?

A sacrament is a holy ordinance instituted by Christ, wherein, by sensible signs, Christ, and the benefits of the new covenant, are represented, sealed, and applied to believers. The sacraments of the New Testament are Baptism and the Lord's supper.

Adoration

Call to Worship

Habakkuk 3:17-18

* Hymn # 151

“A Mighty Fortress”

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* Prayer of Adoration

Confession

Call to Confession & Prayer

2 Chronicles 6:28-31

Assurance of Pardon

John 3:16-17

Hymn # 581

“Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

TRUST IN JESUS

Thanksgiving

Prayer of the People

* Hymn # 143

“This Is My Father's World”

TERRA BEATA

Ministry of the Word

Scripture

2 Timothy 3:14-17

Sermon

“Continue in What You Have Learned” Rev. Ethan D. Saylor

Going Out in Christ's Name

* Charge and Benediction

2 Corinthians 13:14

* Hymn # 233

“Grace, Love and Fellowship”

CANE PEAK

As our service concludes we are encouraged to go forth to serve the Lord in joy! Since we are not passing the offering plate during the service, we will have the plates available for you to give your offering following our time of worship together. If you are unable to attend the service in person, please know you can mail your offering, or stop by the church and drop it off at your convenience. We thank you for your generosity.

Continue in What You Have Learned

2 Timothy 3:14-17

- I. The Purpose of Christian Education
 - A. Making Wise Unto Salvation
 - B. Training in Righteousness
 - C. Equipping the Saints
- II. The Place of Christian Education
 - A. The Church
 - B. The Home
- III. The Power of Christian Education
 - A. Laying, and Building Upon, Strong Foundations
 - B. Knowing, and Loving, the will of God

Food for Thought

The Bible is simple enough for a child to wade in yet deep enough for an elephant to drown. Unfortunately, too often many people think it is virtuous to keep the intellectual content of their faith at the child's level. But God expects us to grow in knowledge over the course of our Christian lives. Pray that you would value and come to maturity.

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Questions for Discussion

1. What is the purpose of Christian Education?
2. Where does Christian Education take place?
3. How does Christian Education help the Church to Know God and His grace and to make Him known?
4. How are you participating in ongoing Christian Education?

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Praise & Prayer

Please pray for the families of our church members who have lost loved ones during the last few weeks:

- The family of **Marlene Henjum, mother of Bonnie Zimmerman.** Marlene's homegoing service was held last Monday, at West Prairie Lutheran Church.
- The family of **Ida Fossum, sister-in-law of Clarice Haan.** Ida's homegoing service was held last Saturday. The bouquet of red carnations at the front of the church last Sunday was given by the family, to the Glory of God and in memory of Ida.
- The family of **Dick Haan, brother of Rose Haan.** Arrangements for Dick's homegoing service are pending at this time.
- The family of **Craig W. Johnson, brother-in-law of Bruce Olson.** A private family-only homegoing service was planned.

Pray for **Pollock Memorial Presbyterian Church, Pastor Floyd Haan,** Pollock, SD.

In Lennox, at home: **Donna White;** at GSC: **Ray Bunjer;** in Flandreau, at Riverview Healthcare & Nursing Home: **Mike Reed;** in Canistota, at Good Samaritan Center: **Walter Otten;** in Sioux Falls, at Stoneybrooke Suites, **Harven Brass;** at Prairie Creek Memory Care, **Erma DeWilde;** at Good Samaritan Village, **LaVerne Miller;** at Dakotabilities, **BJ Olson**

Those with cancer: **Arland Abbas, John Carlson, Erin Haan** and **Charlotte Lounsbery**

In the military: **Ben Miller**

Announcements

Church Activities... Many of our regular activities for the next two weeks have been cancelled—through at least March 29th. This includes the children's and youth activities, adult choir practice, bible studies and the communicant's class. Any further announcements regarding this will be communicated by email, prayer chain, or by direct phone calls to you from Pastor Ethan, the Elders & the Deacons. The Food Pantry will be open it's normal days & hours, but will serve one client at a time. If you have a need during this time, please don't hesitate to contact the church office at 647-2659, Pastor Sayler, or one of the Elders or Deacons.

Sign-Up to Assist... If you are willing to assist with any needs that our shut-in members may have during this time of "social distancing," please contact the church office or Pastor Sayler. This may be delivering groceries, picking up prescriptions or mail, or any other detail of daily life that they don't feel they can safely move about

our communities for at this time. The Elders and Deacons will contact you with any needs that arise. Please be the feet & hands of Christ to those around you and remember to check on elderly neighbors and friends during the coming days as well.

For those 60+, living in Lennox... Senior Meals are available for delivery to your home for **anyone** 60+ during this time of the COVID-19, thru your Senior Dining program. You need not be home-bound to participate in this service. Please contact the Lennox Senior Center at (605) 647-2435 for further information and to sign up. Recommended meal cost is 4.00.

Small Group Prayer Time... Join me, as we go to our knees and ask God to help us through this difficult time. Prayer time and a sharing time will be in a small group on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at 10:00 am, in Judy's office. Psalm 62 "My soul finds rest in God alone.... I will not be shaken."

The April Edition of Tabletalk... is now available on the information table in the narthex.

2020 Church Handbooks... are in your mailboxes. If you would like an extra copy, more are available in a mailbox on the far right hand side of the mailbox section. We also have large print copies of the handbook available. If you would like a large print copy, please let Brenda know.

April Newsletter Deadline... If you have something to include, please have it to the office by the end of this week. As schedules and events are yet to be determined after March 29th, the printing date for the newsletter is also undetermined at this time. Thank you for your patience. Brenda

Community Announcements

Alpha Center Defenders Dinner... will be held on Friday May 1st, at the Sioux Falls Convention Center, 1201 N West Ave, with a welcome reception at 6:15 pm and dinner & program at 7:00 pm. The featured speaker for the evening will be Melissa Ohden, who survived a failed abortion in 1977. The dinner is complimentary and because seating is limited, registration is required. To register, please visit alphacenterfriends.com/dinner, call 361-3500 or email info@alphacenter.org. A poster with more information is on the bulletin board in the hallway by the offices.

Legacy Five Quartet... will be live in concert at Sioux Falls First Church on Friday evening, May 8th at 7:00 pm. There is a poster with ticket information on the bulletin board in the hallway if you are interested in attending.