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Concordia Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod

801 Beacon Lane

Beulah, North Dakota

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"Who then is this, that even wind and sea obey Him?"

Mark 4:41b

"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors, and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?"

Gradual

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised,
and his greatness is unsearchable.
On your wondrous works, I will meditate,
and I will declare your greatness.

Epistle Reading: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13 (ESV)

Working together with him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain. For he says, "In a favorable time I listened to you, and in a day of salvation I have helped you."

Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. We put no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love, by truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything.

We have spoken freely to you, Corinthians; our heart is wide open. You are not restricted by us, but you are restricted in your own affections. In return (I speak as to children) widen your hearts also.

Alleluia and Verse p. 205

Holy Gospel: St. Mark 4:35-41 (ESV)

On that day, when evening had come, He said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd, they took Him with them in the boat, just as He was. And other boats were with Him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. But He was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke Him and said to Him, "Teacher, do You not care that we are perishing?" And He awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea,

"Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. He said to them, *"Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?"* And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even wind and sea obey Him?"

Nicene Creed p. 206

Hymn of the Day # 752

Sermon: *"Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?"*

Prayer of the Church

Offering

Service of the Sacrament p. 208ff.

Distribution Hymns # 729, 619, 818

Nunc Dimittis p. 211

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Closing Hymn # 717

The words of the original Navy hymn are sung

Today we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion in which we joyfully receive Christ's Body and Blood, under bread and wine, for the forgiveness of our sins. As we celebrate the Sacrament, we also give public witness that we are in complete agreement with the denomination's doctrinal teachings at whose altar we commune. Therefore, we ask that only communicant members of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod commune with us. All guests are asked to talk to Rev. Heller before coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament.

In our thoughts and prayers,

† Our sick & recovering: Kathy Baszler & Brenda Weigum;

† LWML of the North Dakota District, meeting June 24-26.

Welcome to worship in the season of Pentecost. The green paraments remind us that this is the season of growth. The theme of Pentecost is living a Christian life. As Christ strengthens us through His Word, the spoken Word and the visible Word of the Sacraments, we grow more like Him in our thoughts, words, and deeds. Visitors, please sign our guest book and worship with us again soon!



Birthday Open House: Lorena Scheid will be celebrating her 90th birthday with an open house from 2-4:00 today at the Church. Please join her!

LWML District Convention: Kim Senske and Mary Jo Larson will be attending the District LWML Convention in Grand Forks June 24-26. The Gifts from The Heart In Gatherings will help Women's Pregnancy Center and Red River Valley Community Action. The items to be collected include diapers, wipes, baby clothes to age 12-months, baby quilts, lap robes, shampoo, towels and washcloths. We will be collecting these items until today after worship. Kim and Mary Jo will be walking in a Mite Pledge Walk, if you want to make a pledge please contact Mary Jo or Kim.

Pastor Heller will be on vacation Thursday, June 28, - Friday, July 6. In case of emergency, please call Jamey Backus, 873-7673.

Shad Gegelman has been appointed to fill the vacant position on the Board of Lay Ministry.



Amazing Desert Journey with Jesus is the theme of our Vacation Bible School. VBS will be July 15—19. Tiffany Weigum has volunteered to be our director. If you would like to help with VBS, please talk to Tiffany.

The June calendar, birthday and anniversary sheet, Pray for Us Calendar and *Happy Times* for the children are in the black stacking trays on the table in the social hall. Please feel free to pick up your copies.



Stewardship of Offerings and Attendance

Offerings: \$2,514.50

St. Paul lived as God's faithful steward in words and actions because the Holy Spirit filled him with a hope that looked beyond the difficulties of this life to the joys of the life to come. He also wanted to use his life and witness to bring others along with him to heaven. He is certainly an encouragement for us to use all that we are and have to also bring others to heaven with us. That's what our faithful stewardship is all about!

† This Week at Concordia †

Sunday	8:30 am	Divine Service
	10:30 am	Worship @ Glen Ullin
Tuesday	2:00 pm	Bible Class
Thursday	9:00 am	Deadline for July calendar
Sunday	8:30 am	Worship Service
	10:30 am	Worship @ Glen Ullin

Church Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM—12:30 PM

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*Please use a pew card to record your Church and/or
Communion attendance this morning.*