



Salem Lutheran Church  
401 S. Lake St. Lake Mills IA 50450

Welcome to the House of the Lord

Third Sunday after Pentecost  
June 25, 2017 - 8:30 a.m.



#### INTRODUCTION

Jeremiah knew the frustration of having his words rejected. Jesus declares that his words may not bring peace, but division. In baptism we are buried with Christ that we may walk in newness of life. As we take stands for the sake of justice and lose our lives for the sake of others, we need not be afraid. The hairs of our head are counted. In baptism we are marked with the cross of Christ forever.

\*\*\*Larger print bulletins are available from the ushers.

#### GATHERING

PRELUDE

*Sonata in D*

Franz Joseph Haydn

BELLS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing joyfully to the LORD,

**Praise the LORD with music**

Sing to him a new song

**Sing with skill and joy**

Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD,

**Blessed is the people God chose for an inheritance.**

From heaven the LORD looks down and sees all humanity;

**from the Lord's dwelling place God watches all who live on earth**

No nation is saved by the size of an army;

**despite all its great strength it cannot save.**

But the eyes of the LORD are on those who fear God,

**on those whose hope is in God's unfailing love,**

In God our hearts rejoice, for we trust in the holy name of our Lord.

**May God's unfailing love rest upon us, for we put our hope in you.**

<http://worshipleaderguide.blogspot.ca/2009/06/call-to-worship.html>

GATHERING SONG

*Give to Our God Immortal Praise!*

ELW #848

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,

and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

WORD

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 20:7-13

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A reading from Jeremiah.

Jeremiah accuses God of forcing him into a ministry that brings him only contempt and persecution. Yet Jeremiah is confident that God will be a strong protector against his enemies and commits his life into God's hands.

The word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING: Romans 6:1b-11

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A reading from Romans.

In baptism we were incorporated into the reality of Christ's death. Our lives in the present are marked and shaped by his crucifixion, just as our lives in the future will be marked and shaped by his resurrection.

The word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

ELW #209

Bless - ed be God, the source of all life, the word of sal -

va - tion, the spir - it of mer - cy. Bless - ed be God, the source of all

life, the word of sal - va - tion, the spir - it of mer - cy.

GOSPEL: Matthew 10:24-39

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The holy gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus warns his disciples that their ministry in his name will meet with opposition, requiring absolute trust in God and an unswerving commitment to their Lord.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Will You Come and Follow Me

ELW #798

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Called together in the Spirit's embrace, let us pray for the mending of God's world.

Please respond at the end of each petition: Hear us, O God, **Your mercy is great.**

*A brief silence.*

All these things, and whatever else you see that we need, we entrust to your care through Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

### OFFERING

### MUSICAL OFFERING

### OFFERING SONG

*Create in Me a Clean Heart*

ELW #186



Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right  
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take  
not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

### OFFERING PRAYER

Merciful God,  
you open wide your hand and satisfy the need of every living thing.  
You have set this feast before us. Open our hands to receive it.  
Open our hearts to embrace it. Open our lives to live it.  
We pray this through Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

### LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## SENDING

### BLESSING

May God, whose power working in us  
can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine,  
grant you the gifts of faith and hope.  
Almighty God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit,  
bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

### SENDING SONG

*Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus*

ELW #802

### DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.  
**Thanks be to God.**

### POSTLUDE

**Preaching:** Pastor Joel Guttormson  
**Organist:** Ruth Sheldon  
**Ushers:** Jerry & Marilyn Hoffman  
**Reader:** Connie Sabin  
**Video Coordinator:** Carol Abbey  
**June Altar Guild:** Gloria Kvale and Marilyn Hoffman

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**The radio broadcast this morning is given in loving memory of Ted & Mabel Moen and Myron & Pearl Thompson from Ron & Phyllis Moen and family.**

**The 8:30 a.m. worship service is broadcast weekly on KLOW-FM 107.3.  
Reserve your special date to sponsor the 2017 8:30 a.m. worship service broadcast on KLOW (107.3 FM) radio in Forest City. The service can also be heard at 8:30 a.m. on cable channel 2.  
Call the office to reserve your dates. Cost for 2017 is \$83. Dates available: Aug. 13 and Oct. 29.**

**We also have a sponsorship program for the live internet broadcast of the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sponsorship is available for \$40 per Sunday. Call the office to reserve a date in 2017.**

**The Outdoor Worship Service** is held Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. on the south lawn. You may bring lawn chairs/blankets to sit on. Folding chairs will be available. In the event of inclement weather the service will be held in the sanctuary.

**SHOW THEM YOU CARE!**

When you see people who are sad, lonely, or grief-stricken, don't just tell them you care – show them you care. Ask how they are, listen to what they have to say, share the love of Jesus. And if their need is great, encourage them to consider Stephen Ministry as a way to receive the transforming love and care of Jesus. Stephen Ministers are trained to walk alongside a person during difficult times. If you or someone you know could use a Stephen Minister, please call Pastor Randy at 641-590-0727. Stephen Ministry is a shared ministry between One in Christ, Our Savior's and Salem.



**The Council is looking for a volunteer to pull Salem's Float in the Lake Mills July Jubilee Parade on Saturday, July 8.** The float is on a light one axel trailer with a ball hitch. It can be towed behind a small tractor, truck or SUV. Route starts at Iowa Street, through downtown, then south on Lake Street to the school and east on 4th Ave S. Entries may proceed back to Leonard Fjelstad Memorial Complex, where there is parking. Registration Booth will be located at the junction of Hwy 105 & N 3rd Ave E. **If you are able help with the float please contact the Church Office – 641.592.1771.**



Summer lunches are served through the summer from 11 – 12:00 p.m. weekdays at Salem. Open to all children 18 and younger. NO Enrollment, NO Cost! **Volunteers needed to distribute food and help to manage the site. Salem has Tuesdays. Call the office at 641.592.1771 to volunteer.**



*Thanks to everyone for all the prayers and support Since Randy's accident over a year ago. Also, for the Donated baked goods and all who attended the benefit. It was greatly appreciated!*

*Betty Thompson and family*

**Readings for next Sunday:** Jeremiah 28:5-9, Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18, Romans 6:12-23, Matthew 10:40-42

**Those worshipping June 17/18: 171 Giving for June 10/11: Not available**

# SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH & LAKE MILLS AREA CHURCH AND COMMUNITY DAY CAMP

Sponsored by LAKE MILLS AREA MINISTERIAL  
ASSOCIATION

& HOSTED BY SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH IN  
COOPERATION WITH EWALU CAMP & RETREAT  
CENTER, STRAWBERRY POINT, IA



For kids who have finished grades:  
Kindergarten – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

JULY 10—14

FROM 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM

@ SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH  
401 S LAKE STREET, LAKE MILLS IA  
Info: 641-592-1771

*Some activities*

- Music
- Snacks
- Bible Study
- Arts & Crafts
- ETC



There is only room for 30 kids – get registered as soon as possible

Registration Forms are also available from the ushers, in the narthex and outside the office.

## LAKE MILLS AREA CHURCH (LMAMA) DAY CAMP REGISTRATION FORM JULY 10 – 14; 8:30 – 3:00 PM

Hosted by Salem Lutheran Church and EWALU Camp & Retreat Center

Camper's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Completing \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Name of Doctor / Health Care Provider \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Health Information: (Please continue on back of page, or attach additional sheets if necessary.)

1. Immunizations: A] DPT Permanent Shots (series of 3): Yes / No  
B] Polio Immunization: Yes / No  
C] Date of last Tetanus booster: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Skin Diseases: Yes / No, If yes, please explain:
3. Allergies: Food, Drugs, Hay fever: Yes / No, If yes, please explain:
4. Medication: List name(s) and dosage(s):
5. List any illness, chronic condition, or physical consideration the child has that may affect participation or safety:
6. Other suggestions that may help us to make your camper's week more enjoyable (regarding fears, anxieties, etc.)

I authorize the following people to pick up my child from Day Camp. If there are any changes in these arrangements, I will give advance written notice. (Note: If there are any special instructions, or any persons who are not authorized to pick up your child, please make a specific note on this page.)

Name	Phone	Relationship

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Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in being a Day Camp volunteer.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I can welcome the Ewalu Day Camp youth ministry staff team to my home for a supper meal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I would be willing to prepare sack lunches one day for the Ewalu Day Camp staff.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I invite up to \_\_\_\_\_ (number of people) Ewalu Day Camp staff members to stay at my home.

**RELEASE:** To the best of my knowledge, all registration and health information for the person described herein is correct. I give permission for my child to participate in all related activities and programs for the week and agree that the church and Ewalu Bible Camp, as well as staff and volunteers from these organizations, will not be held responsible for accidents or personal injury arising from participation therein. I authorize the adult leaders from the church and the Ewalu staff to secure any medical or emergency treatment deemed necessary for my child. I also give permission for my child to be transported in the vehicles of adult staff and volunteers associated with the Day Camp program. As the above named child's parent or guardian, I am the primary carrier of accident/health insurance for my child. I also grant permission for pictures or video taken of the individual(s) listed above to be used in publications and promotional materials by the camp and church.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

# SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH & ONE IN CHRIST LUTHERAN PARISH



## Vacation Bible School

June 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

### Crafts/Activities in the Marketplace

Petting Zoo – goats, pigs, chicken, turtles, mini horse, sheep

Day 1 – Top, Musical Instrument, Gambling,

Day 3 – Aqua Duct, Rope, Necklace

Day 2 – Wreaths, Candy, Spices

Day 4 – Bracelet, Carpenter, Scrolls

### Offerings Collected this week

Daily offering to “Feed My Starving Children” hunger relief program – \$150.00

### Enough supplies to fill 9 Flood Buckets

Supplies listed below will fill one bucket

One 5 gallon bucket  
4 scouring pads  
1 scrub brush  
5 dust masks  
7 sponges  
18 cleaning towels

One 12 oz liquid household cleaner  
One 25 oz liquid disinfectant dish soap  
50 oz bottle liquid laundry detergent  
1 pkg of 48-50 clothespins  
Two 50’ or one 100’ Clothesline  
Two pair latex gloves

One pair work gloves  
28-bag roll of heavy-duty trash bags  
One 6-9 oz bottle of insect repellent

**Thank you!!!**

### Involved

6 Churches  
89 Kids

47 Volunteers  
5 Pastors

1 Parish Administrative  
Assistant

### VOLUNTEERS & PLANNING TEAM – YOUTH & ADULT

Thank you to all of our Volunteers, whether you worked one day or all week.

You made this week a success!

Barb Abele  
Yvonne Back  
Pastor Randy Baldwin  
Julie Bernau  
Jenny Campos  
Emily Charlson  
Joseph Charlson  
Robin Charlson  
Hannah Evenson  
Ann Fernandez  
Eunice Finer  
Kate Groe  
Steve Groe  
Nancy Guttormson  
Pastor Joel Guttormson  
Hannah Hanson  
Duaine Harmon  
Linda Helgeson

Julie Helgeson  
Linda Henely  
JoAnne Helland  
Beth Isaacson  
Aidan Johanson  
Alan Johnson  
Jace Johnson  
Janet Johnson  
Larry Johnson  
Linda Johnson  
Delores Knudtson  
Doug Krueger  
Sandy Lindflott  
Bill Loberg  
Jeanne Loberg  
Becky Martinson  
Pastor Melinda McCluskey  
Bob Moen

Carrie Moen  
Leah Moen  
Pastor Bill Peters  
Homer Peterson  
Carroll Reines  
Virgean Reines  
Calvin Rognes  
Jeremy Rognes  
Rachel Rognes  
Stanley Rusley  
Lydia Saxton  
Becky Solomonson  
Caleb Swanson  
JoAnn Villa  
Mallory Wilhelm  
Pastor Kristin Wolf  
Judy Wonsmos

Thank you to Winnebago Lutheran Church for serving the ice cream at the evening program!

### THIS WEEK AT SALEM

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 25

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship – Sanctuary  
9:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship – Fellowship Hall  
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship – Sanctuary

#### MONDAY, JUNE 26

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall  
2:00 – 5:00 p.m. Food Shelf Open

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 27

10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting  
11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall  
5:00 p.m. Council & Building/Finance Committee Meeting - Library

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall  
1:45 p.m. Mills Harbour Communion  
2:30 p.m. LMCC Communion  
5:00 p.m. Book Study: The Story of Martin Luther - Library  
5:15 p.m. Good Samaritan - Lounge  
5:30 p.m. New Life Nutrition – Room #4

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 29

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 30

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

#### SATURDAY, JULY 1

5:30 p.m. Communion Worship Service - Chapel

#### SUNDAY, JULY 2

8:30 a.m. Traditional Communion Service - Sanctuary  
9:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship – Fellowship Hall  
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Communion Service – Sanctuary

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