WELCOME

We welcome you. May your worship strengthen your faith and growth in His grace. Visitors, please sign the Guest Book in the narthex.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Who are the blessed ones of God? For Micah, they are those who do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with God. For Paul, they are those who find wisdom in the weakness of the cross. For Jesus, they are the poor, the meek, the merciful, the pure in heart, the peacemakers, those who mourn, and those who hunger for righteousness. In baptism we find our blessed identity and calling in the way of living and serving, according to the Christ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- Pastor Bill continues in conversation with Martha Hulshof regarding needs of Ukrainians both here and abroad. He will provide an update at the Annual Meeting. Watch for further info in Feb *Newsletter*.
- The Annual Meeting, noticed for Wed Jan 18 7pm, was rescheduled due to weather to this Wed Feb 1 7pm. (New Council members will be installed next Sun Feb 5.) Highlights in Feb *Newsletter*, to be published to next.
- LCMC Women of the Heartland District. Spring meeting Sat Apr 22, Norfolk NE; program on Orphan Grain Train. See Feb *Newsletter*.
- Bluegrass Gospel Concert at Dordt BJ Haan Auditorium SC. Sat Mar 11 2:30 & 7:00pm. See Feb *Newsletter*.

DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Our church leadership; Sawyer Rehder; Rebecca Gradert; Katie VanVeldhuizen; Harold Moeller; Judy Yates; Cynthia Reid; Luke Helmers family; Bob Oldenkamp (Hillcrest HAW); Mary Miller (Whispering Heights RV); Evert DeBondt, Lorene Franken, Arlene Miller, Orville Rehder (Royal Meadows SC); all in need.

SERVING TODAY

Lector: Cal DR (Mike DR) Prayers: Darrell V (Terry W)
Praise Team: off this week
A/V: Jeff R, Tasha W Organist: Matt L

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK (ESV)

Isaiah 58::1-9; Psalm 12:1-9; I Corinthians 2:1-12

SCHEDULE

Mon 1/30 10:30am PLC weekly worship broadcast

Premier Ch 12

Wed 2/1 7:00pm Annual Meeting

Sun 2/5 10:15am Installation new Council members

Wed 2/15 Adult Bible Study

6:30pm Light supper

7:00pm Bible Study lead by Pastor Bill

Sat 3/11 2:30 Annual Bluegrass Gospel Concert

& 7:00pm Dordt Univ SC

Sat 4/22 9am-3pm LCMC Women's Spring Meeting

Norfolk NE

PRAYER FOR LOCAL CONGREGATION

United Reformed Church, Pastor Jon Bushnell

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Peace Lutheran Church LCMC



January 29, 2023 Fourth Sunday after Epiphany Rev. William Loefke, Pastor

Sunday Worship
Faith Alive Service 10:15 am
Youth Sunday School 9:00am
Adult Sunday School 9:15am

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Faith Alive Worship Hour!

Prelude

a time of meditation and preparation for worship

Announcements

Call to Worship

Gathering Hymn #393

"Breathe On Me Breath of God"
"He breathed on them and said, 'Receive the Holy Spirit'."
John 20:22

Confession & Forgiveness (Front of Hymnal)

Prayer Of The Day

Compassionate God, You gather the whole universe into Your radiant presence and continually reveal Your Son as our Savior. Bring wholeness to all that is broken and speak truth to us in our confusion, that all creation will see and know Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

Children's Sermon

First Lesson

Micah 6:1-8

Responsive Reading

Psalm 15

Epistle Lesson

I Corinthians 1:18-31

Congregation Response to Epistle Reading:

"Thanks be to God!"

Congregation Sings Hymn #86
"lesus, Name Above All Names"

Announcement of the Holy Gospel *Matthew 5:1-12*

"Glory to You, O Lord"

Congregation Response to Gospel Reading
"Praise to You, O Christ"

Sermon

"Blessed Are You!" Notes are available in the Narthex

Hymn of the Day #391 (x2)

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace." Galatians 5:22

Apostles' Creed

Sharing of God's Peace

Blessing of Tithes and Offerings
Hymn #815 "Doxology"
Offering plate is in the Narthex

Prayers Of The People

Reader: "God, in Your mercy,"

Congregation: "Hear our prayer."

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn #424

"The Servant Song"

"Serve one another in love" Galatians 5:13

Dismissal
Pastor: Dynamic Love! Dynamic Ministry!
God's Holy Word!
Congregation: "Thanks be to God!"

Postlude

The offering plate is in the Narthex
January Benevolence
Family of Nikki M & her 5 children,
Kingsley IA
May God bless your generous gifts.