

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

The disciples make a big splash and eat breakfast with the risen Jesus. Wading in the water (remembering baptism) and eating with Jesus (celebrating holy communion) is our encounter with the risen Christ as well. Jesus asks us again and again: Do you love me? And Jesus invites us, again and again, to follow him, bringing the Easter life to others.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thank you to all who joined the PLC Liver-Lovin' Lutherans Fest last Sun evening. Special thanks to Steve R and Joe R for supplying the liver and cooking.
- Benevolence for May is directed to *Sleep In Heavenly Peace, Sioux City IA*. They construct and provide single and bunk beds and bedding for children in need <18yo. They had a large onsite presence in Hawarden/RockValley/Spencer after the '24 flood. We take this opportunity to "pay it forward" in gratitude for their work.
- The LYO celebrated their last meeting of the year last Sunday with supper and bowling in LeMars. A special thank you to Amanda B and Lindsey DZ for your leadership and counsel.

PRAYER FOR LOCAL CONGREGATION

Central Church
Pastor Jesse Henkle

DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Our church leadership; Luke Helmers family; Evert DeBondt, Lorene Franken, Lura Gayer, Arlene Miller, Orville Rehder, Shirley Rehder, Irene Sneller (CrPointe Estates SC); all in need.

SERVING TODAY (and next week)

Lectors: Amanda B (Tim S) Deacon: Tim H (Tim H)
Praise Team sings today (off) A/V: Daniel B, Neil R (Jeff R, Neil R)
Acolyte: Davyd H (Ellie DZ) Organ: Becky S (Matt L)

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK (ESV)

Acts 9:36-43; Psalm 23; Revelation 7:9-17

SCHEDULE

Today 06:00pm National Day of Prayer worship
Carmel Reformed Church
Mon 05/05 10:30am PLC worship re-broadcast Ch 12
(Premier)
Mon 05/12 07:00pm Council meeting
Thu 05/15 Adult Bible Study
06:30pm. Light supper
07:00pm Bible Study lead by Pastor Bill
Sat 05/17 Church Spring Clean-up / Work Day

About Our Church

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Watch Sun worship live on Facebook streaming, YouTube
or re-broadcast Mondays 10:30am Channel 12 (Premier)

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH LCMC



May 04, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Rev. William Loeffke, Pastor

Faith Alive Service 10:15am

Youth Sunday School 09:00am

Adult Sunday School 09:15am

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Faith Alive Worship Hour!

Praise Team

A time of preparation for worship

Announcements

Call to Worship

Gathering Hymn #466

"Jesus, Our Lord and King"

"Offer your bodies as living sacrifices."

Romans 12:1

Confession and Forgiveness

Prayer of the Day

O Lord Christ, good shepherd of the sheep, You seek the lost and guide us into Your fold. Feed us, and we shall be satisfied; heal us, and we shall be whole. Make us one with You, for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Children's Time

"Let the Children Come...!" Luke 18:16

First Lesson

Acts 9:1-6

Responsive Reading

Psalm 30

Epistle Lesson

Revelation 5:11-14

Congregation Response to Epistle Reading:

"Thanks be to God!"

Congregation Sings Hymn #40

"You Are My God"

Announcement of the Holy Gospel

John 21:1-19

"Glory to You, O Lord"

Congregation Response to Gospel Reading

"Praise to You, O Christ"

Sermon

"Jesus Invites Us Again and Again!"

Sermon Notes available in Narthex

Hymn of the Day #488

"Just as I Am"

"Whoever comes to Me I will never drive away."

John 6:37

Nicene Creed

Sharing of God's Peace

Offertory

Blessings of Tithes and Offerings

Hymn #815 "Doxology"

Prayers Of The People

Reader: "God, in Your mercy,"

*Congregation: "**Hear our prayer.**"*

Order of Holy Communion

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Distribution of Holy Communion

Congregation sings "**Lamb of God**"

Benediction

Sending Hymn #812

"Glory Be to the Father"

"Ascribe to the Lord the glory due His name."

Psalm 96:8

Dismissal

Pastor: "Dynamic Love!

Dynamic Ministry! God's Holy Word!"

Congregation: "**Thanks be to God!**"

Postlude

Offerings are received in the plate in the Narthex or when the plate is passed during worship.

May Benevolence

Sleep In Heavenly Peace, Sioux City IA

May God bless your generous gifts.