Northland Lutheran Church LCMC

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Sunday, May 4, 2025

Purpose Statement: "To worship God, spread His Word, witness for Christ, welcome all, serve them and grow the community of believers through the power of the Holy Spirit."

TODAY AT WORSHIP
NEXT SUNDAY, May 4, 2025
Projector: Dale Thompson
10:00 AM Worship
Men's Ministry after Worship
Confirmation for Logan Glodowski

Thursday May 8, 2025 AA Meeting @ 7 PM

Sunday, May 11, 2025
Worship service will be at 9:00 AM
Projector: Kevin Dahle
Mother's Day

2nd Offering to Agape Center
Council Meeting

May 16 & 17, 2025 Tuesday Quilters Sew-In 9 AM-6 PM



Monday, May12, 2025 Town of Harrison @ 6:30 PM

SAVE THE DATE
New Church Directory
Photography Dates, June 5th & 6th

CONTACT THE OFFICE

For Information regarding church rental, weddings, baptisms, membership or to have an announcement put in the newsletter or bulletin please contact the office at 715-445-2956 or northlandchurch@hotmail.com. You can contact Pastor William Stukenberg @ 262-441-0513

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Opening Hymn

Love was when #28 HFG

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: We celebrate this day our belief in the Triune God and profess our faith in our Lord. Amen.

Pastor: Do you believe in God, the Father

Almighty?

People: Yes, I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: What does this mean?

People: I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them. He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life. He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Hymn of Praise

Take my Life #458 HFG

SCRIPTURE READINGS

THE REDEEMER

Pastor: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

People: Yes, I believe in Jesus Christ,
His 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 into hell. The
third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven and sits at the
right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the
living and the dead.

Pastor: What does this mean?

People: I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own, and live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

THE SANCTIFIER

Pastor: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit? People: Yes, I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Pastor: What does this mean?

People: I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ. This is most certainly true.

Hymn

Living for Jesus #462 HFG

MESSAGE

Prayer

RITE OF CONFIRMATION

(On this day Logan Glodowski will publicly declare his faith in Christ as Savior)

Pastor: Dear friends whom the Lord loves, hear what our Lord Jesus Christ said: "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father

and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I will be with you always, to the very end of the age."

Logan, you have been baptized and you have been taught the faith as our Lord commanded. We now celebrate your Baptism and your learning of the faith with thankful hearts. As you will now declare your faith before the Church, we rejoice to declare with you our faith in the same Lord, the faith into which you were baptized. Jesus said: "Whoever acknowledges Me before others, I will also acknowledge him before My Father in heaven. But whoever disowns Me before others, I will disown him before My Father in heaven."

Logan, do you today in the presence of God and of this congregation acknowledge the gifts which God gave you through faith in Christ, namely the forgiveness of sins, eternal life, and salvation?

Logan: I do.

Pastor: Do you reject the devil and all his works and all his ways?

Logan: I do.

Pastor: Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty?

Logan: Yes, I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son?

Logan: Yes, I believe in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

Pastor: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit? Logan: Yes, I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Pastor: Do you intend to remain strong in your faith and committed to Christ's Church and to suffer anything, even death, rather than fall away from it?

Logan: I do so intend with God's help.

Pastor: Do you hold all the books of the Bible, written by the prophets and apostles, to be the inspired Word of God and agree that the teachings of the Lutheran Church, drawn from the Bible and as you have learned to know them through Luther's Small Catechism, are faithful and true?

Logan: I do.

Pastor: Do you desire to be a member of Northland Lutheran Church?

Logan: I do.

Pastor: Do you intend faithfully to live your life according to God's Word, to be faithful in the use of God's Word and Sacraments, which are His means of grace, and in faith, word, and action to remain true to God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, to the end of your life?

Logan: I do so intend by the grace of God.

Pastor: Please kneel to receive the blessing.

LAYING OF THE HANDS

Pastor: Gracious Lord, through his faith in what you accomplished on the cross on his behalf, you have made **Logan** Your own. You forgave him all his sins and brought him newness of life. Continue to strengthen him with the Holy Spirit, and daily increase in him Your gifts of Grace; the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in Your presence through Jesus Christ our Lord. Father in Heaven, for Jesus' sake, stir up in Logan the gift of Your Holy Spirit; confirm his faith, guide his life, empower him in his serving, give him patience in suffering, and bring him to everlasting life.

Logan: Amen

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Father of all grace, Creator of all that is, you have made us each special. Affirm the gifts of those who this day have professed their faith in You. May each one see his or her special place in this world. May we trust in You as You prepare and strengthen us to live out Your will in maturity of body and spirit. Fill us with wisdom and knowledge. Help us all to use the gifts you have given us when You created us to do Your work in the world. Preserve us

by Your mighty hand. We pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Pastor: Lord Jesus Christ, you are the source of our salvation, our Redeemer from sin and death, the center of our life and hope. May each of us who have declared our faith in You today continually look to You for hope, for pardon, and for peace. Lord Jesus, you are the object of our faith. Help us all to look to You, that we may receive Your grace. We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

Pastor: Holy Spirit, you create faith in the hearts of all believers. Continue to give those who proclaim the name of Christ this day Your power and strength that they may hold steadfastly to the one true faith. Grant grace and mercy to all those who confess Christ, that even in the face of adversity, danger, strife, and death they may know the comfort of your unending presence. We pray to the Lord: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: Into Your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **People: Amen.**

OFFERING OFFERTORY

ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Lord's Prayer

Pastor: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

People: 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

DISTRIBUTION

(At this time, we ask the family of Logan Glodowski to the Altar first, followed by the remaining members at Worship today.)

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn

Softly and Tenderly #432 HFG