Northland Lutheran Church LCMC

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Sunday, May 11, 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 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

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

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

Thursday May 15, 2025 AA Meeting @ 7 PM

NEXT SUNDAY, May 18, 2025 Projector: Craig Anderson 10:00 AM Worship

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



Dale Thompson is looking for volunteers to work the OLD CAR SHOW. Your hours can be donated to Northland Lutheran Church or any other organization you would like. Please contact him at 715-445-3156

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

Here I am Lord (Printed)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Call to Worship: taken from Psalm 71

Pastor: In you, LORD, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame **People:** Be my rock of refuge, to which I

can always go; give the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

Pastor: For you have been my hope, Sovereign LORD, my confidence since my youth.

People: From birth I have relied on you; you brought me forth from my mother's womb. I will ever praise you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Hymn of Praise

Power of your Love (Printed)

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Proverbs 1:1-9

The proverbs of Solomon son of David, king of Israel: ² for gaining wisdom and instruction; for understanding words of insight; ³ for receiving instruction in prudent behavior, doing what is right and just and fair; ⁴ for giving prudence to those who are simple, knowledge and discretion to the young—⁵ let the wise listen and add to their learning, and let the discerning get guidance—

⁶ for understanding proverbs and parables, the sayings and riddles of the wise.

⁷ The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction. ⁸ Listen, my son, to your father's instruction and do not forsake your mother's teaching. ⁹ They are a garland to grace your head and a chain to adorn your neck.

1 Thessalonians 2:6-10

We were not looking for praise from people, not from you or anyone else, even though as apostles of Christ we could have asserted our authority. ⁷ Instead, we were like young children among you. Just as a nursing mother cares for her children, 8 so we cared for you. Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well. ⁹ Surely you remember, brothers and sisters, our toil and hardship; we worked night and day in order not to be a burden to anyone while we preached the gospel of God to you. ¹⁰ You are witnesses, and so is God, of how holy, righteous and blameless we were among you who believed.

Gospel

Mark 7:5-13

⁵ So the Pharisees and teachers of the law asked Jesus, "Why don't your disciples live according to the tradition of the elders instead of eating their food with defiled hands?" ⁶ He replied, "Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you hypocrites; as it is written:" 'These people

honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me.⁷ They worship me in vain; their teachings are merely human rules.' 8 You have let go of the commands of God and are holding on to human traditions." ⁹ And he continued, "You have a fine way of setting aside the commands of God in order to observe your own traditions! ¹⁰ For Moses said, 'Honor your father and mother,' and, 'Anyone who curses their father or mother is to be put to death.' 11 But you say that if anyone declares that what might have been used to help their father or mother is Corban (that is, devoted to God)— ¹² then you no longer let them do anything for their father or mother. ¹³ Thus you nullify the word of God by your tradition that you have handed down. And you do many things like that."

Hymn

Oh Give Us Homes #538 Green Hymnal

MESSAGE

Prayer

Apostle's Creed

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

And 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. 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**

OFFERING OFFERTORY

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

Please respond with: Lord, hear our Prayer.

For the Holy Spirit's work in our lives, that in hearing and following Christ, our Shepherd, we would pass through every tribulation to our eternal heavenly home, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For faithful men to pastor the Church of God, that in the face of fierce opposition and twisted speech, they would not shrink from proclaiming the kingdom of Christ, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the gift of mothers who raise their children in all things good, a mirror of God's love, that they may be strengthened in their calling and sustained through weary and difficult times, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**For all peoples, nations and tribes, that under God's rule, they may faithfully promote good and punish evil, and that God would reform them when necessary, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the nation of Israel, That You would protect and preserve them and bring them into a saving faith in your dear Son our Lord, Jesus Christ, let us pray to the Lord: Lord, hear our prayer.

For the sick, the suffering and the dying, that the Lord would deliver and comfort them, guard them against despair, and grant them patience in the days of our trouble as we await His perfect healing, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord**, **hear our prayer**.

For faith to endure the tribulations of this life and pass through death to join the saints in the ceaseless praises of heaven, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

O Lord, You promised to raise up a shepherd to deliver Your sheep from all their enemies. We give You thanks for giving us Your own Son to be our Good Shepherd. Grant us to hear His voice, know Him by faith and follow where He leads, that He may deliver us into Your arms forever; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

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

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn

Days of Elijah (Printed) DAYS OF ELIJAH

These are the days of Elijah, Declaring the word of the Lord: And these are the days of Your servant Moses,

Righteousness being restored. And though these are days of great trial,

Of famine and darkness and sword, Still, we are the voice in the desert crying

'Prepare ye the way of the Lord!'

Behold He comes riding on the clouds,

Shining like the sun at the trumpet call;

Lift your voice, it's the year of jubilee, And out of Zion's hill salvation comes.

These are the days of Ezekiel,
The dry bones becoming as flesh;
And these are the days of Your
servant David,
Rebuilding a temple of praise.
These are the days of the harvest,
The fields are as white in Your world,
And we are the laborer's in Your

vineyard,
Declaring the word of the Lord!

There's no God like Jehovah. There's no God like Jehovah