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The Lord's Day – May 21, 2017

8:45 a.m. – Coffee & fellowship time in small gym
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School & Small Group Studies – classes for all ages

Theme: God's Majesty

I Chronicles 29:11 – “Yours, O LORD, is the greatness, the power and the glory, the victory and the majesty; for all that is in heaven and in earth is Yours; Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, and You are exalted as head over all.”

MORNING WORSHIP
10:45 a.m.

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| Prelude | |
| Choir Opener: | “My Jesus, Fair” |
| Hymn: | “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” #6 |
| Welcome & Prayer: | Pastor Grotzke |
| Announcements | |
| Special Music: | Joyce Wold & Sharon Olsen |
| Hymn: | “Praise to the Lord, The Almighty” #26 |
| Offertory: | Jeremy Steinhart |
| Choir: | “Be Strong in the Lord” |
| Hymn: | “He Is King” #33 |
| Special Music: | Jill Thorson |
| Message: | Pastor Grotzke |
| Closing Prayer: | Dave Simmons |

5:30 p.m. – Orchestra practice

EVENING SERVICE
6:00 p.m.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE
Offertory: Thorson Kids Trio
Special music: Abe Imdieke
-Teen Girls

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, 9:00 a.m. – Ladies Cabin Fever in the fireside room; ladies, please bring something to go with a salad bar lunch.
Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Midweek service: Praise & Prayer meeting; Youth Group; Kids' Bible Club (K3 through 6th grade)

LRCS NEWS:

Tuesday, May 23 – Kindergarten Graduation at 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 24 – 8th Grade Graduation and MS Awards Ceremony at 1:00 p.m.
Thursday, May 25 – Last day of school!
– Elementary Awards Ceremony at 11:00 a.m.
Friday, May 26 – Class of 2017 Graduation Ceremony at 7:00 p.m.

LOOKING AHEAD:

May 29, 10:30 a.m. – Memorial Day service at Gull River Cemetery
June 4 – The Lord's Table in evening service
June 10 – 7:30 a.m. – Men/Boys' Bible study at Burger King
June 17 – Memorial Service for Robert Pagarigan
July 24-27 – Vacation Bible School

LAPS BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:

Ushers passed out baby bottles last Sunday to those interested in participating in the fund-raising for Lakes Area Pregnancy Support Center. If you didn't get a bottle and would like to help, please feel free to pick one up at the Welcome Center. You may fill the bottle with your loose change until Father's Day, then return it to the Welcome Center attendant or to Betty Wolhart. Please don't leave them unattended. There are information hand-outs there; also slips you may fill out if you want a tax receipt. The receipt slip can be placed in the bottle when you turn it in. Thank you for your help.

CHANGES IN SMALL GROUP STUDIES:

Starting May 21 in room 214 upstairs: “Don't Waste Your Life” (College Age), Bailey Boelter
Adult Sunday 9:30 a.m. studies starting June 4:
Membership class, Pastor Wayne; Life Book (Young Adults), Nate Grotzke; I Am a Church Member (Home Builders), Steve Ogren; Conflict Resolution (Women's Class), Cindy Grotzke; Heaven (Mixed Adults), Gordon Struble/Pastor Grotzke; I Corinthians (Adults combined), Lindsay Jones
Wednesday evening small groups starting June 7:
Financial Peace, Scott Imdieke; The Characteristics of Christ, Lindsay Jones; Conqueror Series, Pastor Grotzke

SCRIP CARD INFO:

Joy Ogren has two J.C. Penney Scrip cards at \$25 each. They are going out of business soon and LRCS doesn't want to be left with these cards. Please see Joy as soon as possible if you are interested.

LAWN MOWERS NEEDED:

The church needs two used push lawn mowers. If you have one you no longer need, or if you see one at a garage sale you could pick up and donate, it would be much appreciated. Questions? See Pastor Wayne.

“WAR ROOM” DVD’S:

If you have a “War Room” DVD and have watched it, please return it to Pastor’s office so it can be passed on to challenge others.

JOB OPENING:

Betty Wolhart is ready to retire (for the second time), and we are looking for a replacement for her. Because we are moving into the technological era, we have redefined the position. There will be a new title, **Administrative Assistant**, and it will include all the things that Betty has been doing, and in addition, it will take on the responsibility of upgrading and maintaining the church website and preparing power point presentations for our pastors and others who may need them. Also included will be any future media presentations or projects the church takes on. It will be a part time job (20 to 25 hours a week). If you are interested, see Clarence Wold for a more detailed job description.

MAY GREETERS:

East: Gary & Janice Mathison Middle: Jerry & Jill Rivers
West: Jack & Jane Anderson Far West: Becky Brewer

CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Happy birthday to Dave Mueller and Melissa Boelter on the 22nd; Richard Poul on the 26th; Lucy Banks and Caleb Anderson on the 27th.

NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:

Sunday, May 21 – a.m. John & Heather Hagen; Forrest & Christina McMahan p.m. Pete & Amy Erickson
Wednesday, May 24 – Julie & Jenn Kovacik, Virgil & Hazel Boelter

Sunday, May 28 - a.m. Steve & Tatum Ogren; Rolund & Karen Wetterlund
p.m. Nate and Darla Grotzke
Wednesday, May 31 – Cindy Grotzke, Katie Gunderson

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| <u>Last Week’s Offerings & Statistics:</u> | | | |
| Offerings: | | | |
| General | \$4, 526.20 | Budget amount needed weekly: | \$8,301.38 |
| Eric Franks | 20.00 | Budget giving YTD: | \$316,760.55 |
| Marnie Krause | 50.00 | Budget needs YTD: | \$307,151.06 |
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| Attendance: Morning service – 24 | Children’s Church – 55 | Nursery – 14 | |
| No evening service | | | |

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