The American Lutheran Church of Windom

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5:30 pm Saturday Chapel Worship 9:00 am Sunday Worship 6:00 pm Worship on Wednesday Pastors Sarah Tadé & Hank Campbell Ministers: Everyone

Mother's Day SUNDAY MAY 13th, 2018 9:00 AM

GATHERING MUSIC Karen Wojahn, Organist

HANDBELL CHOIR "O Waly Waly"

WELCOME and GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME OF NEW MEMBERS

NOISY OFFERING ELCA Scholarship Fund

VIDEO OF THE DAY "Mother's Day"

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

C: Who emptied himself, taking the form of a slave,

L: At the name of Jesus every knee shall bend,

C: And every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

OPENING HYMN "Beautiful Savior" ELW #838

STATEMENT of MISSION

P: In the name of the Triune God,

C: We welcome all, walk together, reflect love, and serve creation

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

L: We confess our sins before God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

L: Lord of life,

C: Though you have made all things new, we still cling to the old. Forgive us when we doubt your presence, resist your call, and lose heart in the face of challenges. Remind us that you are bigger than our problems, our petty concerns, and foolish preoccupations, and restore us with your all- consuming love, Amen.

L: Jesus is risen indeed, and we have received the most precious blessing: life eternal in his kingdom. Neither sin nor evil has the power to separate us from the One who loves us, and the One who forgives us in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Glory to God"

ELW p. 99

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Loving God, you are both humble and highly exalted. Hold before us your ultimate example of servitude and sacrifice, setting the standard for love that knows no boundaries, for the sake of Jesus, Amen.

HANDBELL CHOIR "10,000 Reasons"

CHILDREN'S SERMON Pastor Sarah

READING Philippians 2:1-13 Pew Bible p. 954

The Word of the Lord/ Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE Pastor Sarah

SONG OF THE DAY "Will You Let Me Be Your Servant" (vss. 1-3,5) ELW #659

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

BAPTISM SONG *"Father Welcomes"* (vs. 1) ALC #44

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFFRING

We give, because God gives to us! Our ministries share God's love.

RESPONSE *"Be Not Afraid"* (2 times) ELW #388 PRAYER

No offering can equal your own, O Christ, when you gave yourself completely on our behalf. But still we bring these gifts out of the gratitude of our hearts, seeking always to know you more and pattern our lives after yours. Bless what we offer and sanctify our service in your name, Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN "Now Thank We All Our God" (vss. 1 & 3)

ELW #840

DISMISSAL

Go in Peace, Share the good news! / We will! Thanks be to God! POSTLUDE

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

SCRIPTURE READERS: Judy Woizeschke GREETERS: Ryan and Caitlyn Gilbertson SOUND TECHNICIANS: Daron Friesen

VIDEO MINISTRY VOLUNTEER: Tom Wickie

WELCOME TO Britnee May Myers, who receives the Sacrament of Holy Baptism today. Britnee's parents are Daniel and April Myers and her sponsors are Luke and Kristen Sudenga, Lonnie Smith Jr. (not attending), and Sarah Shepherd (not attending). May God bless this newest member of our congregation!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A YEARBOOK copy, there are copies available on the back counter, please help yourself.

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY All women share the gift of motherhood-whether they have children or not. Happy Mother's Day to youbeloved of God, one who is blessed and who blesses others.

2nd **SUNDAY NOISY OFFERING** is for ELCA Scholarship Fund- any American Lutheran Church Student attending an ELCA College can apply for a scholarship. Letters of request are received in February of each year. This fall we will be sponsoring 4 students. Thank you for your generosity to the ALC Scholarship Fund, and supporting the education of these young adults.

PENTECOST will be celebrated next weekend, May 19-20. As we recall the flames of fire that appeared over the heads of the people gathered in Jerusalem that day, everyone is invited to wear the color red to worship that weekend. The Worship & Music Board also invites you to share red geraniums or other red flowers to decorate our sanctuary and chapel that weekend. Please bring your flowers to church by 9:00 a.m. on Saturday. After Sunday morning worship, you may take your flowers home or leave them at church to be planted.

Mark Your Calendars!!

*ALC Family Swim Nights will be June 17th, July 1st, July 15th & July 29th. Please plan to join us! The Christian Education Board covers the cost of any family that doesn't have a summer pass.

* VBS is scheduled for August 19th - 23rd!! Our theme this year is Shipwrecked! If you are willing to help out, please let Abby know. We NEED you!

GAME NIGHT EXTRAVAGANZA -WE HAVE A NEW DATE! SATURDAY, MAY 19TH @ 7PM next Saturday Night is the big night!! It's not too late!! It's going to be a ton of fun!! Get your family and friends together and get your tickets bought. Tickets can be bought in the church office or contact Lisa at 507-822-6680. (Tickets - \$8)

TAKE STOCK IN OUR YOUTH as of 4/23/18, you have donated to this fundraiser, \$1,075.00. THANK YOU!! We want to thank you for considering helping us in this adventure to Houston, TX.

YOUTH NEWS:

Senior League: 9th-12th graders meet on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 8pm. This is a great social time where the youth can get together in a place founded in love every time we meet. Everyone is welcome!!

Junior League: 6th-8th graders meet on the 1st & 3rd Sundays at 6-8pm. God's Word and Youthful Art is what happens at Jr League. We get together; we do a little Bible journaling and lots of fun together. We are service based group and we love to help out. The projects are not only for our church but for our whole community. Everyone is welcome to come and be a part of league. Bring your friends!!



Welcome to our Newest Members joining us, and thank you to their mentors.

Bill & Vanessa Tjentland - Brita, Sadie, Nolan and Linnea

- Dave and Donna Vaupel

Chad & Daintri Pedersen-Ryan Pedersen, Oliva & Reagan Christians
-Brad and Kelly Hanson

Chad & Kjell Eken - Eleanor

-Molly and Jason Lohrenz

Travis & Krista Martin - Khloey and Brinley

-Jeff and Jen Huska and family

Jon Osher - John Shamp

Emily Steen - Lisa Petersen

Be sure to say hello and WELCOME them!

This Week at American Lutheran Sunday, May 13th

Mother's Day/ Second Sunday Noisy Offering 9:00 AM Worship w/New Members 10:00 AM Coffee Hour

Monday, May 14th

Tuesday, May 15th 7:15 AM Men's Breakfast Bible Study 1:30 PM Staff Meeting

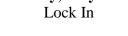
Wednesday, May 16th

5:15 PM Holy Happy Hour 5:15 PM Supper 6:00 PM Worship 6:30 PM BAM 6:30 PM Confirmation 8:00 PM YG 2018

Thursday, May 17th

9:00 AM Bulletin Deadline 9:00 AM Conference Pastors Mtg. 10:00 AM & 6:30 PM Cable TV 2:00 PM Women's Bible Study

> Friday, May 18th Lock In





Saturday, May 19th 5:30 PM Chapel Service

7:00 PM Game Night Extravaganza

Sunday, May 20th

Pentecost

9:00 AM Worship/Sr. Recognition 10:00 AM Coffee Hour & Hotdish for Houston

> 5:00 PM Soup & Bread 6:00 PM Jr. League

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