

St. Mark

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Reach, Teach, Rejoice!

**OPENING HYMN 195 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty**

M: O Lord, open my lips



**C** And my mouth shall de-clare your praise.

M: Hasten to save me, O God.



**C** O Lord, come quickly to help me.

M: Give glory to God, our light and our life.



**C** Come, oh, come, let us wor - ship.

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**COME, OH, COME, LET US SING TO THE LORD**

*Refrain*



Come, oh, come, let us sing to the Lord,



let us shout with joy to our sav - ing Rock;

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This Week at St. Mark

- Monday - Worship Service 7:00 pm
- Wednesday - Children’s Service 8:30 am
- Bible Class Lexington Assisted Living Center 3:30 pm
- Thursday - Bible Class 6:30 am
- Friday - Mowing: Lawn-Brian Wiles, Lot-Trevor Wiles
- Saturday - Church Cleaning: Sec. 1 Amy Tumblin Sec. 2 Hussman
- Sunday - Outdoor Service @ Antelope Park 10:00 am –followed by a potluck

**Installation**—Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> after the 4:00 pm installation service for Pastor Joel Vogel, we will be having a catered meal of pork chops, salads and desserts, with an alternative of macaroni and cheese for the children. Please join us for food and fellowship! If you are planning on attending the meal, please sign up on the sheet on the usher’s table.

**Moving Expense Fund** - In order for us to be as prepared as possible for our new pastor, we ask you to consider a gift for the Moving Expense Fund. You may write “Moving Expense Fund” on the envelope and put this special gift into the offering plate.



Holy Trinity

May 31, 2015

**Nursery** At St. Mark, we love children and encourage their worship, too! In the foyer, we have some children's busy bags hanging from hooks that you are most welcome to use. If your child becomes restless during the service and you feel you both could just use a little break, you're welcome to use the nursery. Most of us have or have had young children, so you're with caring people who understand what it's like to have little ones.

**Camp Jefferson**—The dates for camp this year are Friday, July 17 through Sunday, July 19. The camp is for children entering grades 3 - 8 and the cost per child is \$50. Registration is from May 1 - July 5 and can be done on the camp website: [www.wescampjefferson-welsne.org](http://www.wescampjefferson-welsne.org). Payment and donations can be made by check or by PayPal on the website. If you have any questions feel free to send an email to [wescampjefferson@gmail.com](mailto:wescampjefferson@gmail.com) or call Pastor Steve Kruschel at 402-745-0055. The theme for camp this year is "The Price Was Right" (1 Corinthians 6:20).

**WELS Teen Camp**—The dates for WELS Teen Camp this year are Sunday, July 19 through Wednesday, July 22 at Camp Jefferson, Fairbury, Nebraska. The camp is for those entering 9th grade through age 19 and the cost is \$60 per person. For additional information please contact Steve Baumann at (402)310-8538 or [welsteen-camp@yahoo.com](mailto:welsteen-camp@yahoo.com). The registration deadline for anyone wanting a T-shirt is July 5th.

**Groceries** - Do you shop at Super Saver? The Scrip (gift card) program that raises money for Nebr. Lutheran High School is considering adding Super Saver scrip. Before we do that, however, we need to know if enough people in Lincoln would regularly purchase the scrip. People who purchase scrip have the option of sharing profits with St. Mark's School, so that may be an added incentive for you to start using scrip. If you or someone you know shops at Super Saver and is interested in using scrip to earn extra money for our schools, please let me know. A scrip order form is located on the bulletin board in Carolyn's office or on our grade school's website. Carol Hans [402-430-1053](tel:402-430-1053), [hanslec@windstream.net](mailto:hanslec@windstream.net).

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come, en - ter in with our songs of praise,

*Repeat for use with canon*  
come, en - ter in with thanks - giv - ing.

*Verses*  
1. You are a great and a won - drous God,  
2. Come, let us wor - ship and, bow - ing low,  
cup - ping in your hands all the depths of earth.  
kneel be - fore the One who has made us all.  
You made the hills and the moun - tains high,  
You are the God whom we call our own,  
*to Refrain*  
you made the seas and the dry shep - land.  
we are the flock that you herd.

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### Prayer of the Day

Almighty God and Father, dwelling in majesty and mystery, filling and renewing all creation by your eternal Spirit, and manifesting your saving grace through our Lord Jesus Christ: in mercy cleanse our hearts and lips that, free from doubt and fear, we may ever worship you, one true immortal God, with your Son and the Holy Spirit, living and reigning, now and forever.

### Psalms 63

In the morn - ing I will sing, I will  
sing glad songs to you, I will sing glad songs of praise to



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O God, you are my God; for you I long; for you my soul is thirsting. My body pines for you like a dry, weary land without water. So I gaze on you in the sanctuary to see your strength and your glory.

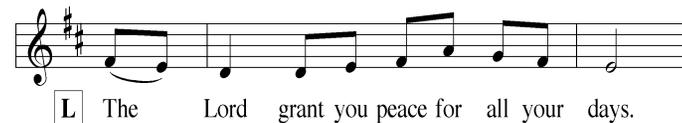


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For your love is better than life, my lips will speak your praise. So I will bless you all my life, in your name I will lift up my hands. My soul shall be filled as with a banquet, my mouth shall praise you with joy.



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### CLOSING HYMN 177 Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest

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#### Please remember in your prayers...

- Sarah Brauer (Margaret Booth's daughter)
- Lisa Vogel Rittierodt and her Family (Pastor Vogel's sister)
- Jacob Kander, Jean & Denny Riegsecker's nephew.
- Alida Freese, Julie Nelson's mother
- Pastor Joel Vogel & Family



Birthdays— Alina Theiler 6/3 Anniversaries—Dave & Karen Witt 6/1, Rod & Kandy Kramer 6/5

#### THANK YOU FOR SERVING

Elders: Nate Workentine, Ben Schroeder  
 Ushers: James Mullen, Tyson Martin  
 Greeters: Tracy Jamison, Maclain Randazzo  
 Organist: Eva Van Egmond

## PRAYER FOR GRACE

**C:** O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to this new day. Defend us with your mighty power, and grant that this day we neither fall into sin nor run into any kind of danger; and in all we do, direct us to what is right in your sight, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. Amen.

**M:** Let us praise the Lord.



**C** Thanks be to God.

## BLESSING



**L** The Lord bless and keep you.



**C** A - men.



**L** The Lord's face ev - er shine up - on you.



**C** A - men.

On my bed I remember you. On you I muse through the night, for you have been my help; in the shadow of your wings I rejoice. My soul clings to you; your right hand holds me fast.



In the morn-ing I will sing, I will



sing glad songs to you, I will sing glad songs of praise to



you. I will sing glad songs of praise to you.

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## FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 6:1-8

## GOSPEL LESSON

John 12:20-33

**M:** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C:** The Lord is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia! Death has been swallowed up in victory. Alleluia!

## HYMN 194

Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices

## SERMON

II Corinthians 13-14

May the Blessings of the Triune God Rest Upon You

- I. The Grace of the Son
- II. The Love of the Father
- III. The Unity of the Holy Spirit

## YOU ARE GOD; WE PRAISE YOU



You are God; we praise you. You are Lord; we ac - claim you.



To you, O Fa-ther ho - ly, all cre - a-tion of - fers praise.



*Verses*  
 1. With the an - gels in heav - en,  
 2. Cre - a - tor of all things, **We praise you, we**  
 3. O Christ, King of glo - ry,



**praise you!** With the cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim,  
 O Je - sus Christ, the Son of God, **We**  
 You be - came a man to set us free;



**praise you, we praise you!** With the mar - tyrs and your  
 To the Trin - i - ty most  
 And with all your saints in



ho - ly Church, *to Refrain*  
 bless - ed, **We sing in end - less praise!** *to Refrain*  
 glo - ry, *to Final Refrain*

**Final Refrain**



**You are God; we praise you. You are Lord; we ac - claim you.**



**To you, O Fa - ther ho - ly, all cre - a - tion of - fers praise,**



**all cre - a - tion of - fers praise, all cre - a - tion of - fers praise.**

**OFFERING**

We ask all members and non-members to please fully complete the friendship cards located in the hymn racks. Thank you.

**LORD, HAVE MERCY**

**M:** In the morning, O Lord, I call to you be merciful and hear my prayer.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have



mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**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.**

**HYMN 753 Father, God of Grace, You Knew Us (see insert)**