

**LAETARE**  
**MARCH 11, 2018**

**TODAY, at the 9:00 am service, we celebrate the deepest and holiest mysteries of the Church as we partake of our Lord's Body and Blood.** We who are baptized into the Body of Christ and have been brought to confess the Christ in truth and purity, receive forgiveness, and are made one in this Sacrament. In the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, we continue the practice of the Church throughout history in communing only those who have confessional unity with us in the pure doctrine of Scripture. **If you are not a member of Mount Hope and wish to commune, please speak with the pastor before the service.**

**Elder in case of emergencies:**

A-C – Benjamin Craig – 266-9773  
D-G – Mike Baden – 277-9230  
H-J – Dan Klassen – 262-7205  
K-M – Randy Sorenson – 262-0328  
N-R – Ken Temme – 247-1637  
S-Z – Bob Doctor – 267-6582

**Church Secretary Hours:**

**Monday – Thursday: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm**

*In the event of an emergency or if pastoral care is requested, please feel free to contact Pastor Preus at the church office (234-8428), or on his cell phone (262-8571). If Pastor Preus is unavailable, please contact your Elder.*

**SAVE THE DATES! Lander Youth Camp**

**WHEN: August 5-9, 2018**

**WHO: Children aged 10 through High School**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 1. Registration info coming soon. See Pastor Preus or Michele Sorenson for more information.**

**EASTER UPDATE!** Thanks to all who volunteered for bringing Easter breakfast supplies. **The completed list is on the table in the narthex.** **ALSO,** if you would like to help with the Easter Egg Hunt, Tiana Harris is requesting **FILLED, plastic eggs.** You may drop these eggs off in the church office or give them to Tiana. **THANK YOU** for your generosity!!

**SERVING OUR LORD TODAY**

**9:00 AM**  
**Pastor:** Rev. Dr. Christian Preus  
**Elder:** Benjamin Craig  
**Acolyte:** Brody Parks  
**Organist:** Lydia Ekin  
**Greeters:** Parks family  
**Ushers:** Greg Harris, Chad Thorne, Tim Switzer

**THIS WEEK AT MOUNT HOPE**

*The Elder assisting with hospital calls and shut-in visits this week:*

Benjamin Craig

Sunday 3/11	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Communion</b>
	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>Sunday School and Bible Study</b>
Monday	<b>7:30 PM</b>	<b>"Tortured for Christ" Movie @ Fox</b>
Tuesday		
Wednesday	<b>8:05 AM</b>	<b>Divine Service</b>
	<b>4:15 PM</b>	<b>Jr. Confirmation</b>
	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>Soup Supper (Church Council)</b>
	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>Midweek Lenten Vespers Service</b>
Thursday		
Friday	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Good Shepherd – Fellowship Hall</b>
Saturday		
Sunday 3/18	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Communion</b>
		<b>(Sunday School children singing)</b>
	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>Sunday School and Bible Study</b>

**The Fox Theatre is playing the movie "Tortured for Christ" on TOMORROW, Monday, March 12, at 7:30 pm. The cost is \$12.50, which includes the cost of the book, which will be shipped to everyone who attends the movie. This may sell out quickly so pre-ordering tickets is recommended. Please see Pastor Preus or call the Fox Theatre with any questions.**

**IN OUR PRAYERS**

**Sean Butcher,** brother of R. Walters

**Kimberly Ashby,** daughter of Russel & Julie Paulson  
**Rick & Randi Scherer,** friends of Jan Klassen  
**Ozie Blanton**  
**Sam Cordova IV,** son of Sam Cordova  
**Lex Dyer,** brother of Torie Jacob  
**Mary Long**  
**Dave Love,** brother-in-law of Bonnie Winckler  
**Luke Gooder,** step-brother of R. Walters  
**Barb Dennis**  
**Louis Peltier,** grandson of Ken & Miriam  
**Mike Weaver,** father of Brandon Weaver  
**Eileen Dahl,** sister-in-law of Deloris Radtke  
**Minnie Blacksmith**  
**Lloyd Walters**  
**Ava Allen,** friend of Jessica Jacob  
**Esther Hansen**  
**Dominic Herrera,** friend of Jack & Bev (Geise) Woodcock  
**Andrea Reichard,** friend of Jeff Snyder  
**Wilma Miller**  
**Darlene Johnson,** sister-in-law of P. Gould  
**Sarah Scott,** sister of Lindsey Scott  
**Patricia Hayden,** friend of Pattie Gould  
**JoAnn Adams,** sister-in-law of O. Blanton  
**Don & Shirley Olson**  
**Ryleigh Walton,** great gr-daughter of Bob and Dorothy Harris, Sr.  
**Kent Zwingleberg,** cousin of Mike Baden  
**Sheila Goldsmith**  
**Alan Rollins,** brother of Dennis Rollins  
**Brenda Peters**  
**Alice Rosburg,** mother of Linda Snyder  
**Alberta Irwin,** sister of Dottie Olinger  
**Linda Irwin,** cousin of Tiana Harris  
**Dwayne Gould,** husband of Pattie Gould

**Our shut-ins:**

LaVanda Tipton, Norm Wolfe

**BAPTISMS**

March 11 Rev. Daniel Holthus  
12 years  
March 14 Ashleigh Wigington  
March 15 Jessica Jacob  
March 16 Randy Sorenson

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

Mar. 4/Michael & Breanne Metz II

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Attendance Last Sunday: 142                      One Year Ago: 98

2017-2018	Total Income	Average Monthly Budgeted Expense	Difference
November	\$26,729.00	\$38,251.83	-\$11,522.83
December	\$30,803.60	\$38,251.83	-\$7,448.23
January	\$25,962.47	\$38,251.83	-\$12,289.36
Year to Date	\$227,787.34	\$267,762.81	-\$39,975.47

**NEXT WEEK AT MOUNT HOPE**

**\*CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS: March 17** – Ed Fink; Dan & Jan Klassen  
*If you are not currently on the cleaning list, and would like to be, please speak to Wally Aakre! Thanks!*

**MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICE, March 14:**

**7:00 PM**  
**ELDER:** Bob Doctor  
**GREETERS:** Mike & Pam Baden  
**USHERS TBD** (Anyone who is present and willing to usher during this service)

**NEXT SUNDAY, March 18:**

**9:00 AM**  
**ELDER:** Randy Sorenson  
**ACOLYTE:** Grayson Bouse  
**GREETERS:** Don, John, and Jeannie Sides  
**USHERS: Team H:** Larry Harrington, John Rudd, Bryan & Logan Soliz

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