



The Sound

Know Christ, Live Christ, Make Christ Known



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The Holden Evening Prayer A Modern Lutheran Tradition

During the winter of 1985, Marty Haugen was the musician-in-residence at the Holden Village. This is where he composed the worship service known as The Holden Evening Prayer. This composition is a well-liked contemporary Christian evening service enjoyed by both Lutherans and non-Lutherans alike.

The Holden Village is a Christian retreat located in central Washington near the town of Chelan. The retreat was a former mining town donated to the local Lutheran church in 1957. While on retreat at Holden, there are several indoor and outdoor activities that require no phones, internet or television, although being in the Cascades mountain range you couldn't use them if you needed to. In addition to the many recreational activities, varied educational programs are offered. The retreat is also well known for its uplifting contemporary music and worship services. Visitors can spend as little as one week to one year at the retreat.

The composer of Holden Evening Prayer is from Eagan Minnesota. Marty is a vibrant



The Holden Village, Chelan, WA

performing artist, workshop presenter, musical composer and author of contemporary articles for invigorating worship services. In the 400 plus hymns that he has written, "Gather Us In" and "Now the Feast and Celebration" are very well known. His hymns are used by a wide variety of denominations

including the ELCA, the Mennonite Brethren, the Church of Later Day Saints, the Church of Scotland, the Church of England and many Roman Catholic Churches around the world. Marty now serves as composer-in-residence at Mayflower United Church of Christ in Minneapolis, MN.

Sunday
Service

10:00 AM

Education Hour

8:45 AM

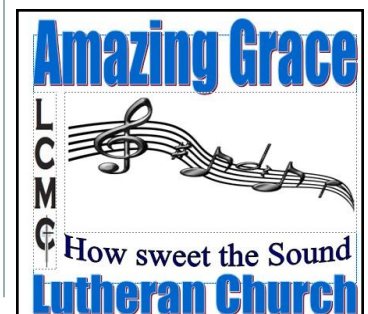
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Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ 375 Congregations Strong

By the middle of March 2010, the LCMC has grown to a total of 375 congregations. Eleven new congregations can now be counted as members of the LCMC.

The new congregations are as follows: Living Word Lutheran Church, Cumberland, MD; Word of Life Lutheran Church, Fairfield, IA; St. John's Lutheran Church, Boerne, TX; First Evangelical

Lutheran Church, Orange Grove, TX; Celebration Church, Fredericksburg, VA; New Hope Lutheran Church, St. Charles/Geneva, IL; Community Lutheran Church, Urbandale, IA; The Vine Evangelical Lutheran Church, Dubuque, IA; Martin Luther Lutheran Church, Giddings, TX; Rivers of Life Community Church, Port Deposit, MD; Peace Lutheran Church, Coeur D'Alene, ID.

Upcoming LCMC Events:

April 18-19, 2010
2010 WordAlone Convention
Golden Valley, Minnesota

April 25-27, 2010
2010 Leadership Conference
Omaha, Nebraska

April 27-28, 2010
Board of Trustees Meeting
Omaha, Nebraska

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Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ Districts—The Heartland District

The Heartland District is one of six LCMC districts based on the location of its members. The district is composed of seventeen members located in Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota and Kansas. Membership in the district is open to both individual pastors and congregations. Anyone who wishes to

join should be familiar with the LCMC constitution and the constitution of the Heartland district. To be considered for membership, one should agree with the Statement of Faith declared by the district. Although it is not required for membership, one should live in the same general area for the conven-

ience of attending district meetings.

For more information about the Heartland District, please contact call (402) 333-4444 at the Lutheran Church of the Master, or www.churchofthemaster.com

Next: North East District.

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World"**
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Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ Encouraging our Youth to be Disciples

Our youth are the building blocks of our faith and our lives. The LCMC is encouraging the Lutheran youth to become disciples of Christ by offering two life-changing events.

The first life-changing week is called E.P.I.C. and is being offered the week of June 20-25th. It is being hosted by St. John Lutheran Church in Roanoke, VA. This week long trip will offer

youth mission projects, adventure, Bible study, cultural projects through arts and sports, and passionate worship.

The second life-changing week is the LCMC Youth Rally and is being offered the week of July 12-15th. It is being hosted by Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Sandy, Utah. This national youth rally will include a wide variety of events, including

keynote speaker Chris Lyons and worship team leader Josh Rosenthal. The youth will be very busy with service projects, bible study, deepening their relationship with Jesus and leadership sessions all offered on University of Utah campus.

Discipleship in today's society includes being passionate and Christ-centered. The LCMC encourages all of its youth to be Disciples of Christ.

Worship Assistance Schedule—April 2010

	Assisting Minister	Scripture Reader	Communion	Acolyte	Usher
April 4	Ellen Adrian	Jim Hylko	Juleen Ihnen	Erik Hylko	Merlin Ihnen
April 11	John Adrian	Caspar Adrian	Beverly Kopischke	Tim Adrian	Fred Burchett
April 18	Cheryl Ramage	Brian Kopischke	Everett Ramage	Erik Hylko	Leroy Wilhelm
April 25	Teri Upshaw	Alison Upshaw	Christy Kopischke	Rachel Upshaw	Larry Upshaw

April Birthdays

4/2.....	Betty Pohland
4/14.....	Carol Beyer
4/15.....	Fred Burchett

April Anniversaries

None

Attendance

2/28.....	27
3/3.....	24
3/7.....	27
3/10.....	33
3/14.....	31
3/17.....	21
3/21.....	26
3/25.....	25

Upcoming Events

Business Meeting

3/31 6:00 p. m.

Maunder Thursday Service

4/1 7:00 p. m.

Good Friday Service

4/2 7:00 p. m.

Easter Sunday

4/4 10:00 a. m.

Paducah Cooperative Ministry Paducah Churches Giving Back to the Community

Amazing Grace Lutheran Church became a member of Paducah Cooperative Ministry (PCM) in December 2009. Kaaren and Buck Mayfield have volunteered to represent AGLC.

PCM provides a homeless shelter, an extended care housing program, a food pantry program, a commodity supplemental food program, an emergency relief program, an emergency meals-on-wheels program, ecumenical activities, Patrick Lally Memorial Scholarship, and "Reflections" television program.

Paducah Cooperative Ministry is an inter-faith ministry founded in 1973 by and for local congregations. The ministry belongs to these congregations and is

governed by these congregations. Currently there are thirty-eight member congregations. The mission statement of PCM is "The Paducah Cooperative Ministry seeks to do God's work with human hands by drawing together individuals and congregations to respond to basic human needs and conditions."

There are several ways in which to donate to PCM. These include monetary donations, goods and food donations, service donations and volunteering at PCM. You can be an office assistant, volunteer drivers, help with special events, become a board member or be a representative from your church. You can also encourage other congregations to join PCM.

Greatest Needs at the Shelter:

Pillows
Bath towels and wash cloths
School supplies
Diapers in the larger sizes (5 & 6)
Portable bassinets and playpens
Strollers – especially when built for two!
Umbrellas
Alarm Clocks

Greatest Food Pantry Needs Include:

Cereal
Spaghetti & Spaghetti Sauce
Soup
Instant Potatoes
Pork 'n Beans & other "Meal-in-a-Can" items
Gallon Zip-Lock Bags

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The monthly newsletter of
Amazing Grace

If you have any questions, comments,
or suggestions for The Sound, please
feel free to contact us anytime.

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Paducah Cooperative Ministry
Food Collection of the Month
Ramen Noodles

Amazing Grace Lutheran Church

We are the new Lutheran Church in Paducah, KY.

We are associated with

Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ.

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Amazing Grace Lutheran Church's website home page

www.amazinggracelutheranpaducah.org

Prayer Requests and Praise

Personal:

Denny (submitted by Betty)
Dee (submitted by Betty)
New grandbaby for Merlin and Juleen
Friends and family of Makon (student at Heath Elem)
Karen and Al (friends of the Jim and Jan)
Dennis and Susan (co-worker of Lynne)
Christine (friend of Fred and Mary)
Faith Lutheran
Chris, Scott, and Kyle (grandsons of Buck and Kaaren)
Friends and family of Warren
Ray (neighbor of Larry and Carol)
Patrick (overseas military - nephew of Everett)
Rusty and Becky Riley and new baby Braydon
Samantha (9 yr. old friend of Teri)
Lynn and Marci (John's parents)
Beau and family (classmate of Erik's)
Gene and Wanda
Greg (neighbor of John and Ellen)

Praising God for:

Passing of 2010 budget
All our worship assistants and custodians in April
Growth of membership in AGLC
Youth leadership in AGLC
God always being one step in front of us
All Education Hour leaders
The Death and Resurrection of Christ

New Requests:

For St. Matthew By the Lake Lutheran Church
All congregations looking for guidance
Youth traveling to other countries
Guidance for the Conformant
New pastor at St. Matthew and the congregation
Those with April birthdays: Betty, Carol and Fred

On-going Requests:

Guidance on rough draft of by-laws
Prayerful thoughts of items on our AGLC "Wish List"
Faith in moving forward; moving forward in unity
Wisdom & guidance in this processes to be done
To move in God's timing and not our own
Give us your vision for your church
Give us a sense of mission
Help us to think differently
Holy Spirit to fill us, lead us, guide us, give us strength,
courage, power
Eliminate our fear
Our brothers and sisters at St. Matthew
For our website to be help for people to seek out AGLC

National:

The new churches recently joining the LCMC
Growth for the LCMC
The LCMC Ministry Board
Monetary support of LCMC
The men & women of our Armed Forces & their families