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BUDGET PRESENTATION:

The 2019 budget will be presented to the congregation for input after church.

HANNAH'S HELPING HANDS:

The Ladies will be meeting this Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASS:

We continue our study of Malachi. Come, study and learn with us. 7:00 p.m.

EVANGELISM MEETING:

Our first Evangelism meeting for 2019 will be held next Sunday after church.

VOTERS:

Plan now to attend our Annual Voters' Meeting on Sunday, Jan. 27th after church. Elections will be held and the 2019 budget discussed and accepted. Come, serve your Lord and Savior.

VICTORY SERVICE: The victory service for Kevin McKenney will be held this Friday at 4 p.m. at Messiah, Hales Corners (visitation 2-4 p.m.). A lunch will follow the service.

CLC NEWS:

 Bethel Lutheran, Morris MN, has called Pastor Richard Kanzenbach, pastor of Morning Star Lutheran, Fairchild WI, Peace with God Lutheran, Onalaska WI, and Trinity Lutheran, Millston WI.

LEGO ROBOTICS SPRING CHALLENGE:

Interested in Legos and robots? 4-8th grade students of the CLC are invited to enter the 2019 CLC Lego Robotics Challenge. The Challenge will be held at ILC during the Spring CLC Basketball Tournaments, March 8-9th 2019. High school or adult teams may be allowed to participate by special request. New this year: Lego Bible Story Challenge. Get more information from Lawrence Bade, Coordinator at Lmsbade@gmail.com.

Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church and School: More Information and Audio Sermons at *middletonlutheran.org*

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How long, O Lord? Will You forget me forever? How long will You hide Your face from me? How long shall I take counsel in my soul, Having sorrow in my heart daily? How long will my enemy be exalted over me? Consider and hear me, O Lord my God; *Enlighten my eyes, Lest I sleep the sleep of death;* Lest my enemy say, "I have prevailed against him"; Lest those who trouble me rejoice when I am moved. But I have trusted in Your mercy; My heart shall rejoice in Your salvation. *I will sing to the Lord,* Because He has dealt bountifully with me.

Psalm 13

Pre-service Preparation: Psalm 13

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

Lutheran Hymnal. P. 5

Opening Hymn:	375
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Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 42:1-7

Isaiah prophesies the coming of the Lord's Servant, upon whom God has put His Spirit. The reference clearly points to the Messiah and to His anointing with the Holy Spirit, which took place at His baptism.

"Behold! My Servant whom I uphold, My Elect One in whom My soul delights! I have put My Spirit upon Him; He will bring forth justice to the Gentiles. 2 He will not cry out, nor raise His voice, Nor cause His voice to be heard in the street. 3 A bruised reed He will not break, And smoking flax He will not quench; He will bring forth justice for truth. 4 He will not fail nor be discouraged, Till He has established justice in the earth; And the coastlands shall wait for His law." 5 Thus says God the Lord, Who created the heavens and stretched them out, Who spread forth the earth and that which comes from it, Who gives breath to the people on it, And spirit to those who walk on it: 6 "I, the Lord, have called You in righteousness, And will hold Your hand; I will keep You and give You as a covenant to the people, As a light to the Gentiles, 7 To open blind eyes, To bring out prisoners from the prison, Those who sit in darkness from the prison house.

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This Week:

Today

9:00 a.m. Sunday School: Daniel Bible Class: Galatians 3 10:00 a.m. Family Worship 11:15 a.m. Budget Presentation

Tuesday

10:30 a.m. Bible Class at Artisan7:00 p.m. Hannah's Helping Hands

Wednesday

9:30-11:30 a.m. Children's Play Group 7:00 p.m. Bible Class

Thursday

10:45 a.m. Bible Class at Heritage

Next Sunday:

9:00 a.m. S.S./Bible Class 10:00 a.m. Family Worship 11:15 a.m. Evangelism Meeting

IN SERVICE TO OUR LORD:

Cleaners this week: A. Gerbitz B. Schaser/Schaser Counters today: Ruth Bernthal & Pam Schulz

LAST WEEK:

Worship 44 S.S. 1 Bible Class 14

OFFERINGS

1/6 for Unified Budget: \$2,841

IN YOUR MAILBOX:

January Calendar & Newsletter. CLC December Financial Report

NEW ENVELOPES:

Everyone should have a new box of envelopes for 2019 in your mailboxes.



The Sermon: read/listen to sermons at www.peacethruchrist.org

Sermon:

Acts 10:34-38

JESUS IS THE LORD OF ALL!

I: His invitation of Grace is offered to all.

II: He has earned Peace with God for all.

III: He wants His life to be Imitated by all.

34 Then Peter opened his mouth and said: "In truth I perceive that God shows no partiality. 35 But in every nation whoever fears Him and works righteousness is accepted by Him. 36 The word which God sent to the children of Israel, preaching peace through Jesus Christ—He is Lord of all— 37 that word you know, which was proclaimed throughout all Judea, and began from Galilee after the baptism which John preached: 38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.

PEACE THRU CHRIST LUTHERAN WELCOMES YOU!

We are glad you are here this morning worshiping your Savior with us. Jesus has come into this



world as the God-Man, our Lord and Savior. He has been placed under the Law for us to keep it perfectly as our Substitute. He gave His life for all and earned peace with our heavenly Father for all people. If you have any questions about what we here at Peace Thru Christ Lutheran teach, please see Pastor Bernthal. We invite you to come again and please also sign our guest book.

Matthew 3:11-17

At His baptism Jesus was formally installed by the Father into His office as our Prophet, Priest, and King. The Holy Spirit came down upon Jesus in the form of a dove. The Father bore witness to the Son, with whom He was well pleased, in a voice from heaven. By this visible and audible demonstration from the Father and the Spirit, the Son was strengthened for His great work of redeeming the world at the beginning of His ministry.

11 I indeed baptize you with water unto repentance, but He who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. 12 His winnowing fan is in His hand, and He will thoroughly clean out His threshing floor, and gather His wheat into the barn: but He will burn up the chaff with unquenchable fire." 13 Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. 14 And John tried to prevent Him, saying, "I need to be baptized



by You, and are You coming to me?" 15 But Jesus answered and said to him, "Permit it to be so now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed Him. 16 When He had been baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting upon Him. 17 And suddenly a voice came from heaven, saying, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."