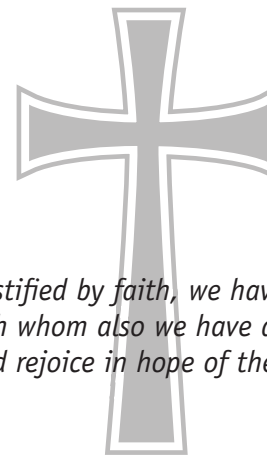


reports on the Lord's work among these sister churches. Pastors Thang and Kham could not come from the CLC Myanmar due to difficulties in crossing the border from Myanmar to India. They did send a report on their work and were with us in our minds and prayers. One of the variety of items that separates us from other Christian churches is our teaching and practice on the two sacraments. These we treasure as means of receiving God's grace in Christ. We received joyous news about the blessed use of the sacrament of Holy Baptism among our sister church bodies in Asia. In the HCLC-Nepal, with 2530 souls, they had around 100 baptisms. In the CLC-India in new congregations they had 84, while through their Gospel meetings another 146 were baptized. In the BELC a partial listing showed 393 washings of regeneration and renewal in the Holy Spirit. We closed our two day conference with communion. If you would like to read the full reports given in these days of fellowship sharing, you can find them on the website www.lutheranmissions.org under "Newsletters" or you can receive the B.A.S.I.C. (Brothers And Sisters In Christ) Newsletter which comes out by email twice a month. The reports will begin with the end of October newsletter. If you want to receive the newsletter by email just send a request to Mary Koenig at dnmkoenig@yahoo.com

CLC Board of Missions
Pastor Todd Ohlmann, chairman

CLC YOUTH:

Greetings! As previously announced, the Young Adults of the area CLC churches are getting together at Faith in Markesan, WI next Saturday, October 16th. We will be starting at 4:00 p.m. so we still have some daylight left for outdoor activities. We must always plan for bad weather, so please bring your favorite game to play and we will utilize the gym if it is raining. We will be serving chili, but the rest is potluck. If you can, please bring a dish to pass. Please also bring your thoughts, ideas, concerns, and anything else you would like to discuss with your fellow Christian young adults. Christian fellowship is an amazing blessing to have in your life. "For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them." Matt 18:20. If you have questions, please send us an email at golfmech86@gmail.com <<http://webmailab.juno.com> or call us: Craig Youngerberg (563) 568-8318, or Jennifer Ohlmann (402) 389-0907. You can also RSVP on our Facebook page TLC of the CLC. Please contact us even if you are just thinking about attending but not sure if you can make it. Thanks! Looking forward to seeing you at Faith in Markesan next Saturday.



Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God. Romans 5:2

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Pre-service Preparation: Psalm 110

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Scripture Readings:

Haggai 1:1-15

Why hadn't it rained? Why didn't the crops grow? Why were the Israelites always short of money? The LORD was withholding these blessings as a test of their faithfulness. They had forsaken the building of the temple and withheld their first-fruits from the LORD using it instead for their paneled houses. May we carefully examine our hearts and lives so that the same thing does not happen among us!

1 In the second year of King Darius, in the sixth month, on the first day of the month, the word of the LORD came by Haggai the prophet to Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest, saying, 2 "Thus speaks the LORD of hosts, saying: 'This people says, "The time has not come, the time that the LORD's house should be built."'" 3 Then the word of the LORD came by Haggai the prophet, saying, 4 "Is it time for you yourselves to dwell in your paneled houses, and this temple to lie in ruins?" 5 Now therefore, thus says the LORD of hosts: "Consider your ways! 6 "You have sown much, and bring in little; You eat, but do not have enough; You drink, but you are not filled with drink; You clothe yourselves, but no one is warm; And he who earns wages, Earns wages to put into a bag with holes." 7 Thus says the LORD of hosts: "Consider your ways! 8 Go up to the mountains and bring wood and build the temple, that I may take pleasure in it and be glorified," says the LORD. 9 "You looked for much, but indeed it came to little; and when you brought it home, I blew it away. Why?" says the LORD of hosts. "Because of My house that is in ruins, while every one of you runs to his own house. 10 Therefore the heavens above you withhold the dew, and the earth withholds its fruit. 11 For I called for a drought on the land and the mountains, on the grain and the new wine and the oil, on whatever the ground brings forth, on men and livestock, and on all the labor of your hands." 12 Then Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, and Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest, with all the remnant of the people, obeyed the voice of the LORD their God, and the words of Haggai the prophet, as the LORD their God had sent him; and the people feared the presence of the LORD. 13 Then Haggai, the LORD's messenger, spoke the LORD's message to the people, saying, "I am with you, says the LORD." 14 So the LORD stirred up the spirit of Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and the spirit of Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and the spirit of all the remnant of the people; and they came and worked on the house of the LORD of hosts, their God, 15 on the twenty-fourth day of the sixth month, in the second year of King Darius.

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IN YOUR MAILBOX::

October Calendar & Newsletter
Mission Newsletter, Fall C.C. Report

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASS:

We continue our Power Point study of the book by Pastor David Lau "Out of Necessity---A History of the Church of the Lutheran Confession" This Wednesday we will be looking at the documents *Concerning Church Fellowship* and *Church and Ministry*. Come, learn with us.

VOTERS:

Don't forget our Quarterly Voters' Meeting next Sunday after church. We encourage all voters to attend.

BACK PEWS:

With the larger attendance that we have been having we would ask that the back pews be left open for parents with small children and babies. Thank you.



REFORMATION

SERVICE:

The joint Reformation service this year will be held at Messiah Lutheran, Hales Corners at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 31st.

MOWING HELP NEEDED FOR OCTOBER:

Thank you to all who have been helping with the mowing. Please

sign the sheet in the entry-way. Remember to mow on Friday-Saturday if possible.

CLC NEWS: Our Redeemer's Lutheran, Red Wing, MN has called Pastor Dave Baker. Pastor Jim Albrecht has returned the call to Luther Memorial, Fond du Lac.

This fall, Messiah Lutheran of Eau Claire, WI will be celebrating 50 years of God's grace. Our observance will take place over a four-week period: October 23-24, "His Word of Grace," October 30-31, "His People of Grace," November 6-7, "His Work of Grace," and November 13-14, "A Future with His Grace." There will be historical slide show presentations following each service. The final service on November 14 will feature a fellowship meal. All members and friends of Messiah who would like to participate are warmly invited.

CLC MISSION NEWS:

The Fall 2010 Board of Missions report to the Coordinating Council and a short introductory video to the upcoming 2010 CLC Mission Video have been posted to: www.lutheranmissions.org. Both of these items can be found in the "What's New" section on the homepage.

Eighteen men from the CLCI (India), BELC (India), and HCLCN (Nepal) and two CLC missionaries met for two days in Nellore, India to share

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PEACE THRU CHRIST LUTHERAN WELCOMES YOU!

We are happy to have you with us this morning. We pray the message of our Savior fills your hearts with peace and joy. Jesus is the One Foundation upon which we build our congregation. He and His Word is the Cornerstone of all that we teach, preach and believe. We are continually working at building Christ's Church by proclaiming the Law and the Gospel. The Law to convict of sin and the Gospel to convert and lead to repentance and faith in Jesus Christ. We hope you come again to hear more about your Savior-God. If you would like Pastor Bernthal to visit with you, just ask. He'd be more than happy to do so. Please also sign our guest book in the entry way.

BEFORE CHURCH:

Today

Sunday School---The Resurrection of Jesus
Bible Class: Acts 21

THIS WEEK

Today

11:10 a.m. Choir
11:25 a.m. Church Council

Monday

7:00 p.m. Confirmation/Brandle-Gerbitz

Tuesday

10:30 a.m. Bible Class
at Oak Park Place

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. Bible Class

Thursday

4:00 p.m. Confirmation/McDonald
7:00 p.m. B.O.C.E.

Next Sunday

9:00 a.m. S.S./Bible Class
10:00 a.m. Family Worship
11:10 a.m. Choir
11:25 a.m. Quarterly Voters' Meeting

LAST SUNDAY Attendance:

Worship: 64 SS. 15 Bible Class 25

OFFERINGS 9/27

for Unified Budget: \$2,283
\$25 Parsonage Windows/Siding

**Peace thru Christ Lutheran Church and School
September 2010 Financial Summary**

	Month of Sept			Year-To-Date		
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
Offerings	8,367	8,400	(33)	84,176	85,400	(1,224)
Other income	200	200	-	200	200	-
Total income	8,567	8,600	(33)	84,376	85,600	(1,224)
Expenses	10,444	9,472	972	88,405	88,113	292
Income in excess of (less than) expenses	(1,877)	(872)	(1,005)	(4,029)	(2,513)	(1,516)

Matthew 23:37-24:2

Jesus predicts the destruction of the temple. Yes, the very one Haggai is encouraging the people to rebuild. The reason the ONE TEMPLE will no longer be needed is because the REAL TEMPLE of the LORD is His ruling in the hearts of His children (the believers) with His Word.

37 "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing! 38 See! Your house is left to you desolate; 39 for I say to you, you shall see Me no more till you say, 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!'"
Matthew 24

1 Then Jesus went out and departed from the temple, and His disciples came up to show Him the buildings of the temple. 2 And Jesus said to them, "Do you not see all these things? Assuredly, I say to you, not one stone shall be left here upon another, that shall not be thrown down."

The Sermon: audio sermons at www.middletonlutheran.org

Sermon Text: Haggai 2:1-9

**THE LATTER GLORY OF GOD'S HOUSE—
AN ENCOURAGEMENT TO THE BUILDERS: PAST & PRESENT.**

1 In the seventh month, on the twenty-first of the month, the word of the LORD came by Haggai the prophet, saying: 2 "Speak now to Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and to the remnant of the people, saying: 3 'Who is left among you who saw this temple in its former glory? And how do you see it now? In comparison with it, is this not in your eyes as nothing? 4 Yet now be strong, Zerubbabel,' says the LORD; 'and be strong, Joshua, son of Jehozadak, the high priest; and be strong, all you people of the land,' says the LORD, 'and work; for I am with you,' says the LORD of hosts. 5 'According to the word that I covenanted with you when you came out of Egypt, so My Spirit remains among you; do not fear!'

6 "For thus says the LORD of hosts: 'Once more (it is a little while) I will shake heaven and earth, the sea and dry land; 7 and I will shake all nations, and they shall come to the Desire of All Nations, and I will fill this temple with glory,' says the LORD of hosts. 8 'The silver is Mine, and the gold is Mine,' says the LORD of hosts. 9 'The glory of this latter temple shall be greater than the former,' says the LORD of hosts. 'And in this place I will give peace,' says the LORD of hosts."