

Morrison Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

*Our mission is to **Glorify God** as we help people **Grow in the Gospel** and **Go with the Gospel***

Welcome! We thank God that you have joined us at worship today. Please sign our guest book near the double door entrance. Restrooms are in the basement near the double stairs.

Today we gather together in the very presence of God. He is present among us in a special way through his Word and Sacrament. We humbly acknowledge our sin and rejoice in the good news of forgiveness through the life and death of Christ. This is the focus of all of our worship.

2nd Sunday in Lent March 20, 2011

The gift of God comes by faith to all nations.

Service: Word (p. 38, omit *Oh, Taste and See*)

Hymns: 337, 391, 750, 404

Anthem: *John 3:16* Grades 3-4 after prayer of day

Prayer of the Day: Almighty God, you see that we have no power to defend ourselves. Guard and keep us both outwardly and inwardly from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

First Lesson: Genesis 12:1-8

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 121 (page 112)

Second Lesson: Romans 4:1-5,13-17

Verse of the Day: Jesus humbled himself and became obedient to death, even death on a cross.

Gospel: John 4:5-26

Sermon: Romans 4:1-5,13-17
God Gives Life To The Dead

Musical Offering: *More Precious Than Silver*
Luke Witt

Our Stewardship of the Means of Grace:
Worship: 281 (48, 233)

Communion: 144

Lent: 213 (149, 64)

Bible Class: 210 (49, 49, 18, 14, 11, 5, 6, 9)

Youth Class: 20

Sunday	10:00 a.m. Sunday School 7:00 p.m. Book Study, basement
Monday	7:00 a.m. Bible Study, basement 7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study, school
Tuesday	2:00 p.m. Bible Study, basement 7:00 p.m. Bread of Life Study,
Wednesday	11:00 a.m. Lenten Worship 12:00 p.m. Soup Supper 5:00 p.m. Catechism 5:00 p.m. Grades 4-5 Bible History 5:30 p.m. Grades 1-3 Bible History 6:30 p.m. Soup Supper 7:30 p.m. Lenten Worship 8:15 p.m. Choir
Sunday	8:00 a.m. Worship Study, commons 8:00 a.m. Christ-Light, basement 9:00 a.m. Worship, communion 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 7:00 p.m. Book Study, basement Scrip order deadline

It has pleased our heavenly father to call the soul of Mr. Elroy Lemke to his eternal home. Elroy died Thursday, March 10 and received a Christian funeral at Woodside Manor on Monday, March 21. Please remember all who mourn Elroy's death in your prayers.

Book Study will discuss chapter 7 of *Handling the Word of Truth* this week.

Monday Bible Study will continue a study of *The Life of David* at 7:00 a.m.

Tuesday Bible Study will continue our study of *1 Kings* this week by looking at chapter 8.

Bread of Life Study, one of our women's Bible studies, will meet Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. After continuing our study on Christian Prayer we will make Baked Chop Suey. Please bring a 2 quart casserole pan. Contact Paula Ott if you want her to pick up ingredients for you.

Of the people of the passion, do you know the man whom we could call the Silent Believer? Are you at all like him? Learn who he was and how he came to break his silence. Join us Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. or 7:30 p.m..

Adult Christ-Light meets Sundays at 8:00 a.m. in the church basement. Join us and learn the same stories as the children of the congregation!

New Bible Study We will begin the study *Worship* next Sunday at 8:00 a.m. in the commons. The first lesson is *The Basics*.

Pancake/Porkie Breakfast The Youth Group will serve breakfast on Sunday, March 27 at 7:30 a.m. and after worship. Please join us!

MLHS Hot Lunch We will serve hot lunch at Manitowoc Lutheran High School on Tuesday, March 22. Sign up sheets are in the basement.

Ladies Aid invites everyone (including youth group members) to join us on Thursday, April 7 at 7:15 p.m. in the commons for a presentation on Christian Life Resources. Don Potthast will speak to us on the mission of Christian Life Resources and the scriptural foundation for our positions on life issues. Dessert and refreshments will be served. We will have a short business meeting at 6:30 p.m.

LWMS National Convention Make your reservations now for the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society National Convention held in Mil-

waukee, June 23-26. Deadline for reservations is April 1. The convention is a wonderful opportunity to gather together with other mission-minded WELS women for worship, fellowship, and learning about missions at home and around the world. The convention typically begins with a communion worship service on Thursday evening and ends with a service on Sunday morning. Friday and Saturday are filled with a mixture of mission speakers, workshops, devotions and entertainment. There is a bus from Sturgeon Bay that we can ride on for \$70.00. If you have questions or would like to make reservations please contact Lois Zeamer or Sarah Ihlenfeldt.

Reminder Please return the information to update the records of the church. If you have misplaced your sheet there are sheets available on the table by the mailboxes.

CD's and DVD's from the Mission Festival/Choir Concert at the end of February are available on the table located by the mailboxes.

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