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Welcome to all our guests and visitors today! We hope you return and worship with us again soon! Large print bulletins are available from the ushers. Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod members are welcome to receive the Lord's Supper today. Registration cards are in the pews or a sheet is placed in the south entry. Cards may be given to the usher when going up for communion or after the service, or you may contact Pastor Rucker directly. **Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the north entry after the service!**

Our response to God's Love:

Sunday Nov 2, 2014: Attendance: **149** Giving Total: **\$7483.50**

General: \$7147.00 Mission: \$215.00 Misc.: \$100.00 Donuts: \$21.50

Treasurer's report as of 11/04/2014: YTD Inflows: \$201,410.20
YTD Outflows: **\$247,920.48**
Balance: **-\$46,510.28**

The deficit has diminished some in the past few weeks but we still have a long way to go. With less than two months remaining in the year, let's keep pushing to narrow the gap a little more each week.

Stewardship Corner: **Genesis 1:1** "In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth." We are not our own – God has made us and we are His. He made everything so it is all His. And how kindly He has blessed us with the many gifts of His creation! Faithful stewardship starts right here...in the beginning.

Sharing God's love:

Food/money for the Sibley County Food Share will be collected Nov 2-16. There's a box in the south entry for food, money can be given to LWML Treas Lois Bode.

Cap~Mitten~Scarf Tree will be in the south entry Nov 9-30. Donations will be given to Sibley Cnty Human Services for "Santa's Helpers".
(Sponsored by LWML, supported by you! THANKS!)

Events for November 9 - 16

Today: 8:30AM Sunday School
8:45AM Bible Study
10:00AM Divine Service, Holy Communion

Tuesday: 10:15AM Service @ Fairfax

Wednesday: 8:30AM Chapel
7:00PM Hand-bell practice

Thursday: 3:15PM Parent-Teacher Conferences

Fri-Saturday: 7:00PM "Schoolhouse Rock Live", LHS Mayer

Next Sunday: 8:30AM Sunday School
8:45AM Bible Study
10:00AM Divine Service
Veterans' Reception/Thrivent election
2:00PM "Schoolhouse Rock Live", LHS Mayer

Happy Birthday to Lisa Schwecke (Today),

Maria Forstner (Mon), Debra Fischer & Justin Templin (Tues)
and Cody Bode (Wed). *God bless your special day!!*

Announcements:

Hand-bell Choir has begun practice for the season on Wednesdays at 7:00pm. *Anyone is welcome to ring with us!*

Veteran's Reception and Potluck will be held after worship on Sunday, Nov. 16th. *EVERYONE is invited to attend in honor and thanks for all they have done for us, and our country!*

Thrivent Sibley County Board election will be held Nov 16th after worship. See Lois B. or Miriam G. if you can't vote that day. Our church will receive \$1 from Sibley County Thrivent for each Thrivent member who votes in the election. *Thanks to Sibley County Thrivent for expense stipends towards the Veteran's Reception and towards the Sibley County Board election.* **Thrivent National Board election** runs through Nov. 22. Members have received materials in the mail and can vote via mail or online. Don't forget!

Mayer Lutheran High presents "Schoolhouse Rock Live" (based on the 1970's cartoon of fun songs that teach classroom lessons) *this* Friday & Saturday at 7:00 and Sunday at 2:00. General Admission, \$7-adults, \$5- students/seniors, at the door.



Sunday November 9, 2014

Divine Service 4
Holy Communion

Confession & Absolution pg203

Entrance Hymn **750 vs1-3**
"If Thou But Trust In God to Guide..."

Kyrie pg204

Gloria in Excelsis pg204

Salutation & Collect pg205

Scripture readings:

Old Testament Amos 5:18-24

P: This is the word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God

Epistle 1Thess. 4:13-18

P: This is the word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God

Alleluia & Verse pg205-206

Holy Gospel Matt 25:1-13

A: Glory to You, O Lord

After the reading...

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord

A: Praise to You, O Christ

Nicene Creed pg206

Hymn of the Day **750 vs 4-7**
"If Thou But Trust In God to Guide..."

Sermon

Prayers

Offering

Service of Sacrament pg208-210

Agnus Dei pg210

Distribution Hymns (as needed)

680, 508, 563

Nunc Dimittis pg211

Post-Communion Collect pg212

Benedicamus/ Benediction pg212

Closing Hymn **672**

"Jerusalem the Golden"

About today: All ten were invited. All ten brought their lamps. All ten grew weary and slept. All ten awoke at the midnight cry. All ten trimmed their lamps. But then came the divide: “Those who were ready went in.” Five had taken thought and prepared for a delay; five had not. Be among the wise: through the Means of Grace, the Holy Spirit supplies you with all the oil you will need to be among those who are prepared.