

**This Week's Activities**

**Mon-Tues:** Quilting from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
**Wednesday (19<sup>th</sup>):** NO Confirmation  
**Thursday (20<sup>th</sup>):** Online Bible Study @ 8:00 PM  
**Sunday (23<sup>rd</sup>):** NO Sunday School  
Adult Bible Study @ 9:30 AM  
Celebrate Worship @ 10:45 AM

\*Please check Facebook and the PLC website for PLC news and announcements.

**Announcements**

\*On Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM, please enjoy lunch at the Emmons County Courthouse to support our Emmons County 4H students in their Soup and Bake Sale Fundraiser. See the poster in the narthex for more details.

\*Lent is coming soon! There is a sign-up list on the bulletin board for Lent Suppers. Lent begins on March 5<sup>th</sup>.

\*Youth Group/Confirmation will be held at Pastor Sean's house on Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. All 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade students are welcome!

\*On Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, St. Anthony's Catholic Church will be hosting a free-will breakfast to benefit the Emmons County Senior Center from 9:00 AM- 12:30 PM.

***WELCOME TO WORSHIP!***

Mission Statement: Welcome people in. Help them grow.  
Send them out to care. Welcome → Grow → Care

**Sixth Sunday after Epiphany  
February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

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**Summary:** John the Baptist sends his disciples to ask Jesus whether he is the Messiah. Jesus replies with examples of his ministry to confirm he is sent by God. Jesus continues speaking to the crowd around him that John was sent before Jesus to prepare the people for Jesus' coming.

### **Gathering**

Prelude

Announcements

Gathering Hymn - "**May Jesus Christ Be Praised**" (Praise! #60)

Litany of Praise (Overhead)

Order of Confession and Forgiveness (Overhead)

Prayer of the Day: Lord Jesus, prepare us to receive Your very body and blood by giving us repentance to weep over our sins and then rejoice that in You the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have Good News preached to them; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### **Word**

Supportive Reading: Psalm 146:5-10 (pg. 525)

Narrative Readings: Luke 7:18-35 (pg. 876)

Children's Sermon

**Hymn - "There's Something About That Name"** (Praise! #66)

Sermon

### **Table**

Apostles Creed (Overhead)

Offering

Prayers of the Church

Holy Communion

**Communion Hymns - "Children of the Heavenly Father"** (Praise! #327), "**In the Cross of Christ I Glory**" (Praise! #356), "**God Is So Good**" (Praise! #371)

### **Sending**

Benediction (Overhead)

Closing Hymn - "**Surely Goodness and Mercy**" (Praise! #369)

### **Please Pray for Those**

#### **In need of Healing:**

- Rob Nauert, Laurie Schafer, Laurie Jonas, Terry Schafer, CJ Maier, Connie Winterberg, Dennis Johnson, Melvin Wohl, Violet Ohlhauser, Quentin Baer, Bill Backhaus, Rick Rudy, Tim Dockter, Tahlia Ferderer, Erica Ellison, Eleanor Krumm, Dorinda Weisbeck, Terri Fieldsend, Jennifer Ennis, Donna Job, Deanna Potts, Laine Rowe and many others

#### **Who are shut-in:**

- Magdalena Bender, Eva Heyne, Rebecca Bosch

#### **Who are serving in the Military:**

- Matthew Jasper, Brady Malmedal

#### **Who are celebrating their Baptism this week:**

- Melissa Knoepfler, Linda Tschritter, Jess Beitelspacher, Melvin Wohl, Lavonne Erickson

#### **Who are celebrating their Birthday this week:**

- Janell Huber, Ryan Hoff-Wald, Cooper Anderson, Mia Caruso, Jess Beitelspacher

#### **Special Prayers:**

- The Church Council: Erica Hoff-Wald, Tim Dockter, Kevin Hendrickson, Gunnar Hanson, Mark Heidrich, Jen Vetter, Wayde Bauman, Jason Rossow, and Shelley Serr
- Our mission of the month: "**Ronald McDonald House - Bismarck**"

#### **Daily Readings for the Week:**

**Sunday:** Luke 7:18-35

**Monday:** 1 John 1:1-10

**Tuesday:** 1 John 2:1-14

**Wednesday:** 1 John 2:15-27

**Thursday:** 1 John 2:28-3:10

**Friday:** 1 John 3:11-24

**Saturday:** 1 John 4:7-21

*\*If you know of any corrections to our baptisms and birthdays, let the office know.*