### Sunday, August 3, 2014 A.D.

\*\*Prelude\*\* Welcome and announcements \*Exchange of Greetings

\*Call to Worship – Psalm 92 Leader: It is good to give thanks to the Lord and to sing praises to Your name, O Most High! People: To declare Your loving kindness in the morning and Your faithfulness by night. L: For You, O Lord, have made me glad by what You have done; I will sing for joy at the works of Your hands.

<u>P</u>: How great are Your works, O Lord! Your thoughts are very deep.

L: Grace, mercy, and peace to you from God our Father and our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Lift up your hearts!

<u>P</u>: We lift them up to the Lord!

Songs of Praise (Black Folder) \*#53 / He Is Exalted \*# 52 / Here I Am To Worship

Prayer of Confession (Psalm 143) O Lord, answer me in Your faithfulness, in Your righteousness. Do not enter into judgment with Your servant, for in Your sight no man living is righteous. I stretch out my hands to You; my soul longs for You as a parched land. Let me hear Your lovingkindness in the morning for I trust in You; teach me the way in which I should walk; for to You I lift up my soul. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen. \*Promise of Comfort & Forgiveness: Psalm 103

\*Hymn #2 / Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

God's Will for Life: Psalm 90

**Prayer for Illumination** 

\*Hymn #343 / Just As I Am

Scripture Lesson / John 1:9-13 Sermon Title / The Reception of the Light

**Prayer for Consecration** 

\*Hymn #442 / Blessed Assurance

**Congregational Prayer** 

Missions Fund / \*Hymn #7 / \*Doxology / \*Offertory prayer

\*Benediction / \*Closing Chorus / \* Hymn #641 / Lead On, O King Eternal (v.1)

(\*) Please stand if you are able. (\*\*) Please quietly prepare to worship.

Psalm 119:48 – And, I shall lift up my hands to Your commandments, which I love; and, I will meditate on Your statutes. **<u>Prayer Box</u>** Please pray...

... for Darrel Jongeling's continued recovery from hip replacement surgery.

... for Dolores Jongeling, as she continues to recover from surgery.

... for Karen Jongeling's sister, Faye, as she continues to receive cancer treatment.

... for Phyllis Bruinsma for her recovery from hip surgery. ... for Deb Brandsrud and her recovery from triple bypass surgery.

...for Gladys Janssen as she rehabilitates from shoulder replacement surgery.

... for Lloyd TeKrony as he recovers from three stints put in and back surgery in the next few months.

... for Bob Niebruegge as he recovers from congestive heart failure and expected long stay in Jackson, MN.

... for healing for Duane Stahl's heart.

... for Nanci Dragt as she recovers from eye surgery.

... for Shara Wallick and Jonah Barnes and their recovery from the kidney transplant operation.

... for Wayne TeKrony and family as they discern his treatment to his report this past week.

... for our brothers and sisters with chronic pains and illnesses.

... for those who cannot worship with us regularly.

... that we would faithfully raise our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

... for safety for those working on the parsonage. Praise the Lord for the progress and the efforts from those who have participated in the project.

... for peace and unity within our body and Gospel reconciliation and healing for our relationships.

... for those in our communities who do not know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

\*If you are in need of spiritual care or a visit, please see Pastor Justin or an elder.\* Welcome to all worshipers to Hamlin Reformed Church! We have the joy and blessed opportunity to worship the Triune God this Lord's Day. Worship is a joyous activity where we enter into our Lord's presence, He speaks to us, and we respond in Spirit. Please follow our Order of Worship for all songs, prayers, and Scripture readings. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it! Please join us for fellowship time and Sunday school following the service this morning.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

<u>Today</u>: There is no Sunday School today. The Estelline Community Service will begin in the park at 11:00. There will be a potluck meal after the service. There will be NO evening service tonight.

<u>Next Sunday</u>: We will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Our offering will be for the General Fund, a second offering will be taken for the parsonage. Sunday School will meet in the Fellowship Hall for all ages as we study "The Anointing of Our Priest" from Mark 14. The evening message will be on Lord's Day 26, "Washed in Baptism."

We are in great need of a volunteer to serve at the Blessings Center (food pantry) in Castlewood today from 2pm-4pm. For details or to volunteer please talk to Kim TeKrony. Thank you!

The Estelline Community Service in the park will be today at 11:00 am. The Castlewood Community Service at the Assisted Living Services will be next Sunday (Aug. 10) at 11:00 am. Both will have potluck meals after the respective services. Please bring something to share.

Some items in the kitchen have been absent for an extended period of time. If you have borrowed something that fits this description, please return the items. Thank you. WEIRD ANIMALS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is this week! Bible school is held from 9am-1pm at the First Presbyterian and Catholic churches in Castlewood. Please have your child bring a plain white T-shirt and also a sack lunch! We are anticipating an exciting week as we learn about GOD's LOVE FOR US!

If you are interested in monitoring the progress of the Parsonage Project, the church website has pictures tracking what has been done. Go to hamlinreformedchurch.org and click on the tab "What's Happening." Anyone available in helping work on the parsonage this week, please see Dave Niemann.

The GEMS will be putting a catalog order in for greeting cards/napkins/etc. If you are interested in looking at a magazine, they are located on the table in the narthex. Deadline is Aug. 24. Please talk to April Brouwer if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for your support of the GEMS program.

#### THANK YOU:

Thank you to Jeff and Kim TeKrony for greeting before church and providing refreshments for fellowship time.

Thank you for all of your cards and prayers for me since my heart surgery. Please keep praying for me. I need it. Please know that God loves you, and I love you, too. - Bob Niebruegge

#### **GREETING & SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULE:**

Aukje-August 10<sup>th</sup>, Duane and Ruth-August 17<sup>th</sup>, Peter and Ashley-August 24<sup>th</sup>, Dick and Carol-August 31<sup>st</sup>, Dean and Carla-September 7<sup>th</sup>.

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## HAMLIN REFORMED CHURCH 46397 186TH STREET, CASTLEWOOD, SD 57223 605-793-2297 / www.hamlinreformedchurch.org 9:30 am Worship / 11:00 am Sunday School 7:00 pm Worship