A Service of Covenant Renewal

Prelude
Welcome and announcements
*Exchange of Greetings

*Call to Worship - Psalm 86

<u>Leader</u>: There is no one like You among the gods, O Lord. All nations shall come and worship before You.

<u>People</u>: For You are great and do wondrous deeds; You alone are God.

<u>L</u>: Teach me Your way, O Lord; I will walk in Your truth. Unite my heart to fear Your name.

<u>P</u>: I will give thanks to You, O Lord, my God, with all my heart. I will glorify Your name forever.

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

P: We lift them up to the Lord!

Songs of Praise (Black Folder)

*#49 / The River of God

*#57 / When I Look into Your Holiness

Prayer of Confession (Psalm 102)
Hear my prayer, O Lord! Do not hide Your face
from me in the day of my distress. You, O Lord,
abide forever, and Your name to all generations.
The nations will fear the name of the Lord, and all
the kings of the earth Your glory. He has regarded
the prayer of the destitute and has not despised
their prayer. For He looked down from His holy
height, to hear the groaning of the prisoner, to set
free those who were doomed to death. In Jesus'
name I pray, Amen.

*Promise of Comfort & Forgiveness: Hebrews 5:1-14

*Hymn #47 / The Lord Jehovah Reigns

God's Will for Life: Deuteronomy 6:1-25

Prayer for Illumination

*Hymn #455 / Take My Life, and Let it Be Consecrated

Scripture Lesson / 1 Kings 3:5-15 Sermon Title / Godly Wisdom for a King

Prayer for Consecration

*Hymn #687 / Standing on the Promises

Congregational Prayer

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

*Benediction / *Closing Chorus / * Hymn #641 / Lead On, O King Eternal (v.2)

(*) Please stand if you are able.

(**) Please quietly prepare to worship.

Psalm 119:53 – Burning indignation has seized me because of the wicked, who forsake Your law.

<u>Prayer Box</u> Please pray...

- ...for Carol Niemann and pain relief in her legs.
- ...for Angie Warne and her recovery from surgery.
- ...for Morgan Saathoff as she recovers from gall bladder removal surgery.
- ...for Dolores Jongeling, as she recovers from surgery.
- ...for Phyllis Bruinsma as she recovers from hip surgery.
- ...for Deb Brandsrud as she recovers from triple bypass surgery.
- ...for Gladys Janssen as she rehabilitates from shoulder replacement surgery.
- ...for Lloyd TeKrony as he continues rehabilitation and makes decisions for future living and care.
- ...for Bob Niebruegge as he rehabilitates in Windom, MN.
- ...for healing for Duane Stahl's heart and rehabilitation for his shoulder.
- ...for Nanci Dragt and healing for her eye.
- ...for Wayne TeKrony and his new treatment for cancer.
- ...for Joan Niemann and her recovery from surgery.
- ...for Consistory and their meeting tomorrow.
- ...for those who cannot worship with us regularly.
- ...for the discipleship of the church in Sunday School and GEMS/Cadets.
- ...for safety for those working on the parsonage.
- ...for peace and unity within our church family 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 will be no Sunday School as we "Kick Off" and celebrate our upcoming education year. The evening message will be on Lord's Day 29 on "What Happens in the Supper?"

Next Sunday: The message will be on Jonah 1. Our offerings will be for the General and Parsonage Funds. Adult Sunday School will restart "Bible 101" by looking at the Book of Matthew. The evening message will be on Lord's Day 30 on "The Lord Gave the Supper to Whom?"

Consistory meets tomorrow evening (September 8). If you have anything you would like discussed, please see Pastor Justin or another member of Consistory. There will be a teachers' workshop for all Sunday School teachers and GEMS/Cadets counselors this Tuesday at 7:00 pm at church. If you have any questions, please see Joan Niemann or Pastor Justin.

RCWM will meet on Wed. Sept. 10, at 1:30 p.m. Bible Study #9 "Eternal Focus", will be led by June J. Devotions Karen J. and Hostess Gwen T. All Ladies are welcome to join us.

Gems, Cadets, Kingdom Kids, RCYF and adult Bible study will begin this Wednesday, September 10th at 7:00 P.M. The Missions Committee is looking for volunteers to serve at the Blessings Center in Castlewood. This would be a one-day, two-hour commitment (Sunday afternoon from 2-4 pm). Please see Kim TeKrony if you are interested or have any questions.

Covenant Reformed Church will host a free conference at the Watertown Christian School on the Gospel on Saturday, September 27 from 8:15-1:30. Please see Pastor Justin if you are interested in attending.

There will be a MEAL Group Kickoff at Jeff and Kim TeKrony's on Friday, Sept. 12, starting at 6:45. Guys can bring their guns for possible trap shooting if weather permits. BBQ's, chips, and drinks will be furnished, but if you would like to bring a salad, bars, or appetizer, that is greatly appreciated. Talk to April if you have any questions. Bring your kids and lawn chairs for a night of food, fun, and fellowship!

Bob Niebruegge has moved into an apartment. His new mailing address is: 164 11th Street , Windom, MN 56101

THANK YOU:

Thank you to Darwin and Elaine Schaefer for greeting and providing refreshments for fellowship time.

GREETING & SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULE:

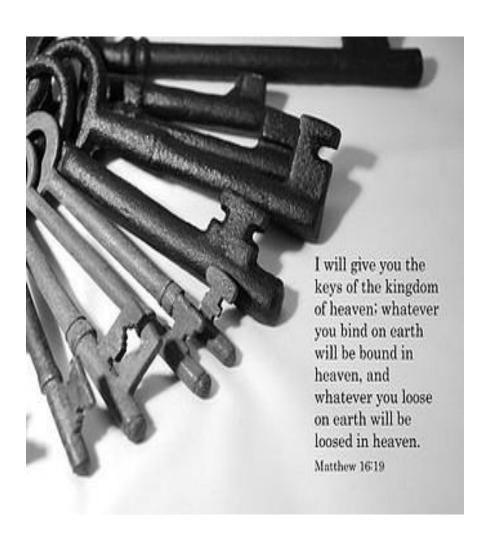
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9:30 am Worship / 11:00 am Sunday School
7:00 pm Worship

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HAMLIN REFORMED CHURCH



SEPTEMBER 7, 2014 A.D.

Sunday, September 7, 2014 A.D.

*Call to Worship - Psalm 122

*Hymn #39 / All People That on Earth Do Dwell
Old Covenant Reading: Leviticus 9:1-24
Congregational Prayer

*Hymn #84 / Grace Greater Than Our Sin

New Covenant Reading : Matthew 22:1-14
Sermon Title / Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 29 -

Hocus Pocus: What Happens in the Supper? Q78: Do then the bread and the wine become the very body and blood of Christ?

A78: Not at all: but as the water in baptism is not changed into the blood of Christ, neither is the washing away of sin itself, being only the sign and confirmation thereof appointed of God; so the bread in the Lord's Supper is not changed into the very body of Christ; though agreeably to the nature and properties of sacraments, it is called the body of Christ Jesus.

Q79: Why then does Christ call the bread "His body," and the cup "His blood," or "the new covenant in His blood;" and Paul the "communion of body and blood of Christ?"

A79: Christ speaks thus, not without great reason, namely, not only thereby to teach us, that as bread and wine support this temporal life, so His crucified body and shed blood are the true meat and drink, whereby our souls are fed to eternal life; but more especially by these visible signs and pledges to assure us, that we are as really partakers of His true body and blood by the operation of the Holy Ghost as we

receive by the mouths of our bodies these holy signs in remembrance of Him; and that all His sufferings and obedience are as certainly ours, as if we had in our own persons suffered and made satisfaction for our sins to God.

*Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the onlybegotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by Whom all things were made. Who, for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life; Who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*Hymn #776 / For the Beauty of the Earth

*Benediction

*Hymn #9 / Glory Be to the Father