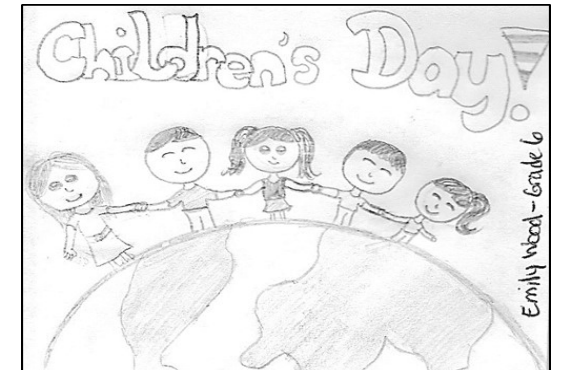


## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Worship teams for **June 17th** are; Ushers: Glenn Kreig, Jon Waxman, Barbara Sim and Betty Engler; Counters: Paul Alois & Dominic Andriano; Greeter(s): Bill & Kathy Dzamba; Coffee Hour: Paul Szakats
- Pastor Jason will be out of the office June 6th-13th, returning to the office on June 14th. He will be attending the General Synod Meeting.
- The Women's Fellowship Group will meet on **Tuesday, June 12** at 7:00 pm. in the Lounge. A special activity is planned - all materials will be provided. All women are invited to join the group.
- There will be a Women's Book Group Meeting on **Saturday, June 16th** @ 10 am at June Peterson's home. All are welcome!



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## Children's Day Participants

Grades Pre-K/Kindergarten/Grade 1: Evan Groudine, Lilja Edwards, Mia Bianchi, Elizabeth Maclutsky, Alexandra Mirel, Vivian Persons, Natalie Persons, Benjamin Wood, Alison Counsell, Janiya Thornton, Valentino Gonzales, Sophia Mazza, Samuel Mazza

Grades 2/3: Aidan Rizzi, Molly Rourke

Grades 4/5: Addison Rizzi, Lucas Counsell, Mia Pezzano, Kalyn Pezzano, Addison Kreig, Caroline Drapeau, Fiona Tully

Grades 6/7/8: Hailey Waxman, Hope Waxman, Emily Wood, Henry McCann, Hannah Kreig, Greg Drapeau, Ashley Pechulis, Willem Mizenko, Caitlin Tully, Owen Wood, Holly Neugebauer

High School (Grades 9-12): Anna Pustay, Leslie Perlee, Lily Neugebauer, Jordan McCann, Caroline Pustay

Ushers: Aidan Rizzi, Greg Drapeau, Kalyn Pezzano, Mia Pezzano

Greeters: Addison Kreig, Fiona Tully

Cherub Choir: Choral Director--Mrs. Suzanne Mason  
Elizabeth Maclutsky, Alexandra Mirel, Kalyn Pezzano, Mia Pezzano,  
Aidan Rizzi, Molly Rourke, Janiya Thornton

Youth Choir: Choral Director--Mrs. Joyce Anderson  
Caroline Drapeau, Gregory Drapeau, Addison Kreig, Hannah Kreig,  
Henry McCann, Jordan McCann, Holly Neugebauer, Lily Neugebauer,  
Ashley Pechulis, Addison Rizzi, Caitlin Tully, Fiona Tully, Emily Woods

Sunday School Teachers and Assistants: Tiffanie Wood, Carol Neugebauer, Suzi O'Brien, Lauren Groudine, Tony Pechulis, Janel Mirel, Maureen Rizzi, Adrean Kreig, Lizbeth Amorelli, Christina Pustay, Mary Counsell, Michele Kopp, Monica Tryon, Chad Pezzano

Sunday School Superintendents: Lizbeth Amorelli, Glenn Kreig, Brian Maclutsky, Rick Mizenko, Jim Tully

Sunday School Coordinator: Trudy Lehner

Child Care Teachers: Leslie Perlee, Abby Doss

**please forgive my disobedience.**

I want to be a Christian in my actions;

**please forgive my misguided choices.**

I want to be a Christian in my words;

**please forgive the mean things I say.**

I want to be a Christian in my whole life;

**help me to be more loving to you and to others. Amen.**

Kyrie Eleison

***Lord, have mercy upon us; Christ, have mercy upon us; Lord, have mercy upon us.***

Words of Assurance

Hannah Kreig

In the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, we are assured that there is no sin so terrible that God cannot forgive, no hurt so terrible that God cannot heal. God accepts, God forgives, and God sets free. Receive the forgiving love of God.

Call to New Life

Addison Rizzi

Hear the teaching of Christ: "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another just as I have loved you."

\*Gloria Patri

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.***

Anthem

*Praise His Holy Name  
The NRC Youth Choir*

*Keith Hampton*

## **THE WORD OF GOD**

Prayer for Illumination (in unison)

Caroline Pustay

**God of all history, thank you for the Bible. Through your Word we learn that you love your people dearly, and we learn that we are your people. Thank you that your Word shapes our identity. Thank**

**you that your Word gives us hope for the future. Send your Spirit so that we can know our role in your ongoing work in our world. Amen.**

Old Testament Lesson	Jordan McCann
Moses and the Ten Commandments (based on Exodus)	
New Testament Lesson	Ashley Pechulis
Matthew 22: 36-40	
Sunday School Lessons	
<i>Conversation about the Ten Commandments</i>	High School Class
<i>Ten Commandments and Ten Fingers</i>	Pre-K/Kindergarten/Grade 1 with Grades 6-8
<i>The Ten Commandments in Verse and Rap</i>	Grades 2/3/4/5

### THE RESPONSE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Offering	Holly Neugebauer
With thankfulness we give in gratitude and joy. With prayerfulness we give in sacrifice and love. With hopefulness we give in commitment to God. With gladness, let us present the offerings of our life and labor to the Lord.	

Offertory	<i>This is My Commandment</i>	<i>Traditional</i>
	<i>The NRC Cherub Choir</i>	<i>John 15: 11-12</i>

\*Doxology

Presentation of Bibles to Kindergarten students:

Mia Bianchi, Elizabeth Maclutsky, Alexandra Mirel,	Tiffanie Wood
Vivian Persons, Natalie Persons	Lauren Groudine

Recognition of Sunday School Teachers and Superintendents	Trudy Lehner
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Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession	Emily Wood
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Loving God: We love the beautiful world you have made: the sun and clouds, the seas and mountains, plants and animals. We thank you for the Bible: for stories of Abraham and Sarah, Moses and Miriam, and especially those about Jesus. We pray today for all those whom we love: our parents, families, teachers, pastors, and friends. We pray especially for all who need your help in a special way. We pray today for people we do not know: people who live far away, people who cannot leave the hospital or nursing home. Help us to grow in your love today, as we pray and worship, as we learn from your Word, as we share your love with others. We pray in Jesus' name and as he taught us to pray ...

Lord's Prayer

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever. Amen.***

*Choral Amen	NRC Youth Choir
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*Hymn	<i>Jesus, Friend, So Kind and Gentle</i>	451
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*Benediction	Will Mizenko
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Keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong.  
Let all that you do be done in love.

*Postlude	<i>Swamp Thing</i>	<i>Richard Meyer</i>
	<i>Lily Neugebauer, Violin</i>	

\*Those who are able, please stand.

***Congregational responses are printed in bold italics type.***

The flowers are placed on the altar today in honor of our Sunday School Teachers, Superintendents and Students