

**BLESSING AND SENDING**

**Benediction:**

**(L) The Lord bless us and keep us.**

**The Lord make his face shine on us and be gracious to us.**

**The Lord look upon us with favor and give us peace. Amen.**

**Sending Hymn ELW 836**

***“Joyful, Joyful”***

**Dismissal**

**(L) Go in peace. Christ is with you.**

**(C) Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude**

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**Announcements**

June 13: 11:00 am Kulm Baptist Women’s Ministries is hosting their annual Salad Luncheon. Special speaker is Sherry Bayne.

June 28: Martin Luther Lutheran Church celebration their 125 anniversary. Worship is at 10:00 am, with the Bishop as guest pastor. A German meal will be served

for lunch, followed by a program at 2:00 pm.

July 1: Kulm will be celebrating our nation’s 250<sup>th</sup>. Stay tuned for details.



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**Welcome to Worship at Zion Lutheran Church  
Kulm, ND**

Sunday, June 7, 2026 | 9:00 AM Worship  
Pastor Linda J Schauer and Mary Jo Kinzler, SAM



**Service of the Word from LBW**

**GATHERING**

**Prelude**

**Greetings and Announcements**

**Call to Worship (Responsive Reading):**

**L:** Welcome this day to a celebration of God’s magnificent creation!

**P:** **Thanks be to God the Creator who has loaned to us such a beautiful planet.**

**L:** Welcome this day to a recognition of God’s redeeming love!

**P:** **Thanks to God the Redeemer who has given us God’s only Son as our Example and Teacher, Our Savior and Redeemer!**

**L:** Welcome this day to the joy of God’s Holy Spirit of truth and power!

**P: Thanks to God the Sustainer who walks with us every day, guiding and guarding our steps. AMEN.**

**\*Gathering Song ELW 556 "Morning Has Broken"**

**\*Responsive Reading**

(L) Holy is the Lord, the Almighty.

**(C) He was, he is, and he is to come.**

(L) He is worthy of glory and honor and power.

**(C) He created all things. By his will they came to be.**

(L) Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,

**(C) worthy to take the scroll and break its seals.**

(L) By His blood he purchased for God

**(C) people of every race and tongue, of every folk and nation,**

(L) Christ made of them a kingdom

**(C) and priests to serve our God.**

(L) And they shall reign on earth forever.

**(C) Amen. Come Lord Jesus.**

**\*Creed — Apostle's Creed**

(L): God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

**(ALL) I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.\* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*[\*Or, "he descended into hell," another translation of this text in widespread use].*

**Prayer of the Day**

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

(L) Let Us Pray ... *(see Celebrate insert)*

*Please be Seated*

**WORD**

**Scripture Readings and Psalm** *(see Celebrate insert)*

**\*Gospel:** *(see Celebrate insert)*

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

*Following the reading*

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon written by Bishop Tessa Moon-Leiseth**

**\*Hymn of the Day**

**ELW 858**

***"Praise to the Lord"***

**THANKSGIVING**

**Gifts and Offering — [THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THIS CONGREGATION'S MINISTRIES. GOD BLESS YOU].**

Prayers of Intercession and Lord's Prayer