HITHERTO HATH THE LORD HELPED US

1869 - 1969

Measureable Growth - Immeasurable Grace
THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH - 1969

EVENT NUMBER ONE

COVERED DISH SUPPER
September 26, 1969
Fellowship Hall, First Lutheran Church
Sponsored by the Lutheran Laymen's League

Invocation......Rev. Harry D. Smith, Pastor

Master of Ceremonies......Mr. Charles Balch
President, Lutheran Laymen's League

The Lighter Side--The Past 25 Years in
Narrative and in Picture.................
Mr. Roscoe Barringer, Supt. of Sunday School

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"HOW GREAT THOU ART"

Ernest N. Edwards

Oh, Lord, my God! As I in admiration
Consider all the works Thy hands hath made,
I view the stars, the earth and all creation,
And marvel at the pow'r Thou hast displayed.

CHORUS

When I survey Thy plan of free salvation
Atonement made by Christ on Calvary,
I can but bow my head in adoration,
With grateful heart for what He did for me.

CHORUS

When Jesus comes, the darkness all dispelling,
To summon me to realms of life above,
Then shall I dwell, His praises ever swelling
And basking in the fullness of His love.

CHORUS

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Then sings my soul, my Savior, Lord to Thee:
How Great Thou Art! How Great Thou Art!
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How Great Thou Art! How Great Thou Art!
"GOD BE WITH YOU"

J. E. Rankin

God be with you till we meet again,
By His counsels guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you;
God be with you till we meet again.

CHORUS

God be with you till we meet again,
"Neath His wings protecting hide you,
Daily manna still provide you;
God be with you till we meet again.

CHORUS

God be with you till we meet again;
When life's perils thick confound you,
Put His arms unfailing round you;
God be with you till we meet again.

CHORUS

God be with you till we meet again;
Keep love's banner floating o'er you;
Smite death's threatening wave before you;
God be with you till we meet again.

CHORUS

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Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus' feet;
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.
FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH
CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

OTHER EVENTS

Event Number Two, "Reunion Communion"........
October 5, 10:30 a.m.

Event Number Three, "Congregational Dinner"...
St. John Lutheran Church, October 11, 6:30 p.m.
Mr. Barry Mitchell, Presiding

Event Number Four, "The Centennial Service"..
October 12, 10:30 a.m.
The Address by
The Reverend Daniel D. Dautenhahn

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Tickets for Event Number Three may be obtained
from members of the Ladies' League at $3.00
each, or from Mrs. William McConnell.

Every member is asked to sign the Centennial
Guest Register once during the Centennial
Celebration. We ask your cooperation in
bringing our guests to the registry.
THE SYMBOL: In Greek these letters form a proper abbreviation of the name CHRIST. They are the first two letters of ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ.

THE PRAYER: May this same Christ which has guided First Lutheran Congregation through these past 100 years of Growth, continue to be the Guide and Director of First Lutheran for many years to come. God's Immeasurable Grace has truly been upon First Lutheran Congregation. May First Church not sit idle, reveling in past accomplishments, but, ever-more strive to grow, and in God's boundless grace fulfil His will in His Church on Earth, to the salvation of many souls.
Amen.

OUR COVER IS DONE BY MR. RONALD J. ROYUK.