

THE RITE OF DEDICATION

THE EDUCATIONAL WING

ST. LUKE'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
OAKFIELD, WISCONSIN

A brief service of Dedication will be held in church at both the 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. services, following the prayer after the offerings are gathered.

Scripture Reading: Mark 10:13-16

The ACT OF DEDICATION will be read responsively by Pastor and Congregation.

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen. To Thine eternal glory, O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:

Congregation: We dedicate our new building.

Pastor: To the teaching of Thy holy Word, the proclamation of Thy Law and Thy saving Gospel:

Congregation: We dedicate this building.

Pastor: To the advancement of secular knowledge and information:

Congregation: We dedicate this building.

Pastor: To the promotion of loyal and useful citizenship:

Congregation: We dedicate this building.

Pastor: With prayer that here our children and our children's children may learn to know the way of life in Christ Jesus and through its teaching have eternal life with Thee:

Congregation: We dedicate this building.

Pastor: Beseeching Thee to protect and preserve this building, its teachers and pupils, and to make it a source of blessing to our congregation and to Thy Kingdom:

Congregation: We dedicate this building.

Pastor: Our prayer has risen to the throne of the Lord our God and through our Lord Jesus Christ has found favor before Him. As His ears are open to us and His eyes upon us, I, a called servant of the Lord, do now set apart and dedicate our new building with all that is in it and all that pertains to it, to the service and glory of God: in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Congregation: We, the members of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, do now solemnly dedicate this building with all that it contains, to Thy glory, O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. In humble gratitude, we also dedicate our lives anew to Thy worship and service. Gracious God, grant us Thy blessing! Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE BY JUNIOR CHOIR(Early)SENIOR CHOIR(Late)

THE DEDICATORY PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

HYMN #244 (By Congregation)

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HYMN #644