

Prayer Concerns: Kelly Aeikens, Mick Boone, Ruth Plackner, Justin Sanders and Gene Nelson

Sympathies to Verna Quandt on the death of her brother, Junior Munsterman. He passed away on Wednesday.

We will be hosting our annual Advent Tea on Sunday, November 28 at 2 p.m. There will be a Christmas carol sing-along and the appearance of the St Lucia girls. A Christmas cookie treat box will be sent home with you. Everyone welcome.

If you would like to bake Christmas cookies for the Advent Tea, please contact Janet Hoffman, Julie Anderson or Marlene Giese by November 21. We will order from the bakery if needed. Thank you.

We are in need of volunteers to run the slides on Sunday morning. There are four people who make the slide presentations. We would appreciate having others 'click' the slides during worship. It's not hard nor technical. Please contact any of the following if you are willing to help: Shelly Mikkelson, Becky Woitte, Laura Rear, or Marlene Giese. Thank you!

Trinity Lutheran Church Members, Thank You so much for your very generous donation. Swift County Human Services will use this money to help families in need this holiday season. Warm Regards, Cati Lee, director

Dear Trinity Lutheran Church, What a great blessing it was to open the mail and see your generous check to Best Life Ministries, This past year has been a great challenge for us all!! Ministry has been tough, so what a kind blessing that you would be so generous! Thank you so much!! Kathy

This Weeks Schedule

- Sun. 9:00-Worship
11/21 10:00-Coffee Hour- Worship & Music Committee
10:15 – Sunday School
Tues, 8:30-Volunteers for newsletter
Wed. 7:00-Thanksgiving Worship
Thurs. Happy Thanksgiving
Sun 9:00-Worship
11/28 10:00-Coffee Hour- Stewardship committee
2:00-Advent Tea



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Christ the King Sunday

November 21, 2021

9:00am

Prelude: Lorri Pederson

Bells

Welcome & Announcements

Order of Confession & Forgiveness

(LBW p. 77)

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not

loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the **✝** Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Presentation of Bibles

3rd & 4th graders: Cohen Groinus, Sawyer Moe, Macoy Olson, Lillian Gunderson, Coltan Hoberg, Averi Michaelson, William Moe, Ava Nichols, Sydney Moe

7th grade, Anthony Aeikens, Sarah Dehne, Kaida Helgenset, Aubree Lien, McKenna Molden, Addison Schauer, Haden Thole, Emily Wilson, Dylan Wroblewski

Opening Hymn (Red Folder)

Shelter Me

First Lesson: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

⁹As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. ¹⁰A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. ³As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. ¹⁴To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed. The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 93 (read responsively)

¹The LORD is king; he has put on splendid apparel; the LORD has put on his apparel and girded himself with strength.
²**He has made the whole world so sure that it cannot be moved;**
³ever since the world began, your throne has been established; you are from everlasting.
⁴**The waters have lifted up, O LORD, the waters have lifted up their voice; the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.**
⁵Mightier than the sound of many waters,

mightier than the breakers of the sea, mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.
⁶**Your testimonies are very sure, and holiness adorns your house, O LORD, forever and forevermore.**

Second Lesson: Revelation 1:4b-8

^{4b}Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, ⁵and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, ⁶and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. ⁷Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. ⁸“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Alleluia Verse (LBW p. 83)

Gospel: John 18:33-37
The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 18th chapter.
♪ Glory to you, O Lord.

³³Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” ³⁴Jesus answered, “Do you ask this on your own, or did

others tell you about me?” ³⁵Pilate replied, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?” ³⁶Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.” ³⁷Pilate asked him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.”

The Gospel of the Lord.
♪ Praise to you, O Christ.

Children’s sermon

SERMON (LBW p. 83)

Hymn of the Day (LBW 518)
“Beautiful Savior”

Apostles Creed (LBW p. 84)

Offering

Offertory (LBW 410 v 1 & 2)
We Give Thee but Thine Own

Offertory Prayer
Merciful Father,
we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer of the Church

As God’s people called to love one another, let us pray for the needs of the Church, the human family, and all the world.

*Other petitions will be added, which end:
“Lord, in your mercy...**Hear our prayer.**”*

All these things and whatever else you see that we need, grant us, O God, for the sake of Christ who died and rose again, and now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.
Amen.

Lord’s Prayer (Sung)

Blessing (LBW p. 97)

Closing Hymn (LBW 530)
Jesus Shall Reign

Bells

Dismissal
Go In peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.
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