

# The Marks of Greatness

Mark 10:35-45

Sunday, October 17, 2021

**21st Sunday After Pentecost**

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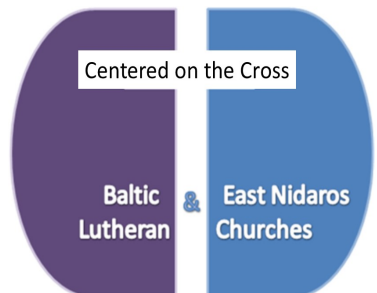
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## WORSHIP PLAN LBW SETTING TWO

**LBW** (*Green*) Lutheran Book of Worship

**WOV** (*Blue*) With One Voice

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS LBW p. 77

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

**C Amen**

**P** 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.

**C Amen**

**P** 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.

**P** *Most Merciful God,*

**C 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**

**P** 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.

**C Amen**

**OPENING HYMN** *“O Christ, What Can It Mean For Us”* Bulletin Pg. 8

**GREETING** LBW p. 78

**P** *The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.*

**C And also with you.**

**KYRIE** LBW p. 78

**HYMN OF PRAISE** *“Glory To God”* LBW p. 79

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P** *The Lord be with you.*

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** *Let us pray.*

**C** Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen**

## FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 53:4-12

<sup>4</sup>Surely he has borne our infirmities

and carried our diseases;

yet we accounted him stricken,

struck down by God, and afflicted.

<sup>5</sup>But he was wounded for our transgressions,

crushed for our iniquities;

upon him was the punishment that made us whole,

and by his bruises we are healed.

<sup>6</sup>All we like sheep have gone astray;

we have all turned to our own way,

and the LORD has laid on him

the iniquity of us all.

<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed, and he was afflicted,

yet he did not open his mouth;

like a lamb that is led to the slaughter,

and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent,

so he did not open his mouth.

<sup>8</sup>By a perversion of justice he was taken away.

Who could have imagined his future?

For he was cut off from the land of the living,

stricken for the transgression of my people.

<sup>9</sup>They made his grave with the wicked

and his tomb with the rich,

although he had done no violence,

and there was no deceit in his mouth.

<sup>10</sup>Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain.

When you make his life an offering for sin,

he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days;

through him the will of the LORD shall prosper.

<sup>11</sup>Out of his anguish he shall see light;  
he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous,  
and he shall bear their iniquities.

<sup>12</sup>Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great,  
and he shall divide the spoil with the strong;  
because he poured out himself to death,  
and was numbered with the transgressors;  
yet he bore the sin of many,  
and made intercession for the transgressors.

**L The Word of the Lord.**

**C Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM: Psalm 91:9-16** (*Read Responsively*)

<sup>9</sup>Because you have made the LORD your refuge,  
and the Most High your habitation,

<sup>10</sup>**no evil will befall you,  
nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.**

<sup>11</sup>For God will give the angels charge over you,  
to guard you in all your ways.

<sup>12</sup>**Upon their hands they will bear you up,  
lest you strike your foot against a stone.**

<sup>13</sup>You will tread upon the lion cub and viper;  
you will trample down the lion and the serpent.

<sup>14</sup>**I will deliver those who cling to me;  
I will uphold them, because they know my name.**

<sup>15</sup>They will call me, and I will answer them;  
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.

<sup>16</sup>**With long life will I satisfy them,  
and show them my salvation.**

**SECOND LESSON: Hebrews 5:1-10**

<sup>1</sup>Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. <sup>2</sup>He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; <sup>3</sup>and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. <sup>4</sup>And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

<sup>5</sup>So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

“You are my Son,  
today I have begotten you”;

<sup>6</sup>as he says also in another place,

“You are a priest forever,  
according to the order of Melchizedek.”

<sup>7</sup>In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. <sup>8</sup>Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; <sup>9</sup>and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, <sup>10</sup>having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

**L** The Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**CHILDREN’S SERMON:** “*Jesus Loves Me*” (1st verse only)

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** “*Alleluia*” LBW p. 83 (*Sung*)

**GOSPEL: Mark 10:35-45**

**P** *The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 10th chapter.*

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

<sup>35</sup>James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, “Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.” <sup>36</sup>And he said to them, “What is it you want me to do for you?” <sup>37</sup>And they said to him, “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.” <sup>38</sup>But Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?” <sup>39</sup>They replied, “We are able.” Then Jesus said to them, “The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; <sup>40</sup>but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.”

<sup>41</sup>When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. <sup>42</sup>So Jesus called them and said to them, “You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. <sup>43</sup>But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, <sup>44</sup>and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave

of all. <sup>45</sup>For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.”

**P** *The Gospel of the Lord.*

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

**SERMON: “GRANT US TO SIT”**

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** *“Lord, Whose Love Is Humble Service”* LBW# 423

**APOSTLES’ CREED** LBW p. 85

**THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**P** *.....Lord in your mercy,*

**C** **Hear our prayer.**

**LORD’S PRAYER** LBW p. 91

**SHARING OF GOD’S PEACE**

**P** *The peace of the Lord be with you always.*

**C** **And also with you.**

**OFFERING**

**OFFERING HYMN** *“Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful”* LBW p. 86

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** LBW p. 87

**P** *Let us pray. Merciful Father,*

**C** **we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, 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**

**BLESSING**

**P** *The Lord bless you and keep you.*

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

*The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.*

**C** *(Sung)* **Three Fold Amen**

**SENDING HYMN** *“The Spirit Sends Us Forth To Serve”* WOV# 723

**DISMISSAL**

**P** *Go in peace. Serve your neighbor.*

**C** **Yes we will. Thanks be to God.**

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Betty Thompson - Lorna Sunde  
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## **FRIENDS & FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS**

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Doug Ishmael—Step Father of Lindsey Comes

## **OCTOBER NOISY CAN**

**Baltic:** Baltic Sunday School  
**East:** Youth Trip



**BIBLE STUDY**  
**2:00** Tuesday at East Nidaros

## O Christ, What Can It Mean for Us

1 O Christ, what can it mean for us to claim you as our  
 2 You came, the im - age of our God, to heal and to for -  
 3 Though some would make their great - ness felt and lord it o - ver -  
 4 You chose a hum - ble hu - man form and shunned the world's re -

king? What roy - al face have you re - vealed whose  
 give, to shed your blood for sin - ners' sake that  
 all, you said the first must be the last and  
 noun; you died for us up - on a cross with

praise the church would sing? As - pir - ing not to  
 we might rise and live. To break the law of  
 ser - vice be our call. O Christ, in work - place,  
 thorns your on - ly crown. But still, be - yond the

glo - ry's height, to pow - er, wealth, and fame, you  
 death you came, the law of love to bring a  
 church, and home, let none to pow - er cling; for  
 span of years, our glad ho - san - nas ring, for

walked a dif - f'rent, low - ly way, an - oth - er's will your aim.  
 dif - f'rent rule of righ - teous - ness, a dif - f'rent kind of king.  
 still, through us, you come to serve, a dif - f'rent kind of king.  
 now at God's right hand you reign, a dif - f'rent kind of king!

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# EAST NIDAROS SOUP SUPPER

*Sunday, November 7, 2021*

4:30-6:00

SERVING  
CHILI  
CHICKEN NOODLE  
CHEESY HAM & POTATO  
BREADS~CRACKERS  
FABULOUS FALL DESSERTS  
FREE WILL DONATION



**Thrivent and Baltic Lutheran WELCA Action Team Project:**

SWEDISH MEATBALL DINNER,

October 24, 2021, 11am – 1pm in the Baltic School Commons.

WELCA donates the money received to local charities.

**Baltic WELCA** is looking for volunteers to help prepare and/or serve at the Swedish Meatball Dinner the week-end of October 23 – 24, 2021 in any way you are able. Volunteers can report to school commons between 8-9 on Oct. 24. Please contact Joann Moan at 529-5550. We are also asking ALL congregants to give a monetary donation to help defray our costs. Your donation can be given to Paula Gunderson or mailed to Baltic Lutheran Church, Attn: Paula Gunderson, PO Box 198, Baltic, SD 57003. We appreciate your support and sincerely thank you.

# Pioneer Cemetery celebrates 150 years

## Saturday, October 23, 2021

Please join the Pioneer Cemetery Board in celebrating 150 years since the dedication on October 23, 1871.

Cemetery tours from 2-4pm with Board Members present  
 Baltic American Legion  
 Pastor Randall Questad

Also, please stop by West Nidaros Family Life Center anytime from 2-4 on October 23rd as there will be pictures, video footage, and history shared over the last 150 years. Refreshments will be served. For more information, please contact any Pioneer Cemetery Board Member or Cathy Muston at [cjmuston@alliancecom.net](mailto:cjmuston@alliancecom.net)

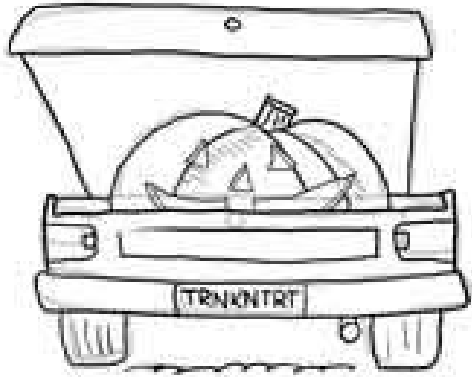
### Fellowship Coffee and Treats

<u>Oct 10 &amp; 17</u>	<u>Oct 10 &amp; 24</u>
<b><u>Baltic</u></b> Dale & Pam Nesheim 321-9600 Todd & Tami Park 522-0991 Nikki Oien 529-5650	<b><u>East Nidaros</u></b> Ron & Kristi Krogstad 360-2725 Alyssa & Brady Welk 254-3215 Jodee Westerbur 366-6557
<u>Oct 31 &amp; Nov 7</u>	<u>Oct 31 &amp; Nov 7</u>
<b><u>Baltic</u></b> Joann Moan 360-3524 Greg & Kari Bartling 201-5285 Gaila Schreurs 310-4069	<b><u>East Nidaros</u></b> David & Melissa Daugaard 999-8290 Janet Leffring & Larry Hemmer 963-2137 Dan & Patty Franz 359-0881

# Trunks/Sponsor Needed!

Baltic Community  
5th Annual

## TRUNK OR TREAT



Sunday, October 31

Setup: 2-3 pm Event 3-4 pm

Baltic Lutheran Church Parking Lot

Sign up using the SignUp Genius link on the church website;  
[balticandeastnidaros.org](http://balticandeastnidaros.org)

Sunday October 31, Reformation Sunday, Dr. Paulson will be preaching. Baltic Lutheran will also celebrate with special music and the dedication of the piano donated by The Ellen Aadland and Marge Hegge families.

## Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

**Baltic** 9:00 am in person @ Baltic Lutheran Church

**East Nidaros** 10:30 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @EastNidarosLutheranChurch

## Things Happening Week of October 17<sup>th</sup>

Tue Oct 19 **NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

2:00 Bible Study @ East

Wed Oct 20 6:30-7:30 Confirmation @ Baltic

7:15 Health Board Meeting @ Baltic

## Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup>

**Baltic** 9:00 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @BalticLutheran

**East Nidaros** 10:30 am in person @ East Nidaros Lutheran Church

## Things Happening Week of October 24<sup>th</sup>

Sun Oct 24 11:00-1:00 Swedish Meatball Dinner  
@ Baltic School Commons

Tue Oct 26 2:00 Bible Study @ East

Wed Oct 27 6:30-7:30 Confirmation @ Baltic

Thu Oct 28 Newsletter & Bulletin Assembly

Sun Oct 31 Livestreaming from Baltic & East

Dr. Paulson preaching for Reformation Sunday

Piano Dedication During Worship @ Baltic Lutheran

