



Matthew 22:21

**Render to Caesar
the things that are
Caesar's,
and to God
the things that
are God's.**

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20th Sunday after Pentecost

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WORSHIP PLAN WOV BREAD OF LIFE SETTING FIVE

LBW (*Green*) Lutheran Book of Worship

WOV (*Blue*) With One Voice

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS WOV p. 10

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 *In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God 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 “*Oh, Sing To The Lord*” WOV# 795

GREETING WOV p. 28

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 WOV p. 28 (*spoken*)

HYMN OF PRAISE “*Glory To God*” WOV p. 29

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P *The Lord be with you.*

C **And also with you.**

P *Let us pray.*

C Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations. Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your name; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 45:1-7

¹Thus says the LORD to his anointed, to Cyrus,
whose right hand I have grasped
to subdue nations before him
and strip kings of their robes,
to open doors before him—
and the gates shall not be closed:

²I will go before you
and level the mountains,
I will break in pieces the doors of bronze
and cut through the bars of iron,

³I will give you the treasures of darkness
and riches hidden in secret places,
so that you may know that it is I, the LORD,
the God of Israel, who call you by your name.

⁴For the sake of my servant Jacob,
and Israel my chosen,
I call you by your name,
I surname you, though you do not know me.

⁵I am the LORD, and there is no other;
besides me there is no god.
I arm you, though you do not know me,

⁶so that they may know, from the rising of the sun
and from the west, that there is no one besides me;
I am the LORD, and there is no other.

⁷I form light and create darkness,
I make weal and create woe;
I the LORD do all these things.

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM: Psalm 96:1-9 (*unison*)

- ¹Sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.**
- ²Sing to the LORD and bless his name;
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.**
- ³Declare his glory among the nations
and his wonders among all peoples.**
- ⁴For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised;
he is more to be feared than all gods.**
- ⁵As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols;
but it is the LORD who made the heavens.**
- ⁶Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence!
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!**
- ⁷Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples;
ascribe to the LORD honor and power.**
- ⁸Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his name;
bring offerings and come into his courts.**
- ⁹Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness;
let the whole earth tremble before him.**

SECOND LESSON: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

¹Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace.

²We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly ³remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁴For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, ⁵because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. ⁶And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, ⁷so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. ⁸For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has

become known, so that we have no need to speak about it.⁹ For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God,¹⁰ and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead—Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

L The Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: *"Jesus Loves Me"* (1st verse only)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION WOV p. 31 (*Sung*)

GOSPEL: Matthew 22:15-22

P *The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 22nd chapter.*

C Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁵Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap [Jesus] in what he said. ¹⁶So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. ¹⁷Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" ¹⁸But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? ¹⁹Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. ²⁰Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" ²¹They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." ²²When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

P *The Gospel of the Lord.*

C Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON: "TWO KINGDOMS"

HYMN OF THE DAY: *"Lord Of Glory, You Have Bought Us"* LBW# 424
Versus 1, 2 and 5

APOSTLES' CREED WOV p. 33

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”* WOV p. 35

OFFERTORY PRAYER WOV p. 35

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

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

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

C Hear our prayer.

LORD’S PRAYER (WOV p. 52)

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

C Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

P *Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.*
WOV p. 41

C *(Sung)* Three Fold Amen

SENDING HYMN *“You Servants Of God”* LBW# 252

DISMISSAL

P *Go in peace. Serve your neighbor.*

C Yes we will. Thanks be to God.



MEMBERS

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FRIENDS & FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS

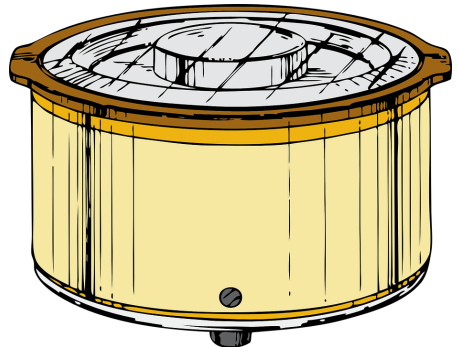
LeRoy Koopman—Brother-in-law to Ben & Elaine Kringen
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Darrel McMahon—Brother of Ann Romsdahl
Linda Smalz—Friend of Louie and Karen Doom
John Jorgenson—Friend of the Community
Art Aadland—Husband of Ellen Aadland
Paul Thompson—Friend of Manda Sheaffer
Dawn Williams—Sister of Danae Cords
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Family of Wes Benjamin
Darcy Myrmoe—Sister of Darla Singaas
Evelyn Questad—Mother of Pastor Randall
Ole Teveldal— Brett Teveldal's grandfather
Inez Wilson—Rosalie Brende's Aunt
Joel and Rita Laumer—Rosalie Brende's Cousins
Scott Crawford—Father of Trista Bohlen & Traci Soyer



East Nidaros Fuel Fundraiser Soup Event

What could be easier than picking up a container of fresh, homemade soup to take home and heat up on a cool, autumn day? Or how about a meal that you can put in your freezer for one of those days when you'd like the meal to be ready to eat when you get home? East Nidaros will be hosting a "Drive-Thru" event instead of their annual Soup Supper this year. We will be taking orders for homemade, ready to heat/serve soups as well as prepared, frozen meals for your slow-cooker. Order forms will be available at both churches, the church office and on the website (for you to print). **Orders will need to be turned in no later than Friday, October 30th with pick-up dates on Saturday, November 7th and Sunday November 8th.** Soups will be in a 1-quart container (2-3 servings). Soup choices: Chicken Noodle, Chili and Cheesy Potato with Ham. Freezer meals will be available in 2 sizes: 2-3 servings or 4-6 servings. Freezer Meal choices: Slow Cooker Chicken Taco Soup, Beef Barley Stew, Turkey Black Bean Chili, and Chicken Parmesan. Prices will be listed on the order form. This is our fuel fundraiser event.

Please contact
Colleen Nielsen (321-3851) or
Kathy Hegge (366-4116)
if you have any questions.



East Nidaros Lutheran Church Special Meeting

Sunday November 1, 2020 ~ Approximately 11:30 am

Please join us for worship at 10:30 am, the meeting will be held right after the Worship Service.

AGENDA

Call to Order

Devotional/Prayer

New Business

- The only item on the agenda is the following resolution recommended by the Church Council:

C.10.08 This congregation may hold meetings by remote communication, including electronically and by telephone conference, as long as there is an opportunity for simultaneous aural communication. To the extent permitted by state law, notice of all meetings may be provided electronically.

Adjournment/The Lord's Prayer

This amendment is needed for authorization of Congregation Meetings by electronic means in the event that we are unable to meet in person. All Voting Members are encouraged to attend. Your input is important to us.

We will follow guidelines for social distancing.

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED

- Kleenex
- Canned beans
- Toilet paper
- Mashed Potato flakes
- Muffin Mix
- Salt
- Peanut Butter
- Pepper
- Spices
- Knorr sides
- Oil
- Canned Fruit
- Tuna
- Paper towel
- Laundry Soap
- Women's Razors
- Cookie mix
- Pancake Mix
- Salad Dressings
- Juice
- Jelly
- Coffee

**NO OPENED,
PARTIALLY USED OR
OUTDATED ITEMS
PLEASE**



Items may be dropped off at the Baltic School in the red box in the Commons or in the Baltic Narthex or East Nidaros Fellowship Hall.

Meals on Wheels Drivers Wanted

Please contact the church office if you would be willing to deliver noon meals in Baltic on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday.

OCTOBER NOISY CAN

Baltic: Baltic Technology Fund

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

Baltic	9:00 Worship
East Nidaros	10:30 Worship 10:30 Online Worship

Things Happening This Week

Wed Oct 21	6:30-7:30 9 th grade Confirmation @ Baltic
Thu Oct 22	9:00 Bulletin Assembly
Thu Oct 23	Newsletter Deadline
Sat Oct 24	12:00.-1:00 Food Bank Open

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

Baltic	9:00 Worship & Rite of Confirmation
East Nidaros	10:30 Worship & Rite of Confirmation 10:30 Online Worship

Things Happening Week of October 25th

Sun Oct 25	Rite of Confirmation
Wed Oct 28	1:00-2:00 Communion at East 5:00-6:00 Communion at Baltic 6:30-7:30 7 th & 8 th grade Confirmation at Baltic
Thu Oct 29	9:00 Bulletin & Newsletter Assembly

THE FIRST COMMANDMENT
You shall have no other gods.

What does this mean?

We are to fear, love, and trust God above anything else.