



Sunday, November 26, 2023

Christ the King

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Worship Plan for Sunday, November 26, 2023

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LBW Holy Communion Setting Two

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P-Blessed be God, the one who forms us, Jesus who bears the cross, the Spirit who makes our joy complete.

C Amen.

P-Let us bow before God in humility, confessing our sin.
Steadfast and faithful God,

C You have revealed the ways of justice, yet we fail to follow you. We are overwhelmed by the world's violence and suffering. We are afraid to risk what we have for the sake of others. For the harm we have caused, known and unknown, forgive us. For the unjust demands we place on others and your creation, forgive us. For the ways we turn away from you and our neighbor, forgive us. Lead us back to you and set us on the right path; in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Beloved in Christ, God's justice stretches beyond all understanding. God's compassion is beyond compare. In Jesus, God is always making a new way for us. In Christ, you are already and always forgiven.

Amen

ENTRANCE HYMN *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!* (LBW 328) Vs 1-4

GREETING (LBW p. 78)

KYRIE (LBW p. 78)

HYMN OF PRAISE (LBW p. 79)

This is the feast

PRAYER OF THE DAY (LBW p. 82)

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray. . . .

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things to your beloved Son, whom you anointed priest forever and king of all

creation: Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united under the glorious and gentle rule of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen

FIRST LESSON: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

¹¹Thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. ¹²As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the water-courses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. ¹⁴I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD. ¹⁶I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the Injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. ²⁰Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, ²²I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. ²³I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.
L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 95:1-7a

¹Come, let us sing to the LORD; let us shout for joy to the rock of our salvation.

²**Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.**

³For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

⁴**In his hand are the caverns of the earth, and the heights of the hills are his also.**

⁵The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands have molded the dry land.

⁶**Come, let us bow down and bend the knee, and kneel before the LORD our Maker.**

^{7a}For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

SECOND LESSON: Ephesians 1:15-23

¹⁵I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. ¹⁷I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.
L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

SING JESUS LOVES ME AND CHILDREN'S SERMON-Rev. Renee

VERSE (LBW p. 83)

GOSPEL: Matthew 25:31-46

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 25th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

[Jesus said to the disciples:] ³¹“When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory.

³²All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the

goats, ³³ and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. ³⁴ Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; ³⁵ for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶ I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' ³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ³⁸ And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹ And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' ⁴⁰ And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family you did it to me.' ⁴¹ Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; ⁴² for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, ⁴³ I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' ⁴⁴ Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' ⁴⁵ Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' ⁴⁶ And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Rev. Renee Splichal Larson

HYMN OF THE DAY *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* (LBW 456)

APOSTLE'S CREED (LBW p. 85)

THE PRAYERS

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERING HYMN *Praise and Thanksgiving* LBW 409

OFFERTORY PRAYER (LBW p. 87)

Let us pray.

Merciful Father,

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

DIALOGUE (LBW p. 87)

PREFACE (LBW p. 88)

SANCTUS (LBW p. 89)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD’S PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

ALL BAPTIZED CHRISTIANS WHO CONFESS JESUS CHRIST AS LORD AND HIS PRESENCE IN THE BREAD AND WINE ARE WELCOME TO THE LORD’S TABLE.

COMMUNION HYMN (LBW p. 92)

Let Us Break Bread Together LBW 212

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE (LBW p. 92)

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (LBW p. 94)

BLESSING (LBW p. 94)

SENDING HYMN *Crown Him with Many Crowns* LBW 170 Verses 1-4

DISMISSAL

Go in peace and serve your neighbor.

Yes, we will. Thanks be to God.

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Today is Todd & Tammy Park’s 35th Wedding Anniversary.
We wish you a Happy Anniversary Todd & Tammy!



MEMBERS

Betty Jean Benjamin
Donna Lee Boyd - Rhoda Wold
Jimmie Vollan—Nathan Vrchota
Kelly LaValliere—Heather Petersen
Dale Thompson— Gary Kocmick
Harry Laue

FRIENDS & FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS

Dennis Riswold—Friend of the Community
Jay Vogt— Friend of the Community
Laurel Mader -Friend of Pastor & Kim Questad
Keith Fawcett—Kyla Fawcett's (Nesheim) father-in-law
Jan Davis—Friend of the Community
Anita (Ana) Reategui—Friend of Jeff and Joan Boldt
Carolyn Koopman—Aunt of Kim Questad
James Langloss—Kim Questad's Uncle
Mattias Warne—Friend of the Community
Carol, Billy, Nicole, Chad, Dane, Noah, Brian & Lisa—Family of Eric & Lindsey Comes
Becky Berg—Sister-in-law of Dick Berg
Family of Lorelei Reynolds—Cousin of Wayne Albers

Our Response to God's Love

Baltic: Nov 19: Attendance 143; General Fund\$1334.00 Noisy
Can\$60.73 Thanksgiving Offering \$440.00

East: Nov 12: Attendance 90; General Fund \$1788.00 Noisy Can \$29.57
Thanksgiving Offering \$185.00

NOVEMBER NOISY CAN

Baltic: Angel Tree

East: Angel Tree

Sunday, November 26, 2023

Baltic	9:00 Worship
East Nidaros	10:30 Worship and livestreamed on Facebook @ EastNidarosLutheranChurch

Things Happening Week of November 26th

Mon Nov 27	6:30pm Bible Study at Baltic
Wed Nov 29	6:30pm 8th Confirmation @ BLC
	7:30pm 7th Confirmation @ BLC
Thur Nov 30	9am Newsletter Assembly & Christmas Offering Letters

Sunday, December 3, 2023

Baltic	9:00 Worship and Live streamed on Facebook @ BalticLutheranChurch
East Nidaros	10:30 Worship

Fellowship Coffee and Treats

Baltic

Dec 3 WELCA Officers
& 10

East Nidaros

Dec 3 David & Melissa Daugaard
Jodee Westerbur

BLC WELCA will be decorating the church on November 28 at 1pm. If you are free during this time, please join us in decorating for Christmas!

EAST NIDAROS Live Nativity

Please join us at our outside nativity on Sunday, December 10, 2023, from, 5 – 7 pm. There will be caroling and fellowship as we gather to celebrate Christmas and Jesus' birth. Refreshments will be served in the Fellowship Hall.