



# CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

## The Feast of All Saints

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*“Blessed Are You”*



We welcome our members and guests to Christ Lutheran today,  
and pray God’s richest blessings upon you during this time of worship!

*All members and our guests are asked to complete the  
worship attendance pads which can be found on each pew.  
Guests are also asked to sign the guest register found in the Narthex.  
We are so glad to have you worshipping with us today!*

*LARGE PRINT worship folders are available  
at the usher stand at the back of the nave.*

## **WELCOME:**

“It is not dry manuals that plausibly express to the world the truth of Christ’s Gospel,  
but the existence of the saints, who have been grasped by Christ’s Holy Spirit. And  
Christ himself foresaw no other kind of apotheosis.”

–Hans Urs von Balthasar, *The Glory of the Lord*

# THE LORD'S SUPPER

In preparation for reception of the Lord's Supper (*Holy Communion*), it is important that we review and understand what the Bible teaches regarding this sacrament:

The Bible teaches that Jesus gives us His very body and blood along with bread and wine in Holy Communion<sup>1</sup>, and that these are means by which He forgives our sins<sup>2</sup>, and strengthens us for daily living, and draws us into closer fellowship with Him and other believers. The Bible also teaches us to examine ourselves prior to receiving the meal<sup>3</sup>. For those receiving Holy Communion, examine yourself with these questions:

**Do I believe that I am a sinner and I am sorry for my sins?**

**Do I believe that Jesus Christ is God's Son and my personal Savior?**

**Do I believe that Christ's true body and blood are present in this holy meal for my forgiveness?**

**Do I truly intend with the help of God to correct my sinful life?**

According to Christ's Word in the Holy Scriptures, and in confession with the true Christian faith, at Christ Lutheran we observe the practice of closed communion. We believe that all who commune must confess the same holy faith, as Holy Scripture teaches. Since one's church affiliation indicates an individual's confession of faith, we ask that only those who have been instructed in the above teaching **and** are confirmed members of The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod commune. If you have not been instructed in this teaching on Holy Communion, are in doubt, or hold a different confession of faith<sup>4</sup>, you are still welcome to come forward and cross your arms to indicate that you would like a blessing.

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<sup>1</sup> Matthew 26:26-29; Mark 14:22-25; Luke 22:14-20, 1 Corinthians 11:23

<sup>2</sup> Matthew 26:28; 1 John 1:7; 1 Peter 1:18-19

<sup>3</sup> 1 Corinthians 11:28-32

<sup>4</sup> 1 Corinthians 10:17; 1 Corinthians 11:26

# DIVINE SERVICE II

## PRESERVICE MUSIC

*The congregation stands to face the back of the church.  
As the processional cross passes, the congregation turns to face the cross.*

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

## For All the Saints

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1. All
2. Men
3. Women
4. Choir
5. All
6. Choir
7. All
8. All

## CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

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

**C** Amen.

**P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

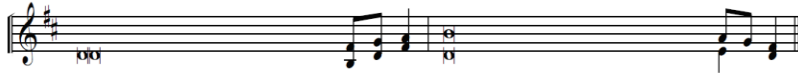
**C** **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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 you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**INTROIT: IN TE, DOMINE, SPERAVERIM**

*Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; Ant. Revelation 7:14*



These are the ones coming out of the great tribu- | lation.\*  
 They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.

**In you, O LORD, do I take refuge; let me never be | put to shame;\***  
**in your righteousness de- | liver me.**

For you are my rock and my | fortress; \*  
 and for your name's sake you lead me and | guide me.

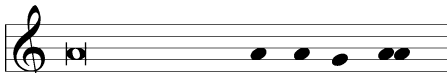
**Into your hand I commit my | spirit;\***  
**you have redeemed me, O LORD, | faithful God.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

These are the ones coming out of the great tribu- | lation.\*  
 They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.

**KYRIE**

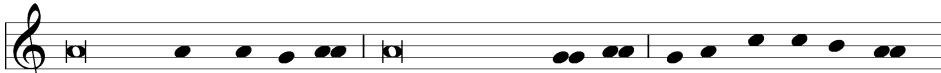
*Mark 10:47*



**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.



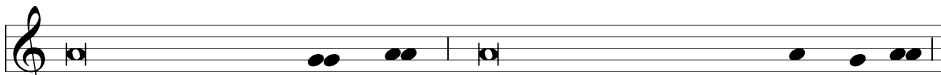
**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** For the peace from a-bove and for our sal-va-tion let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



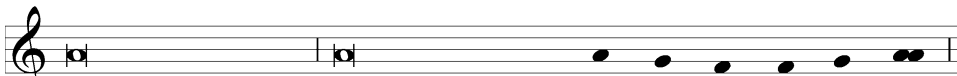
**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the uni-ty of all let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



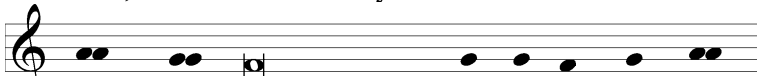
**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise



let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



**C** A - men.

## DIGNUS EST



**A** This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



**C** Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,



whose blood set us free to be peo-ple of God.



Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and strength and



hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are His.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le -



lu - ia. Sing with all the peo - ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:



Bless - ing and hon - or and glo - ry and might be to



God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God,

for the Lamb who was slain has be - gun His reign.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

### SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And al - so with you.

**P** Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** A - men.

### FRIST READING

*Revelation 7:9-17*

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying,



“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

“Therefore they are before the throne of God,  
and serve him day and night in his temple;  
and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.  
They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;  
the sun shall not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat.  
For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of living water,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

#### GRADUAL

*Revelation 7:14; Psalm 84:5*



**These are the ones coming out of the great tribu- | lation.\***

**They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.**

**Blessèd are those whose strength is | in you,\***

**in whose heart are the highways to | Zion.**

#### EPISTLE READING

*1 John 3:1-3*

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

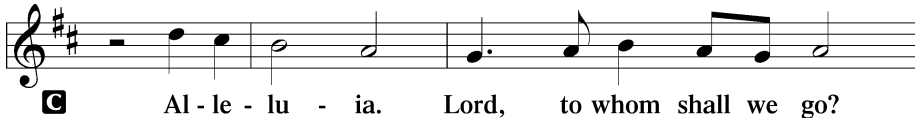
**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Please stand*

## GOSPEL PROCESSION: ALLELUIA & VERSE

*As the Word of God is brought down into the congregation, so our Lord Jesus Christ comes and speaks graciously in the midst of His people. The congregation may stand and face the crucifix.*



## HOLY GOSPEL

*Matthew 5:1-12*

**P** The Holy ✠ Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.



Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



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

*Please be seated*

**OFFICE HYMN**

**Behold a Host, Arrayed in White**

**#676**

**SERMON**

*They Who See God*

*Please stand*

**NICENE CREED**

**C** **I believe in one God,** (Rom 10:10; Deut 6:4)  
**the Father Almighty,** (Mt 6:9; Ex 6:3)  
**maker of heaven and earth** (Gen 1:1; Jn 1:1)  
**and of all things visible and invisible.** (Col 1:16)  
**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,** (Rom 10:9)  
**the only-begotten Son of God,** (Jn 3:16; Mt 16:16)  
**begotten of His Father before all worlds,** (Jn 1:2)  
**God of God, Light of Light,** (Jn 17:22; Jn 8:12; Jn 1:1)  
**very God of very God,** (Col 2:9) **begotten, not made,** (Jn 1:2)  
**being of one substance with the Father,** (Jn 10:30)  
**by whom all things were made;** (Heb 1:2; Jn 1:3)  
**who for us men and for our salvation** (1 Tim 2:4; Rom 3:23)  
**came down from heaven** (Jn 6:41; Lk 15:20)  
**and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary** (Lk 1:34-35)  
**and was made man;** (Jn 1:14)  
**and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.** (Mk 15:25; Jn 19:16-18)  
**He suffered and was buried.** (Jn 19:1-3; Lk 23:53)  
**And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures** (1 Cor 15:4; Lk 24:6)  
**and ascended into heaven** (Acts 1:9)  
**and sits at the right hand of the Father.** (Acts 7:55)  
**And He will come again with glory** (Mt 26:64)  
**to judge both the living and the dead,** (Acts 10:42; Mt 3:12)  
**whose kingdom will have no end.** (2 Pt 1:11)  
**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,** (Jn 14:26; Gen 1:2; Acts 2:38)

**the Lord and giver of life,** (Gen 1:2; Jn 3:6)  
**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,** (Jn 15:26)  
**who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,** (Mt 3:16-17)  
**who spoke by the prophets.** (Eze 11:5)  
**And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,** (1 Pt 2:5; Eph 2:19-22)  
**I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,** (Eph 4:5)  
**and I look for the resurrection of the dead** (1 Cor 15:35-49; 1 Thess 4:13-18)  
**and the life  $\dagger$  of the world to come.** (Mk 10:29-30; Mt 10:40-42)

**Amen.** (Ps 106:48)

*Us men* means all people.

*Christian:* the ancient text reads “catholic,” meaning the whole Church as it confesses the wholeness of Christian doctrine.

## COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

**P** “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come? These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple; and He who sits on the throne will shelter them with His presence.” Rev 7:13-15

Let us remember with thanksgiving those who have gone before us with the sign of faith, for God has given them new life through His Son in Holy Baptism, and nourished them in the company of His people at His holy table, and in His mercy has summoned them to His nearer presence so that they may continue in joyful service to Him forever.

**P** In joyful expectation of the resurrection to life we remember before You, O Lord, our departed kin and friends who have gone before us in heavenly rest:

+ Rose Bagley +

**P** I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies;

**C** **And whoever lives and believes in Me will never die.** (Jn 11:25-26)

+ Mary Bright +

**P** If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation.

**C** **The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.** (2 Cor 5:17)

+ Jackie Bush +

**P** Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where

Christ is seated at the right hand of God.

**C** Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. (Col 3:1-2)

+ Hosey Cistrunk +

**P** For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed.

**C** For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on immortality. (1 Cor 15:52-53)

+ Gret Glycer +

**P** I know that my Redeemer lives, and that in the end He will stand upon the earth.

**C** And after my skin has been destroyed, yet in my flesh I will see God. (Job 19:25-26)

+ Donna Hartman Goldsmith +

**P** And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man.

**C** He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. (Rev 21:3)

+ Billy Glen Hansford +

**P** I tell you the truth, whoever hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has eternal life.

**C** And will not be condemned: He has crossed over from death to life. (Jn 5:24)

+ Ailyn Walton Jones +

**P** I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

**C** Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness. (2 Tim 4:7-8)

+ Arlene Kleinschmidt +

**P** For none of us lives to himself alone and none of us dies to himself alone. If we live, we live to the Lord; and if we die, we belong to the Lord.

**C** So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord. (Rom 14:7-8)

+ Sandra Landers +

**P** He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces,

**C** and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. (Isaiah 25:8)

+ James Lamar Rhodes Jr. +

**P** Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

**C** **For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.** (1 Cor 15:20-21)

+ Linda Stoeckman +

**P** O LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

**C** **O LORD, you have brought up my soul from Sheol; you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.** (Psalm 30:2-3)

+ David Walton +

**P** Lord, now you are letting your servant depart in peace, according to your word;

**C** **for my eyes have seen your salvation that you have prepared in the presence of all peoples.** (Luke 2:29-31)

+ Eargnee Walton White +

**P** Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on."

**C** **"Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!"** (Rev 14:13)

+ Helen Wetherbee +

**P** "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."

**C** **"Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."** (Luke 23:42-43)

+ Edmund Yenish +

**P** The Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water,

**C** **and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.** (Rev 7:17)

*An asterisk (\*) identifies those blessed saints who have gone to their eternal rest in the past year.*

Norman Rush Agent, Sr.

James Boutwell

Annie Jane Cistrunk

James Allen Jr.

Nancy Boutwell

\*Hosey Cistrunk

James Allen Sr.

Gerald Bright

Glen Clark

Pearl M. Allen

\*Mary Bright

John Clemmer

Adeline Anderson

\*Jackie Bush

Kim Clemmer

Frances Bailey

Harry Cattran

Brenda Cookston

James W. Bailey

Gwen Chambliss

Dorothy Cooper

\*Rose Bagley

Joan Chubbs

Joe Daniel Cooper

Sandra Bodkin

Norman Chubbs

John Cooper, Sr.

Christopher Cowards  
Jesse Cowards  
Bonnie Dillon  
Cassandra Dillon  
Sue Edwards  
Cary Fisher  
Laura Fisher  
Leland Fisher  
Raymond Fisher  
Ruth Fisher  
William Gassett  
\*Gret Glycer  
\*Donna Goldsmith  
Aaron James Goodlett  
James Clyde Goodlett  
Norma Goodlett  
Emily Green  
Hugh Green  
John Guest  
Ruth Hanks  
Ted Hansen  
\*Billy Glen Hansford  
Edith K. Hartman  
James Hartman  
Eunice (Lin) Hartung  
Richard Hartung  
Victor Hartung  
Charles Haynes  
Esther L. Held  
Lillie C. Henderson  
George Hessenthaler  
James P. Holowach  
Ernest Hunt  
Hugh Hunt  
Lauren Hunt  
Sarah Hunt  
James Jarratt  
\*Ailyn Walton Jones  
Barbara Agent Jones

Douglas Jones  
Herb Kalkitis  
Alex Kettler  
\*Arlene Kleinschmidt  
Marge Koessel  
Carl Koster  
Eleanor Koster  
Nancy Kyle  
Ernest Lee Lander  
\*Sandra Landers  
Alice Lefholz  
Amy Lewis  
Adolf Lorence  
Mildred Lorence  
Angel Mattar  
P.K. Monaghan  
Ethel Moore  
Lindberg Moore  
Cynthia Murphy  
Fanny Murphy  
Ira Murphy  
Jerry Mutter  
Bill Nunn  
Dorothy Nunn  
Aksel Pedersen  
Carl Pedersen  
Inger Pedersen  
Melvin Perkins  
Bill Ridlehoover  
Calvin Reed  
Tressie Reed  
\*James Lamar Rhodes  
Carlena Rodgers  
Frances Rodman  
George Thomas Rodman  
Roy Rodman  
Arta Missa Roever  
Carl Hans Roever  
Elmira Roever

Frank Roever  
Louise Rosser  
Lazarus Rudsenske  
Mark Rudsenske  
Mary Ellen Rudsenske  
Carl Runnels  
Clara Runnels  
David Runnels  
Mary Runnels  
Alvin Sandberg  
Mary Sandberg  
Alvin Sandfort  
Christian Sandfort  
Mary Ann Sandfort  
Paula Sandfort  
Richard Savoy  
Anna Schwabe  
Oscar Schwabe  
Harold Seling  
Jackie Clemmer Seling  
Ina Bell Slaughter  
Oscar Slaughter  
Sally Smith  
Bessie Snyder  
\*Linda Stoeckman  
Ken Tatum  
Jack Teal  
Jeanne Teal  
John McGehee Teal  
Hazel Thigpen  
Lester Thigpen  
Rosie Thomas  
Harold Thomsen  
John Christian Thomsen  
Bernard Threet  
Marie Threet  
Clarence Townes  
Betty Venator  
\*David Walton

Bill Wassum  
Marion Wassum  
Alice Watson  
Emily Weidner

John Weidner  
\*Helen Wetherbee  
\*Eargnee Walton White  
Bettye W. Williams

Vivian Woods  
\*Edmund Yenish  
Vernon Zeigler

**P** Almighty God, we remember with thanksgiving those who loved and served You in Your Church on earth and who now rest from their labors. Keep us in fellowship with all Your saints, and bring us at last to the joy of Your heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

On this Feast of All Saints, the traditional *Universal Prayer of the Faithful* is used. The prayer will be offered all at once by the pastor, after which the congregation will respond, saying: **AMEN**.

*For comfort, health and recovery:* **Bradford Chisholm, Greg Goldman, Lori Held, Cathy McDonald, Elaine Monaghan, Tommy Smith, Gary Stoeckman, Linda Stoeckman;**

*For those who mourn:* the family and friends of **Linda Stoeckman, Helen Wetherbee;**

*For those who are ill or distressed:* **Stan Acey, Jenalee Adams, Layne Bagley, Shirley Bagley, W.L. Bagley, Sarah Bowman, Mimi Bradley, Richard Bradley, Deloris Brent, Martha Brown, Nathan Brown, Tina Burke, Wayne Burke, Bobby Carroll, Arthur Collins, James E. Cookston, Joan Cowards, Belinda Cowards-Gonzales, Robert (Andy) Evers, Michele Rae (Cookston) Fowler, Randy Fowler, Parker Haines, Dan Hansen, Paul Hansen, Tim Hansen, Valerie Henderson, Sharon Holleman, Beth Jarratt, Joslyn Jones, Steve Kennedy, John Koster, Katelyn Lawing, Paul McCullough, Jerry McIntyre, Jerry McMahan, Edlia Miller, Elaine Monaghan, Don Ochs, Mildred Odom, Deborah-Annette Ried, Jon Sandberg, Noah Schultz, Johnnie Pearl Smiley, Bob Smith, Sherri Smith, Deborah Springer, Leonard Watson, Dana Weaver, Cynthia Widlitz, Carol Wright, Jimmy Wright, Marshall Wright, Barbara Zeigler;**

*For college and graduate students:* **Sara Fields, Will Nelson;**

*For military servants and their families:* **Gabriel Escude, James (Glen) Hansford, Holden Hathcock, William Nelson, Steven Tatum, John Weidner Jr.;**

*For foreign missionaries:* **especially those serving in Spain;**

*This week's prayer family:* **Steve Jeffcoat** and his loved ones.



*Please be seated*

## OFFERING

*Please stand*

## OFFERTORY

*Psalm 116:12-13, 17-19*



**C** What shall I ren - der to the Lord for all His ben - e-fits to



me? I will of - fer the sac - ri - fice of thanks - giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-



va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



vows to the Lord now in the pres - ence of all His peo - ple, in the



courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa - lem.

# SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

## PREFACE

*2 Timothy 4:22; [Colossians 3:1]; [Psalm 136]*



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And al-so with you.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. In the communion of all Your saints gathered into the one body of Your Son, You have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, encouraged by their faith and strengthened by their fellowship, may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that does not fade away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

# SANCTUS

*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of  
pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your  
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name  
of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

**P** By faith the saints of old held fast to Your promise to things hoped for though not yet seen, leaving an example and encouragement for us who walk now by faith and not by sight.

Grant that we may faithfully eat and drink this Holy Supper of Your Son's Body and Blood and in the union of His mystical Body, the Church, be joined in unending praise with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; Moses, Elijah, and all the faithful prophets; the blessed apostles and evangelists, the holy martyrs, and all the saints in glory who fought the good fight of faith before us.

Hear us in His name and as He has taught us:

## LORD'S PRAYER

*Matthew 6:9-13*

- 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.**

## THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

*Matthew 26:26–28;*

*Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## PAX DOMINI

*John 20:19*



- P** The peace ✠ of the Lord be with you al - ways.



- C** A - men.

# AGNUS DEI

John 1:29

**☐** Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the  
sin of the world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of  
God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
grant us peace, grant us peace.

*Please be seated*

## DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

*All who are members in good standing of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and have introduced themselves to the pastor are welcome to partake of the Holy Communion at Christ Lutheran. If you have not spoken to the pastor, but would like to receive the Lord's blessing, you may still come to the rail and kneel, crossing one arm over the other in the shape of an 'X'. This symbolizes that one is marked by the cross and Triune name of Almighty God.*

## DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

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|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| <b>Jerusalem the Golden</b>         | <b>#672</b> |
| <b>Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones</b> | <b>#670</b> |
| <b>Oh, What Their Joy</b>           | <b>#675</b> |

*Please stand following distribution of communion*

# NUNC DIMITTIS

Luke 2:29-32



Lord, now You let Your ser-vant go in peace; Your word has been ful-



filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which You have pre-



pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: A light to re -



veal You to the na - tions and the glo - ry of Your peo - ple Is - ra - el.



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

## POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

**P** We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.



**Men's Whiskey:** Since the ladies have their monthly “night out,” it is only fair that the men have some fun too! So, Gents, bring a bottle of your favorite whiskey to swill and share on **Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, from noon-7p.m.** at the Yenish House!

**CLC Christmas Recital:** Calling all musicians! It is time to start practicing up, because the Christ Lutheran Christmas Recital is coming on **Saturday, January 7!** If you are interested in participating, email Sister Sara at [sistersara@christlutheranjacksonms.org](mailto:sistersara@christlutheranjacksonms.org). All ages and levels are welcome!

**CLC Directory Update:** It's time for our annual directory update! A draft is located on the narthex table for you to **please review your information** by **November 20<sup>th</sup>** and pencil in edits as needed. If all is correct, put a checkmark next to your name. Thank you!

**Readings for next Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, the Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost:**  
Introit Ps. 121:1-2, 5, 7-8; Psalm 98; Malachi 4:1-6; 2 Thessalonians 3:1-13 ; Luke 21 :5-36.

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***This week at Christ Lutheran Church: November 7 – November 13***

<b>Monday</b>	<b>6:15 p.m.</b> Elders Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6:15 p.m.</b> Council Meeting
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b> Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday</b>	<b>6:30 a.m.</b> Bible & Breaky
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b> Quilting
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b> Sunday School for All Ages
	<b>10:30 a.m. Divine Service</b> – The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost
	<b>5:00 p.m.</b> Gemutlichkeit



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