



# CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

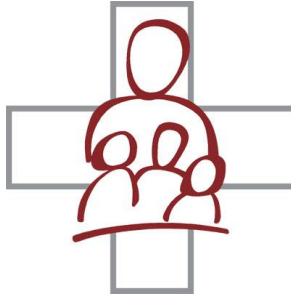
## The Feast of All Saints

+ November 3, 2024 +

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*“Who Are These?”*



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:**

“We might even say that the one thing which separates a saint from ordinary men is his readiness to be one with ordinary men. In this sense the word ordinary must be understood in its native and noble meaning; which is connected with the word order.”

–G.K. Chesterton, *St. Thomas Aquinas*

# 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 III

## PRESERVICE MUSIC

*The congregation may use this time to pray and meditate.*

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

### For All the Saints

#677

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

- |          |                     |
|----------|---------------------|
| 1. All   | 5. All              |
| 2. Men   | 6. All (a cappella) |
| 3. Women | 7. All              |
| 4. Choir | Δ 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** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

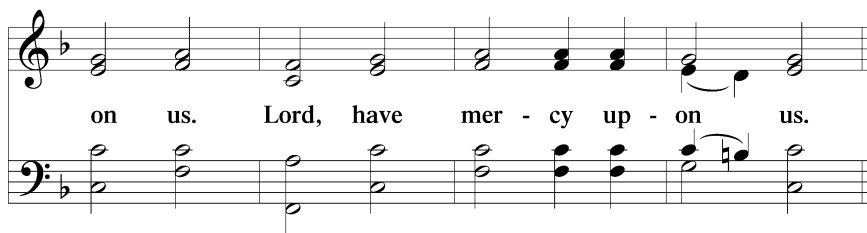
**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

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

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.



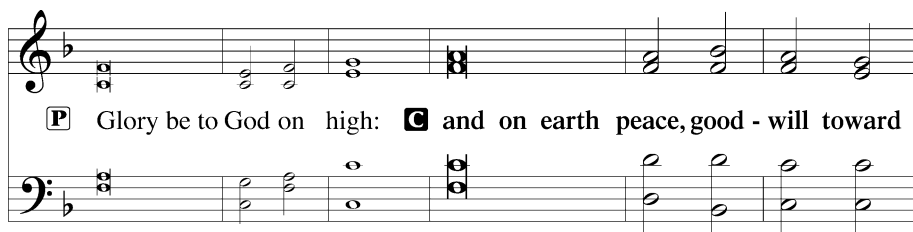


on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

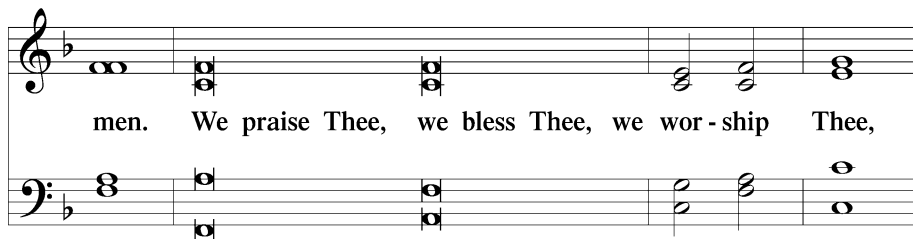
## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Luke 2:14; John 1:29

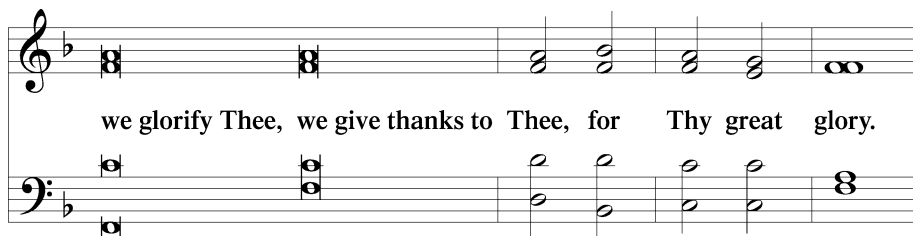
*Choir sings the passage on the next page. In this passage of the Gloria in Excelsis, we humbly implore the Son as our atoning sacrifice and our intercessor with the Father to hear our prayer and have mercy upon us. The music departs from the fanfare of the angelic song to take a more subdued tone, reflecting our petition.*



**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.

*Choir:*

*O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
 That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.  
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.*

For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.

Thou only, † O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Let us pray.

**P** 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.

*Please be seated*

## 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,





## GOSPEL PROCESSION

*Choir:*

*Alleluia! Alleluia!*

*Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,  
let us look to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith.*

**Congregation:**



Al - le - lu - ia! \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!

## HOLY GOSPEL

*Matthew 5:1-12*

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

**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

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.

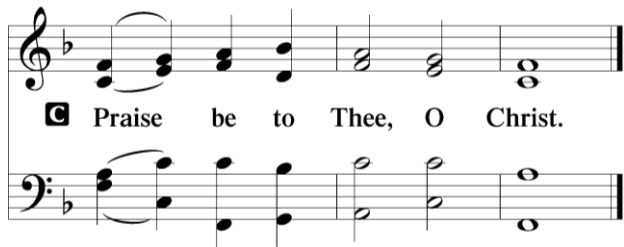
“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

“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 be to Thee, O Christ.

*Please be seated*

**OFFICE HYMN**

**Behold a Host, Arrayed in White**

**#676**

**SERMON**

*Forgotten, but Not Forgotten*

*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  $\text{✠}$  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:

+ Miriam Bradley +

**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)

+ Miriam Fricke +

**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)

+ Constantine Papanastasiou +

**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)

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

Norman Rush Agent, Sr.

James Allen Jr.

James Allen Sr.

Pearl M. Allen

Adeline Anderson

Rose Bagley

Frances Bailey

James W. Bailey

James Beck

Sandra Bodkin

James Boutwell

Nancy Boutwell

\*Miriam Bradley

Gerald Bright

Mary Bright

Jackie Bush

Harry Cattran

Gwen Chambliss

Joan Chubbs

Norman Chubbs

Annie Jane Cistrunk

Hosey Cistrunk

Glen Clark

John Clemmer

Kim Clemmer

Brenda Cookston

Dorothy Cooper

Joe Daniel Cooper

John Cooper, Sr.

Christopher Cowards

Jesse Cowards

Bonnie Dillon

Cassandra Dillon

Sue Edwards  
Rosina Fields  
Cary Fisher  
Laura Fisher  
Leland Fisher  
Raymond Fisher  
Ruth Fisher  
\*Miriam Fricke  
William Gasset  
Greg Goldman  
Donna Goldsmith  
Aaron James Goodlett  
James Clyde Goodlett  
Norma Goodlett  
Emily Green  
Hugh Green  
John Guest  
Gret Glycer  
Ruth Hanks  
Billy Glen Hansford  
Edith K. Hartman  
James Hartman  
Eunice (Lin) Hartung  
Richard Hartung  
Victor Hartung  
Charles Haynes  
Esther L. Held  
Lillie C. Henderson  
James Holowach  
Ernest Hunt  
Lauren Hunt  
Sarah Hunt  
Ailyn Walton Jones  
Barbara Agent Jones  
Douglas Jones  
Herb Kalkitis  
Alex Kettler  
Arlene Kleinschmidt  
Marge Koessel  
Carl Koster  
Nancy Kyle

Sandra Landers  
Ernest Lee Lander  
Alice Lefholz  
Amy Lewis  
Adolf Lorence  
Mildred Lorence  
Dillard Martin  
Angel Mattar  
P.K. Monaghan  
Ethel Moore  
Cynthia Murphy  
Fanny Murphy  
Ira Murphy  
Bill Nunn  
Dorothy Nunn  
\*Constantine Papanastasiou  
Aksel Pedersen  
Allen Pedersen  
Carl Pedersen  
Inger Pedersen  
Melvin Perkins  
Bill Ridlehoover  
Calvin Reed  
Tressie Reed  
Carlena Rodgers  
Frances Rodman  
George Thomas Rodman  
Roy Rodman  
Arta Missa Roevers  
Carl Hans Roevers  
Frank Roevers  
James Lamar Rhodes, Jr.  
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  
Anna Schwabe  
Oscar Schwabe  
Harold Seling  
Jackie Clemmer Seling  
Ina Bell Slaughter  
Oscar Slaughter  
Jonathan B. Smith  
Sally Smith  
Bessie Snyder  
Linda Stoeckmann  
Ken Tatum  
Jack Teal  
Jeanne Teal  
John David Teal  
John McGehee Teal  
Hazel Thigpen  
Lester Thigpen  
Rosie Thomas  
Harold Thomsen  
John Christian Thomsen  
Bernard Threet  
Marie Threet  
Clarence Townes  
David Walton  
Bill Wassum  
Marion Wassum  
Alice Watson  
Emily Weidner  
John Weidner  
Helen Wetherbee  
Richard Wheaton  
Eargnee Walton White  
Bettye W. Williams  
Vivian Woods  
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**

*For comfort, health, and recovery:* **Becky Bright, Marie Ferderer & Child, Thomas Nielson, Sherri Smith, Eloise Springer, Terry Swisher, Nicole Tatum, Donny Thomas, Leslie Thomas, Charles Trahan, David Zavoina, Terry Ziegler;**

*For those who are ill or distressed:* **Jenalee Adams, Blair Alford, Layne Bagley, Shirley Bagley, W.L. Bagley, Sarah Bowman, Deloris Brent, Martha Brown, Nathan Brown, Hunter Burkhalter, Wayne Burt, Bobby Carroll, James E. Cookston, Joan Cowards, Belinda Cowards-Gonzales, Robert (Andy) Evers, Tahlia Ferderer, George Fields, Randy Fowler, Parker Haines, Dan Hansen, Tim Hansen, Faye Hartman, Valerie Henderson, Sharon Holleman, April Ann Hubmann, Joslyn Jones, Steve Kennedy, John Koster, Katelyn Lawing, Paul McCullough, Jerry McIntyre, Edlia Miller, Elaine Monaghan, Don Ochs, Deborah-Annette Ried, Jon Sandberg, Noah Schultz, Jonnie Pearl Smiley, Bob Smith, Sherri Smith, Deborah Springer, Gary Stoeckmann, Lesley Tatum, Nicole Tatum, Donny Thomas, Leslie Thomas, Nikki Vines, Leonard Watson, Dana Weaver, Cynthia Widlitze, Barbara Zeigler;**

*For college and graduate students:* **Sara Fields;**

*For military servants and their families:* **Gabriel Escude, Glen Hansford, Bill Nelson, Steven Tatum;**

*For foreign missionaries*

*This week's prayer family:* **Francis Dillon** and his loved ones.

*Please be seated*

### **OFFERING**

*Please stand*

# OFFERTORY

Psalm 51:10-12

*The congregation is invited to sing in parts:*

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.



# SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

## PREFACE

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



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.



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



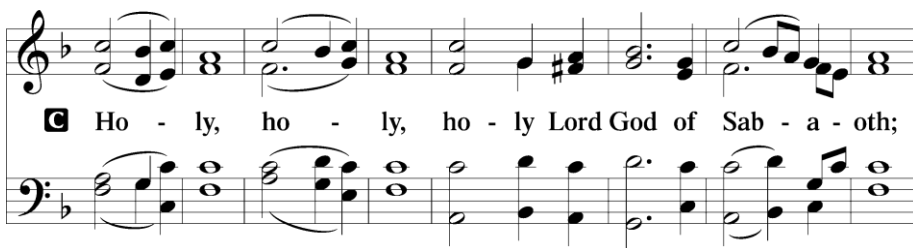
**C** It is meet and right so to do.



**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

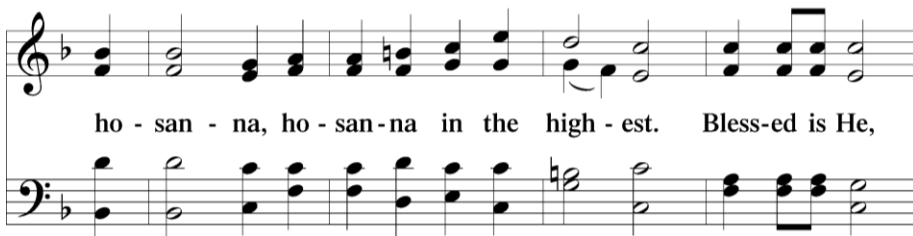
*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



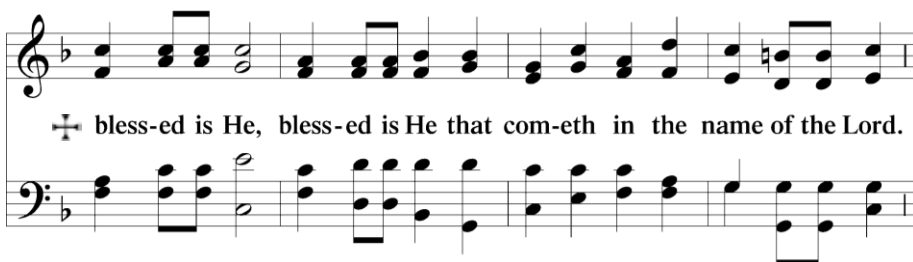
**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



† bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.

Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

## LORD'S PRAYER

*Matthew 6:9-13*

- P** *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.*

**C** For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the  
glo - ry for - ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

## THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

*Matthew 26:26-28*

- 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

The musical score for 'Pax Domini' is written in G major (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of three staves. The top staff is a single melodic line in treble clef. The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in treble and bass clefs, respectively. The lyrics 'The peace ✝ of the Lord be with you al - ways.' are written below the first staff. A 'C' time signature is present at the beginning of the piano accompaniment. The word 'men.' is written below the piano accompaniment.

### AGNUS DEI

John 1:29

Choir:

*O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
Have mercy upon us.*

*O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
Have mercy upon us.*

*O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
Grant us Thy peace. Amen.*

*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

**Jerusalem the Golden**

**#672**

**Sing with All the Saints in Glory**

**#671**

**Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones**

**#670**

*Please stand following distribution of communion*

# NUNC DIMITTIS

Luke 2:29-32

Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -  
cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,  
which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,  
a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy  
peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and  
to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

# THANKSGIVING

**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,  
**C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

## POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

- A** 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.

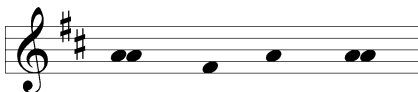
## SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



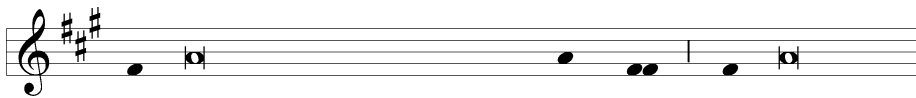
**A** Bless we the Lord.



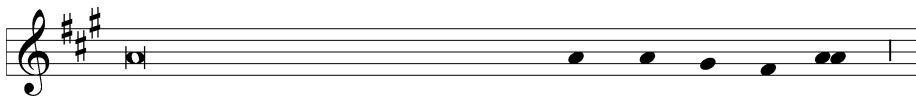
**C** Thanks be to God.

# BENEDICTION

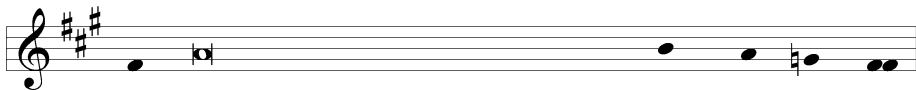
*Numbers 6:24-26*



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



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

*Choir begins stanza 2; the congregation joins them on the fifth line as noted.*



1 We praise You and ac-knowl-edge You, O God, to be the Lord,  
 Choir: 2 The band of the a-pos-tles in glo-ry sing Your praise;  
 3 You, Christ, are King of glo-ry, the ev-er-last-ing Son,  
 4 You sit in splen-did glo-ry, en-throned at God's right hand,



The Fa-ther ev-er-last-ing, by all the earth a-dored.  
 The fel-low-ship of proph-ets their death-less voic-es raise.  
 Yet You, with bound-less love, sought to res-cue ev-'ry-one:  
 Up-hold-ing earth and heav-en by forc-es You com-mand.



To You all an-gel pow-ers cry a-loud, the heav-ens sing,  
 The mar-tyrs of Your king-dom, a great and no-ble throng,  
 You laid a-side Your glo-ry, were born of vir-gin's womb,  
 We know that You will come as our Judge that fi-nal day,



The cher-u-bim and ser-a-phim their prais-es to You bring:  
 Sing with the ho-ly Church through-out all the world this song:  
 Were cru-ci-fied for us and were placed in-to a tomb;  
 So help Your ser-vants You have re-deemed by blood, we pray;



**Congregation:** "O ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord God of Sab-a-oth;  
 "O all-ma-jes-tic Fa-ther, Your true and on-ly Son,  
 Then by Your res-ur-rec-tion You won for us re-trieve—  
 May we with saints be num-bered where prais-es nev-er end,



Your maj-es-ty and glo-ry fill the heav-ens and the earth!"  
 And Ho-ly Spir-it, Com-fort-er— for-ev-er Three in One!"  
 You o-pened heav-en's king-dom to all who would be-lieve.  
 In glo-ry ev-er-last-ing. A-men, O Lord, a-men!



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### Today's Worship Servants:

**Celebrant:** Rev. George Fields

**Bookbearer:** James Hansford

**Torchbearers:** Miles Agent, William Held

**Altar Guild:** Margaret Haynes

**Elder:** Keith Martin  
**Organist:** Sr. Sara Fields  
**Interpreter:** Denee Smith

**Christmas Choir:** The festival season of the Church year is almost here – and we know what that means: Christmas is coming! Come sing with us as we prepare for Christmas Eve Lessons and Carols; Christmas choir rehearsals begin at 7:00 p.m. **this Wednesday**, November 6<sup>th</sup>, and continue on Wednesday evenings until Christmas. Ask Sister Sara for more details!

**Christmas Recital:** Calling all musicians! It is time to start practicing up, because the Christ Lutheran Christmas Recital is coming on **Saturday, January 4!** If you are interested in participating, email Sister Sara at [sistersara@christlutheranjaxsonms.org](mailto:sistersara@christlutheranjaxsonms.org). All ages and levels are welcome!

**Directory Update:** It's time for our annual directory update! A draft is located on the narthex table for you to kindly **review your information** by **November 24<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 8<sup>th</sup>, the Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost:** Introit Ps. 107:1-2, 41-42; Psalm 146; 1 Kings 17:8-16; Hebrews 9:24-28; Mark 12:38-44.

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### *This week at Christ Lutheran Church: November 4 – November 10*

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6:15 p.m.</b> Elders Meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b> Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday</b>	<b>6:30 a.m.</b> Bible & Breaky
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b> Sunday School for All Ages
	<b>10:30 a.m. Divine Service – The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost</b>



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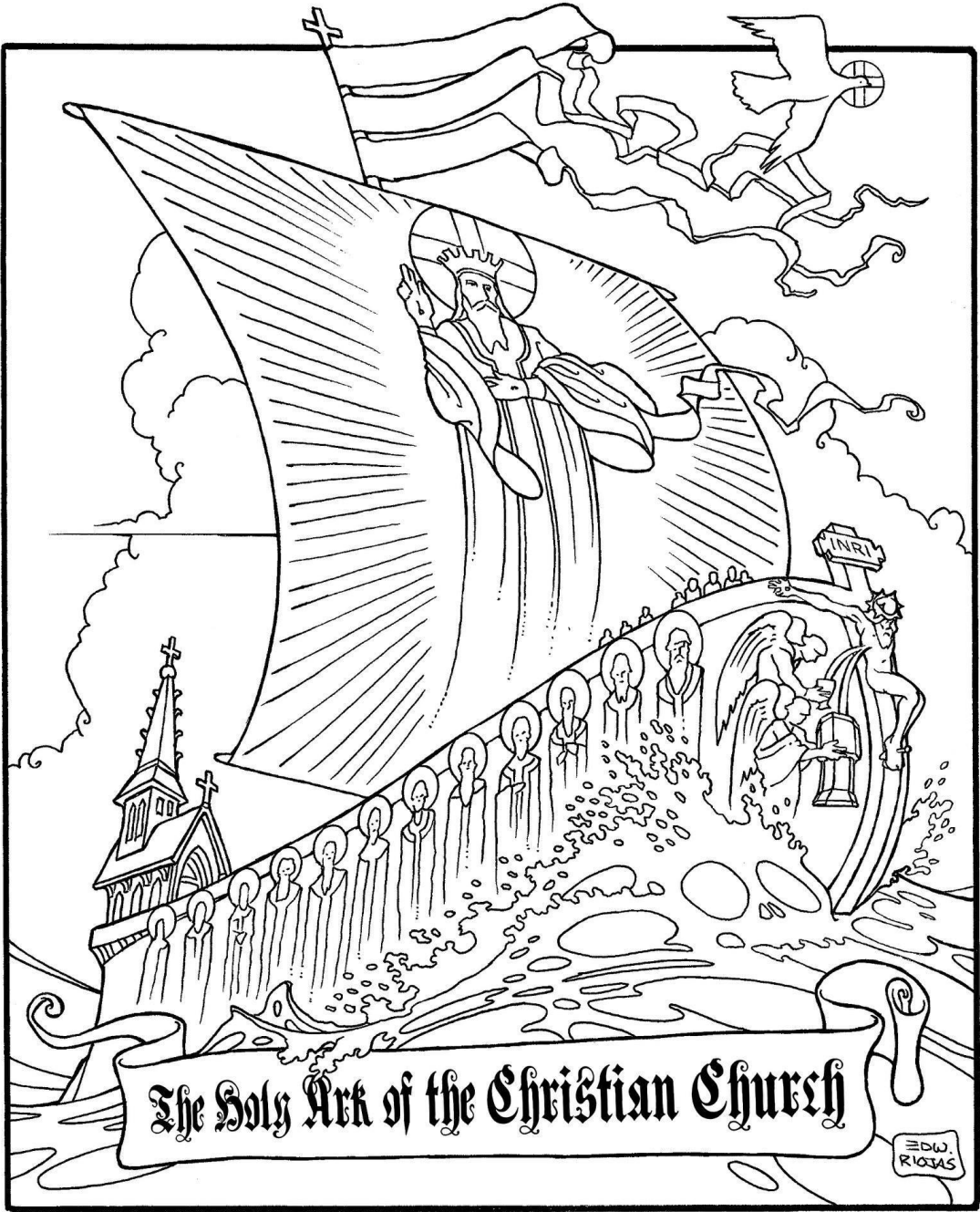
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