

Faith Lutheran Church

MARK 13:26, ESV

THEY WILL SEE
THE SON OF MAN
COMING IN CLOUDS
WITH GREAT POWER
AND GLORY.



November 17th 2024

WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.
Please sign the guest register in the entry
as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

November 17th 2024

Liturgy: Setting One, WS page 1

Speaker:

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Organist:

Lila Brown

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 16

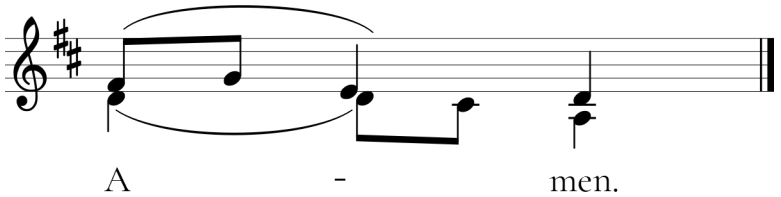
Preserve me, O God, for in You I put my trust. ² *O my soul*, you have said to the LORD, "You *are* my Lord, My goodness is nothing apart from You." ³ As for the saints who *are* on the earth, "They are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight." ⁴ Their sorrows shall be multiplied who hasten *after* another god; Their drink offerings of blood I will not offer, Nor take up their names on my lips. ⁵ O LORD, You *are* the portion of my inheritance and my cup; You maintain my lot. ⁶ The lines have fallen to me in pleasant *places*; Yes, I have a good inheritance. ⁷ I will bless the LORD who has given me counsel; My heart also instructs me in the night seasons. ⁸ I have set the LORD always before me; Because *He is* at my right hand I shall not be moved. ⁹ Therefore my heart is glad, and my glory rejoices; My flesh also will rest in hope. ¹⁰ For You will not leave my soul in Sheol, Nor will You allow Your Holy One to see corruption. ¹¹ You will show me the path of life; In Your presence *is* fullness of joy; At Your right hand *are* pleasures forevermore.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

#17:1-4 Oh, Worship the King

INVOCATION

p In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



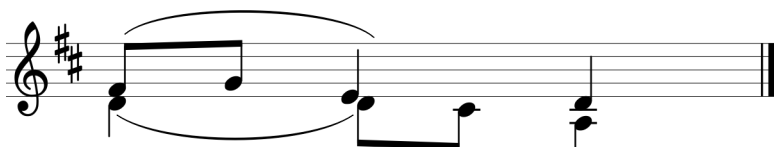
CONFESSION OF SINS

p Beloved of God: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

all **Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against**

You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

p God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



A - men.



Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy



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



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and



peace to all peo-ple on earth. Lord God,



heav-enly king, al - mighty God and Fa - ther; We



wor - ship You, we give You thanks, we



praise You for Your glory. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly



Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take away the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. You are seated at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-

ceiveour prayer For You alone are the Ho-ly One,
 You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High,
 Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

p Let us pray . . . Eternal God, merciful Father, You have appointed Your Son as judge of the living and the dead. Enable us to wait for the day of His return with our eyes fixed on the kingdom prepared for You own from the foundation of the world; through Jesus Christ , our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A - men.

THE WORD

Daniel 12:1-3 "At that time Michael shall stand up, The great prince who stands *watch* over the sons of your people; And there shall be a time of trouble, Such as never was since there was a nation, *Even* to that time. And at that time your people shall be delivered, Every one who is found written in the book. ² And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, Some to everlasting life, Some to shame *and* everlasting contempt. ³ Those who are wise shall shine Like the brightness of the firmament, And those who turn many to righteousness Like the stars forever and ever.

Mark 13:1-13 Then as He went out of the temple, one of His disciples said to Him, "Teacher, see what manner of stones and what buildings *are here!*" ² And Jesus answered and said to him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not *one* stone shall be left upon another, that shall not be thrown down." ³ Now as He sat on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked Him privately, ⁴ "Tell us, when will these things be?"

And what *will be* the sign when all these things will be fulfilled?" ⁵ And Jesus, answering them, began to say: "Take heed that no one deceives you. ⁶ "For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am *He*,' and will deceive many. ⁷ "But when you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be troubled; for *such things* must happen, but the end is not yet. ⁸ "For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. And there will be earthquakes in various places, and there will be famines and troubles^t. These *are* the beginnings of sorrows. ⁹ "But watch out for yourselves, for they will deliver you up to councils, and you will be beaten in the synagogues. You will be brought^t before rulers and kings for My sake, for a testimony to them. ¹⁰ "And the gospel must first be preached to all the nations. ¹¹ "But when they arrest *you* and deliver you up, do not worry beforehand, or premeditate^t what you will speak. But whatever is given you in that hour, speak that; for it is not you who speak, but the Holy Spirit. ¹² "Now brother will betray brother to death, and a father *his* child; and children will rise up against parents and cause them to be put to death. ¹³ "And you will be hated by all for My name's sake. But he who endures to the end shall be saved.

p Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!



These words are written that we may believe that



Je-sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again

from the dead; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

#738 Alleluia! Sing To Jesus!

SERMON

Hebrews 10:11-25 ¹¹ And every priest stands ministering daily and offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. ¹² But this Man, after He had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down at the right hand of God, ¹³ from that time waiting till His enemies are made His footstool. ¹⁴ For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are being sanctified. ¹⁵ But the Holy Spirit also witnesses to us; for after He had said before, ¹⁶ "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the LORD: I will put My laws into

their hearts, and in their minds I will write themⁱ," ¹⁷ *then He adds*, "Their sins and their lawless deeds I will remember no moreⁱ." ¹⁸ Now where there is remission of these, *there is no longer an offering for sin.* ¹⁹ Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰ by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, ²¹ and *having* a High Priest over the house of God, ²² let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³ Let us hold fast the confession of *our* hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful. ²⁴ And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, ²⁵ not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as *is* the manner of some, but exhorting *one another*, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.

CHRIST HAS SAT DOWN IN VICTORY

Therefore, draw near, hold fast,
and stir up one another to good works.
(Work Sheet, Page 18)



Create in me a cleanheart, O



God. Re - new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me



not a - way from Your presence; take not Your Ho-ly



Spir-it from me. Re - store to me the joy of Your sal-



va - - - tion. Up -



hold me with Your free Spir - it.

#370 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

Offering Hymn #442:2

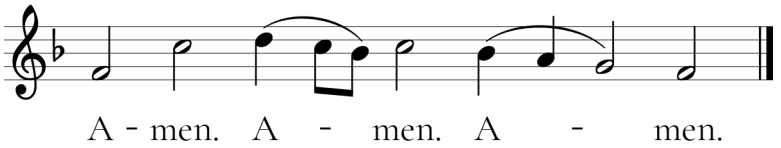
Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to yield Thee gladly, freely of Thine own, With the sunshine of Thy goodness melt our thankless hearts of stone. Till our cold and selfish natures, warmed by Thee, at length believe, That more happy and more blessed 'tis too give that to receive

PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

all 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 BENEDICTION

p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



#376 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers for the family of Arlyn Henke (Al Henke's father) who passed away on Monday.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

9 am Worship Service
10 am Sunday School
10:15am Bible Class

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

3:45-5:15 pm Confirmation Class

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

9 am Communion Service
10 am Sunday School
10:15am Bible Class

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/28 10am Thanksgiving Service
12/1 10am Christmas Eve Practice
12/4 7pm Advent Service
12/7 9am Christmas Decorating
12/15 10am Special Voting Meeting
12/15 3pm Christmas Caroling
12/24 6:30pm Christmas Eve Service
12/25 10am Christmas Day Service
12/31 7pm New Years Eve Service

FRUITS OF FAITH

Sunday Service – 87
General Fund - \$3882
Missions – \$85
Sunday School- 8
Bible Class – 13

USHERS FOR NOVEMBER

Ryan Krueger, Jeff Jones,
Greg Suwanski, Clay Bobek

USHERS FOR DECEMBER

Bob Kirst, Russ Brown,
Jeremy Golz, Kade Muehlehaupt

COUNTERS

This Week Team # 2
David Draeger, Wayne Draeger
Next Week Team #3
Randy Strelow, Robert Schmidt

MEETING NOTES

Meeting notes are available on the shelf.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING

We will be decorating the church for Christmas on the first Saturday in December, December 7, starting at 9am

SPECIAL VOTING MEETING

Our annual special voters meeting to ratify the list of candidates for church offices is scheduled for Sunday December 15 after church.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Christmas caroling is scheduled for December 15. We will meet at the church at 3pm and go from there.

CHRISTMAS EVE PRACTICE

Children's Christmas Eve practice begins the Sunday after Thanksgiving, December 1st at 10am.

CHURCH OFFERINGS

Church offerings in October were better. We had a net income of nearly 5 thousand. At the end of October our checking balance was \$14,000 but we had an outstanding loan of \$14,000.

ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT

The ladies of Luther Memorial Church will be hosting an Advent by Candlelight for all women and their female family members and friends on Sunday, **December 8, 2024 at 3 p.m.** There is no charge for this event. This will be a wonderful afternoon of the Word, music and fellowship to help you prepare your hearts for the Advent season before the holiday gets into full swing!

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Is. 51:4-6

Psalm 93

Jude 20-25

Mark 13:24-37

Sermon Worksheet - Hebrews 10:11-25

What is the significance of Jesus sitting down?

Over what has Jesus gained the victory?

What three things does the writer say ought to be the result in our lives?

What is the price of drawing near to God?

What should our attitude be when coming to him?

How do we have confidence to draw near?

What does it mean to stir up?

What ought we to provoke others to do?

How did Jesus “stir us” up to good works?

Why should we “hold fast”?

What should we “hold fast” to?



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