



Messiah Lutheran Church

Christ Lutheran Academy

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All Saints' Day– November 3, 2013

VISITORS WELCOME! – A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after the service, and we pray that you will hear and receive the Word of God with joy in our midst.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: During the offering we ask that you sign the friendship register located at the center aisle of each pew. Please hand the filled in sheet to the usher as you exit. Let the usher know if you don't have a pad in your pew.



OUR COMMUNION PRACTICE : In the fullness of time, the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth. Until the end of time, His grace is still given to us as He promised it in the Lord's Supper. As we receive His gift today, we would ask *guests* who desire to commune to speak with the pastor *before* the service. In joyful obedience to the teaching of Scripture, we practice closed communion.

PRAYER FOR RIGHT RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION: O Lord, our God, in the name of whose only-begotten Son we have been called to be Christians and have been blest with Baptism for the remission of sins, make us, we pray, ready to receive the most holy body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of all our sins and to give thanks with grateful hearts to you, O Father, to your Son, and to the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

EMERGENCY NUMBER: In case of an emergency, please contact Pastor Roemke on his cell phone: 262-455-0255. This is his permanent cell phone number.

FLOWERS: The flowers on the altar today are provided by the Tom & Heidi Tobalsky in honor of Heidi's birthday.

ALL SAINTS' DAY REMEMBERANCE: We remember all the members of Messiah that have joined Christ in heaven this last year: John Hrupka, Pete Campagna, Marlene Jeschke, and Crystal Stoll.

CHILDREN'S ST. NICHOLAS PROGAM: The children's program will be held Thursday, December 5th at 6:00 p.m. Please put it on your calendars! Practice schedules will be provided to parents soon.

CLA STORE: Purchase your "CLA Gear" or buy other Lutheran gifts at: <http://www.cafepress.com/christlutheranacademy>. All proceeds from the profit of these products go directly to benefit the education of our children at Christ Lutheran Academy.

OTHER WAYS TO HELP CLA: There are many ways to help CLA. Bring in Box Tops for Education. There is a place on the counter in the fellowship hall for these items. If you are a Thrivent Member, you may be eligible for Thrivent Choice Dollars. You can request that the choice dollars be sent to CLA.

APPLE HOLLER SPECIAL: Apple Holler has a program to help donate money to the church. Whenever you eat at Apple Holler, they will send 10% of the bill back to the church! You just need to bring in your most recent church bulletin. This offer is valid Sunday through Saturday, for all meals.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Gentiva Hospice is looking for volunteers to assist hospice patients and their families. Volunteers may visit with patients, participate in activities, sit quietly, help out at the office and more. You do not need medical training or experience. Volunteer times are flexible according to your interests and availability. Training is provided. There will be an orientation in the next few weeks. Please contact Ann Cook at 262-825-2517 or at ann.cook@gentiva.com for more information. Flyers are by the secretary's office.

GRIEFSHARE– Surviving the Holidays Event: A one day FREE seminar is offered to help adults dealing with grief from the death of a loved one during the holidays-No matter how long it's been since your loved one died, grief can make the holidays a painful time. But there is hope. Join us for an encouraging seminar that will help you survive the holidays & discover new reasons to enjoy them again. Sponsored by Piasecki-Althaus Funeral Home & Cremation Services; held on **Sunday, November 24th from 4:00 pm until 6:30 pm at 2002-52nd Street**, Kenosha, WI 53140. An optional Holiday Survival Guide will be available for \$4.00 Please call **262-658-4101 to register**.

+ DIVINE SERVICE I+

THE PREPARATION

Opening Hymn.....Insert
Confession & Absolution.....151

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Introit..... Insert
Kyrie..... 152
This is the Feast.....155
Collect.....Insert
Old Testament.....Insert

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual.....Insert
Epistle.....Insert

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia & Verse..... 156
Holy Gospel..... Insert
Sermon Hymn.....**677, choir vs. 1-3**
Sermon

Nicene Creed..... 158
Commemoration of the Faithful Departed
Prayer of the Church..... 159
Offering..... 159
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SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

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Words of Our Lord 162
The Lord's Prayer 162
Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)..... 163
Dist.Hymns... **700, 671, 813**
Thank the Lord.....164
Prayer.....166
Benediction..... 166
Final Hymn..... **949**

*Please Remain Standing for Final Hymn
Announcements*

In Our Prayers

- For all the children and Christ Lutheran Academy Staff: Debi Tauschek (Headmaster), Karen Moe, Ruth Mallman, Stephanie Zuehls, Liesl Christensen, & Christa Hegland.
- For Exor Padro, Joshua Jacobs, Ted & Katie Hart, and Allen Weber, our members and family members who serve in the armed forces.
- For expecting mothers: Melissa Brieman
- For Shut-Ins: Elsie Rintamaki, Arby Tobalsky, and Lillian Sciortino.
- For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including Dennis Metallo, Joe Kayon, Richard Cleereman, Fred Dissen (Bill Dissen's brother), Alison Daughtery (granddaughter of George & Lois Metallo), John Mills, Joe Garcia (brother of Victor Garcia), Carla Kreuger (cousin of Becky & Ashley Noble), and for the family of Mary Louise Trapp.

Christ's Servants Today

Elder: Todd Walther
 Ushers: Mike Snodgrass & Chuck Leisten
 Greeter: Gail Kulbacki
 Altar Guild: Doris Colombe & Kathy Capriotti
 Organist: Monica Scholz
 Cookies: Weathersby Family



INCOME

Average Budget Income needed in a week	\$3,560
Budget Income Received 10/27	\$2,801
Budged Income Received to Needed	-\$759
Received to Budget YTD 2013	-\$

Attendance 10/27: 143 Communed: 102

This Week's Events for Messiah

Tues. Nov. 5	Choir Practice	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 6	Divine Service w/ CLA	8:15 a.m.
	Women's Bible Study	9:00 a.m.

Future Events for Messiah

Sat. Nov 16th	Lutheran Confessional Study	9:30 a.m.
Thurs. Nov 21st	Spiritual Life	6:00 p.m.
	Parish Planning	7:15 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 27th	Thanksgiving Eve Service	6:30 p.m.
Sun. Dec. 1st	Hanging of the Greens	11:30 a.m.
Tues. Dec. 3rd	KALEA meeting at LOG	6:30 p.m.
Wed. Dec. 4th	Advent Midweek Service	6:30 p.m.

Wedding Anniversaries

No anniversaries this week

Baptism Anniversaries

11/4 Pastor Roemke

Pray for our members

- 11/3 Eva Roemke
- 11/4 Frank Chianelli IV
- 11/5 Lois Metallo
- 11/6 Mitchel Kauppila
- 11/7 Geri Tobalsky
- 11/8 Brandon Bertz
- 11/9 Maggie Gerlach

Birthdays

- 11/3 Kathy Leisten
- 11/4 Heidi Tobalsky
- 11/5 Noah Pederson

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Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ

"A great multitude from all tribes and peoples and languages," cry out "salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne" (Rev. 7:9-17). Faith-filled saints from every place and time with unified voices eternally magnify the Lamb of God. As His beloved children, we too, "shall see him as he is" (1 John 3:1-3). Joined with the throng of angels and a myriad of saints, we shall "serve him day and night in his temple" (Rev. 7:9-17). In our earthly tension vacillating between saint and sinner, faith and doubt, sacred and profane, we earnestly seek Jesus to calm our fears, comfort our spirits, and forgive our sins. The Holy Spirit, through faith in Christ propels us forward, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament, to our eternal home. In the midst of our constant struggle as believers, we need to be blessed. And so we are. The poor in spirit, the meek, the hungry, the thirsty, the merciful, the pure, and the persecuted are all blessed and we will most certainly inherit the kingdom of heaven (Matt. 5:1-12).