

# Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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*Bringing Christ to the  
people and the  
people to Christ.*

We are a community of faith,  
formed in the grace and  
joy of Jesus Christ.

We are a people involved in  
God's sure and unfolding  
promise to mend His  
creation through the life,  
death and resurrection of  
His Son, and in the power  
of the Holy Spirit.

We are a church under the  
cross of Christ, shaped by  
the ancient rhythms of  
Christian worship,  
fellowship, and  
service to others.

*Come share the joy!*

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CHRIST THE KING (YEAR C)

NOVEMBER 20, 2022 • 10:00 A.M.



## **Our Members, Guests and Visitors**

We are all on a journey of faith; God does not expect us to make the journey alone.

Please contact us if we can be of help in any way.

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**Prelude - Dr. Jaeyong Lee**

### **Welcome to Our Saviour's**

- Welcome! Whether you are a longtime member or visiting for the first time, you are a gift from God to us. Guests, so that we may all celebrate your presence and give thanks to God for you, please fill out the yellow card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate later in the service. May the love of Christ comfort you, and the love of His people encourage you!
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome to receive Communion. We begin communing children in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and offer a class to prepare them to receive this Sacrament.

Children's Song / Lesson

"JESUS LOVES THE LITTLE CHILDREN"

Jesus loves the little children  
All the children of the world  
Red, brown, yellow  
Black and white  
They are precious in His sight.  
Jesus loves the little children  
Of the world.

*Please stand (in body or in spirit)*

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "CHIEF OF SINNERS THOUGH I BE" (LBW #306) Vs 1,3,&4**

Chief of sinners though I be, Jesus shed His blood for me,  
Died that I might live on high, Lives that I might never die.  
As the branch is to the vine, I am his, and he is mine.

Only Jesus can impart, Balm to heal the wounded heart,  
Peace that flows from sin forgiv'n, Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n,  
Faith and hope to walk with God In the way that Enoch trod.

Chief of sinners though I be, Christ is All in All to me;  
All my wants to him are known, All my sorrows are his own.  
He sustains the hidden life Safe with him from earthly strife.

**WORDS OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*As the Pastor says the Invocation, the Sign of the Cross ✠ may be made in remembrance of our baptisms.*

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

**C: Amen**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen**

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

P: Most merciful God,

**C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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 us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. In the name of Jesus Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen**

## GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

## KYRIE

A: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

A: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

A: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

A: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: **Amen**

## WORTHY IS CHRIST ~ P.81 LBW

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.

Power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and blessing and glory are His.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation:

Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Almighty and everlasting God, you have crowned your Son as King and, by him, will renew your whole creation. May the families of the earth now torn apart and yoked by sin find liberty in him and be subjected to his gentle rule. Grant this, we pray, through the same Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. (Roman, 20th Century)

C: **Amen**

*Please be seated*

## The Service Of The Word

### FIRST READING

Malachi 3:13-18

R: <sup>13</sup>“Your words have been hard against me, says the LORD. But you say, ‘How have we spoken against you?’ <sup>14</sup>You have said, ‘It is vain to serve God. What is the profit of our keeping his charge or of walking as in mourning before the LORD of hosts? <sup>15</sup>And now we call the arrogant blessed. Evildoers not only prosper but they put God to the test and they escape.’” <sup>16</sup>Then those who feared the LORD spoke with one another. The LORD paid attention and heard them, and a book of remembrance was written before him of those who feared the LORD and esteemed his name. <sup>17</sup>“They shall be mine, says the LORD of hosts, in the day when I make up my treasured possession, and I will spare them as a man spares his son who serves him. <sup>18</sup>Then once more you shall see the distinction between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who does not serve him.”

R: This is the Word of the Lord!

**C: Thanks be to God!**

PSALM 46:1-11

R: <sup>1</sup>God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

**C: <sup>2</sup>Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,**

R: <sup>3</sup>though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

**C: <sup>4</sup>There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.**

R: <sup>5</sup> God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns.

**C: <sup>6</sup> The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts.**

R: <sup>7</sup> The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

**C: <sup>8</sup> Come, behold the works of the LORD, how he has brought desolations on the earth.**

R: <sup>9</sup> He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the chariots with fire.

**C: <sup>10</sup> “Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!”**

R: <sup>11</sup> The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

## SECOND READING

COLOSSIANS 1:13-20

R: <sup>13</sup>He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup>in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. <sup>15</sup>He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. <sup>16</sup>For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities – all things were created through him and for him. <sup>17</sup>And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. <sup>18</sup>And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. <sup>19</sup>For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, <sup>20</sup>and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

R: This is the Word of the Lord!

C: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand (in body or in spirit)*

### GOSPEL CANTICLE ~ "THY WORD"

**Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.**

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**Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.**

**... and a light unto my path.**

### THE HOLY GOSPEL

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke the 23rd Chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Luke 23:27-43

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

*Please be seated*

### SERMON ~ BLAINE DAVIS

"CHRIST IS KING"

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

**HYMN OF THE DAY ~ " CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS" (LBW #170) Vs 1-4**

Crown him with many crowns,  
The Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark, how the heav'nly anthem drowns  
All music but its own.  
Awake, my soul, and sing  
Of him who died for thee,  
And hail him as thy matchless king  
Through all eternity.

Crown him the virgin's Son,  
The God incarnate born,  
Whose arm those crimson trophies won  
Which now his brow adorn;  
Fruit of the mystic rose,  
Yet of that rose the stem,  
The root whence mercy ever flows,  
The babe of Bethlehem.

Crown him the Lord of love--  
Behold his hands and side,  
Rich wounds, yet visible above,  
In beauty glorified.  
No angels in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight,  
But downward bend their burning eyes  
At mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of life,  
Who triumphed o'er the grave  
And rose victorious in the strife  
For those he came to save.  
His glories now we sing,  
Who died and rose on high,  
Who died, eternal life to bring,  
And lives that death may die.

**APOSTLES' CREED**

**I BELIEVE in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I BELIEVE in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead**

**I BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

**THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

Confident in God's steadfast love through Jesus Christ and guided by the Holy

*The prayers conclude:*

**P:** Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen**

*Please be seated*

**OFFERING & OFFERTORY MUSIC**

*Please stand (in body or in spirit)*

### THE DOXOLOGY ~ "I OFFER MY LIFE"

All that I am, all that I have  
I lay them down before You, O Lord;  
All of my hopes, all of my plans,  
my heart and my hands are lifted to You.

*lifting my praise to You as a pleasing sacrifice,  
Lord, I offer You my life.*

What can we give that You have not given;  
And what do we have that is not already  
Yours?

Chorus:

*Lord, I offer my life to You,  
everything I've been through,  
use it for Your glory,  
Lord, I offer my days to You,*

All we possess are these lives we're living,  
and that's what we give to You, Lord.

*Chorus*

### POST OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray. Merciful Father,

**C: 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**

*Please remain standing*

## The Holy Meal

### THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

We come to the table at the gracious invitation of the Lord, receiving the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of our sins. It is Christ who invites us to meet Him here. Adults and children not receiving communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ P. 88 LBW

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

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

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

P: Who did surround us with so great a cloud of witnesses, to encourage us with their fellowship to run the race that is set before us, and with them to obtain the everlasting crown. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all of the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious name; evermore praising You and saying:



**C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

P: Therefore, gracious Father, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of His resurrection, we await His coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.

**C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P: Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, the spirit of our Lord and of His resurrection, that we who receive the Lord's body and blood may live to the praise of your glory and receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.

**C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

P: In the night in which He was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying, 'Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

Again, after supper, He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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**

LAMB OF GOD ~ P. 92 LBW

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.**

*Please be seated*

**DISTRIBUTION**

**COMMUNION HYMNS:**

Dr. Jaeyong Lee and Michael Grinnell ~ Instrumental

"I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE"

I am the Bread of life  
You who come to me shall not hunger,  
And who believes in me shall not thirst.  
No one can come to me  
Unless the Father beckons,

Chorus:

*And I will raise you up,  
And I will raise you up,  
And I will raise you up on the last day.*

The bread that I will give  
Is my flesh for the life of the world,  
And if you eat of this bread,  
You shall live forever, You shall live forever.

*Chorus*

Unless you eat  
Of the flesh of the Son of Man  
And drink of his blood,  
And drink of his blood,  
You shall not have life within you.

*Chorus*

I am the resurrection, I am the life.  
If you believe in me, Even though you die,  
You shall live forever.

*Chorus*

Yes, Lord, I believe That you are the Christ,  
The Son of God,  
Who has come Into the world.

*Chorus*

"'TIL THE STORM PASSES BY"

In the dark of the midnight have I oft hid  
my face,  
While the storm howls above me, and  
there's no hiding place.  
'Mid the crash of the thunder, Precious  
Lord, hear my cry,  
Keep me safe till the storm passes by.

Refrain:

*Till the storm passes over, till the thunder  
sounds no more,  
Till the clouds roll forever from the sky;  
Hold me fast, let me stand in the hollow of  
Thy hand,  
Keep me safe till the storm passes by.*

Many times Satan whispered, "There is no  
need to try,  
For there's no end of sorrow, there's no hope  
by and by"  
But I know Thou art with me, and tomorrow  
I'll rise  
Where the storms never darken the skies.

*Refrain*

When the long night has ended and the  
storms come no more,  
Let me stand in Thy presence on the bright  
peaceful shore;  
In that land where the tempest, never comes,  
Lord, may I  
Dwell with Thee when the storm passes by.

*Refrain*

“Jesus, the Very Thought of You” (LBW #316)

Jesus, the very thought of you Fills us with sweet delight; But sweeter far your face to view And rest within your light.	O Hope of ev'ry contrite soul, O Joy of all the meek, How kind you are to those who fall! How good to those who seek!
No voice can sing, no heart can frame, Nor can the mind recall A sweeter sound than your blest name, O Savior of us all!	O Jesus, be our joy today; Help us to prize your love; Grant us at last to hear you say: “Come, share my home above.”

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

**COMMUNION BLESSING**

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: **Amen**

**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE ~ “SONG OF SIMEON”**

Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace,  
Your word has been fulfilled.  
My own eyes have seen the Salvation,  
Which you have prepared in the sight of every people.  
A light to reveal you to the Nations,  
And the glory of your people, Israel.  
Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace. Amen

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: Let us pray. We give you thanks almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen**

**BENEDICTION ~ P. 95 LBW**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.  
In the name of the Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen**

## CLOSING HYMN ~ "LORD, DISMISS US WITH YOUR BLESSING" (LBW #259) Vs 1&3

Lord, dismiss us with your blessing,  
fill our hearts with joy and peace;  
let us each, your love possessing,  
triumph in redeeming grace.  
Oh, refresh us; oh, refresh us,  
trav'ling through this wilderness.

Thanks we give and adoration  
for your gospel's joyful sound.  
May the fruits of your salvation

in our hearts and lives abound.  
Ever faithful, ever faithful  
to your truth may we be found.

Savior, when your love shall call us  
from our struggling pilgrim way,  
let no fear of death appall us,  
glad your summons to obey.  
May we ever, may we ever  
reign with you in endless day.

### DISMISSAL

P: The Lord be with you! Go and serve in Jesus' name.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### POSTLUDE

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **P.A.T.H Food Pantry Drive**

PATH's Choice Food Pantry is the largest in our area. Last year, PATH helped over 17,000 individuals with their Food Pantry. You can support our hungry neighbors in need in two different ways; either the donate food staples OR monetary donations.

Below is a list of a few suggested items for our food pantry and warehouse:

- Canned Meats
- Rice & Beans
- \* Soap/Deodorant/Shampoo
- \* Feminine Hygiene Products
- Beans
- Canned soup, chili, or stew
- \* Toothpaste/Toothbrushes
- \* Diapers (Baby & Adult)

Monetary donations:

Donation of cash or checks may be dropped off in the box located in the Narthex close to the PATH display. Checks should be made payable to PATH and annotate in the memo section "Food Pantry". Your donations may be placed in the envelopes located next to the display. OSLC Social Ministry will also be making a monetary donation.

## Poinsettias

It's that time of year again to purchase a poinsettia, in honor of or in memory of someone. We will use them to decorate the Nave this year. You may take them home after the Christmas Eve service. The cost is \$8.00 per plant.

## ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 27, 2022 - Advent 1:

Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup> - The First Article of the Apostles' Creed  
6:00 pm Meal  
7:00 pm Service

Sunday, December 4, 2022 - Advent 2:

Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> - The Second Article of the Apostles' Creed  
6:00 pm Meal  
7:00 pm Service

Sunday, December 11, 2022 - Advent 3:

Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> - The Third Article of the Apostles' Creed  
6:00 pm Meal  
7:00 pm Service

Sunday, December 18, 2022 - Advent 4: (No Sunday School)

Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> - The Holden Evening Prayer Service  
NO MEAL  
7:00 pm Service

Saturday, December 24, 2022 - Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

NO MEAL  
7:00 pm Service

Sunday, December 25, 2022 - Christmas (No Sunday School)

10:00 am Service

## Our Worship Servants This Morning:

Greeter:	Amy Norris
Acolytes:	Annabelle & Penelope Davis
Ushers:	Cliff & Sally Dengerud
Cantor:	Blaine Davis
Reader:	Alan Cumming
Communion Assistant:	Susan Buntz
Projectionist:	Toby Fite

### Upcoming Activities at OSLC (November 21-27)

Tuesday:	Quilters	9:00 a.m.
Thursday:	Happy Thanksgiving!	
Saturday:	Altar Guild Team #4	
Sunday:	1st Sunday in Advent	
	Choir Practice	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:00 a.m.
	Confirmation Class	4:30 p.m.

### November 13, 2022

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Attendance Last Week      94

2022 Average Attendance   100

### Stewardship

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Average Monthly Expenses:	\$ 23,740
Prior November Offerings:	\$ 5,378
Offerings on November 13th:	\$ 5,061
Other Weekly Offerings:	<u>\$ 1,765</u>
Total Weekly Offerings:	\$ 6,826
Total November Offerings:	\$ 12,204
2022 Offering to Date:	\$ 255,627



