





**FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT**  
November 20, 2022 8:15 a.m.

**WORDS OF WELCOME**

**OPENING HYMN** "Hosanna"

**INVOCATION**

**OPENING SENTENCES**

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

**SERVICE OF THE WORD**

**KYRIE**

**SALUTATION**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**HYMN** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**GRADUAL AND VERSE**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "Even So, Come"

**SERMON**

**APOSTLES' CREED**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**OFFERING**

**HYMN** "Beautiful One"

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING HYMN** "The King of Glory" **AGPS 227**

**LSB 357, Sts. 1-2,4**

**ISAIAH 2:1-5**

**ROMANS 13:8-14**

**MATTHEW 24:36-44**

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**OPENING HYMN** "The Advent of Our King" **LSB 331**

**DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING FOUR** **PG 203**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** **ISAIAH 2:1-5**

**ROMANS 13:8-14**

**ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

**MATTHEW 24:36-44**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**OFFERING**

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "Savior of the Nations, Come" **LSB 332**

**SERMON**

**NICENE CREED**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS** **PG 208**

"Come, Thou Bright and Morning Star" **LSB 872**

"Come, Thou Precious Ransom, Come" **LSB 350**

"Once He Came in Blessing" **LSB 333**

**CLOSING HYMN** "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" **LSB 338**

**ASSISTING NEXT WEEK AT 8:15**

**MUSIC:** Beth Shroff

**LAY MINISTER:** Al Koschmann and

Communion Assistant

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** Alicia Bolt

**LECTOR:** Cheryl Frazine

**ACOLYTE:** Ainsley and Ashton Vering

**USHERS:** TBD

**AUDIO/VIDEO:** Phil Pelzman

**ALTAR DUTY:** Volunteers

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**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are given to the glory of God in thankfulness for all that the Lord has done.



Wednesday, November 30 at 5:45 p.m. Fellowship Meal will be hosted by our teachers to raise funds for shipping Operation Christmas Child Boxes. They will be serving casseroles, salad, and bread. See you then!

**We believe...**

**THE LORD'S SUPPER**

(Communion) is a miracle in bread and wine! In the Lord's Supper, we receive Christ's body and blood for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith in, with, and under the bread and wine. This is the most important thing in the Sacrament.

**Matthew 26:26-28**

If you believe what Christ says about His Supper and share the beliefs we have in this congregation of Christians, you are encouraged to join us for Communion. If not, please use this time for prayer and reflection upon God's love for you.

We then invite you to speak with the Pastor or Lay Minister about how you too, can share in this wonderful gift. If

you have difficulty going forward to the rail and would like to be communed in your pew, let the Pastor, Lay Minister, or Usher know of your request.

The cups in the center of each communion tray are filled with grape juice if you prefer this option

Prayers for before and after communion can be found on page 308 in the pew hymnal, *Lutheran Service Book*.

Communion preparation question with their answers can be found on page 329 in the *Lutheran Service Book*.



Consider joining the new training class for Stephen Ministers **begins in January 2023**. This class is 50 hours of teaching and honing your God-given gifts to care for adults in our congregation, school, and community who are experiencing difficult times. To sign up or get more information, stop by the Stephen Ministry table in the Narthex after first service. Or give David Yocky or Leslie Helge a call to get more information.



*"Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God."*  
Philippians 4:6

**FOR OUR HOMEBOUND MEMBERS**

Lee Ackermann, June Powell, Emily Schroer, Ruth Slick

**FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING**

Especially for Bill Larsen, Faye Hansen, Terri Donaldson, Laurel Drew, and Wayne Muenster.

**FOR THOSE SUFFERING FROM CANCER**

Especially Whitey Hansen

**FOR OUR MISSIONARIES**

For Benjamin and Rebecca Helge in the Czech Republic, for Tim & Martha Matzke in the Solomon Islands, and all those volunteering & serving in East Albuquerque with "God Cares About You"

**FOR GOD'S CONTINUED PROTECTION**

For all our men and women who serve our country faithfully in the Armed Forces, especially SSgt Peter Kolke, AEAN Angelina Madrid, and SSgt Aaron Saavedra

Please call, email or write to the church office to have a name added or removed from the prayer list in this bulletin.

If you'd like a request on the Prayer Chain (individuals who address requests during their private prayer time) contact Betty Swanger at 681-4843 or email at bisgravy9345@gmail.com.



We had 31 families support in our RaiseRight/SCRIP Program last week. We sold \$5,212 worth of gift cards and earned \$206.09 in rebates. Alva Geuss is a school parent that earned \$41 this week and has her rebate going towards her child's tuition. Make sure you're participating in our **Grocery Challenge** while you grocery shop for the holidays. Contact Karen Kolke or Glen Postenrieder at first service or Rosalie Volz at second service for any questions you may have.



But put on the Lord

*Jesus Christ*  
and make no provision  
for the flesh in regard  
to its lusts

Romans 13:14