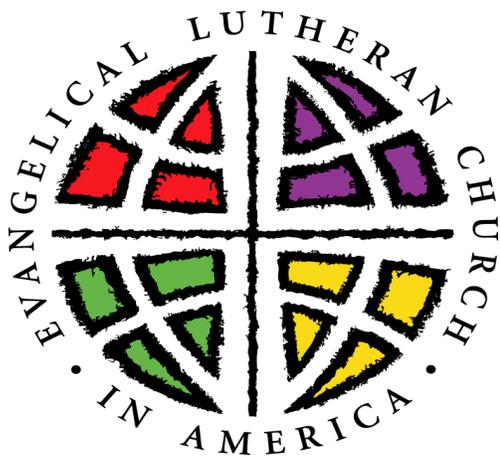


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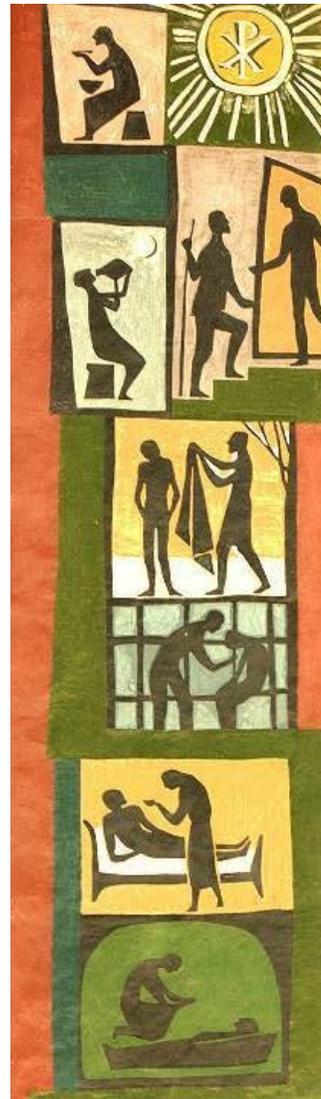


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Christ the King
Sunday



Seven Works of Mercy
Mural in Diakonie Conference Center
Neuendettelsau, Germany

November 22, 2020
online

Prelude

“Prelude in Classic Style”

-G. Young

Welcome to Worship

We worship as we were baptized; in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Confession

Holy One,

We confess that we are not awake for you. We are not faithful in using your gifts. We forget the least of our siblings. We do not see your beautiful image in one another. We are infected by sin that divides your beloved community. Open our hearts to your coming, open our eyes to see you in our neighbor, open our hands to serve your creation.

Amen.

Beloved, we are God’s children, and Jesus opens the door to us. Through Jesus you are forgiven, by Jesus you are welcome, in Jesus you are called to rejoice! Let us live in the promises prepared for us from the foundation of the world.

Amen

Gathering Hymn “Crown Him with Many Crowns” ELW 855

Vs. 1,4

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
Hark! how the heavenly 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.

Gathering Hymn (cont.)

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.

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray...

Amen.

Children's Sermon

Staff of LRCC

Halle, Halle

Gospel

Matthew 25:31-46

Sermon

“Is That You Lord?” *Pastor Kim Krogstad*

P: May the words of my mouth

C: And the meditations of each of our hearts

ALL: Be acceptable in your sight, our Rock and our Redeemer.

*Lift up your voices, with us sing
Glad songs to Jesus, our Lord and King;
For he has borne our grief and pain
And sits upon his throne to reign.
Sing now his truth both far and near;
Sing peace, sing joy, that all may hear.*

*Oh, sing of his redeeming grace
That all who will may now embrace;
And sing of him who reigns above,
Who rules with tenderness and love.
To Christ the King your voices raise:
Sing peace, sing joy, sing thanks and praise.
Sing peace, sing joy, sing thanks and praise.*

Prayers of God's People

Lord in your mercy...

Hear our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Benediction

Sending Hymn

“Beautiful Savior”

ELW 838

Vs. 1, 3, 4

Beautiful Savior, King of Creation,
Son of God and Son of Man!
Truly I'd love thee, Truly I'd serve thee,
Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.

Fair is the sunshine, Fair is the moonlight,
Bright the sparkling stars on high;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer
Than all the angels in the sky.

Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations,
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration,
Now and forevermore be thine!

Dismissal

Go in peace. Do justice.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

”Come, Thou Almighty King”

—setting, Hustad

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Life in Christ

WORSHIP

Thanksgiving Worship – Holden’s Evening Prayer
Online, available on our website Wednesday, November 25.

Sundays at 9 am—In person on upper parking lot or in car on the lower parking lot

At Home - Online Worship—www.firstlutheranredlands.org

You are encouraged to participate only as you feel comfortable. God is present and promises to bless us no matter what we do or do not do during worship. Our hope is that each person will be able to worship and rest in God's love and presence in a way that feels safe.

****In person worship is subject to change or cancellation at any time.****

Pledge Cards were mailed with third quarter statements. Please prayer-fully consider how you can support First Lutheran and its ministries in 2021 and return your pledges to the office or in your offering envelopes by December 1.

Advent Boxes have been put together which include devotionals, activities, and more to celebrate and prepare for the Birth of Jesus. They are available following in-person worship or from the church office.

PLAY

Book Club is back and we are reading "This Tender Land" by William Kent Krueger. It's a story about family and faith and hope as four children brought together by horrible circumstances set out together to find home. We plan on meeting on Monday, November 30 at 6:30pm. Get the book - you will be glad you did! Zoom link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88416493150>

Life in Christ

LEARN

Bible Study No Bible Study this week—Happy Thanksgiving

SERVE

Thanksgiving and Advent are just 1 week away. Every week we will add a new way YOU can "Share Christ" this holiday season.



Youth Hope Youth Hope provides new shoes and Christmas meals and treats for 150-300 homeless youth in our community. They cannot host their annual party this year but are still hoping to connect with teenagers in need.

- You can donate the cost of a new pair of shoes directly to Youth Hope at PO Box 7803 Redlands, CA 92375 or through First Lutheran.
- You can donate cookies through First Lutheran. Just bake, freeze, and drop off at the church office. We are hoping to provide 150 dozen cookies to Youth Hope for their giveaways in mid December. Girl Scout Troop 628 will bag up mixed half dozens on Sunday, December 13.

CCLM KinderTree 16 children for us to provide Christmas gifts for. We are providing \$25.00 Wal-Mart gift card for each child. Drop gift cards at the church office or donate through First Lutheran and we will purchase cards. Gift Cards will be delivered to CCLM on Friday December 4th.

Redlands Family Service Thanksgiving and Christmas Food Baskets Donate through the church office or directly to Family Service during their drop-off hours Wednesday - Friday 9am-4pm. Follow this link for more info and the food basket list

<https://www.redlandsfamilyservice.org/needs/>

Remember in prayer...

*“Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus,
and for all people according to their needs:”*

In Thanksgiving: for the birth of the Barnes’ great-grandson, Asaph Bear Klass on November 10.

Those who mourn: Kathy Swenson and family at the death of her brother, Dan; the Barnes and Diane’s family at the death of Jerry.

+Rest eternal grant him, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon him. +

Healing and strength: Hazel Williamson in hospice and her son, Robert; cousin of Ray Wade, Bob; brother-in-law of Julie Garcia, Jack; friend of Karen Fredricksen, Spenser, and her son, Luke; great-niece of the Griesemers, Julya; friends of the Barnes, Debbie with pancreatic cancer, Larry and Norma; mother of BB Quinones; friend of Tom Olsen, Gary; friend of Mitch Heitritter, Jim.

Continuing prayers for: Nancy Sturlaugson; Phil Schmidt; John McMunn; Saba Andom; Dona Searles.

Our homebound: Lois Nabors, Loretta Sanders, Carlton Peterson; Arlene Coleman; Betty Frannea.

- ✧ Our nation during this transition time
- ✧ Presiding Bishop of the ELCA, Elizabeth Eaton, and Bishop of the Pacifica Synod, Andy Taylor
- ✧ Those affected and fighting COVID-19
- ✧ The people of Nicaragua and Honduras recovering from two major hurricanes within two weeks of one another.
- ✧ Peace

*Into your hand we commend all for whom we pray,
trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.”*

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