



Pentecost 25

Nov 19, 2023

11:00am

Consecration Sunday



Christ Lutheran Church
9212 Taylorsville Rd.
Jeffersontown, KY 40299
www.christlutheranlouisville.com

WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS who worship with us today. We are glad you are here and we invite you to worship with us again and often. If you have no church home, we invite you to consider Christ Lutheran Church. Please sign the attendance card or the Yellow Visitor card in each pew and place it in the offering plate.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Jesus Christ is the host at the table of Holy Communion and invites all to come. Here the real presence of Jesus meets us in the form of bread and wine. In this sacrament he offers himself to us for the forgiveness of sin and the promise of eternal life. You can come forward to the Communion Rail to receive the Holy Communion or if you choose, the Holy Communion kits are available in the narthex, for in-person worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

The prelude is a time to prepare for worship. When the prelude begins, please enter the sanctuary prayerfully and reverently. Please silence your cell phones and take this time to quiet your minds and voices.

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Pr. George Mercer, Pastoral Assistant
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Welcome

Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness

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

C **Amen.**

P God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

P If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Stand/Kneel Silence for reflection and self-examination

P Most merciful God,

C **Have mercy on us. We confess to you that 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 trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.**

P With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants you newness of life in Jesus Christ.

C **Thanks be to God!**

Sharing the Peace

Entrance Hymn: <i>God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending</i>
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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.**

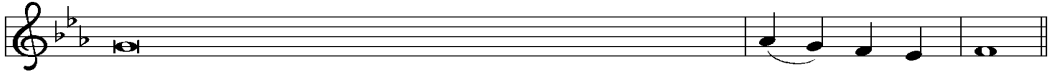
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In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



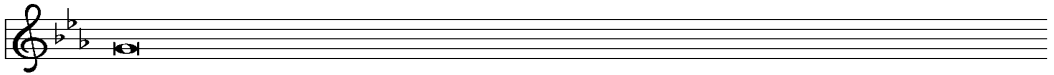
Lord, have mer - cy.



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



Lord, have mer - cy.



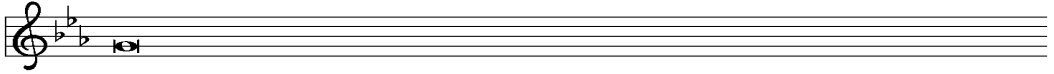
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

Refrain

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

Refrain

hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

Refrain

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the day *(See your screen/celebrate insert)*

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P

C Amen.

Sit

The Word

Children's Sermon

Readings and Psalm: *(See your screen/celebrate insert)*

End 1st and 2nd reading with:

A The word of the Lord.

The congregation responds with:

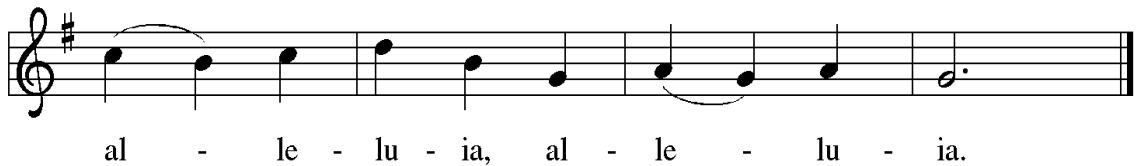
C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Gospel Acclamation

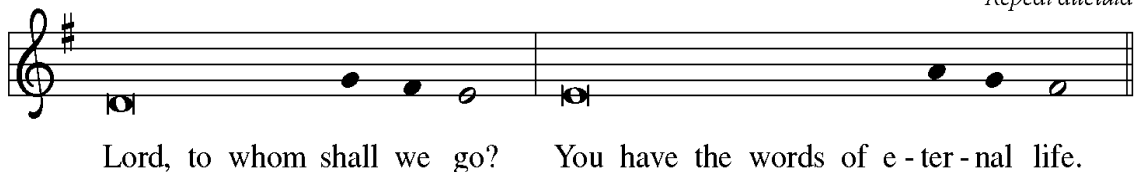


Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Repeat alleluia



Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Gospel: *(See Screen/celebrate insert)*

P The Holy Gospel according to:

C Glory to you O Lord

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you O Christ

Sit

Sermon

Stand

Hymn of the Day: *Take My Life, That I May Be*

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The Apostles' Creed

P God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ, living together in trust and hope we confess our faith...

**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 to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father,
He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

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

*Or, He descended into hell

** catholic church means 'universal church or Christian church throughout the world'.

Intercessory Prayers *(See your screen/Celebrate insert)*

Sit

Offering: *For on-line worshipers please mail to the office at 9212 Taylorsville Road, 40299 or contact the office for instructions for direct deposit. You may also use our online app at tithely.com or scan QR code on the right)*



SCAN ME

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *Lord, at All Times*

Mendelssohn

Lord, at all times I will bless Thee, and in songs of praise address Thee, yea, and make my boast in Thee. Let the humble gladly hear me, let the godly gather near me, and exalt Thy name with me. When the poor man succor craved, from his trouble he was saved, when he called, he was heard. Come, ye children, I beseech you, hearken when I faint would teach you from your hearts to fear the Lord. Taste and see the Lord is gracious, bounteous as the heavens are spacious; Yea, the Lord our God is good. He, our cry in pity heareth, he regardeth him that feareth, He doth send us needful food.

Stand

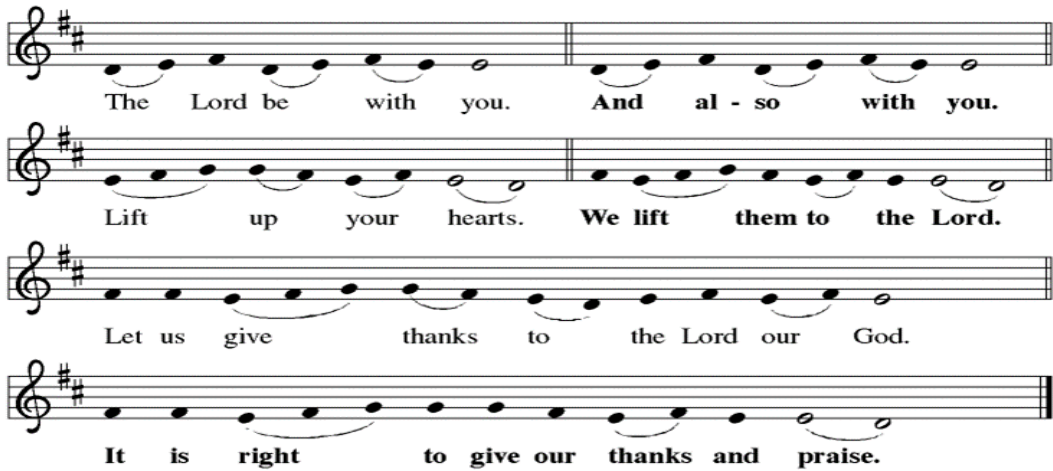
Offertory Prayer

P Let us pray,

C Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ. Amen.



The Great Thanksgiving

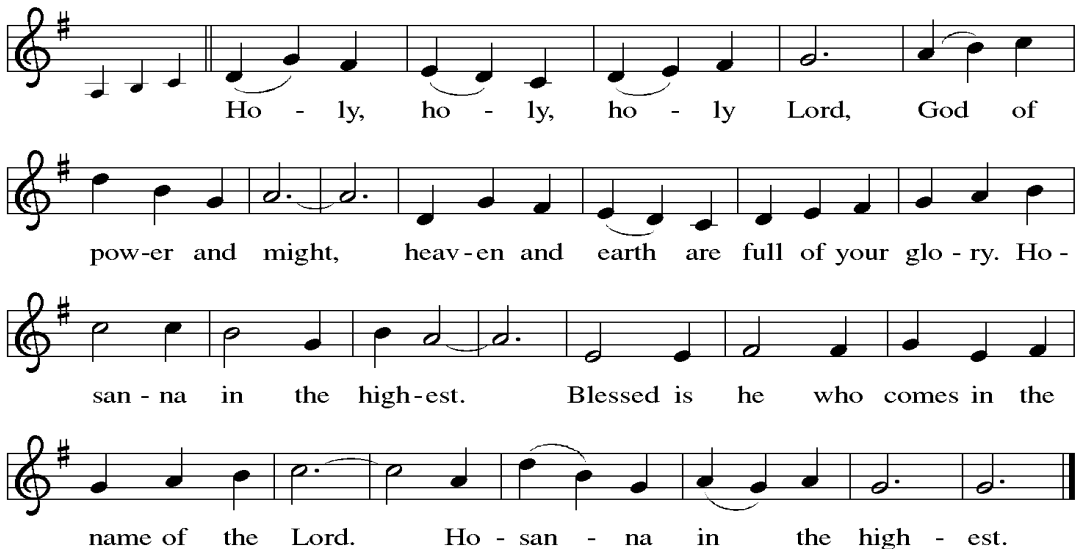


The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Preface

P It is indeed right...

....we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Sit

Communion



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -



way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Blessing

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of His body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A Let us pray.

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

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen.

Sending Hymn: *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*

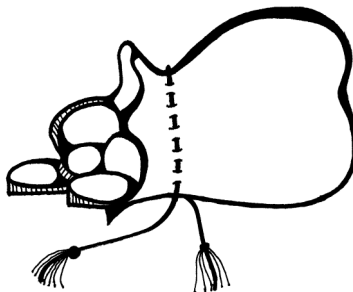
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A Walking with Christ, go in peace to love and serve our church and neighbors.

C Thanks be to God!

Postlude: *Now Thank We All Our God*

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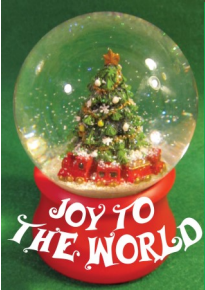
Invite a Neighbor to our Mid-Week Advent Services!!



Advent Mid-Week Services

*Wed. December 6
Wed. December 13
Wed. December 20
@7pm*

Light Supper @ 6pm



CAROLING @ FOREST HILLS COMMONS

Sunday, December 10th, 12:15 -3:00p.m.

“Joy to the world the Lord has come..” Now that this beloved Christmas carol is stuck in your head, how about caroling at Forest Hills Commons?

The Christian Education committee is pleased to offer this family favorite tradition and spread some cheer with our voices and musical talents.

No need to sign. Simply join us on Sunday December 10th. We will have lunch at church after the 11a.m. service with caroling to follow at Forest Hills Commons at 2 p.m. “...And Heaven and Heaven and Nature sing.”



Jeffersontown Area Ministries (JAM) will again this year ask for \$50 gift cards to Meijer, Walmart or Target. This is in lieu of purchasing individual gifts for the children of families in need as was done in the past years. Please put your donated cards in a sealed envelope addressed J.A.M. You may place the envelope in the offering plate or mail/deliver to the church office. **The deadline to turn in the cards is Dec 8.** These will be delivered to the J.A.M. after the deadline.



Looking for a way to spread Christmas cheer from our church to our neighbors? Please consider signing up for our Live Nativity drive through event. We need cast members, greeters & carolers of all ages! Don't worry about having to memorize lines, all we ask of you is to wear a costume and strike a pose. **The sign-up deadline is Sunday November 19th**. If you can't volunteer but still want to show your support, please see how many friends, and family members you can load in your car and drive through! Don't forget about our homebound/shut-in friends who may be looking for some yuletide fun. Mark your calendar you won't want to miss this!

Use this sign-up genius link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0C4FADAB2BA02-45256136-live> or use the sign up sheet in the Narthex. If you forget to use either, no worries you can al-



DECEMBER:

Sat, Dec 2nd, in the evening – Santa Express 2023 Elf'n Around hosted by The Roll Call Foundation.

All Ages Event, More Details TBA

Is smiling your favorite? If so you're in luck! Join us for an all ages Elf-themed car scavenger hunt. Essentially we all pile in our cars for a local scavenger hunt that ends at a site where they have crafts, treats, visit with Santa, and a showing of the movie Elf. Cost is by the carload, and money collected benefits a charitable cause of the Roll Call Foundation's choosing.

Questions? Call or text me! Sarah Pryor, Youth Ministry 502-758-5108

CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
THE CHURCH IN LIFE & WORK

Nov 19, 2023

- Nov 19 11:00am -Worship In Person and at Home Service w/Communion
-Potluck Lunch after service
-Piano Dedication
-Visioning Information
- 1:15pm -Confirmation Class
- DEADLINE for Operation Christmas Child Boxes**
- Nov 20 12:00pm -Prayer Meeting / Bible Study
7:00pm -Finance Cmte Meeting
- Nov 21 9:30am -Tuesday Friends
- Nov 22 9:00am -Wednesday Friends

NO CHOIR REHEARSAL

Nov 23-24 **Office Closed (Thanksgiving)**

✝ **LIVE STREAM** - The 11:00am service is live streamed online. You can join us on our Facebook page or YouTube. We need volunteers to live stream our 11:00am service. If you are interested, there is a sign up sheet in the Narthex.

✝ **JAM DONATIONS** -(Nov) Oral Health: toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, & dental picks.

✝ **ATTENDANCE CARDS** - Please make sure you fill out the attendance cards completely each week to help us keep our parish records up to date. Please be sure to put the worship time you attend and each family member's name. **As we are updating the database, please give Date of Birth (DOB) for each family member.**

✝ **PROPERTY**- The property committee asks if you have a concern, please fill out a blue form.

✝ **DEVOTIONAL BOOKS /MESSENGER** - available to be picked up at church.

✝ **CALENDER UPDATES**-Please fill out a green slip and put in the office mailbox to have events, meetings, and etc added to the church calendars. You can also email your request to the church office.



CONTINUED PRAYERS

HOSPITALIZED, RECOVERY OR ON-GOING TREATMENT

Rod Hester, 2015 Roberts Road, Taylorsville, KY 40071
Anne Hernandez, 10116 Cedar Crest Court, 40291
Beverly Kelly, 7603 Endecott Place, Prospect, 40059
Shari Bessette, 1647 Greenland Park Circle, Shelbyville, 40065
Ryan Bessette, 1647 Greenland Park Circle, Shelbyville, 40065
Doug Kull, 6520 Keeling Pl. Rd., 40291
Kathy Bremner, 8117 Watterson Trail, Louisville, 40299
Immanuel Korgar, 8310 Autumnwood Way, 40291
Ed Greaves, 12523 Taylorsville Rd Apt 1011, 40299
Curt Sigdestad, 17110 Farrier Dr, 40245
Marty Mercer, 110 Mill Pond Ct, Bardstown, Ky 40004
Earl Arnett, 9101 Lantern Lite Pkwy, 40220



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Carol Breitenstein, 4014 Mulberry Row Way, 40299
Danna Hesse, Nazareth Home, 2120 Payne St, 40206
Florence Bright, 2619 Lindsay Ave., 40206
Wilma Brown, 10625 Wimberley Hills Blvd., 40241
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Martha Classon, Anthology of Louisville, 1105 Dorsey Ln., Rm 301, 40223
Audrey Albin, 903 Blankenbaker Parkway, Apt 123, 40243
Becky Zibart, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln. Rm. 301, 40245
Chester Evans, Symphony at Valley Farms, 10201 Valley Farms Blvd, 40272
Mary Lou Vaughn, Nazareth Home, 2000 Newburg Rd. #262 E. Vaughn, 40205
Pete Peters, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln. Rm. 519, 40245
Mary Lou Miller, 13600 Lagrange Road, Apt. 238, 40245
Norma Kuerzi, 34515 Hurstborne Ln Apt 214, 40299
Betty Payne, 2300 Old Hickory Road, 40299
Betty Graff, 1143 Fisherville Rd, 40022

***Please notify the church or the Pastor of any changes**
***Prayer box and request forms are located in the Narthex to be used or**
feel free to contact Pastor Limbong or the office.



Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday

8:30AM - 4:30 PM

If you wish to contact Pastor Limbong
please call the church at (502-267-5082)

or his cell phone: (502-553-6025)

His scheduled days off are Friday and Saturday

Except during an emergency

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